Program at Y M H A of
BENNINGTON COLLEGE DANCE GROUP

December 7, 1947

1. New in Town . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Taillferre
   Composed and directed by Joan Hunt
   Joan Hunt, Eileen Kamm, Sally Liberman, Ruth Lyford, Janet Reibel

2. Exodus . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Bowles
   Composed and danced by Janet Reibel

3. Flight of the Heart . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Hindemith
   Composed and directed by Barbara Corey
   Daughter---Joan Hunt
   Step-daughter---Barbara Corey
   Mother---Marilyn Lord

4. Suite . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Purcell
   Composed and danced by Allegra Fuller
   Prelude
   Allemande
   Courante
   Minuet

5. "In the Mines of Avondale" . . . . . . . . . Traditional Songs
   Composed and directed by Patsi Birch
   Ann Chisholm, Barbara Corey, Joan DuBrow, Betty-Anne Gillett,
   Joan Hunt, Ruth Lyford, Janet Reibel

6. Where the Two Came to Their Father
   (A Navaho Hero Myth)
   Composed and directed by Letitia Evans
   Music composed by Hazel Johnson
   Sets and costumes designed by Richard Baldridge
   Masks executed by Claire-Lise Ceppe

   I
   Prologue: Gathering for the Ceremonial

   II
   Ceremonial: the Myth
   A. The Birth of the Hero
   B. The Hero's Journey to His Fathers
      1. Sand Dune Boy (World Guardian)
      2. Old Age (Mother Death)
      3. Spider Woman (Mothering Destiny)
      4. Cutting Reeds, Rock that Claps Together,
         Cat Tail People, Water Bug People (Realm of Perils)
   C. Arrival: Recognition of the Hero by His Fathers
      in the House of the Sun

   III
   Epilogue: The Ceremonial Completed
Cast

Sand Painter---Joan Hunt
Navaho Family---Barbara Corey, Letitia Evans, Betty-Anne Gillett, Marilyn Lord
Navaho People---Carol Baumgarten, Patsi Birsh, Joan DuBrow, Marcia Eastman,
              Allegro Fuller, Gail Greig, Mary Hooker, Ruth Lyford,
              Janet Reibel
Changing Woman (Earth and Nature Mother)---Marilyn Lord
The Hero (Monster Slayer and Child Born of Water)---Letitia Evans
The Sun---Betty-Anne Gillett
The Water Carrier---Gail Greig
Rainbow Man---Joan DuBrow
Sand Dune Boy---Patsi Birsh
Old Age---Marilyn Lord
Spider Woman---Marilyn Lord
The Perils---Carol Baumgarten, Marcia Eastman, Allegro Fuller, Mary Hooker,
              Ruth Lyford, Janet Reibel
Daughter of the Sun---Barbara Corey

Program under the direction of William Bales and Martha Hill
Music under the direction of Hazel Johnson
Costume design and construction under the direction of Richard Baldridge
Technical direction by James Thompson
Stage Manager: Sally Liberman
Wardrobe mistress: Elizabeth Clement
Technical assistant: Nancy Smith
Orchestra:
  Piano---Hazel Johnson, Jeannette Winans
  Flute---Martha Tyler
  Clarinet---Sue Garland
  Trombone---Eleanor Cohen
  Accordion---Nancy Gregg
  Guitar---Elizabeth Johnson
  Percussion---Jane Langhans, Sally Liberman
  Voice---Jane Langhans, Elizabeth Johnson, Sally Liberman, Nancy Smith, Jeannette Winans

Members of the Bennington College Dance Group:

Carol Baumgarten, Patsi Birsh, Anne Chisholm, Barbara Corey, Joan DuBrow, Marcia Eastman,
Letitia Evans, Allegro Fuller, Betty-Anne Gillett, Gail Greig, Mary Hooker, Joan Hunt,
Eileen Lam, Sally Liberman, Marilyn Lord, Ruth Lyford, Janet Reibel.