

AIRIE BENNAN (Scottish)

A 32 bar jig for 5 couples. Dance devised by Hugh Foss.

Record: Let's All Go Scottish Country Dancing with McBain's
Scottish Country Dance Band.

Source: Joe Wallin

BARS	DESCRIPTION
1-8	1st and 2nd couples - 3rd and 4th couples - take hands at the sides, set and dance R hands across halfway, then set and dance L hands across halfway. Finish with 1st and 3rd couples in the middle facing down, with nearer hands joined.
9-12	1st and 3rd couples dance down for 2 steps and set to partner.
13-16	1st and 3rd couples dance up and cast off around 2nd and 4th couples and go to face 1st corners. (2nd and 4th couples move up on bars 15-16).
17-24	1st and 3rd couples set to 1st corners and turn them with the R hand, then set to 2nd corners and turn them with the R hand. They end taking partners L hand.
25-28	1st and 3rd couples turn partners with the L hand and cast off one place on the "wrong" side. (4th and 5th couples move up on bars 27-28).
29-32	1st and 3rd couples turn partners with the R hand, 1 1/2 times to finish on own side with 1st couple in 3rd place and 3rd couple in 5th place.

Repeat from the beginning with couples now in 1st and 3rd places.

Presented by Sandy Starkman.