NICK'S MAGGOT

Longways improper.

- A. 1-2 All walk one place clockwise.
 - 3-4 Women cross R shoulder to change places.
 - 5-6 All walk one place clockwise
 - 7-8 Men cross R shoulder to change places. All should be home.
- B.1. 1-4 Circle L ½ way, and partners "California Twirl", so that couple 1 are facing down and couple 2 up, all having changed sides with partner.
 - 5-8 On the line, symmetrical back-to back with next couple, couple 1 passing between new couple 2, both couples taking inside hand when possible. Stay facing the same way.
- B.2. Couple 1 lead down through new couple 2 and cast back to face original couple 2, lead up between them and cast back to face new couple 2, while, couple 2 dance up outside new couple 1, turn in, and lead back to face original couple 1, dance down outside them, and lead back to face new couple 1. (Skip change step).

 (In this figure all take inside hand with partner whenever possible.)

Notes:

- 1. It is probably better, though not essential, to have an even number of couples.
- 2. Those reaching the end of the set in B.1. should complete the turn with an imaginary couple above or below.
- 3. It is recommended that, when standing out, change sides immediately and do the back to-back with the approaching couple, but do not join in the rest of the turn. The other couple will use you as "posts".
- 4. The last figure can be thought of as "interlocking heys": a Morris Hey for couple 1 and a Grimstock Hey for couple 2. This may help some dancers.

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