

## MEET MR. and MRS. HILL ADKINS

By . . . Jim Scott

Fresno is truly fortunate in having many couples worth knowing in the Folk Dance Movement, and here is one of the outstanding, enthusiastic and hard-working couples in the persons of Hill and Lucille Adkins.

You will find them ever ready to do their part, and more, working wholeheartedly with every program for the betterment of folk dancing. They started dancing in 1952, joining the Fresno Vinehoppers that year, and continue to be active members, doing some teaching and taking part in exhibitions, and this year, serving on the dance committee. They served on the Executive Committee in 1958-60. They have also served on many Festival committees, and you may have met them, for Hill always makes you feel welcome, and when Lucille smiles, she makes everyone feel they are very special. They still retain interest in dancing, and normally dance three nights a week.

Lucille served as secretary for Fresno Vinehoppers four years and made their dance programs. She is presently serving her second term as secretary of the Fresno Folk Dance Council. She was recently appointed a member of the Federation Junior Scholarship Committee. She teaches in our Fresno City Schools.

Hill was co-founder of Fresno Folk Dance Guild, in 1954, and Chairman for the year 1954-55. The class, well organized, still meets every week, maintains good attendance, and has given many hours of happy dancing instruction. Hill was Fresno Vinehoppers' Representative to Fresno Council for two years. He served as President of Fresno Folk Dance Council 1957-58, and as Chairman of Fresno Vinehoppers, 1959-60. Presently he is Director of Publicity for the Folk Dance Federation of California, Inc., and Co-Ordinator between the Fresno Bee (Our new sponsor) and Fresno Council for the Fall Festival, 1960.

Hill is a Repayment Specialist, in the Fresno Office of the United States Bureau of Reclamation, handling administration of water service contracts.

The Hills have made many friends through their years of folk dancing, and we know you will join us in wishing them success and happiness, and we hope to see them around folk dancing for many years to come.





**Hill and Lucille Adkins, of Fresno  
in Lithuanian Costumes**