

**Third and fourth  
Class  
Ionsaí na hInse  
Siege of Ennis**

**Formation:** Four (2 couples) facing four.  
Dancers form a straight line down the floor.

1. Advance and retire twice (dance promenade step “123” twice in and twice out)
2. In pairs, side step “ 1234567 followed by 123,123”, pair going left go in front and pair going right go behind.
3. All pairs, repeat the sidestep to return to their original places.
4. Outside dancers swing with the person opposite them for 8 bars, while the four dancers in the middle place right hands together in the centre and dance around for 4 bars then place left hand in the centre and dance back to original position using promenade step.
5. Advance and retire once.  
Advance and pass through( Dancers with back to the musicians  
( tops) raise their hands to form the arch)

Stand ready to meet next set of dancers and begin again.