



20th Century American Folk Music Unit

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Chapter 1: John Lomax: Recording the Roots

Important Terms & Names
1) What work did John Lomax and his son, Alan, do to preserve the authentic sounds of America's folk music?
2) How did music fill a need for the poor Americans suffering during the Great Depression?
3) Why should folk recordings of common Americans singing not be held to the same standard as popular music?