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HENRI
RABAUD

SUITES ANGLAISES DU XVI SIECLE

(English Suites of the 16th Century)

1st Suite

Pièces composées par les musiciens de la cour d'Elisabeth
(Pieces composed by the musicians of Elizabeth's court)

Arrangées et instrumentées pour servir de musique de scène à **La Marchand de Venise**,
comédie de Lucien Népoty, d'après Shakespeare

(Arranged and orchestrated to serve as incidental music for **The Merchant of Venice**,
a comedy by Lucien Népoty, after Shakespeare)

FULL SCORE

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PROGRAM NOTE

French composer Henri Rabaud (1873-1949) composed the incidental music for an adaptation of Shakespeare's **The Merchant of Venice (Le Marchand de Venise)** by writer and Rabaud librettist Lucien Népoty. For the incidental music, Rabaud arranged and orchestrated pieces composed by the various musicians of Queen Elizabeth's court. From this music, Rabaud extracted three **Suites Anglaises du XVI Siecles (English Suites of the 16th Century)**. This 1st Suite is in four movements, with arrangements of music by John Bull, William Byrd, and Francis Farnaby.

INSTRUMENTATION

Flute
Oboe
Bassoon

2 Trumpets in C

Percussion (1 player)
Snare Drum

Harp
Harmonium
Clavecin

Strings

Duration: approx. 11 minutes

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PREMIÈRE SUITE

I

(JOHN BULL)

Allegro. $\text{d} = 77$

The musical score consists of eight staves of music. From top to bottom, the instruments are: Hautbois, Basson, Trompettes, Tambour, 1ers Violons, 2ds Violons, Altos, and Violoncelles. The final two staves are grouped together by a brace and labeled "CONTREBASSES" and "HARMONIUM et CLAVECIN". The tempo is Allegro with a time signature of d (common time). Dynamics such as *ff* (fortissimo) and *f* (forte) are indicated throughout the score. The music is divided into measures by vertical bar lines.

II

(WILLIAM BYRD)

Andante

FLÛTE
HAUTBOIS
HARPE

Andante

1ers VIOLONS
2ds VIOLONS
ALTOS
VIOLONCELLES
CONTREBASSES

p express. dolcissimo

Harp

1rs vons
2ds vons
Altos
velles
C. B.

cresc. *dim.* *p*
cresc. *dim.* *p*
cresc. *dim.* *p*
cresc. *dim.* *p*

III

(GILES FARNABY)

Allegro. $\text{d} = 112$

FLÛTE
HAUTBOIS
BASSON
TROMPETTES

Allegro. $\text{d} = 112$

1ers VIOLON
2ds VIOLON
ALTOS
VIOOLONCELLES
CONTREBASSES
CLAVECIN

F1.
Hautb.
Bon
Tromp.

1rs vons
2ds vons
Altos
vellés
C.B.
Clav.

IV

(GILES FARNABY)

21

Lent

FLÛTE

HAUTBOIS

BASSON

TROMPETTES

HARPE

Lent

1^{ers} VIOLENTS

2^{ds} VIOLENTS

ALTOS

VIOLONCELLES

CONTREBASSES

HARMONIUM
et CLAVECIN

Fl.

Hautb.

Bon

Tromp.

1^{rs} vons

2^{ds} vons

Altos

velles

C.B.

Harm.
et Clav.

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VIOLIN I

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PREMIÈRE SUITE

VIOLONS I

Allegro

I

Violin I part of the First Suite. The score consists of eight staves of music. Staff 1: Allegro, dynamic ff. Staff 2: dynamic ff. Staff 3: dynamic ff. Staff 4: dynamic ff. Staff 5: dynamic ff. Staff 6: dynamic ff. Staff 7: dynamic ff. Staff 8: dynamic ff.