Fig. 6: The publics at a republican ball


1- Locals
2- Strangers (from neighbouring villages): forains
3- The «présents-absents» (from Kayser, 91): locals living outside. Their number increase recently: the only major change in half a century.

4- Strangers ("aliens" i.e. people living farther away): étrangers

Most of these balls are small (200 to 500 people)

