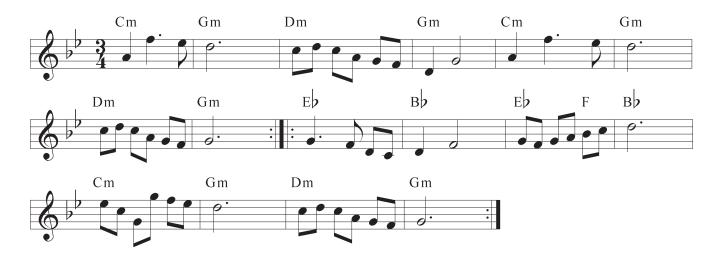
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English country dance

Formation: longways, duple minor, improper

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- A1 1-2 Partners set;
 - 3-4 Men cast over right shoulder to dance clockwise halfway round the set, their partners following;
 - 5-6 On the first diagonal, women cross by right shoulder to end in original places facing out (first half of a chevron) while men continue clockwise round the minor set to end outside the set facing partner;
 - 7-8 Women back into place, their partners following (finishing the chevron).

(All are in original places, but crossed over.)

- A2 1-2 Partners set;
 - 3-4 Women cast over right shoulder to dance clockwise halfway round the set, their partners following, into...
 - 5-8 Neighbors gypsy right.

(All are progressed and on the correct side.)

- B1 1-2 Men cross;
 - 3-4 Women cross;
 - 5-8 Circle left once round.
- B2 1-4 Two changes of rights and lefts with hands, beginning with partner.
 - 5-8 Partners gypsy right.

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