







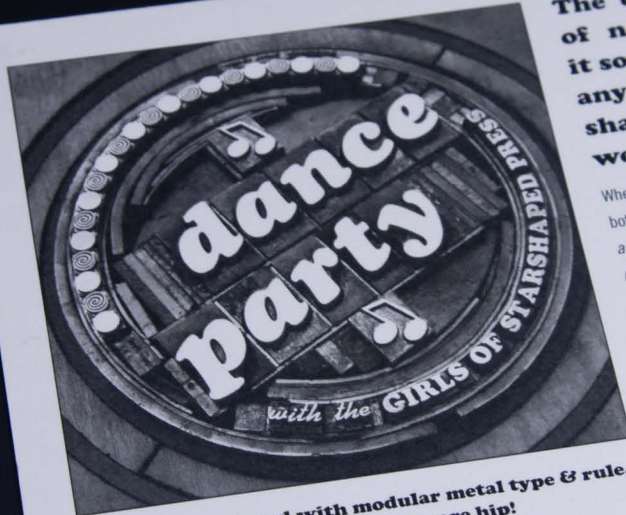
Rude girls...
you better watch out!
Rude girls... now there's more of us about!



*Now you look so forlorn...
passing by in your uniform*



**Girl on the phone keeps a-ringing back,
She's telling me this and she's telling me that**



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When I moved to Chicago at 18 years old, the city felt like both a warm hug and a kick in the skirt, declaring, 'what are YOU bringing that will make me even more interesting, more diverse in expression and thought and experience?'

I was quickly enamored of a number of subcultures in which girls drafted their own personas based on a shared passion for style, fashion, music and writing. They were built on the past while adding something new... a tweak on the clothing, bands diverging from the originals, working in the vernacular of the street. I adored the attitude of the rude girls, mod girls, b-girls and straight-edge girls that didn't necessarily fall in line with the punk crowd. **They owned the term 'girl' & created a self-defined culture.**

This series of 4 prints bound LP-style draws on the concept of using linear or modular metal type to develop stylized human forms. But instead of following the tradition of a decidedly male gaze, the girls are enjoying who they are for their own personal satisfaction.

Letterpress printed with modular metal type & rule, proving even squares are hip!

Lyrical accompaniment typeset in Cooper Black

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Curious Collection Metallics 'lustre'

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