

The Elliotts of Birtley



Reece
1894 - 1978



Jack
1907 - 1966

Em
1903 - 1968

**Pete=
Pat**



**Doreen=
Bryan**

**John=
Pam**



Early Full Songs

Local

Collier's Rant
Bonnie Pit Laddie

Billy to Bob
Geordie's penker
Little Chance (Busty Fields)
Celebrated Working Man
Twenty Pound Dog
Unlucky Duck The
Doon the wagonway

Stanley Market

Other Songs

Blind Fool, The
Henry my son
Johnny Bucca
My old man (Chamley)
Sucking Pig
Was it in the kitchen?
We went along a bit further
Still I Love Him
Barley Mow

Family Short Songs 1

Local fragments (Parodies)

Aa was gannin in Bye
My Lad's A Canny Lad
I dreamt I had died
On yon bottle bank
Just before the battle mother

Games

On the mountain stands a lady
Pitch patch...patch my britches
Hanky panky...sugar on a hanky
Ten Little Indians (Old Joe Badger)
My mother says
Iggledy Piggledy allegaloo
Ickle Ockle...Black Bottle,
Engine engine ...on the line
Oranges, oranges ...four for a penny
Matthew Mark Luke and John
One two three a loopy
Will you have a game of golf sir
Orie Orie...juggery juggery
Now you're married I wish you joy
Comes a little bluebird through my window
Roman soldiers 16

Family Short Songs 2

Other kids songs

Hi Canny Man
How much has tha getting'
Look on the wall and you'll see a big spider
Maryann Teacake
Pit Lie Idle
Come up and see your granny
My sailor laddie
Farewell Isabella
Have a bit on the sly
With his little wiggle waggie
Old Mother Riley
Rule Britannia
Old Man, The
My father died a month ago
Tell my ma
Salvation Army...free from sin
There came a gypsy riding
I saw a navy (Navy-O)
Four little boys
Little Polly Flinders
Jack the Ripper
Yip I Yaddy 22


Family Short Songs 3

Scissors, stone, paper
Foots
Down by the river
Jeely on Plate
Teddy Bear Touch Ground
Up and Down the House
We're two pretty girls 7


Christmas is coming
There was a man he went mad
One potatoe two potatoe
Cowardy custard
Tell tale tit
Farmer in dell & bobby bingo
Fishy hong kong
Football song
I'm a little scotchee
In and out the dusty bluebells
Keep your sunny side up.
Look on the wall (j ack)
Mrs.simpson coming down.
Naughty girl,wont come out
Poor mary sat a weeping
Poor roger is dead
Ragman's call
The wind blows high
There is a happy land (john)
Two old
Voting catches
We kill all the bobbies
What time is it mr.wolfe (len)
Where ye gannin, doon the lane 24



69 kids' songs

Later Family Songs

Banks of the Dee
Jowl Jowl and Listen
Rap her to bank 
Sandgate Lass's Lament,
Miner's Life is like a sailor's
Ghost that Haunted Bunty
Wild Mountain Thyme

Uncle Reece's Songs

Aam a poor aad shifter
The Driver
The Hewer 
The Putter

Always Look after Theesel
Bicycle Song (very funny thing..) 
I loved you better than you knew 
Little Pal
Little shirt my mother made for me
There was a man
Travellin candy man
Volunteer Putter
When Hackensmitt wrestled wi me