Paul Dukas is famed for his brilliant, meticulously scored symphonic scherzo *The Sorcerer's Apprentice*, first performed in 1897, which almost immediately entered the international repertoire. It was subsequently the focus of a ballet and later Walt Disney's film *Fantasia*. Magical scoring is also a feature of *La péri*, a *poème dansé* of great imaginative verve. The delightful, colourful *Symphony in C* was composed mid-way between these works. For this recording, manuscript sources for the three works were consulted, including the hitherto private proofs of the first edition of *The Sorcerer's Apprentice*, ensuring rigorously faithful performances.



Paul Abraham DUKAS (1865-1935)



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1	L'apprenti sorcier (The Sorcerer's Apprentice)	10:52
2	La péri: Fanfare	2:08
3	La péri: Poème dansé	17:55
	Symphony in C major	40:51
4	I. Allegro non troppo vivace, ma con fuoco	13:45
5	II. Andante espressivo e sostenuto	15:52
6	III. Allegro spiritoso	11:14

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