

## NINEPINS (Oats, Peas, Beans)

The musical score consists of five staves of music. Staff A starts with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. It includes lyrics: "D - A7 D A7 -". Staff B follows with a treble clef, one sharp, and common time. It includes lyrics: "D - D - A7 (Bm.) Em. - A7 D". Staff C continues with a treble clef, one sharp, and common time. It includes lyrics: "D A F#m. G D A E7 A E7 A7". Staff D follows with a treble clef, one sharp, and common time. It includes lyrics: "D - A7 D G A7 D". Staff E concludes with a treble clef, one sharp, and common time. It includes lyrics: "D - A7 D G Em A7 D D.C.". The score is labeled with circled letters A through E above each staff.

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### 17. NINEPINS (QUADRILLE)

Music : At least 48 bars of reel or jig tune. The music stops suddenly when the four men (or girls) and the "Ninpin" are circling in the centre.

Form : Quadrille set of four couples with an extra man or girl in the centre as the "Ninpin."

A.1. HEADS GALOP. 1st and 3rd couples take back room hold, and keep going right, galop to each other's places. Turn round and galop back to places and turn round again (The "Ninpin" in the centre must dodge them.)

A.2. SIDES GALOP.

B.1. HEADS CIRCLE FOUR. 1st and 3rd couples take a full round h "Ninpin" and circle left and right. The "Ninpin" steps in the centre, turning to right and left.

B.2. SIDES CIRCLE FOUR.

C. "NINPIN" SWINGS EACH GIRL. All couples start by singing partner, but men go to the centre as the "Ninpin" takes their partner. "Ninpin" goes to 1st girl and swings while her partner moves to centre and steps. "Ninpin" leaves 1st girl (who stands) and goes to 2nd girl, while her partner sings with 1st man in centre. "Ninpin" goes to 3rd girl while the three men sing "Ninpin" goes to 4th girl while the four men circle. "Ninpin" then joins the circle making five, until the music stops suddenly; all the men (and "Ninpin") rush apart to the four girls. The odd man out becomes "Ninpin" next time.