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Annual Christmas Concerts

# **GUILDHALL**

NOVEMBER, 21st & 22nd, 1966

7 p.m.

### THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

#### Junior Schools' Choir

Conductor—Peter Davies Accompanist—Sheila Noble

In Praise of Neptune Song of the Flax There's Music in Sligo John Peel JOHN IRELAND
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Conductor—WILFRED H. SUTTON Leader—MIRANDA FULLEYLOVE

Peasant Dance Minuet Trepak—Russian Dance CHARLES WOODHOUSE THOMAS ARNE PROSPER MORAND

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Little Spanish Town Fidgety Bairn My love, so like Venus PETER JENKYNS

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Let all the world in every corner sing

MORGAN NICHOLAS

Christmas Carols

Poverty Christ was bor: in Bethlehem Sussex Caro Traditional Welsh Appalachian, arranged by Northcote arranged by David Willcocks

# Secondary Schools' Choir

Conductor-IAN CARSWELL

# THE PEASANT CANTATA

#### J. S. BACH

# English version-J. MICHAEL DIACK

Arranged for Soli and Chorus: HARRY EDGAR BAKER

Overture

Chorus

Good neighbours all

Chorus

Spring comes laughing

Aria (Bass)

Of the factor you had best beware

Aria (Soprano) Chorus Happy is the land

Aria (Bass)

Good cause have we Fifty florins seem a lot

Aria (Soprano)

Of flowers the fairest

Chorus

If fortune had made me the master

Chorus Aria (Bass) Hey derry, down derry Good fellows, be merry

Chorus

And now 'tis time to go

Chorus

Now let us to the bagpipe's sound

The Peasant Cantata was written and performed in 1742 as an act of homage to Carl Heinrich von Dieskau on his becoming "Lord of the Manor". The libretto dea s with the rejoicing of the villagers and their congratulations and good wishes to the new laird and his wife. In the original version, owing no doubt to the limitations of the special occasion, only two voices are used; in this new version Bach's material is shared between the soloists and the chorus.