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Dear Friends,

A rather slim issue this time which can be accounted for by the time of the year when everyone concentrates on their seasonal offerings the vast majority of which are not likely to appeal to jazz lovers. However there are a couple of seasonal offerings on the following pages.

Label News

Lake

I have incorporated a complete list of available issues from Lake Records who have just celebrated 25 years in the jazz record business. During this time they have become the premier label for the production of British traditional and mainstream jazz reissues as well as a large number of new recordings featuring some of the best British artists in their specialised field. Should you decide to order 10 or more issues then I can offer an extra 10% discount. However this offer can only apply to orders received before Christmas and invoiced before 31st December to avoid the extra VAT. Should not be too much of a problems as I have almost every CD on the list already in stock!

Smithsonian Folkways

A new distributor has been appointed for this label which makes them easier to obtain. I have listed the jazz and blues albums but there is also an extensive catalogue of American folk music and ethnic music from many parts of the world. If you would like a complete list please let me know. Unfortunately none of the New Orleans jazz recordings made in the 1950s by Sam Charters are available as commercial albums but only as special pressings or downloads.

Jazz Crusade

I have today been informed that the large number of Jazz Crusade CDs that you ordered have been despatched so depending on the US postal system and Royal Mail they should be with you in plenty of time for Christmas.

JSP & Lonehill

Just a reminder that the 'special' price will continue for all orders received before Friday 18th which will give me time to order them before the distributors close down for Christmas.

VAT

Last month I warned that VAT would be reverting to 17% from 1st January. Because very few of my prices were changed when the rate went down to 15% there will be few changes this time. However there are some prices which were adjusted to take account of the fluctuating rate of exchange between the Euro and Sterling mainly concerning the Spanish labels such as Lonehill, Gambit, Fresh Sound etc. After 1st January the first two, and other similarly priced at £9.40 will increase to £6.65 and the current Fresh Sound price of £10.75 and £18.50 (2CD) will go up to £11.00 and £18.95. I will do my best to keep other increases to a minimum. Thankfully the rate has not increased further as was suggested by some pundits but who knows what will happen after the General Election!

Obviously those of you with addresses outside the European Union will not have to pay the tax at all!

Next Newsletter etc.

January sees me off on another jaunt to the States. I will be attending the Arbors Jazz Party at Clearwater Beach, Florida (which I shall be reviewing for "Just Jazz") and then spending a few days catching some jazz and Broadway shows in New York. It will be a ten day trip commencing on 14th and I

intend to get the first Newsletter of 2010 on the way to you before I go.

That's all for now, Happy Listening

Jerry Brown

New Stock - New Releases - Future Issues - Other Odds & Ends

482 Music - CD @ £13.95

- 482 1065 Chad Taylor - Circle Down
482 1068 Mike Reed's People Places and Things - About Us

504 - CD @ £10.95

- 504CDS 22 Chuck Carbo - Life's Ups And Downs
504CD 107 John 'Kid' Simmons Louisiana Joymaker - Vol.1

Bee Jazz - CD @ £12.65

- BEE 035 Nelson Veras - Solo Session - Vol.1
BEE 036 Jozef Dumoulin & Lidlboj - Trees Are Always Right
BEE 038 Stephane Spira & Giovali Mirabass - Spirabassi
BEE 039 Edwin Berg - Perpetuum

Bilarm Music - CD @ £12.95

- BAC24 Graeme Bell Dixieland Band 1947/48

Delmark - CD @ £12.65

- DE 216 Memphis Nighthawks - Jazz Lips
DE 217 Art Hodes - Up In Volly's Room (with Volly DeFaut)
DE 590 Amram Shelton Fast Citizens - Two Cities
DE 804 Various - Boogie Woogie Kings

Essential Jazz Classics - CD @ £9.40 (£9.65 after 1/1/10)

- EJC 55443 Nina Simone - Classic Hits
EJC 55447 Oscar Peterson Trio - A Jazz Portrait of Oscar Peterson plus...

Fremaux - CD @ £12.65

- FA 514 Claude Bolling & Fabrice Eulry - Jeu Double

Fresh Sound - CD @ £10.75 (£11.00 after 1/1/10)

- FSRCD 561 Donna Hightower - Take One! - w. Ben Webster
FSRCD 562 Benny Bailey - In Sweden 1957-59
FSRCD 563 Sonnt Stitt Sextet & Quintet - Only the Blues (w. Roy Eldridge)
FSRCD 564 Oscar Peterson Trio - Live At The Opera House / Shrine Auditorium

Fresh Sound - CD @ £12.65

- FSWJ 052 Emilio Solla & The Tango Jazz Cons - Bien Sur!

Fresh Sound - 2 x CD @ £18.50 (£18.95 after 1/1/10)

- FSRCD 560 Ray Brown - The Man - Comp. Recordings 1946-59

Fresh Sound - New Talent - CD @ £12.65

- FSNT 350 Walter Smith III / Mark Small - Bronze
FSNT 353 JP Alcazar Quintet - Invocation
FSNT 354 Piotr Wylezot - Children's Episodes
FSNT 355 Justin Mullens - Tales of Pan and The Eyes Of Argus
FSNT 358 Sergi Sirvant - Karion

Hep - 2 x CD @ £16.75

- HEPCD 89/90 Artie Shaw - Complete Thesaurus Transcriptions

Jazz Collectors - CD @ £9.95

- JC 422 George Russell Sextet - In K.C.
JC 422 Johnny Coles Quartet - The Warm Sound
JC 423 Harry Edison Quintet - Patented By Edison
JC 425 Bill Evans - What's New / Nirvana

Jazz Collectors - 4 x CD @ £24.75

- JC 421 Paul Desmond - Jim Hall Quartet - Complete Recordings

Jazz Manifesto - 2 x CD @ £5.95

38302 Miles Davis - Kind of Blue etc.

Jazz Manifesto - 3 x CD @ £9.25

90310 Ella Fitzgerald - Ella Sings Gershwin

Jazz Plaza Music - CD @ £11.95

JPM 8801 Chet Baker - Chet Baker & Crew + Bonus Tracks

JPM 8803 Jimmy Giuffre - Ad Lib + Bonus Tracks

Jazz Workshop - LP @ £18.50

LPJW 001 Art Pepper Quintet - The Return of Art Pepper

LPJW 002 Paul Chambers - Chamber's Music

LPJW 003 Pepper Adams / Jimmy Knepper - The Pepper-Knepper Quintet

LPJW 004 Bill Holman - The Fabulous Bill Holman

LPJW 005 Curtis Fuller - Boss of The Soul Stream Trombone

LPJW 006 Tuby Hayes / Ronnie Scott - The Couriers of Jazz

LPJW 007 Bill Barron & Ted Curson & Orchestra - Now, Hear This!

LPJW 008 Eddie Costa Quartet - Guys And Dolls Like Vibes

LPJW 009 Ray Brown - This Is Ray Brown

LPJW 010 Wayne Shorter - Wayning Moments

LPJW 011 Red Garland Trio - Red In Blues

LPJW 012 John Coltrane - Coltrane

LPJW 013 Benny Golson - Just Jazz!

LPJW 014 Wayne Shorter - Introducing Wayne Shorter

LPJW 015 Gerry Mulligan Quartet - Live At Storyville

JSP - 4 x CD @ £17.75

JSPCD 77117 Lonnie Johnson - Have Guitar, Will Travel - A Life In Music

Jump - 2 x CD @ £18.95

JCD12-35 Private Treasures From The Allegheny Jazz Concerts 1950s-2000

Lake - CD @ £11.50 (Complete List - See Front Page for Seasonal Offer!)

LACD 3 Harry Gold And His Pieces of Eight

LACD 12 Fawkes-Turner Sextet / Fawkes-Brown Quartet - Juicy & Full Toned

LACD 28 Ged Hone's New Orleans Boys - Throwing Stones at the Sun

LACD 33 Phil Mason's New Orleans All-Stars - Here's To You

LACD 45 Mike Durham's West Jesmond Rhythm Kings - Shake Em Loose

LACD 47 Monty Sunshine's Jazz Band - New Orleans Hula

LACD 49 The Controversial Bruce Turner - That's The Blues, Dad

LACD 53 Acker Bilk with Ken Colyer's Jazzmen - Togeher Again

LACD 54 Gambit Jazzmen with Tim Laughlin - King of The Mardi Gras

LACD 57 The Legendary Crane River J.B. - Great British Traditional J.B. - Vol.5)

LACD 58 Sandy Brown - McJazz & Friends

LACD 59 Colin Kingwell's Jazz Bandits - Always For Pleasure

LACD 64 Phil Mason's New Orleans All-Stars - Spirituals and Gospels

LACD 65 The Black Eagles - Some Sweet Day

LACD 67 Portrait Of Keith Smith - Mr hefty Jazz

LACD 68 Ken Colyer's Skiffle Group - Wandering

LACD 72 Humphrey Lyttelton - Delving Back With Humph

LACD 75 Al Fairweather & Friends - Made To Measure

LACD 76 Kenny Ball & His Jazzman - Great British Traditional Jazzbands Vol.8

LACD 77 The Temperence Seven - Pasadena & The Lost Cylinders

LACD 83 Groove Juice Special & Sweet Substitute feat Al Fairweather

LACD 85 Merseysippi Jazz Band - Mersey Tunnel Jazz

LACD 86 Mickey Ashman - Through Darkest Ashman

LACD 89 Humphrey Lyttelton & His Band - Delving Back And Forth

LACD 95 Black Eagle Jazz Band - A Naworth Castle

LACD 98 Eric Silk & His Southern Jazz Band

LACD 99 Laurie Chescoe's Good Time Jazz - Feeling Good

LACD 104 Ian Wheeler / Sammy Rimmington Band - Reed All About It

LACD 109/10 Yorksshire J.B. / Eric Batty's Jazz Aces / Dizzy Burton - War of The Roses
 LACD 112 The Savannah Jazz Band - Nothing Blues
 LACD 114 Kenny Ball & His Jazzmen - Back At The Start
 LACD 115 Bob Hunt's Duke Ellington Orchestra - What A Life
 LACD 118 Mike Daniels & His Delta Jazzmen - Together Again
 LACD 119 Mike Durham's West Jesmond Rhythm Kings - Jazz Lips
 LACD 120 Pauline Pearce with Laurie Chescoe's Good Time Jazz - Music in The Air
 LACD 121 Acker Bilk's & His Paramount Jazz Band - In Concert 1968
 LACD 122 Cy Laurie - Blows Blue Hot
 LACD 123 Freddie Randle & His Band feat Archie Semple
 LACD 124 Ron Weatherburn - Ragtime Piano & Beyond
 LACD 125 Sonny Morris & His Delta Jazzband - Near The Cross
 LACD 127 Bob Wallis & His Storyville Jazzmen - The Wallis Collection
 LACD 128 George Webb's Dixielanders 1943-47 - Great Brit Trad JB Vol.15
 LACD 129 Rachael Pennell with Stan Greig Sextet - Papa Said...
 LACD 130 Chris Barber's J.b. with Sister Rosetta Tharpe 1957
 LACD 131 Alan Gresty / Brian White Ragtimers - Muted Trumpet / Slide Tombone
 LACD 132 The Chris Blount Collection - Over In The Gloryland
 LACD 133 Sandy Brown's Jazz Band - Sndy's Sideman
 LACD 134 Various Artists - The Great Revival - Vol.1
 LACD 135 Various Artists - The Great Revival - Vol.2
 LACD 136 Various Artists - The Great Revival - Vol.3
 LACD 137 Various Artists - The Great Revival - Vol.4
 LACD 140 Colin Kingwells Jazz Bandits - Smile Darn You, Smile
 LACD 142 Chris Barber's Jazzband - The Complete Decca Sessions (2CD)
 LACD 143 Wally Fawkes & His Troglodytes - Flook Digs Jazz
 LACD 144 Ken Colyer's Jazzmen - Colyer Plays Standards
 LACD 145 Alex Welsh & His Dixielanders - It Has To Be
 LACD 147 The Saints Jazz Band - Swinging With Saints
 LACD 151 Clinton Ford with Alan Elsdon & His Band
 LACD 152 Sonny Morris & The Delta Jazz Band - Sonny
 LACD 153 Phil Mason's New Orleans All-Stars - The Storm Is Passing Over
 LACD 155 Terry Lightfoot's Jazzmen - Mainly Traditional
 LACD 156 Cy Laurie - Jazz From The Roots
 LACD 157 Pee Wee Russell with Alex Welsh And His Band
 LACD 158 Various Artists - The Great Revival - Vol.5
 LACD 159 Bruce Turner Jump Band - Jump For Joy
 LACD 160 Sandy Brown - Worksong
 LACD 161 Teddy Wilson with Dave Shepherd Quartet
 LACD 162D Dave Carey Jazz Band - Complete Recording Sessions (2 x CD - £15.95)
 LACD 163 Eric Silk & His Southern Jazz Band - Blue Down South
 LACD 164 Cy Laurie - Shades Of Cy
 LACD 166 Graeme Bell & Australian Jazz Band - Big Walkabout in London
 LACD 167 Acker Bilk & Wally Fawkes - Azure
 LACD 168 Phil Mason's New Orleans All-Stars - Let's Face The Music & Dance
 LACD 169 Allan Beechey's Bright Stars Of Jazz - Bridging The Gap
 LACD 170 Vintage Freddie Randall
 LACD 171 Peanuts Hucko with Alex Welsh & His Band - Vol.1
 LACD 172 Vintage Humphrey Lyttelton 1948-51
 LACD 173 Mike Durham's West Jesmond Rhythm Kings - Jubilee Stomp
 LACD 174 The Fryer-Barnhart International Jazz Band - Jubilee
 LACD 175 Peanuts Hucko with Alex Welsh & His Band - Vol.2
 LACD 176 Mick Mulligan and His Jazz Band with George Melly - Live
 LACD 177 Vintage Dutch Swing College - Vol.1 1948-49
 LACD 178 Turk Murphy Jazz Band - Southern Stomps
 LACD 179 Vintage Alex Welsh 1955-56
 LACD 180 Humphey Lyttelton with Kenny Davern & Al Casey - Scatterbrains

- LACD 182 Vintage Crane River 1950/52
- LACD 183 Bud Freeman with Alex Welsh & His Band
- LACD 184 Bruce Turner - The Jump Band Collection
- LACD 185 Chris Barber's Jazz Band - In Barber's Chair
- LACD 186 Acker Bilk & His Paramount Jazz Band - Acker
- LACD 187 The Archie Semple-Alex Welsh Big Four - Night People
- LACD 188 Ken Colyer's Jazzmen - This Is The Blues
- LACD 189 Humphrey Lyttelton & His Band - I Play As I Please
- LACD 190 Vintage Ken Colyer 1953 with Chris Barber & Monty Sunshine
- LACD 192 Terry Lightfoot's N.O.Jazzmen - Lightfoot At Lansdowne
- LACD 193 Al Fairweather & Sandy Brown - Al & Sandy
- LACD 194 Chris Barber's Jazz Band - Bandbox No.1
- LACD 195 Acker Bilk & His Paramount J.B. - Lansdowne Folio
- LACD 196 The Delta Jazz Band with Colin Bowden - Delta Bravo
- LACD 197 Richard Bennett's New Orleans Jazz Band - Flying
- LACD 199 A Jazz Club Sessions with Cy Laurie's Jazz Band
- LACD 201D Ken Colyer's Jazz Men - This Is Jazz (2 x CD - £15.95)
- LACD 202 Humphrey Lyttelton -Humph Returns To The Conway
- LACD 203 Alex Welsh & His Band - It's Right Here For You
- LACD 204 Phil Mason's New Orleans All-Stars - On The Road Again
- LACD 205 Terry Lightfoot - Trad Parade
- LACD 206 Fryer-Barnhart International All Star Jazz Band - Live & Kicking
- LACD 207 Wally fawkes - The Wally Fawkes Collection (2CD for price of one)
- LACD 208D Chris Barber Jazz & Blues Band - In Switzerland (2 x CD - £15.95)
- LACD 209 Ken Colyer's Jazzmen - New Orleans to London & Back to the Delta
- LACD 210D Chris Barber International Concerts (2 x CD - £15.9)
- LACD 211 Al Fairweather & Sandy Brown All Stars - Doctor McJazz
- LACD 212 Terry Lightfoot's Jazzmen - Traditional In Colour
- LACD 213 Acker Bilk & His Paramount J.B. - The Noble Art Of....
- LACD 214 TJ Johnson Presents Bourbon Kick
- LACD 215 Alex Welsh & His Band - Echoes of Chicago
- LACD 216 Humphrey Lyttelton & His Band - Blues In The Night
- LACD 217 Sims-Wheeler Vintage Jazz Band - High Spirits
- LACD 218 Mr Acker Bilk & The Stan Tracey Big Band - Blue Acker
- LACD 219 Chris Barber's Big Band - Best Yet
- LACD 220 John Hallam & Jeff Barnhart - Mr Gentle & Mr Hot
- LACD 221 Fryer-Barnhart International Jazz Band - The First Album
- LACD 222 Chris Barber's Jazz Band - Jazz Sacred & Secular
- LACD 223 Ruby Braff with Alex Welsh & His Band
- LACD 224 Monty Sunshine & His Band - A Club Session
- LACD 225 Harry Gold & His Pieces of Eight - Bouncing Back
- LACD 226 Spats Langham & Martin Litton - Lollipops
- LACD 227 Buck Clayton with Humphrey Lyttelton & His Band (2CDs for price of one)
- LACD 228 Spats Langham - The Hottest Man In Town
- LACD 229 Al Fairweather & Sandy Brown's All Stars - The Incredible McJazz
- LACD 230 Bilk, Brown, Lightfoot & Semple - Clarinet Jamboree
- LACD 231 Acker Bilk & His Paramount Jazz Band - Beau Jazz
- LACD 232 Harlem - Harlemania
- LACD 233 Debbie Arthur's Sweet Rhythm - Thank You Mr Moon
- LACD 234 Terry Lightfoot's New Orleans Jazzmen - World Of Trad
- LACD 236 Vintage Ken Colyer - Vol.2
- LACD 238 Humphrey Lyttelton 1955/56 - Bad Penny Blues
- LACD 239 The Savannah Jazz Band - Drifting And Dreaming
- LACD 240 The Archie Semple Six
- LACD 242 Vintage Cy Laurie 1955-56
- LACD 244 Otilie Patterson - That Patterson Girl
- LACD 245 Keith Nichols' Jazz Artists& Northern Sinfonia - Tribute To Paul Whiteman

- LACD 246 Chris Barber - 1956 (2CD for price of one)
- LACD 247 Foxley, Parker, Kelly, Hawes & Weatherburn - Sporting House Piano
- LACD 248 John Hallam & Jeff Barnhart - Mr Fine & Mr Dandy
- LACD 249 The Byzantines - Mr Exstein's X-Ray Ears
- LACD 250 George Melly with Digby Fairweather's Half Dozen - Farewell Blues
- LACD 251 Vintage Dutch Swing College - Vol.2 1950-52
- LACD 252 Fryer-Barnhart International Jazz Band - If We Could Be With You
- LACD 253 Humphrey Lyttelton - Classic 'Live' Cncerts (2CD for price of one)
- LACD 254 Phil Mason's New Orleans All-Stars - Once In A While
- LACD 255 Kid Ory's Creole Jazz Band - Kid Ory New Orleans Man
- LACD 256 Ken Colyer's Jazzmen - Melodies - A Club Session
- LACD 257 Vintage Acker Bilk (2CD for the price of one)
- LACD 258 Alex Welsh & His Band - A Club Session
- LACD 259 Vintage Cy Laurie - Vol.2 1956/57
- LACD 260 The Al Fairweather Collection 1953-57 (2CD for the price of one)
- LACD 261 Ken Mathieson's Classic Jazz Orchestra - Salutes the King Of Jazz
- LACD 262 Graeme Bell Australian JB - Prague & Paris (2CD for price of One)
- LACD 263 Val Wiseman with Martin Litton's Ellingtonians - Sophisticated Lady
- LACD 264 Vintage Terry Lightfoot
- LACD 265 George Melly & Mick Mulligan - Nothing Personal (2CD for price of one)
- LACD 266 Humphrey Lyttelton with Bell-Lyttelton Jazz Groups etc.
- LACD 267 Ken Colyer's Jazzmen 1957-58 - Lonesome Road (2CD for price of one)
- LACD 268 Chris Barber's Jazz Band 1957-58 (2CD for the price of One)
- LACD 270 Lake Records All-Star JB - Rosehill Concert (2CD for the price of one)
- LACD 271 The Savannah Jazz Band - Let Us Take You To The Mardi Gras
- LACD 272 John Hallam & Jeff Barnhart - Alone Together
- LACD 273 Chris Barber Jazz & Blues Band - barbican Blues
- LACD 274 Spats Langham & His Hot Combination - Night Owl
- LACD 275 The Charleston Chasers - Just Imagine
- LACD 276 Humphrey Lyttelton - Humph & His European Friends
- LACD 277 Fryer-Barnhart International Jazzband - A Break In The Lakes
- LACD 278 Chris Barber's Jazz Band with Sonny Terry & Brownie McGhee
- LACD 279 Wild Bill Davison with Alex Welsh & His Band

Lake - CD @ £9.95

- LACB 100 Various Artists - Way U Yonder - A Celebration of 1st 100 Albums
- LACB 235 Chris Barber's Jazz Band 1955
- LACB 237 Dutch Swing College Band 1955
- LACB 241 Ken Colyer's Jazzmen & Skiffle Group 1956
- LACB 243 Dutch Swing College Band 1956.

Leo - CD @ £11.95

- CDLR 538 Katja & Martin Krusche - I Am One - Voice & Accordion
- CDLR 539 Jan Klare & Bart Maris - Played 100
- CDLR 540 Gratkowski / Lapin / Gramss / Bleds - Unplugged Mind
- CDLR 541 Joachim Gies & Sound - Shimmering
- CDLR 542 Christina Wodrascka & Ramon Lopez - Momentos
- CDLR 543 John Wolf Brennan - The Speed Of Dark
- CDLR 544 Vyacheslav Guyvoronsky - In Search Of A Standard
- CDLR 545 Jason Stein - In Exchange For A process
- CDLR 546 Negrini / Succi / Garcia - Scoolptures
- CDLR 547 Ivo Perelman Trio - Mind Games

Leo - 2 x CD @ £18.95

- CDLR 548/9 Anthony Braxton & Joelle Leandre - Dou 2007

Lonehill - CD @ £9.40 (£9.65 after 1/1/10)

- LHJ 10379 Quincy Jones - The Great World Of...

Maxjazz - CD @ £12.95

- MXJ 119 Rebecca Martin - People Behave Like Ballads

MXJ 220 Manuel Varela - Currents

MXJ 221 Jeb Patton - New Strides

P.E.K. - CD @ £11.00

PKCD 343 The Antique Jazz Band - Job Lot

PKCD 344 The Golden Eagle Jazz Band - June Night

P.E.K. @ x CD @ £14.95

PKCD 342 John Shillito's Select Six - Friday Night In New Orleans

Pirouet - CD @ £13.75

PIT 3040 Henning Sieverts Symmetry - Blackbird

Planet Arts - CD @ £13.95

300977 The Luis Bonilla Quintet - I Talking Now

310976 New York Jazz Repertory Orchestra - Le Jazz Hot

320975 The Steve Lambert Sextet - May

330974 Terell Stafford / Dick Oatts Quintet - Bridging The Gap

Rattle & Roll Records - CD @ £7.95

RRR 874 Louis Prima - The King Of Jumpin' Swing

Rearward - CD @ £13.95

RW 113CD Gerrardo Frisina - Rearward In Italy

Rearward - 2 x CD @ £18.50

LPRW 113 Gerrardo Frisina - Rearward In Italy

Schema - 2 x CD @ £17.95

SCCD 449 Nicola Conte - The Modern Sound Of...

Smithsonian Folkways - CD @ £12.65

SFWCD 40010 Leadbelly - Sings Folk Songs

SFWCD 40011 Sonny Terry & Brownie McGhee - Sing

SFWCD 40019 Lightnin' Hopkins - Lightnin' Hopkins

SFWCD 40023 Big Bill Broonzy - Sings Folk Songs

SFWCD 40033 Sonny Terry - The Folkways Years 1944-63

SFWCD 40034 Brownie McGhee - The Folkway Years 1945-59

SFWCD 40035 Revd. Gery Davis - Pure Religion And Bad Company

SFWCD 40044 Leadbelly - Where Did You Sleep Last Night?

SFWCD 40045 Leadbelly - The Bourgeois Blues

SFWCD 40051 Roosevelt Sykes - Blues By Roosevelt Sykes

SFWCD 40052 Big Joe Williams & His Nine-String Guitar

SFWCD 40067 Lonnie Johnson - Complete Folkways Recordings

SFWCD 40068 Leadbelly - Last Sessions (4 x CD @ £34.95)

SFWCD 40081 Josh White - Free & Equal Blues

SFWCD 40105 Leadbelly - Shout On

SFWCD 40117 United House of Prayer - Saints' Paradise - Trombone Shout Bands

SFWCD 40118 Various - Blues Routes - Heroes & Tricksters

SFWCD 40120 Warner Williams - Live with Jay Summerour

SFWCD 40123 Revd Gary Davis - If I Had My Way

SFWCD 40128 Memphis Slim - The Folkway Years 1959-73

SFWCD 40131 Big Bill Broonzy - Trouble In Mind

SFWCD 40132 Honey Boy Edwards - Mississippi Delta Bluesman

SFWCD 40134 Various - Classic Blues From The Smithsonian Vol.1

SFWCD 40148 Various - Classic Blues From The Smithsonian Vol.2

SFWCD 40165 Snooks Eaglin - New Orleans Street Singer

SFWCD 40179 Cephas & Wiggins - The Richmond Blues

SFWCD 40196 Various - Classic Piano Blues From Smithsonian Folkways

SFWCD 40802 Various - Latin Jazz - La Combinacion Perfecta

SFWCD 40810 Mary Lou Williams - Zodiac Suite

SFWCD 40811 Mary Lou Williams - Zoning

SFWCD 40812 James P.Johnson - The Original 1942-45

SFWCD 40815 Mary Lou Williams - Mary's Black Mass

SFWCD 40816 Mary Lou Williams - Black Christ Of The Andes
SFWCD 40817 Smithsonian Jazz Masterworks Orch - Tribute To A Generation

Sounds of Yesteryear - CD @ £7.25

DSOY 797 Red Nichols & His Five Pennies - The Navy Swings
DSOY 798 Andre Kostelanec & His Orchestra - Gershwin, Kreisler & Rachmaninov
DSOY 799 Stan Kenton - From Eugene Armory - Part 2
DSOY 800 Oscar Peterson - Complete World Transcriptions
DSOY 801 Glenn Miller - Glenn's Travels
DSOY 802 Stan Kenton - From Eugene Armory Live - Part 3

Standing Ovation - DVD @ £12.65

DVDOH 44651 Chet Baker / Stan Getz - Live In Stockholm 1983

Storyville - CD @ £12.65

101 4262 The Pulse
101 8389 Svend Asmusson Quintet - Rhythm Is Our Business

Storyville - 4 x CD @ £18.50

108 8606 Warne Marsh & Lee Konitz - Two Not One

Swaggie - CD @ £12.95

SWCD 419 John Sangster - For Leon Bismark & All That Jazz
SWCD 421 Armand Hug of New Orleans - Breezin' Along

Wagram - CD @ £13.75

320 9022 Various - Cool Piano

Wax Train - LP @ £13.95

LPWT 778 Lee Morgan - Expoobident

And now the New Arrivals this Month

Ambrose:- S/N 27399 - Ambrose And His Orchestra - Vol.11 - Out Of Nowhere - Vocalion CDEA 616 - £5.65

Ambrose and His Orchestra. Sam Browne - Vocal. Recorded between 1930 and 1932. 72 mins.
My Baby Said Yes / You call It Madness But I Call It Love / You're Blase / Mona Lisa / One More iss And Then Goodnight / Dancing In The Dark / Now's The Tlme To Fall In LOve / In The Jailhouse Now / Sleep On / Trees / Leave The Rest To Nature / I Found You / She Didn't Say 'Yes' / Try To Forget / It Looks Like Love / It Must Be True / Little Girl / Wrap Your Troubles In Dreams / Thank You <ost Sincerly / Out Of Nowhere / If They Ever Had An Income Tax On Love / The Queen Was In Her Parlour / There's Happiness Over The Hill / Goodbye To All That.

Bailey:- S/N 27444 - Benny Bailey In Sweden 1957/59 Sessions - Fresh Sound FSR-CD 562 - £10.75 (£11.00 after 1/1/10)

Benny Bailey - Trumpet with various others. Recorded in Sweden between March 1957 and October 1959. 72 mins.

You Go To My head / Don't Blame Me / Benny's Blues / It's You Or No One / Sonny Man / Confirmation / I can't Get Started / Nows The Time / Fallen Feathers / Jones Beach / The Golden Touch / Plenty, Plenty Soul / I'm Gone / Meet Benny Bailey.

Big 18:- S/N 27435 - The Big 18 - Live Echoes of The Swinging Bands - CompleteRecordings - Fresh Sound FSR-CD 559 - 2 x CD - £18.50 (£18.95)

Collective personnel:- Buck Clayton / Charlie Shavers / Rex Stewart / Billy Butterfield / Yank Lawson - Trumpet; Lawnrce Brown / Lou McGarity / Vic Dickenson / Dickie Wells / Bob Ascher Sy Berger - Trombone; Walt Levinsky / Hymie Schertzer / Sam Donahue / Boomie Richmond / Ernie Caceres / Peanuts Hucko - Reeds; Johnny Guarneri - Piano / Harpsichord; Barry Galbraith - Guitar; Milt Hiunton / Russ Saunders - Bass; Jimmy Crawford / Don lamond- Drums. Recorded June / July 1958. 83 mins.
Swingtime In The Rockies / Easy Does It / Five O'Clock Drag / Feet Draggin' Blues / Summit Ridge Drive / Tuxedo Junction / Blues On Parade / Okay For Baby / March Of The Toys / Skyliner / Parade Of The Milk Bottle Caps / Celery Stalks At Midnight / I'm Praying Humble / Hors D'ouvre / Liza / The Campbells Are Swing / Organ Grander's Swing / Ton O'Rock Bump / Quaker City Blues.

Comment:- These recordings were issued on a Jasmine single CD a couple of months ago but

omitting the final track for reasons of space. Here it is back but this double album is double the price of the Jasmine so I leave it to you as to whether you think the one extra worth the additional cost.

Brown:- S/N 27436 - Ray Brown - The Man - Complete Recordings 1946/59 - Fresh Sound - FSR-CD 560 - £18.95 (£18.95)

Ray Brown - Bass / Leader with various groups. Recorded between September 1946 and July 1959. 127 mins.

For Hecklers Only / Smokey Hollow Junp / Boppin' The Blues / Moody Speaks / Slow Down / Blue Lou / Song Of The Volga Boatmen / Little Toe / All Of You / Everything I Have Is Yours / Alone Together / After You've Gone / Will You Still be Mine? / My Foolish Heart / Bass Introduction / Blues For Sylvia / Blues For Lorraine / Bass Conclusion / Cat Without A Playmate / Body And Soul / Bass Ball / Bric-A-Brac / Upstairs Blues / Indiana / The Nearness Of You / Take The 'A' Train / Cool Walk / Jim / Mighty Cool Penthouse.

Comment:- Rather than Ray Brown's 'complete recordings' during these fourteen years which would take up considerably more than two CDs these are his complete recordings made as a 'leader'.

Buchanan:- S/N 27403 - Jack Buchanan - Oceans of Time - Vocalion CDEA 6165 - £5.65

Jack Buchanan - Vocal with various orchestral accompaniment. Elsie Randolph - Vocal. Recorded between 1926 and 1936. 78 mins.

Sweet So-and-so / Who? / There's Always Tomorrow / You Forgot Your Gloves / Alone With My Dreams / Goodnight, Vienna / Living In Clover / Oceans Of Time / Who Do You Think You Are? / Weep No More, By Baby / The Sun Is Round The Corner / Fancy Our Meeting / Now That I've Found You / Yes, Mr Brown / Leave A Little Love For Me / Not bad / Like Monday Follows Sunday / One Good Tune Deserves Another / I Think I Can / So Green / Oh! La! La! / I'm In A Dancing Mood / This'll Make YOU Whistle / Without Rhythm / There Isn't A Limit To My Love / Everything Stops For Tea / From One Minute To Another.

Carbo:- S/N 27390 - Chuck Carbo with Ed Frank's New Orleans Rhythm & Blues Band - 504CDS22 - £10.95

Chuck Carbo - Vocal; Ed Frank - Piano; Ralph Johnson or Charlie Burbank - Tenor; Nicholas Payton - Trumpet; Alvin 'Shine' Robinson - Guitar; Willie Payton - Bass; Shannon Powell - Drums; Sarah Driscoll - Tambourine. Recorded 9th November 1988. 48 mins.

Second Line On Monday / You're The One / True / Meet Me With Your Black Draws On / Blue Monday / Bad Water / Riffs on 'Black Draws' / Something You Got / Last Night / Bells In My heart / Witchcraft / That's My Desire / Life's Ups And Downs

Coles:- S/N 27416 - Johnny Coles Quartet - The Warm Sound - Jazz Collectors JC 423 - £9.95

(a) Johnny Coles - Piano; Kenny Drew or Randy Weston - Piano; Peck Morrison - Bass; Charlie Persip - Drums. Recorded April 1961. (b) Coles - Trumpet; Duke Pearson - Piano; Bob Cranshaw - Bass; Walter Perkins - Drums. Recorded 12th January 1962. (c) Coles - Trumpet; Julian Priester - Trombone; Eddoe Chamblee - Tenor; Charles Davis - Baritone; Jack Wilson - Piano; Ricard Evans - Bass; Persip - Drums. Recorded October 1957. 65 mins.

Room (a) / Where (a) / Come Rain Or Come Shine (a) / Hi-Fly (a) / Pretty Strange (a) / If I Should You (a) / Babe's Blues (a) / Hi-Fly (alt take) (a) / Friday's Child (b) / Chamblee Special (c) / Whisper Not (c).

Corey:- S/N 27430 - Jill Corey & Billy Maxted and His Manhattan Jazz Band - Let's Go To Town - Sounds of Yesteryear DSOY 795 - £7.25

Jill Corey - Vocal with accompaniment by an unknown studio orchestra with Bill Maxted Jazz Band:- Chuck Forsyth - Trumpet; Ed Hubble - Trombone; Dan Tracey - Clarinet / Tenor; Johnny Dengler - Bass; Billy Maxted - Piano; Jack Lesberg - Bass; Don McLean - Drums. Recorded 1950s. 62 mins.

Music Tracks:- Milenberg Joys / When I Fall In Love / The Song Of The Wanderer / A Cock Eyed Optimist / Finale - Up A Lazy River / Wedding Bells / Bye Bye Blackbird / Gin Mill Blues / I've Got The World On A String / Finale - Up A Lazy River / Running Wild / Somethings Coming / Satin Doll / The Trolley Song / Finale - Up A Lazy River / Come Back Sweet Papa / But Not For Me / Old Miss / Big Daddy Finale / Up A Lazy River.

Comment:- This CD contains four fifteen minute radio shows broadcast to promote recruitment into the National Guard complete with the propaganda message. The Maxted outfit plays well rehearsed and drilled dixieland and I must admit that Jill Corey is a new name for me although it would appear she had a long career and a number of hits.

Desmond / Hall:- S/N 27414 - Paul Desmond - Jim Hall Quartet - Complete Recordings - Master

Takes - Jazz Collectors JC 421 - 4 x CD - £24.75

Paul Desmond - Alto; Jim Hall - Guitar; Percy Heath, George Duvivier, Gene Cherico or Gene Wright - Bass; Connie Kay - Drums. Recorded between September 1959 and June 1963.

Disc 1. 76 mins. *East Of The Sun / For All We Know / I Get A Kick Out Of You / Greensleaves / Two Degrees East, Three Degrees West / Time After Time / You Go To My head / Susie / Out Of Nowhere / The One I Love / Polka Dots And Moonbeams / Samba De Orfeu / Poor Butterfly*

Disc 2:- 72 mins. *Theme From 'Black' Orpheus / El Prince / Alone Together / Nancy / Embarcardo / Blues For Fun / Take Ten / That Old Feeling / Angel Eyues / Rude Old Man / A Taste Of Honey / When Joanna Loved Me / Samba Cantina / Bossa Antigua*

Disc 3:- 71 mins. *Samba Cepeda / A Ship Without A sail / The Night Has A Thousand Eyes / Any Other Time / The Girl From East 9th Street / Curacao Dolorosa / O Gato / Stranger In Town / By The River Sainte Marie / Glad To Be Unhappy / Hi-Lili, Hi-Lo / Easy Living / All Across The City*

Disc 4:- 71 mins. *All Through The Night / I've Grown Accustomed To Her Face / Here's That Rainy Day / Bewitched / My Funny Valentine / Desmond Blue / Then I'll Be Tired Of You / I've Got You Under My Skin / Late Lament / I Should Care / Like Someone In Love / Ill Wind / Body And Soul / Autumn Leaves / Imagination / Advise And Consent.*

Edison:- S/N 27417 - Harry 'Sweets' Edison - Patented By Edison - Jazz Collectors JC 424 - £9.95

(a) "Patented By Edison" Harry 'Sweets' Edison - Trumpet; Jimmy Forrest - Tenor; Tommy Flanagan - Piano; Tommy Potter - Bass; Elvin Jones - Drums. Recorded 12th February 1960. (b) "Sweetenings".

Eddiosn - Trumpet; Forrest - Tenor; Jimmy Jones or Kenny Drew - Piano; Joe Benjamin or John Simmons - Bass; Charlie Persip - Drums. Recorded November 1958. 68 mins.

Witchcraft (a) / Blue Skies (a) / I'm Confessin' (a) / Ain't Misbehavin' (a) / Candioed Sweets (a) / They Can't Take That Away From Me (a) / Tea For Two (a) / There Is No Greater Love (a) / Twenty Forty (a) / It's Easy To Remember (a) / Sweetcakes (a) / Angel Eyes (a) / Centerpiece (b) / Candy (b) / Jive At Five (b) / Imagination (b) / Louisiana (b) / Harriet (b) / It Happened In Monteray (b) / If I Had You (b) / Paradise (b) / Indiana (b) / Pussy Willow (b) / Sweetenings (b).

Evans:- S/N 27418 - Bill Evans - With The Flautists - Jazz Collectors JC 425 - £9.95

(a) Bill Evans - Piano; Jeremy Steig - Flute; Eddie Gomez - Bass; Marty Morell - Drums. Recorded February / March 1969. (b) Evans - Piano; Herbie Mann - Flute; Chuck Israels - Bass; Paul Motian - Drums. Recorded December 1961 and May 1962. 79 mins.

Straight No Chaser (a) / Lover Man (a) / What's New (a) / Autumn Leaves (a) / Time Out For Chris (a) / Spartacus Love Theme (a) / So What (b) / Nirvana (b) / Gymnopedie (b) / I Love You (b) / Willow Weep For Me (b) / Lover Man (b) / Cashmere (b).

Happy Six:- S/N 27446 - The Happy Six - Dance-O-Mania 1919-23 - Rivermont RSW1150 - £13.95

'The Happy Six' with very varying personnel including Earl Oliver - Trumpet; Tom Brown - Trombone; Rudy Weidoft / Alcide Nunez / Ross Gorman - Reeds; Ted Fiorito - Piano; Harry Yerkes - Drums; Frank Crumit - Vocal. Recorded between 1919 and 1923. 78 mins.

Karavan / The First Rose Of Summer / Mystery / Shake Your Little Shoulder / Sudan / Dance-O-Mania / Silver Water / Goodbye Sunshine, Hello Moon / My Little Bimbo Down On The Bamboo Isle / Je Ne Sais Pa Pa / Rockaway Baby / By The Pyramids / Dolly I Love You / Yokohama Lullaby / Siam Soo / Moonlight / Down Yonder / Jabberwocky / How Many Times / Leave Me With A Smile / Pick Me Up And Lay Me Down / Nobody Lied / If I Had My Way, Pretty baby / You Gave Me Your Heart / Who's Sorry Now?

Comment:- Another excellent issue from this small American label. Good quality sound given the early recordings and a long and comprehensive essay by Mark Berresford about the band and the man behind it, Harry Yerkes.

Herman:- S/N 27429 - Woody Herman & His Third Herd - Let's Go To Town - Sounds of Yesteryear DSOY 794 - 2 x CD - £7.25

Woody Herman and his Third Herd. Personnel not confirmed. Vocals by Mindy Carson and Georgia Gibbs. Recorded 1950s. 120 mins.

Introduction - Blue Flame / Woodchoppers' Ball / Stars Fell On Alabama / Barrels Of Roses / Perdido / Introduction - Blue Flame / Mother Goose Jumps / Bijou / Our Love Is Here To Stay / Moten Swing / Introduction - Blue Flame / Stompin' At The Savoy / Early Autumn / Shoo Fly Pie And Apple Pan Dowdy / Prez Conference / Introduction - Blue Flame / Celestial Blues / Beale Street Blues / But Not For Me / Jump In The Line / Introduction - Blue Flame / Men From Mars / No Other Love / Ballin' The Jack / Just You, Just Me / Introduction - Blue Flame / I Love Paris / It Had To be You / Where Is Your Heart / New Golden Wedding / Introduction - Blue Flame / Somebody Loves Me / Woodchoppers Ball / My Blue Heaven / Apple Honey /

Introduction - Blue Flame / Love Is Here To Stay / He's Funny That Way / How Long Has This Been Going On / Lemon Drops.

Comment:- Another eight fifteen minute radio shows extolling the virtues on the American National Guard and attempting to entice the audience into signing up. Complete with linking announcements and rather obvious 'canned' applause these are real radio nostalgia. The sound is very good and strongly suggests the technical advantages of studio recording.

Hightower:- S/N 27432 - Donna Hightower - Take One! - Fresh Sound FSR-CD 561 - £10.75 (£11.00)

(a) "Take One!":- Donna Hightower - Vocal; Joe Wilder - Trumpet; Ben Webster - Tenor; Mundell Lowe - Guitar; Hank Jones - Piano; George Duvivier - Bass; Don Lamond - Drums. Recorded 1958. (b) "Gee Baby, Ain't I Good To You":- Orchestra conducted by Sid Feller featuring Chauncey Welsh - Trumpet; Georgie Auld - Tenor; Hank Jones - Piano; Barry Galbraith - Guitar; Milt Hinton - Bass; Osie Johnson - Drums. Recorded 1959. 60 mins.

Perfidia / Maybe You'll Be There / Lover Come Back To me / Tehere, I've Said It Again / Because Of You / Please Don't Take You Love Away From Me / C'est La Vie / Too Young / Baby, Get Lost / I get A Kick Out Of You / Anytime, Anyday, Anywhere / Trouble In Mind / Everyday I Have The Blues / Gee, Baby, Ain't I Good To You / All Or Nothing At All / I Laughed To Keep From Crying / Lonesome And Sorry / The First To Know / The Blues Don't Care / Can't Help It / Born To Be Blue / I'll Be Around / A Cottage For Sale / I'm Alone Because I Love You.

Hodes:- S/N 27427 - Art Hodes - Up In Volly's Room - Delmark DE 217 - £12.65

Art Hodes - Piano; Volly De Faut - Clarinet; Truck Parham - Bass; Barrett Deems - Drums; Nappy Trottier - Trumpet; George Brunis - Trombone. (Note: Trottier & Brunis are only on the the final two tracks) Recorded 1972. 58 mins.

St Louis Blues / You Gotta Gimme Some / Struttin' With Some Barbecue / Tin Roof Blues / After You've Gone / Jackass Blues / Basin Street Blues / Volly's Room / I Know That You Know / Sobbin' Blues / Ode To Louis Armstrong / Ja Da / Panama Rag.

Hug:- S/N 27443 - Armand Hug - Breezin' Along - Swaggie SWCD 421 - £12.95

(a) Armand Hug - Solo Piano. Recorded 1974/75. (b) Hug - Piano; Ray Bauduc - Drums. Recorded 1950. 80 mins.

My Inspiration (a)/ Float Me Down The River (a)/ It's Too Late To be Sorry (a)/ I Keep Calling Your Name (a)/ Sugar Babe, Be My Love (a)/ I'm Goin' Home (a)/ I Never Knew What A Good Gal Could Do (a)/ The Bobby Dazzler (a)/ Chicago Breakdown (a)/ Give Me Just A Hug (a)/ Broken Hill (a)/ Little Rock Getaway (b)/ Breezin' Along (b)/ Tea For Two (b)/ Fascinatin' Rag (b)/ In New Orleans On A Sunday Afternoon (a)/ Cookie (a)/ I'm Heading Down South (a)/ Chimes Blues (a)/ Jelly Bean (a)/ Black Bottom Stomp (a)/ Wang Wang Blues (a).

Comment:- A third collection on this label by the New Orleans pianist Armand Hug. As I have said before if you enjoy piano improvisation by the likes of Ralph Sutton and Dave McKenna then you should enjoy this. The sound quality of the 1970s recordings is excellent and the 1950s tracks are not bad at all if not real hi-fi!

Hylton:- S/N 27401 - Jack Hylton & his Orchestra - Vol.8 - Swing Is In The Air - Vocalion CDEA 6163 - £5.65

Jack Hylton & His Orchestra. Recorded between April 1935 and November 1939. 77 mins.

Zing! Went The Strings Of My Heart / My Dance / Far Away In Shanty Town / Olga Pulloffski, The Beautiful Spy / Walermelon Fete / Down South / Tiger Rag / Rose Room / Eeny Meeny Miney Mo / Solitude / Goodbye, Little DReam, Goodbye / When A Woman Smiles / Red, White And Blue / Swing Is In The Air / Moon Or No Moon / Gangway / The Umbrella Man / That Sly Old Gentleman / Sing A Song Of Sunbeams / Ridin' Home / Lords Of The Air / I'll Remember / Blue Orchids / I Hear A Dream.

James:- S/N 27392 - Harry James & His Orchestra - feat Dick Haymes - World's Fair 1940/Hotel Lincoln 1941 - HEPCD 88 - £8.95

Harry James & His Orchestra with varyng personnel featuring Dick Haymes - Vocal. Recorded July - August 1940 and May/June 1941. 76 mins.

Song Of The Islands / Nobody's Baby / Moon Won't Talk / Tempo De Luxe / Fools Rush In / The Nearness Of You / Maybe / Answer Man / It Wouldn't Be Love / Blueberry Hill / My Greatest Mistake / A Millions Dreams Ago / Swanee River / Easy Ridin' / It All Comes Back To Me Now / Georgia On My Mind / Beyond The Moon / Frenesi / Sharp As A Tack / Just A Twist Of The Wrist / Do I worry / La Paloma / Braggin' / Lost In Love / Dodgers Fan Dance.

Kenton:- S/N 27424 - Stan Kenton - Rarities - DRG CD-8510 - £13.75

Stan Kenton and His Orchestra plus Octet and Septet. Recorded between 1955 and 1958. 78 mins.

All I Need Is you / Joyce's Choice / Sweet Sue, Just You / Tangerine / Gone With The Wind / Sue Is Swinging / Wait For Gail / Did I Remember? / Theme For Sunday / Theme To The West / Serenade In Blues / Sentimental Serenade / Harbor Lights / In The Blue Of The Evening / I'll Close My Eyes / Ghost Of A Chance / Cuban Mumble / Tequila / Walking Shoes / Love For Sale.

Comment:- With the exception of *Cuban Mumble* and *Tequila* All these tracks which were recorded for Capitol have not been previously released. For those of you who are not aware of the label DRG is an American label who have their albums produced by EMI Special Products so they are using material direct from the Capitol archives.

Kenton:- S/N 27431 - Stan Kenton & His Orchestra - The Armory, Eugene, Oregon 1953 Vol.1 - Sounds of Yesteryear DSOY 796 - £7.25

Buddy Childers / Conte Candoli / Ernie Royal / Don Dennis / Don Smith - Trumpet; Bob Burgess / Frank Rosolino / Bill Russo / Keith Moon - Trombone; George Roberts - Bass-Trombone; Vinnie Dean / Lee Konitz / Bill Holman / Richie Kamuca / Henry Levy - Reeds; Stan Kenton - Piano; Sal Salvador - Guitar; Don Bagley - Bass; Stan Levey - Drums; Chris Connor - Vocal. Recorded 1953. 64 mins.

Theme - Artistry In Rhythm / Taboo / Stan Introduces The Band / Collaboration / Limelight / Portrait Of A Count / Bill Russo Introduces 230 North, 820 West / 230 North, 820 West / Jeepers Creepers / If I Should Lose You / September In The Rain / Bags / My Lady / Intermission Riff / Frank Speaking / Opus In Pastels / There's A Small Hotel / I'll Remember April / Taking A Chance On Love.

Lee / Drew:- S/N 27422 - Tony Lee / Martin Drew Band - Street Of Dreams / British Jazz Artists Vol.3 - Vocalion CDSML 8462 - 2 x CD - £8.95

(a) "Street of Dreams":- Tony Lee - Piano; Tony Archer - Bass; Martin Drew - Drums; Tony Uter - Congas. Recorded February 1979. (b) "British Jazz Artists Vol.3" :- Drew - Drums; John Taylor - Piano; Ron Mathewson - Bass; Bill Le Sage - Vibes; Brian Smith - Soprano / Tenor; Chris Fletcher - Percussion. Recorded November 1977. 83 mins.

Li'l Darlin' (a) / Loss Of Love (a) / Street Of Dreams (a) / Dick's Mood (a) / Love For Sale (a) / My Funny Valentine (a) / On Green Dolphin Street (a) / No More Blues (b) / Re-Rev (b) / Child Is Born (b) / Strut Your Stuff (b) / Another Star (b) / Steelbender (b) / Easy Life (b) / Sound Down (b).

Marterie:- S/N 27387 - Ralph Marterie & His Downbeat Orchestra - Let's Go To Town - Sounds of Yesteryear DSOY 792 - 2 x CD - £7.25

Ralph Marterie & His Orchestra. Vocals by Joni James and Joan Weber. Recordings consist of 8 radio programmes broadcast in the 1950s to promote recruitment to the US National Guard. 118 mins.

Introduction / Caravan / Let There Be Love / You're My Everything / Dry Marterie / Introduction / You're Fooling Someone / A Trumpet And A Prayer / Am I In Love / Perdido / Introduction / The Creep / My Love, My Love / Purple Shades / After Midnight / Introduction / Almost Always / Love Theme / I'll Be Seeing You / Big Noise From Winnetka / Introduction / I'm Sitting On Top Of The World / For You / Let Me Go Lover / Chicken Boogie / Introduction / Bernie's Tune / Teach Me Tonight / I Never Knew / Baby Sitter / Introduction / Blue Mirage / Muskrat Ramble / Call Me Careless / Two Sleepy People / Introduction / What's New / It May Sound Silly / Dim, Dim The Lights / Move Over.

Memphis Nighthawks:- S/N 27426 - The Memphis Nighthawks - Jazz Lips - Delmark DE 216 - £12.65

Steve Jensen - Trumpet; Joel Helleny - Trombone; Ron DeWar - Clarinet / Soprano / C Melody; Mike Miller - Banjo / Guitar; Dave Feinman - Bass Sax; Bob Kornacher - Drums (7 tracks only). Recorded 1976 and 1977. 63 mins.

Jazz Lips / Froggy Moore / Some Of These Days / Changes / Margie / Don't Forget To mMs Around / Shreveport Stomp / Tishamingo Blues / Papa-De-Da-Da / Temptation Rag / 191 Rag / My oney's Lovin' Arms / Buddy's Habit / Beale Street Mama / Bugle Boy March / Oriental Strut.

Comment:- I have had the original LP issue of this album in my collection for a number of years and I believe I bought it in a second-hand record shop in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, in about 1986. The musicians were members of the larger University of Illinois Jazz Band, which was based locally, who dedicated themselves to a more 'classic' approach to jazz and the certainly do it very well. A very lively presentation of foot-tapping music.

Napoleon:- S/N 27388 - Phil Napoleon & The Memphis Five - Memphis Blues - Sounds of Yesteryear DSOY 793 - £7.25

Phil Napoleon - Trumpet; Harry DeVito - Trombone; Gail Curtis - Clarinet; Johnny Varro - Piano; Pete

Rogers - Bass. Recordings taken from broadcasts made to promote recruitment to the U.S. Marine Corps in the 1950s. 70 mins.

Musical tracks:- Medley of College Songs / Basin Street Blues / Panama / Tin Roof Blues / At The Jazz Band Ball / Memphis Blues / Somebody Stole My Girl / College Overture / Jada / Limehouse Blues / Honeysuckle Rose / Fatima / Clarinet Marmalade / Western College Overture / Black And Blue / Tiger Rag / Running Wild / Peg O' My Heart / I Found A New Baby / Tin Roof Blues.

Comment:- Very competent commercial dixieland from the 1950s with the music tracks being interspersed by humorous 'educational' introductions which could wear a bit thin on repeated listening.

Page:- S/N 27391 - Hot 'Lips' Page - Roll Roll Roll! - The R&B Years - ElToro R&B 110 - £11.25

Oran 'Hot Lips' Page - Trumpet / Vocal with support. Recorded late 1940s and early 1950s. 78 mins.
Last Call For Alcohol / They Raided The Joint / There Ain't No Flies On Me / Texas And Pacific / Walkin' In A daze / Miss Larceny Blues / Roll, Roll, Roll / Gimme, Gimme, Gimme / Jeety-Boad Joad / Florida Blues / Ashes On My Pillor / Open The Door Richard / Birmingham Boogie / I Want To Ride Like The Cowboys Do / Let Me In! / Strike While The Iron's Hot / The Jungle King / The Cadillac Song / Blow, Champ Blow / Chocolate Candy Blues / The Hucklebuck / Pacifying Blues / That's The One For Me / Sharp Little Sister / Main Street / I've Got The Upper Hand / Moanin' Dan.

Comment:- These 27 tracks come from the period when Hot Lips Page was a reasonably successful rhythm and blues performer specialising in raucous rocking music with lots of honking saxes and soaring trumpet. Good fun!

Paul:- S/N 27421 - Les Paul & Friends - How High The Moon - Fantastic Voyage FVTD035 - 3 x CD - £11.50

Les Paul - Guitar with Mary Ford and many others.

Disc 1:- "The Capitol Years - 1948-52" *Lover / Caravan / Hip-Boilly Boogie / The Swiss Woodpecker / Brazil / What Is This Thing Called Love / Nola / Goofus / Little Rock Getaway / Tennessee Waltz / Mockin' Bird Hill / How High The Moon / I Wish I Had Never Seen Sunshine / The World Is Waiting For The Sunrise / Just One More Chance / Jazz Me Blues / Josephine / Whispering / Jingle Bells / Tiger Rag / I'm Confessin' / The Carioca / In The Good Old Summertime / Smoke Rings / Meet Mister Callaghan / Take Me In Your Arms And Hold Me / Lady Of Spain*

Disc 2:- "The Capitol Years - 1953-58". *Bye Bye Blues / Deep In The Blues / Mammy's Boogie / My baby's Coming Home / I'm Siting On Top Of The World / Sleep / Vaya Con Dios / Johnny / Don'tcha Hear Them Bells / The Kangaroo / I Really Don't Want To Know / I'm A Fool To care / Whither Thou Goest / Mandolino / Song Is Blue / Mr Dandman / That's What I Like / Hummingbird / Amukiriki / Magic Melody / Texas Lady / Moritat / Nuevo Laredo / Cinco Robles / Put A Ring On My Finger*

Disc 3:- "Pickin' & Swingin' 1937-47". *Just Because / Deep Elem Blues / Out Of Nowhere / Begin The Beguine / Dream Dust / Dark Eyes / Blue Skies / Baby, What You Do For Me / It's Been A Long Long Time / Rumors Are Flying / What Would It Take? / Steel Guitar Rag / Guitar Boogie / Caravan / Subterfuge / Melodic Meal / Hand Picked / At Sundown / Coquette / I Found A New Baby / Danger, Men At Work / Short Circuit / Body And Soul / Rosetta.*

Pepper:- S/N 27447 - Art Pepper - The Art History Project - Widow's Taste APM 09001 - 3 x CD - £29.95

Art Pepper - Alto with various groups. Recorded between 1951 and 1982.

Disc 1:- 1951-60. *Art Pepper / Fascinatin' Rhythm / Patricia / Tickle Toe / Pepper Returns / Mambo de la Pinta / These Foolish Things / Cool Bunny / Besame Mucho / Art's Oregano / Diane / I Can't Believe That You're In Love With Me / Straight Life / Everything Happens To Me / Nutmeg / WQhat's New / Begine The Beguine.*

Disc 2:- 1960-68. *Rehearsal / Track 2 / So In Love / Talk / That Crazy Blues / D Section / Chelsea Bridge*

Disc 3:- 1975-82. *Caravan / Lost Life / Landscape / Angel Wings / Historia de un Amor / Mambo Koyama / That's Love.*

Comment:- This set which has been compiled by Laurie Pepper, Art's widow, is, according to the notes, an introduction to Art's music, or a companion to the book 'Straight Life' or the map of the development of an artist. The notes do not hide the seamier side of Pepper's life.

Peterson:- S/N 27434 - The Oscar Peterson Trio - Live at the Opera House & The Shrine Auditorium - Fresh Sound FSR-CD 564 - £10.75 (£11.00)

Oscar Peterson - Piano; Herb Ellis - Guitar; Ray Brown - Bass. Recorded September 29th & October 9th 1957. 70 mins.

The Lady Is A Tramp / We'll Be Together Again / Bluesology / Budo / I've Got The World On A String / Daahoud / When Lights Are Low / Evrev / Should I / Big Fat Mama / Indiana / Joy Spring / Elevation.

Rhythmic Eight:- S/N 27413 - The Rhythmic Eight - 48 Of The Best - Retrieval RTR 79059 - 2 x CD - £14.75

Collectively:- Bert Firman - Violin / Director; John Firman - Piano / Pipe Organ / Director; Frank Guarante / Max Goldberg / Sylvester Ahola / Dennis Ratcliffe / Andy Richardson - Trumpet; Perley Breed / Bill Barton / Johnny Helfer / Arthur Lally / Danny Polo / George Smith / Jack Miranda - Reeds; Bert Read - Piano; Joe Brannelly - Banjo; Bill Bell - Brass Bass; Eddie Kollis - Drums / / Vibes / Vocal; Rudy Starita - Drums / Vibes; Maurice Elwin - Vocal. Recorded between 1927 and 1930. 148 mins.

Is She My Girlfriend? / You Don't Like It / Corn Fed / Back beats / Miss Annabelle Lee / There's A Cradle In Caroline / I Ain't Got Nobody / Heart-Breakin' Baby / Together We Two / After My Laughter Came Tears / Faces At The Window / Wob-a-ly Walk / We Ain't Got Nothin' To Lose / Way Back When / For My Baby / Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man / Mississippi Mud / She's A Great Great Girl / Didn't I Tell You? / Because My Baby Don't Mean Maybe Now / Slow Music / This Is The Way The Puff-Puff Goes / All By Yourself In The Moonlight / From Saturday Night Till Monday Morning / Don't Be Like That / Shout Hallelujah 'Cause I'm Home / I'm Crazy Over You / That's Her Now / A Dickey Bird Told Me So / Umtcha, Umtcha, Da-Da-Da / Rhythm King / I Faw Down And Go 'Boom' / I'm On My Way South / My Troubles Are Over / Heigh Ho, Everybody / Haven't I? / You're A Pain In The Heart To Me / Spring It In The Summer And She'll Fall / Kansas City Kitty / I'm Doing What I'm Doing For Love / I'm Feathering A Nest / I've Got A Feeling I'm Falling / Lovesable And Sweet / Sweethearts Holiday / I'm Speaking Of Kentucky Days / 'Tain't No Sin / Harlem Madness.

Comment:- I'm not sure to what extent this can be classed as 'jazz' as opposed to 'hot dance' music but as usual from this label the sound quality is first rate as are the notes. To a large extent this album belies the fact that British bands of the period were somehow 'second rate'.

Russell:- S/N 27415 - George Russell Sextet in K.C. - Jazz Collectors JC 422 - £9.95

Don Ellis - Trumpet; Dave Baker - Trombone; Dave Young - Tenor; George Russell - Piano; Chuck Israels - Bass; Joe Hunt - Drums. Recorded 23rd February 1961.

War Gewessen / Rhymes / Lunacy / Sandu / Tune Up / Theme.

Sangster:- S/N 27442 - John Sangster - 'For Leon Bismarck' and All Thet Jazz - Swaggie SWCD 419 - £12.95

(a) Bob Barnard - Cornet; Eric 'Boof' Thomson - Trumpet; Bob Mclvor - Trombone; John McCarthy / Don Burrows - Clarinet / Baritone; Len Barnard - Traps; Chris Qua - Bass; George Golla - Guitar. Recorded 3rd September 1977. (b) Barnard - Cornet; Ron Falson - Trumpet; Mclvor - Trombone; McCarthy - Clarinet / Baritone; John Sangster - Traps / Large Xylophone; Golla - Guitars. Recorded 16th September 1977. (c) Barnard / Alan Nash - Trumpet; McCarthy - Clarinet / Tenor; John Costelloe - Trombone; Sangster - Vibraharp; Graham Coyle - Piano; Ed Gaston - Bass; Len Barnard - Drums. Recorded 24th August 1973. (d) Barnard / Bob Monroe - Trumpet; Ade Monsborough - Alto / Tenor; McCarthy - Clarinet / Soprano; Costelloe - Trombone; Sangster - Vibraharp; Coyle - Piano; Norm Kosh - Banjo; Ron Williamson - Tuba; Len Barnard - Drums. Recorded 9th March 1974. (e) Barnard - Trumpet / Flugelhorn; Greg Gibson - Clarinet / Baritone; Sangster - Vibraharp; Coyle - Piano; Jack Lesberg - Bass; Len Barnard - Drums. Recorded 4th March 1972. (f) Sangster - Marimba; Alan Lee - Barimba; Tony Gould - Piano; George Thompson - Bass; Led Barnard - Drums. Recorded 18th April 1977. 78 mins.

Singin' 'Em (a) / Hogwash McCorckle (b) / Chimin' (a) / The Sound Of A Girl Saying Yes (b) / Oscar Rows A Goat (a) / Eric's Cloth Cap (a) / Goose Eggs (b) / Bixanity (b) / I Am Not A Swan (a) / Quick; Duck behind That Davenport! (a) / Butterfly (c) / Midnight Crawl (d) / Tiggle (e) / The Trouper (e) / Nugget (e) / The Psychriatic Rag (e) / Tachyglossus Aculeatus (f).

Comment:- The first ten tracks are compositions by John Sangster dedicated to Bix Beiderbecke and whilst some might consider them to be a little too 'modern' in some ways I believe it should be remembered that Bix himself was a great innovator and who can say the direction his career would have taken had he not died so young. The remaining tracks are a miscellany of excellent Sangster originals.

Simmons:- S/N 27389 - John 'Kid' Simmons Louisians Joymakers with Joe Harris - Part 1 - 504CD 107 - £10.95

John 'Kid' Simmons - Trumpet; Joe Harris - Alto; Charlie Hamilton - Banjo; James 'Sing' Miller - Piano / Vocal; Leo Quezergue - Drums. Recorded 1974. 63 mins.

Tulane Swing / Blue Moon / Just A Closer Walk With Thee / Girl Of My Dreams / Hindustan / Sister Kate / New Second Line / Jada / Down In Honky Tonk Town / Some Of These Days / Precious Lord Take My Hand / St Louis

Blues / Bye And Bye / Take Your Burden To The Lord / Just A Little While To Stay here.

Stitt:- S/N 27433 - Sonny Stitt Sextet & Quintet - Only The Blues - Fresh Sound FSR-CD 563 - £10.75 (£11.00)

(a) Sonny Stitt - Alto; Roy Eldridge - Trumpet; Oscar Peterson - Piano; Herb Ellis - Guitar; Ray Brown - Bass; Stan Levey - Drums. Recorded 11th 1957. (b) as (a) Omit Eldridge. Same Date. 61 mins.

The String / Cleveland Blues / B.W.Blues / Blues For Bags / I Didn't Know What Time It Was / I Remember You / I Know That You Know / I Know That You Know (alt take)

Stone:- S/N 27400 - Lew Stone & His Band - Vol.6 - Fare Thee Well - Vocalion CDEA 6162 - £5.65

Lew Stone & His Band feat vocals by Al Bowlly. Recorded between October 1932 and August 1938. 73 mins.

The Girl Who Thought... (2 parts) / Let's All Sing Like The Birdies Sing / Little Nell / A Letter To My Mother / Three Wishes / Let Me Give My Happiness To You / The Bands That Matter / Weep No More My Baby / Gosh! / Must Be Falling In LOve / In A Shelter From A Shower / Because It's LOve / The Beat Of My heart / Fare Thee Well / I Double Dare You / You're A Sweetheart / Sweet Genevieve / In My Little Red Book / I'm Sorry, I Didn't Say I'm Sorry / I Won't Tell A Soul / Say Goodnight To Your Oldfashioned Mother / OK Decca - Medley (2 parts)

Sutton:- S/N 27423 - Ralph Sutton - Oh Baby - Sackville SKCD2-2063 - £12.30

Ralph Sutton - Solo Piano. Recorded November 1949 and June 1952. 65 mins.

Down Home Rag / Harlem Drag / Jelly Roll Blues / Cannon Ball Blues / Black Bottom Stomp / Cataract Rag / Shoe Shine Boy / Christopher Columbus / Hindustan / Villian / Frog Lags Rag / Chromatic Rag / Grace And Beauty / The Cascades / Black And White Rag / Three Little Words / No Local Stops / Oh Baby / Concentrating / Drop Me Off In Harlem / Morning Air / Blues For Chuck / African Ripples.

Vallee:- S/N 27402 - Rudy Vallee & His Connecticut Yankees - Vol.2 - I'm Just A Vagabond Love - Vocalion CDEA 6164 - £5.65

Rudy Vallee - Vocal and his Connecticut Yankees. Recorded between 1929 and 1937. 78 mins.

I'm Just A Vagabond Lover / That's When I learned To Love You / Kitty From Kansas City / If I Had A Girl Like You / Perhaps / Everything's In Rhythm With My heart / Say The Word And It's Yours / The Gentleman Obviously Doesn't Believe / Seein' Is Believin' / Is It True What They Say About Dixie / P.S. - I Love You / I Don't Want To Make History / When My Ship Comes In / An Earful Of Music / Just An Old Banjo / Dancing In The Moonlight / Orchids In The Moonlight / Flying Down To Rio / Old Man harlem / The Shadow Waltz / I've Got To Sing A Torch Song / Maybe I Love You Too Much / The You And Me That Used To Be / Goodnight My Love.

Various:- S/N 27397 - Bankers Blues - A Study In The Effects of Fiscal Mischief - Document DOCD-32-20-16 - £7.95

Various Artists as shown. 69 mins.

Money Craving Folks - Blind Alfred Reed / We Sure Got Hard Times Now - Barbecue Bob / Mortgage Blues - Frankie 'Half-Pint' Jaxon & His Hot Shots / No Money - Little Son Jackson / Million Dollar Blues - Memphis Minnie / Sales Tax - Mississippi Sheiks / Times Are So Tight - Charlie 'Specks' McFadden / A Sermon On A Silver Dollar - Brother Fullbosum / Save That Mney - Rufus Thomas / Income Tax Blues - Ralph Willis / The Bankers Blues - Big Bill Broonzy / No Bonus Blues - Edgewater Crows / The Pawn Shop Blues - Martha Copeland / Insurance Policy Blues - Smith And Harper / Stack 'O Dollars Blues - Charley Jordan / Times Is Tight Like That - Bo Carter / Poor Millionaire Blues - Peetie Wheatstraw / I Nedd A Hundred Dollars - One String Sam / All My Money is Gone - Goldrush / Trying To Make A Living - Bobby Saxton / Broke And Hungry - Hop Wilson / Money Kills Love - Bill Gaither / Ain't No Prison For The Corporation - Russell Means

Comment:- Hard luck stories about money have always been a popular subject with blues performers and here we have a collection 'inspired by Bernard Madoff, Sir Fred Goodwin and others'. Maybe an ideal Christmas present for your friendly Bank Manager!

Various:- S/N 27396 - Blues, Blues Christmas - Vol.2 1926-1958 - Document DOCD-32-20-25 - 2 x CD - £11.95

Various artists as shown.

Sleigh Ride - Lloyd Glenn / Christmas Eve Blues - Blind Lemon Jefferson / When Was Jesus Born - Heavenly Gospel Singers / Santa Claus Boogie - The Voices / Merry Christmas - Lightnin' Hopkins / Hey Santa Claus - The Moonglows / Lonesome Christmas - Lowell Fulson / Lonesome Christmas Blues - Blind Blake / Gonna Have A Merry Xmas - The Nic Nacs with Mickey Champion / Christmas Morn - Rev Charles Watkins / Christmas Celebration - Jesse Thomas / Jingle Bells - Leo Watson with Vic Dickenson Quintet / It's

Christmas Time Again - Cecil Gant / *I'll Be Home For Christmas* - The Pilgrim Travellers / *Christmas - What Does It Mean To You?* - Rev Emmett Dickinson / *There Was No Room At The Hotel* - Lucy Smith Jubilee Singers / *Silent Night* - Sister Rosetta Tharpe / *New Year's Resolution* - Lil Son Jackson / *Christmas Tree Blues* - Charley Jordan & Verdi Lee / *Merry Christmas Baby* - Lionel Hampton / *Run Rudolph, Run* - Chuck Berry / *God Gave Us Christmas* - Oscar McLollie & His Honey Jumpers / *Christmas Shuffle* - Lowell Fulson / *Winter Time Blues* - Lester Williams / *Mr Santa Boogie* - The Marshall Blues / *Sweet Little Jesus Boy - Wings Over Jordan* / *Swingin' Them Jingle Bells* - Fats Wayller / *Seekin' For Me* - Lucy Sith Jubilee Singers / *My Christmas Baby* - Smokey Hogg / *Christmas Blues* - Gatemouth Moore / *Oh Holy Night* - The Orioles / *Go Where I Send Thee* - Alphabetical Four / *No Christmas Blues* - Mary Harris / *Merry Xmas* - Little Willie Littlefield / *Bring A New Life On Christmas Day* - Rev. A.W.Nix / *Christmas Time Blues* - Casey Bill And His Orchestra / *Merry Christmas Baby* - Johnny Moore's Three Blazers / *When They Ring The Golden Bell* - Sister Rosetta Tharpe / *Silent Night, Holy Night* - Elkins-Payne Jubilee Singers / *Christmas Time Blues* - Slim Sewrad & Fay Boy Hayes / *Santa Claus Baby* - The Voices / *Merry Christmas Baby* - Chuck Berry / *What Are You Doing New year's Eve* - The Orioles.

Comment:- I do not think that I ever had Volume 1 in stock but this is an interesting and very varied selection of Christmas recordings mainly from the worlds of straight Blues and real Rhythm 'n' Blues (not the misnamed music they call R&B these days). Probably not the best artistic efforts by many of these entertainers but good fun nonetheless.

Various:- S/N 27428 - Boogie Woogie Kings - Delmark DE 804 - £12.65

Various artists as shown. Recorded between 1938 and 1971. 53 mins.

Pinetop's Blues - Albert Ammons / *G-Flat Blues* - Pete Johnson / *Streamline Train* - 'Cripple Clarence Lofton / *Pitchin' Boogie* - 'Cripple Clarence Lofton / *Mistaken Blues* - 'Cripple Clarence Lofton / *Travelin' Blues* - 'Cripple Clarence Lofton / *I Don't Know* - 'Cripple Clarence Lofton / *Mercy Blues* - 'Cripple Clarence Lofton / *Doll House Blues* - Meade Lux Lewis / *Whistlin' Blues* - Meade Lux Lewis / *Deep Morgan* - Henry Brown / *22nd Street Stomp* - Henry Morgan / *Pickin' Em Out Again* - Henry Brown / *Dirty Dozens* - Speckled Red / *Dad's Piece* - Speckled Red / *Pinetop's Boogie Woogie* - Speckled Red / *Right String But The Wrony Yo Yo* - Speckled Red / *Boogie Woogie Prayer* - Albert Ammons, Pete Johnson & Meade Lux Lewis / *Closing Time* - Meade Lux Lewis.

Various:- S/N 27390 - Gennett Jazz 1922-30 - JSPCD 962 - 4 x CD - £12.95 (£17.75 after 1/1/10)

Various bands and artists as shown.

Disc A:- 74 mins. *Eccentric* - Friars Society Orchestra / *Farewell Blues* - Friars Society Orchestra / *Discontented Blues* - Friars Society Orchestra / *Bugle Call Blues* - Friars Society Orchestra / *Panama* - Friars Society Orchestra / *Tiger Rag* - Friars Society Orchestra / *Boo Hoo Hoo* - Husk O'Hare's Super Orchestra of Chicago / *Tiger Rag* - Husk O'Hare's Super Orchestra of Chicago / *Stop Your Kidding* - Ladd's Black Aces / *You've Got To See You Mama Every Night* - Ladd's Black Aces / *Runnin' Wild* - Ladd's Black Aces / *Nobody's Sweetheart* - Ladd's Black Aces / *Unfortunate Blues* - Ladd's Black Aces / *Jazz Me Blues* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Oh Baby* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Copenhagen* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Riverboat Shuffle* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Susie* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Sensation* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Lazy daddy* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Big Boy* - Wolverine Orchestra / *Swingin' Doen The Lane* - Lanin's Famous Players / *Slue Foot* - California Vagabonds / *Bringing Home The Bacon* - Windy City Jazzers / *Hot Mittens* - Bucktown Five / *Charley Ny Boy* - Kentucky Blowers / *Steady Steppin' Papa* - The Happy Harmonists.
 Disc B:- 72 mins. *Just Gone* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Canal Street Blues* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Mandy Lee Blues* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *I'm Going Away To Wear You Off My Mind* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Chimes Blues* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Weather Bird Rag* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Dipper Mouth Blues* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Froggie Moore* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *Snake Rag* - King Oliver's Creole Jazz Band / *King Porter* - Jelly Roll Morton / *New Orleans Joys* - Jelly Roll Morton / *Grandpa's Spells* - Jelly Roll Morton / *Kansas City Stomp* - Jelly Roll Morton / *Wolverine Blues* - Jelly Roll Morton / *The Pearls* - Jelly Roll Morton / *Terrible Blues* - Red Onion Jazz Babies / *Santa Claus Blues* - Red Onion Jazz Babies / *It's Breaking My heart To Keep Away From You* - Fess Williams & His Royal Flush Orchestra / *Ya Gotta Know How To Love* - Fess Williams & His Royal Flush Orchestra / *Fourth Avenue Stomp* - Frank Bunch & His Fuzzy Wuzzies / *Barbecue Blues* - Watson's Pullman Porters / *Monte Carlo Joys* - Vicksburg Blowers / *Twin Blues* - Vicksburg Blowersw / *Brown Jug* - Ezra Buzzington's Rustic Revellers / *Bass Blues* - Ezra Buzzington's Rustic Revellers
 Disc C:- 78 mins. *Nobody Knows The Way I Feel Dis Mornin'* - Josephine Beatty / *Early Every Morn* - Josephine Beatty / *Make That Gravel Fly* - Hattie Snow / *Daddy What You Goin' To Do?* - Hattie Snow / *War Horse Mama* - Josie Miles / *You Don't Know My Mind Blues* - Josie Miles / *31st Street Blues* - Josie Miles / *Pipe*

Dream Blues - Josie Miles / *I'm Drifting From Blues* - Edna Johnson / *A Woman Gets Tired Of One Man All The Time* - Edna Johnson / *How Could I Be Blue?* - Elvira Johnson / *Numbers On The Brain* - Elvira Johnson / *Blues Rode Me All Night Long* - Bertha Ross / *Lost Man Blues* - Bertha Ross / *You Used To Be Sugar Blues* - Hattie Garland / *Strange Woman's Dream* - Hattie Garland / *Wild Geese Blues* - Alberta Jones / *Red Beans And Rice* - Alberta Jones / *East Coast Blues* - Lizzie Washington / *Working Man Blues* - Lizzie Washington / *Fall Or Summer Blues* - Lizzie Washington / *Sport Model Mama Blues* - Lizzie Washington / *If You Want To Keep our Daddy Home* - Viola McCoy / *Laughin' Cryin' Blues* - Viola McCoy / *Midnight Blues* - Viola McCoy / *Triflin Blues* - Viola McCoy

Disc D:- 79 mins. *My Baby* - State Street Ramblers / *Pleasure Mad* - State Street Ramblers / *Oriental Man* - State Street Ramblers / *Some Do And Some Don't* - State Street Ramblers / *Tack It Down* - State Street Ramblers / *Endurance Stomp* - State Street Ramblers / *Yearning And Blue* - State Street Ramblers / *Someday You'll Know* - State Street Ramblers / *Pass The Jug* - Frank Melrose / *Jelly Roll Stomp* - Frank Melrose / *You've Got What I Want* - Irene Scruggs / *My back To The Wall* - Irene Scruggs / *Make Me Know It* - Jelly James & His Fewscians / *Mandy* - Zach White's Chocolate Beau Brummels / *Hum All Your Troubles Away* - Zach White's Chocolate Beau Brummels / *It's Tight Like That* - Zach White's Chocolate Beau Brummels / *Some Of These Days* - George H. Tremer / *Spirit Of '49 Rag* - George H. Tremer / *Chicken Supper Strut* - Triangle Harmony Boys / *Mississippi Shivers* - Sidney Williams / *I Wonder Blues* - Bailey's Blue Devils / *Pick Me Up And Lay Me Down In Dear Old Dixieland* - Bailey's Lucky Seven / *Who Loved You best* - Bailey's Lucky Seven / *E Flat Blues* - Porter's Blue DEvils / *Original Charleston Strut* - Porter's Blue Devils / *Jazzin' babies Blues* - Richard M. Jones / *Twelfth Street Rag* - Richard M. Jones.

Comment:- This is a great collection of recordings both familiar (King Oliver, Wolverines and State Street Ramblers) and very unfamiliar, at least to me (Frank Bunch & His Fuzzy Wuzzies, Ezra Buzzington's Rustic Revellers and Jelly James and His Fewscians) and all the originals are from American collector Joe Bussard who may have the biggest collection of 78's in the world - over 30,000. An internet search will give links to lots of information about Joe and his collection including interviews and video clips. The sound restoration credit is not given but the quality is fine. A recommended collection for anyone interested in the early period even if you have the 'popular' items already in your collection.

Various:- S/N 27399 - Memphis Blues Vol.3 1927/30 - Document DOCD-5685 - £9.75

Various artists as shown. 62 mins.

Sun Brimmer's Blues - Memphis Jug Band / *Stingy Woman Blues* - Memphis Jug Band / *Memphis Jug Blues* - Memphis Jug Band / *Newport New Blues* - Memphis Jug Band / *Snitchin' Gambler Blues* - Memphis Jug Band / *She Stays Out All Night Long* - Memphis Jug Band / *Lindberg Hop* - Memphis Jug Band / *Stealin' Stealin* - Memphis Jug Band / *Turpentine Blues* - Will Weldon / *Hitch Me To Your Buggy* - Will Weldon / *Vol Stevens Blues* - Vol Stevsn / *Baby Got The Rickets* - Vol Stevens / *Better Leave That Stuff Alone* - Will Shade / *She Stabbed Me With An Ice-Pick* - Will Shade / *Won't You be Kind To me* - Hattie Hart / *You Wouldn't Would You Papa* - Hattie Hart / *Cash Money Blues* - Kaiser Clifton / *Fort Worth And Denver Blues* - Kaiser Clifton / *She'll be Back Someday* - Kaiser Clifton / *Teach Me Right From Wrong* - Kaiser Clifton.

Comment:- This album must contain the two happiest songs of the month - "*Baby Got The Rickets*" and "*She Stabbed Me With An Ice Pick*" They deserve to be in every romantic singer's repertoire!

Various:- S/N 27398 - Memphis Harp and Jug Blowers 1929-1939 - Document BDCD-6028 - £9.75

Various artists as shown. 74 mins.

Dirty Butter - Minnie Wallace / *The Old Folks Started In* (2 takes) - Minnie Wallace / *How Long How Long Blues* - Jed Davenport / *Cow Cow Blues* - Jed Davenport / *Beale Steet Breakdown* - Jed Davenport & His Beale Street Jug Band / *You Ought To Mowce Out Of The Town* - Jed Davenport & His Beale Street Jug Band / *The Dirty Dozen* - Jed Davenport & His Beale Street Jug Band / *Jug Blues* - Jed Davenport & His Beale Street Jug Band / *Save Me Some* - Jed Davenport & His Beale Street Jug Band / *Piccolo Blues* - Jed Davenport & His Beale Street Jug Band / *I'm Sittin' On Top Of The World* - Beale Street Rounders / *Talking 'Bout Yo Yo* - Beale Street Rounders / *The Cockeyed World* - Minnie Wallace & Her Nighthawks / *Field Mouse Stomp* - Minnie Wallace & Her Nighthawks / *Let's All Do That Thing* - Minnie Wallace & Her Nighthawks / *Pick 'Em Up And Put 'Em Down* - Minnie Wallace & Her Nighthawks / *Hard Scufflin' Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Grief Will Kill You* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Slick Capers Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Renewed Love Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Bad In Mind Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Three Sixty Nine Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle / *She's Got Good Dry Goods* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Lost Baby Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle / *Sweet Man Blues* - Little Buddy Doyle.

Various:- S/N 12754 - Saints Paradise - Trombone Shout Bands from the United House of Prayer - Smithsonian Folkways - SFWCD 40117 - £12.65

Various bands as shown. 65 mins.

The Saints - Madison's Lively Stones / *It's Time To Make A Change* - Madison's Lively Stones / *Never Going To Let You Go* - Madison's Lively Stones / *He Touched Me* - McCollough Songs Of Thunder / *One Day At The Time* - McCollough Songs Of Thunder / *Sweet* - McCollough Songs Of Thunder / *His Eye Is On The Sparrow* - McCollough Songs Of Thunder / *Won't It Be Sad?* - Happyland Band / *America The Beautiful* - Happyland Band / *Just A Closer Walk With Thee* - Happyland Band / *Lord, Fix Me* - Madison Prayer Band / *Shouting Time* - Madison Prayer Band / *Lord, I'm Troubled About Me Soul* - Clouds Of Heaven / *Spiritual Conversation* - Clouds Of Heaven / *Keep Oil In Your Vessels* - Clouds Of Heaven / *Ease My Trobled Mind* - Clouds Of Heaven / *Revelation And Improvisation* - Kings Of Harmony / *Oh, Happy day* - Kings Of Harmony / *The Saints* - Kings Of Harmony.

Comment:- Released in 1999 this CDs celebrates the music of a particularly unusual type of band from a small group of churches. The music can possible be best described as a cross between New Orleans brass band and gospel. The bands consists of varying sized groups of trombone players plus rhythm and the style is brash to say the least but I am being complementary in saying this! Energy, passion and a lot of noise is the trademark! I sold a number when it was first released and it is certainly welcome back.

And Another set from 'Brilliant Jazz' etc:-

Monk:- Thelonious Monk - Kind Of Monk - 220119 - £19.50

Disc 1:- "Blue Monk" Recorded between 1952 and 1957. *Bemsha Swing / Skippy / Sixteen / Carolina Moon / I Surrender Dear / Epistrophy / Thelonious / Blue Monk / Ruby My Dear.*

Disc 2:- "Brilliant Corners":- Recorded 1952-56. *Brilliant Corners / Hornin' In / Let's Cool One / Pannonica / I'll Follow You / Ba Lue Bolivar Ba Blues Are*

Disc 3:- "The Gerry Mulligan Sessions" - Recorded 1957. *Rhythm A Ning / Straight No Chaser / Round Midnight / I mean You / Sweet And Lovely / Decidedly*

Disc 4:- "The Duke Ellington Songbook" Recorded 1955. *Black And Tan Fantasy / Solitude / It Don't Mean A Thing / I Let A Song Go Out Of My Heart / Sophisticated Lady / Caravan / I Got It Bad And That Ain't Good / Mood Indigo*

Disc 5:- "Quartet & Octet in Europe". Recorded 1967. *Hackensack / Ruby My Dear / Blue Monk / Hackensack*

Disc 6:- "Live at The Five Spot - Vol.1". Recorded 1957. *Crepuscule With Nellie / Twinkle Twinkle / I Mean You / Epistrophy*

Disc 7:- "Live At The Five Spot - Vol.2". Recorded 1958. *Light Blue / Blue Monk / Coming On The Hudson / In Walked Bud / Misterioso / Let's Cool One / Rhythm A Ning / Nutty*

Disc 8:- "Epistrophy". Recorded 1947-52. *Evonce / Surburban Eyes / Epistrophy / Eronel / Nice Work If You Can Get It / Ruby My Dear / Introspection / Off Minor / Monk's Mood / Who Knows / Round About Midnight / Misterioso / Ask Me Now / Four In One / Criss Cross / Straight No Chaser / Willow Weep For Me / Homin' In / Let's Cool One*

Disc 9:- "Monk's Dream". Recorded 1947-53. *Trinkle Tinkle / Monk's Dream / Reflections / Little Rootie Tootie / April In Paris / Sweet And LOvely / Think Of One / These Foolish Things / Weel You Needn't / Evidence / Humph / In walked Bud / Let's Call This / I Mean You / Friday 13th / Bye Ya*

Disc 10:- "Almost Solo". Recording date not given. *All Alone / Functional / I Should Care / Ghost Of A Chance / Monk's Mood / April In Paris / Round Midnight / I'm Getting Sentimental Over You.*

And finally let me wish you all:-

**A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS &
A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS 2010**