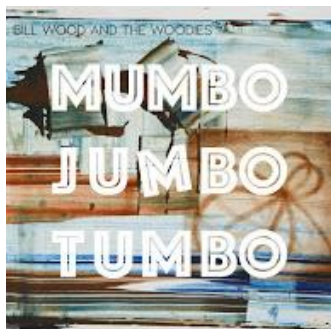


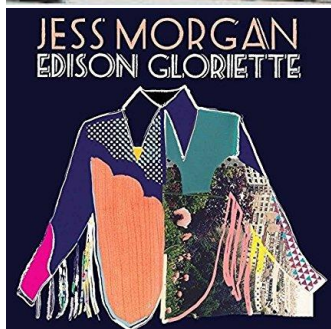
November 2016

There has been a torrent of great releases in the last few weeks we only have space for some of them. Here are details of great new releases from **Bill Wood & the Woodies**, **Jess Morgan**, **Luke Jackson**, **Kate Rusby**, **Sweet Liberties project**, **Billy Bragg & Joe Henry**, **Martin Simpson & Dom Flemons** plus **Hannah Sanders & Ben Savage**. However there are lots, lots more new releases on the website including **Faustus**, **John Prine**, **Heidi Talbot**, **Hannah James**, **Nancy Kerr** and a re-release from ex Bellowhead frontman **Jon Boden**. For other titles go to our website <http://www.fishrecords.co.uk/new-releases.php>.



Bill Wood & the Woodies – Mumbo Jumbo Tumbo

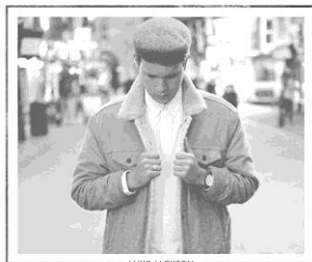
Bill Wood and the Woodies second album, Mumbo Jumbo Tumbo, is now available in the UK and it's an instant classic. Bill Wood and the Woodies is what happens when the songs are the main event. When 30 years of songwriting, honed over decades of hard life experiences, meets the craftsmanship of career musicians who don't know what it means to compromise. Listening to the Woodies, you get the sense that they believe in the power of a really good song, regardless of genre. Those songs come from the soul of Bill Wood, who has lived a lifetime and more since he was a Canadian success story with an 80s' pop band—perfecting his craft all the while. An industry veteran singer-songwriter and former lead vocalist for Juno-nominees Eye Eye, Wood has perfected his craft over more than three decades. **Available Now - £10.00**



Jess Morgan – Edison Gloritte

Latest release from fish Records favourite Jess Morgan - highly recommended

Jess Morgan is a songwriter's songwriter. A cerebral storyteller. October 2016 will see the release of a confident new record from this young British voice on Norwegian record label Drabant Music. Edison Gloriette is a collection of 11 songs inspired by folk, americana, movie nights, date nights, Edward Hopper paintings, romance and heroics. This will be her 4th full length record released October 2016 a tumbler of unfancied folk-roots music, with heart, passion and gusto. **Available Now - £11.99**



LUKE JACKSON
TALL TALES AND RUMOURS

Luke Jackson – Tall Tales & Rumours

Following on from 2015's highly acclaimed 7 track EP "This Family Tree", Luke Jackson returns with his trio for his third full studio album that promises to build-on his enviable reputation as a master storyteller in the vein of Richard Thompson, with a voice which, according to Mark Radcliffe on BBC Radio 2, is reminiscent of Jeff Buckley. This album demonstrates Luke's assured and mature writing, tackling issues across the emotional and social spectrum, from the gentle and fragile to the brave and challenging. His distinctive voice goes from strength to strength, with increasing range and emotional depth. There's a more contemporary feel to the songs, but they are firmly rooted in Luke's distinctive rootsy blues-infused sound, but it has a fuller feel than the previous releases. Luke doesn't shy away from tackling difficult subjects such as Alzheimer's in "The Man That Never Was", suicide in "That's All Folks" and mental health in "Aunt Sally" but this is beautifully balanced by uplifting delicate love songs like "Kansas" and "Better Man" and ends on a high note with the anthemic "On The Road" This is definitely Luke's most complete collection of songs to date and will continue to consolidate and extend his reputation as one of our most influential and captivating young songwriters. **Released 4 November 2016 - Available Now- £11.99**



Kate Rusby – Life In A Paper Boat

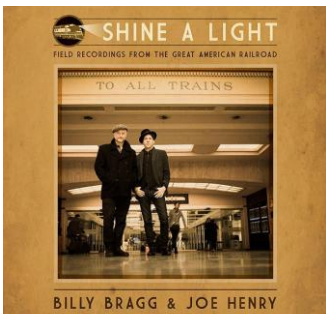
New release from Kate Rusby and her strongest new recording for some time - a return to form.

If you think by now you know pretty much everything there is to know about a Kate Rusby release be prepared to follow the diversion signs. Boasting six Kate originals and skilfully produced by husband **Damien O'Kane**, this 12-track album is full of his vibrant trademarks and unexpected twists and tangents ranging from subtle, sensitive treatments to unflinching flamboyance making for a brimming, full bodied soundscape. **Available Now - £11.99**



Various – Sweet Liberties

Sweet Liberties is a new 14-track album that charts Britain's social and political journey through the eyes of some of the country's leading folk singer songwriters and musicians. From the original 2015 commission by Folk by the Oak and the English Folk Dance and Song Society (EFDSS), in partnership with the House of Commons as part of the 2015 Anniversaries: Parliament in the Making programme, these new and original songs celebrate 800 years of the pursuit of democracy. Sweet Liberties features a line up of musicians with a strong pedigree. Among the tracks, 'The Welsh Springsteen' Martyn Joseph pays tributes to fellow countrymen Nye Bevan and Dic Penderyn, and BBC Folk Singer of the Year (2015) Nancy Kerr weaves subjects including the Magna Carta, Human Rights Act, women's suffrage and slavery into compelling and heartfelt songs. Sam Carter showcases his storytelling skills to examine the struggle against slavery. One of the freshest voices on the contemporary folk scene Maz O'Connor brings history firmly into the present day with her reflections on the Poor Law and race relations. Backed by talented instrumentalists Patsy Reid (formerly of Breabach) and Nick Cooke (Mawkin, Kate Rusby Band), this is a unique album of thought provoking, highly original and relevant new music that was recorded in response to overwhelming demand from audiences during the project tour. **Available Now £11.99**



Billy Bragg & Joe Henry – Shine A Light – Field Recordings From the Great American Railroad

This is a great album. I had the privilege of being at the album launch last week at the Nashville Union Station Hotel at the Americana Music Awards. The following day I heard them talk about the background to the songs and their trip. In March 2016 Billy Bragg and Joe Henry, guitars in hand, boarded a Los Angeles-bound train at Chicago's Union Station looking to reconnect with the culture of American railroad travel and the music it inspired. Winding along 2,728 miles of track over four days, the pair recorded classic railroad songs in waiting rooms and at trackside while the train paused to pick up passengers. **Available Now - £11.99**



Martin Simpson & Dom Flemons – A Selection of Ever Popular Favourites

Whilst known for being an English folk singer, guitarist and songwriter Martin Simpson has been combining British and Afro-American music for many years; he also lived in the US for fifteen years and anyone who has seen him perform live will testify to his fondness of those experiences through the stories he tells. In 2005, Dom Flemons co-founded the Carolina Chocolate Drops, who won a GRAMMY for their 2010 album Genuine Negro Jig. In 2014 the English Folk Dance and Song Society (EFDSS) commissioned a unique artistic collaboration between two of the United States' and England's foremost musical tradition bearers to explore the journey of our shared folk music, and the changes between their respective musical traditions. Martin Simpson (one of the finest acoustic finger-style and slide guitar players in the world) & Dom Flemons (The American Songster) quickly established an extensive shared repertoire and an infectious enthusiasm for the possibilities of their partnership. **Available Now- £11.99**



Hannah Sanders & Ben Savage – Before The Sun

Charismatic English folk singer Hannah Sanders follows up her acclaimed debut 'Charms Against Sorrow' with an exquisite album of duets with dobro player, guitarist and singer Ben Savage (The Willows), recorded in Toronto with award-winning producer DAVID TRAVERS-SMITH (Wailin Jennys, Pharis & Jason Romero, Madison Violet). Recorded in duet over 10 days just as Ontario's winter snows gave way to spring sunshine, the album shares a moment and mood with the listener in a way that so few modern records are able. The pair move seamlessly between traditional, self-penned and cover songs; delicately exploring life, love, grief and death through a musical journey that feels perfectly of-a-piece. There is an almost musical soul-mate quality to the support Savage's singing and playing adds to Sanders' stunningly beautiful vocals, guitar and dulcimer work. **Available Now - £11.99**

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