

FIRST STUDY

Practice each Exercise from 8 to 16 times in one breath.

Press the fingers down firmly, and keep the lips moving; contract slightly in ascending, relax in descending.

REMEMBER all these Exercises must be played *very soft*; by so doing your lips will always be fresh and under control. If played loud, the opposite effect may result in permanent injury to the lips. The principle is the same as a Physician prescribing 3 drops of medicine which will cure, whereas a spoonfull will kill.

Met. From ♩ = 160 to ♩ = 112

1 *pp*

2 *pp*

3 *pp*

4 *pp*

5 *pp*

6 *pp*

7 *pp*

8 *pp*

9 *pp*

10 *pp*

11 *pp*

12 *pp*

13 *pp*

14 *pp*

15 *pp*

16 *pp*

17 *pp*

18 *pp*

19 *pp*

✓ 20 *pp*

21 *pp*

22 *pp*

23 *pp*

24 *pp*

25 *pp*

ETUDE I

Met. $\text{♩} = 120$

26 *pp*