NAME OF RECORDS: Tanz Schallplatten ADDRESS: Walter Kogler, Stuttgart-Mohringen, Germany

Danish TROMMELVALSEN

RECORD: TANZ EP 58401

FORMATION: Couples stand side by side in a circle, in groups of three couples, couple number 1 facing couple number 2.

ACTION:

Meas. 1-8 As couple 2 makes an arch, all three couples run forward, proceeding dip and dive fashion until returning to place. Girls always remain on own partners right side. The "turn-around" is as in square dancing, without releasing hands.

Meas. 1-8 Repeat the round trip once more, ending with couple number 1 facing forward in dance direction.

Meas. 9-16 In open dance position partners begin 4 waltz steps, beginning away from each other, then toward each other, always moving forward. Arms move forward and back at the same time. Four waltz steps in regular closed dance position around ring. When in open dance position hands are shoulder high. This is good Danish style. Meas. 9-16

Repeated Same as above.

Danish

DANISH FAMILY WALTZ (Familie Vals)

RECORD: TANZ EP 58401

This is the same old familiar waltz we've done for years -- the music is in FOLK DANCES FOR FUN but I doubt if anyone used this music since no record with the correct Danish music was available. Here it is again if it's not too late to change old listening habits.

FORMATION: All join hands, should high, in a single circle, ladies on the right of their partners.

ACTION:

- Meas. 1-2 Perhaps the face is more important to the success of this dance than feet. Everyone looks at his corner (ladies look right, men left) and at the same time steps with the foot closest to that corner, and swings the other foot over it. Then everyone turns to look at his partner, stepping on the other foot and swinging once in that direction.
- Meas. 3-4 Repeat once more toward corner, once more toward partner.
- Meas. 5-8 Take the corner in regular dance position and waltz 4 measures, turning once clockwise, keeping the circle so everyone ends with all hands joined, the new partner on the right side of the man.

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