

Double Dosey

Music: She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain.

INTRODUCTION

You join your hands and circle half around,
Promenade in single file back to town;
Elbow swing your corner filly,
Oh, you swing her till she's silly;
Then you swing your little honey round and round.

FIGURE

First couple out and circle four around,
Oh, the ladies dos-a-dos up and down;
* Now the ladies hi-de-ho while the gents they dos-a-dos,
And you swing your little honey all around.

BREAK

Elbow swing your corner lady round,
Swing that little filly up and down;
Put your arm around your baby,
Promenade her like a lady;
Oh, you promenade your honey all around.

EXPLANATION

Figure: First couple circles four hands around with the second couple. The two ladies dos-a-dos with each other, then the two gents dos-a-dos. Both couples swing with partners and couple two progresses on to couple three. An interesting variation is produced if the visiting couple retain each other's inside hands during the dos-a-dos.

* If your dancers are 'fast' you can have the two couples dos-a-dos partners before swinging: substitute the line below for the one starred above:-

'Now two gents they dos-a-dos; then partners, don't be slow'

