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of the rural peasantry.

but also the good taste of that style. Bartok argued that it should be discarded in favour of a national style based in the 'genuine' folk music