Featuring four artists from BEAR FAMILY’s 44-disc set ‘Black Europe’.

Early ‘coon songs’ and snappy ragtime music from nearly 100 years ago!

Includes the early recordings of Josephine Baker from 1926.

Booklet includes full artist biographies, discographical information and additional pictures not included in the original ‘Black Europe’ books.

After several years in the making, the set will finally be available to the public in October. The edition will be strictly limited to 500 copies, worldwide. All orders received prior to August 1, 2013 will get an individually numbered copy.

Collected in two 12 x 12 inch coffee table books with more than 600 full-colour pages, here is a multitude of documents, artefacts and curiosities, from passport applications, personal memorabilia and letters, to sheet music, newspaper ads and fabulous poster art, complemented by contemporay postcards and images of wax cylinders and disc records. In more than 100 chapters the life and times of these pioneering entertainers, musicians and linguists comes to life, from early film and sound examples to best-selling 78 rpm records, from ‘human zoos’ and minstrel shows to ethnological documentation and portraits of the (sometimes dubious) movers and shakers in European showbusiness of the time.

For more info, please visit www.black-europe.com where you also may view sample pages.

INFORMATION

BEAR FAMILY’s essential 44-CD set ‘Black Europe’ follows the lives of more than 100 musicians, dancers and entertainers across Europe and tells their amazing stories through audio documents, recording protocols, passport applications and numerous other unseen treasures from years of research. This 3-disc set features four of these artists, and each one provides a glimpse into another century.

Pete Hampton & Laura Bowman are featured with recordings from 1903 - 1910, taken from 78 rpm records and wax cylinders. They had Europe-wide hits with their ‘coon songs’ – and Pete Hampton was the first African-American who recorded the harmonica!

The Savoy Quartet was known as “one of the best ragtime bands in town” and their tracks from 1916-1920 show them covering Gershwin, Irving Berlin and other witty songs like Where Did Robinson Crusoe Go With Friday On Saturday Night? and He May Be Old But He’s Got Young Ideas.

Josiah Ransome Kuti was the grandfather of Fela Kuti (the iconic AfroBeat pioneer) and he was recorded in London, singing religious songs in Yoruba, accompanied by piano or his own percussion. Also featured here are his take on a ‘patriotic song’ and Abeokuta National Anthem, a tune which is still sung today as a folk song.

Josephine Baker came to Paris in 1926 as a dancer, but she soon made recordings, and her roots and artistry shine through strongly on these tracks. A year later she rivalled movie stars Gloria Swanson and Mary Pickford as the most photographed woman in the world, and she was thought to be the highest-paid entertainer in Europe.

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**TRACK LISTING**

**CD 1: Pete Hampton & Laura Bowman (1903-1910)**

- Bill Bailey, Won't You Please Come Home?
- When Sousa Comes To Coon-Town
- Hannah, Won't You Open That Door?
- Tell Me, Dusky Maiden
- Stay In Your Own Back Yard
- I'm Goin' To Live Anyhow Till I Die
- My Friend From My Home
- Since Rastus Went To Gay Paree
- Massa's In The Cold Cold Ground
- Dat Mouth-Organ Coon
- Old Folks At Home
- The Phrenologist Coon
- Oh Dem Golden Slippers
- Any Rags?
- I Can't Keep From Laughing
- Mammy's Only Child
- What You Goin' To Do When The Rent Comes 'round?
- Ain't Yer Gwine To Say “How-Do”?
- Moving Day
- A Cotton Field Episode
- Ev'ry Little Bit Helps
- Mister, Your Room Rent's Due
- Down In Georgia On Camp Meeting Day
- If That Ain't Winning A Home

**CD 2: The Savoy Quartet (1916-1920)**

- Over There! (The Great American War Song)
- Down Texas Way
- Where Did Robinson Crusoe Go With Friday On Saturday Night?
- Back Home In Tennessee
- The Kipling Walk
- Oh! How She Could Yacki Hacki Wicki Wacki Woo
- Where The Black-Eyed Susans Grow
- He May Be Old, But He's Got Young Ideas
- Indian Rag
- Hello! New York
- I Don't Want To Get Well
- The Darktown Strutters' Ball
- Oh! Frenchy
- Everything Is Peaches Down In Georgia
- Tackin' 'em Down
- Ev'rybody Shimmies Now
- K-K-K-Katy
- What Do You Mean By Loving Somebody Else? (When Your Love Belongs To Me)
- Hindustan
- Everybody Wants A Key To My Cellar
- I've Got My Captain Working For Me Now
- Swanee
- At The Moving Picture Ball
- Venetian Moon
- Sweet Kisses

**CD 3: Josiah Ransome Kuti (1922)**

- Isun ka wà tó kun fun eje
- Igábara
- Obángijì lwo lo to sin
- Mo sa di Jesu
- Odun Jubilee
- Jesu nsehin bọ
- Olugbala la f'ori fun
- E je ka jùmọ gbàgbọ
- Esù sare tete, Jesu dé
- Egbé Awon Angeli
- Ofin mewa ati Idahun
- K' Olorun da oba si
- Bi E o le E le

**Josephine Baker (1926)**

- Who?
- That Certain Feeling
- Dinah
- Sleepy Time Gal
- I Wonder Where My Baby Is Tonight
- Bam Bam Bamy Shore
- I Want To Yodel
- The Only, Only One For Me
- Feelin' Kind O' Blue
- Brown Eyes, Why Are You Blue
- Always
- I Love My Baby
- I've Found A New Baby
- Skeedle-Um
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### FORMAT
44-CD slipcase (LP-size) + two hardcover books (296 and 356 pages) + data-CD with index

### GENRE
Historical

### TRACKS
1243

### PLAYING TIME
56 hours, 26 minutes, 27 seconds

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### CD-CONTENT

| CD 1: | SILAS SETH WEEKS • BELLE DAVIS • THE FOUR BLACK DIAMONDS • THE BLACK TROUBADOURS • SAMUEL COLERIDGE-TAYLOR • GIPSY WOOLF • ARABELLA FIELDS • PETE ZABRISKIE |
| CD 2 + 3: | PETE HAMPTON & LAURA BOWMAN |
| CD 4: | PETE HAMPTON & LAURA BOWMAN • THE GEORGIA PICKANINNIES • CARLISLE & WELLMON • JACK JOHNSON • BOB ROBERTS • CIRO’S CLUB COON ORCHESTRA |
| CD 5: | CIRO’S CLUB COON ORCHESTRA |
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| CD 11: | WILL GARLAND • DAN AND HARVEY’S JAZZ BAND • EDMUND JENKINS |
| CD 12: | EDMUND JENKINS • HERBERT EUGENE PARKER |
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| CD 44: | ARCHIV SENEGAMBIE • ARCHIV SOMALI • SARA-KABA |

plus: Data-CD with newly researched discographical information and detailed index (on persons, locations, music, etc.)