Record Nr. UNINA9910454148703321 Autore Minton John <1957-> Titolo 78 blues [[electronic resource]]: folksongs and phonographs in the American South / / John Minton Jackson, : University Press of Mississippi, c2008 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-282-48592-X 9786612485923 1-60473-327-6 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (299 p.) Collana American made music series Disciplina 781.640975 Folk music - Southern States - History and criticism Soggetti Folk songs - Southern States - History and criticism Sound recordings - Southern States - History - 20th century Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Prelude: supposing we have us a little tune here -- Learning to listen --True relations -- Let's get this dance started -- Here's one you can all sing right with us -- A special prayer on the man that's a-catching the record -- I ought to be recording right now -- A corn licker still in Georgia -- Coda: well folks, here we are again. Sommario/riassunto When record men first traveled from Chicago or invited musicians to studios in New York, these entrepreneurs had no conception how their technology would change the dynamics of what constituted a musical performance, 78 Blues: Folksongs and Phonographs in the American South covers a revolution in artist performance and audience perception through close examination of hundreds of key ""hillbilly"" and ""race"" records released between the 1920's and World War II. In the postwar period, regional strains recorded on pioneering 78 r.p.m.

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