MICHAEL SKORR

An authority on Ukrainian folk songs and dances, Mr. Skorr presented over 1200 concerts in high schools and colleges throughout the United States featuring the music of his people. Known as a director, conductor and producer of many fine Ukrainian operatic plays and musical comedies, he also appeared in the Ukrainian films “Natalka Poltavka” and “Marusia” where press notices acknowledged him as a very fine performer. For many years he appeared on the radio with outstanding vocal ensembles and he also conducted the Ukrainian Music Festival in New York City as well as the opera “Taras Bulba.”

For his present Monitor recording Mr. Skorr selected 17 of the best-known and liveliest dances typifying the gaiety and beauty of Ukrainian melodies.
17 Popular Ukranian Dances
Michael Skorr and His Ukrainian Ensemble

1. HOPAK 1:41
2. HARBUZ BILEY 1:48
3. ZAPOROZHERTZ (Sabre Dance) 1:37
4. SIYANKA 2:25
5. ARKAN (Hutzul Dance) 1:56
6. KOLOMEYKA (Verkhovyna) 2:20
7. HORLYTSIA 1:44
8. KOZATCHOK 2:19
9. HRECHANYKY 2:13
10. KOLOMEYKA (Dzuba) 2:01
11. HOPAK 2:12
12. TWO-STEP 2:14
13. KATERYNA 1:49
14. HUTZULKJA 2:29
15. KOLOMEYKA 2:42
16. “MARUSIA” POLKA 1:42
17. CHUMAK 2:24

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