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THE BOYD NEEL ORCHESTRA conducted by Boyd Neel

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| 1 | ARTHUR BENJAMIN (1893-1960)
Ballade for string orchestra (1947) | (16'11") |
| 2-4 | BERNARD STEVENS (1916-1983)
Sinfonietta for strings (1948) | (15'08") |
| 5 | ANDRZEJ PANUFNIK (1914-1991)
Lullaby 'Kolysanka' for 29 strings and 2 harps (1947) | (6'11") |
| 6-8 | ARNOLD BAX (1883-1953)
Variations on the name Gabriel Fauré for harp and string orchestra (1945)
BBC Broadcast 31 January 1961 | (18'20") |

LONDON CHAMBER ORCHESTRA conducted by Anthony Bernard

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| 9-10 | LENNOX BERKELEY (1903-1989)
Sinfonietta for chamber orchestra (1950)
BBC Broadcast 20 March 1961 | (13'41")

(69'34") |
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