SEVEN PIECES

in

Alphabetical Order

for pianoforte

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It is said that in Hindu music certain notes are named after creatures. These pieces are designed to be played in the order given, on a piano which has the top C.

- 1. Peacock (C). Duration approx. 1'43"
 - 2. Rainy Season Bird (D). 55"
 - 3. Goat (E). 1' 4"
 - 4. Crane (F). 1'19"
 - 5. Cuckoo (G). 51"
 - 6. Frog (A). 36"
 - 7. Elephant (B). 1'22"

Total duration approximately 8'48".

This work, first written in July 1947, was re-written in September 1960.

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