PRINCE ALBERT SHOW DECEMBER 31, 1949 9:30-10:00 P.M.

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OPEN WITH CAVALIER SPOT RECORDING #1

GRANT 93 IT'S GRAND OLE OPRY TIME; ANOTHER BIG PRINCE ALBERT SHOW!
STARRING RED FOLEY!

APPLAUSE AND CHEERS WITH SONG INTRO .. HOLD TILL RED SINGS!

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"SUNDAY DOWN IN TENNESSEE" ... RED FOLEY

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: WELL THANKS. AND A GREAT BIG HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL MY GOOD FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO'S GRAND OLE OPRY!

GRANT:

AND A GREAT BIG HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM TONIGHT'S PRINCE ALBERT

CAST, TOO, RED...ROD BRASFIELD! MINNIE PEARL! WALLY FOWLER

AND THE OAK RIDGE QUARTETTE! CLAUDE SHARPE'S OLD HICKORY

SINGERS! AND THE ENTIRE GANG.

YESSIR, GRANT, AND IT'S A BIG TREAT TO BRING THE YEAR NINETEEN AND FORTY NINE TO A CLOSE WITH ONE OF OUR FAVORITE QUESTS...
THE TEXAS TROUBADOUR, ERNEST TUBB!

GRANT: 133 I SEE ANOTHER PRINCE ALBERT FAVORITE OVER YONDER, RED---

FOLEY: BY NED, SO DO 11 IT'S THAT PARTICULAR PET OF THE SILO SET...

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

(ROD OVER)

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ROD: 934 05 MR

MR. FOLEY, I GOT A VERY IMPORTANT NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE FOR EVERY BABY IN AMERICA!

FOLEY: 934

OKAY ROD -- WHAT'S THE IMPORTANT NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE FOR EVERY BABY IN AMERICA?

ROD: 93417

(BABY TALK) COOTCHY, COOTCHY KOO! (LAUGHS)
HI-DY, BABIES...I MEAN, FRIENDS....(WEATHER)

WELL SIR, EVERYBODY'S HAVIN' A BIG NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

TONIGHT -- AND THAT MEANS EVERYBODY WILL WAKE UP IN THE MORNIN'
WITH THE HABERDASHERY DISEASE. HABERDASHERY DISEASE. THAT'S
WHEN YOU HABERDASH TOO MUCH TO DRINK, AND WHEN YOU WAKE UP
YOUR TONGUE'S WEARIN' A HEAVY OVERCOAT AND YOUR BREATH'S IN
SHORT PANTS!

YESSIR, THIS IS THE NIGHT WHEN IT STRIKES TWELVE EVERYBODY
KISSES EVERYBODY ELSE..THAT IS, EVERYBODY EXCEPT MY GAL SUZY.

LAST NEW YEARS EVE AT MIDNIGHT I SAYS "GIMME A KISS, SUZY"..

AND SUZY SAYS "NAY NAY NAY, RODNEY"...AND I SAYS "SUZY, PLEASE
GIMME A KISS?" AND SUZY SAYS "NAY NAY NAY RODNEY"..SO

FINALLY I SAYS "SUZY, IF YOU DON'T CUT OUT ALL THIS NEIGHIN',
PEOPLE'LL THINK I'M TRYIN' TO KISS A HORSE!"

(ROD CONT'D OVER)

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SHE NEVER WOULD KISS ME, AND THAT MADE ME SO MAD I COULDA ET
A BAAL-BEARIN' BANANA! SO I RUNS OUTSIDE INTO THE DARK THERE
AND I SNATCHES UP A BUNCH O' MISTLETOE AND I COMES BACK IN
AND HOLDS IT OVER SUZY'S HEAD. AND I SAYS "SUZY, THEY'S A
BUNCH O' MISTLETOE HANGIN' OVER YOUR HEAD-- AND INM JUST AITCHIN' TO KISS YOU!" SUZY LOOKS UP AND SHE SAYS "NO WONDER
YOU'RE A-ITCHIN' TO KISS ME, ROD-- THAT BUNCH O' MISTLETOE
HAPPENS TO BE POISON IVY!"...

MR. FOLEY, CAN YOU COME BACK HERE A MINUTE?

FOLEY: 936 WHY SURE, ROD -- WHAT'S THE MATTER?

ROD; 135 WELL, MR. FOLEY, WHILE WE'RE HAVIN' THE NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY TONIGHT, I WANT YOU TO KEEP A EYE ON THAT THERE WALLY FOWLER.

LAST YEAR OLE WALLY HAD A FEW SIPS O' THAT THERE NEW YEAR'S PUNCH AND HE SOLD SOME DERNED FOOL THE CUMBERLAND RIVER,

BENDS AND ALL. MADE ME SO MAD I COULDA CHEWED RAILROAD SPIKES AND SPIT THUMB-TACKS....

FOLEY: 936 BUT ROD...WHY SHOULD YOU GET MAD BECAUSE WALLY FOWLER HAD A FEW SIPS OF PUNCH AND SOLD SOME DERN FOOL THE CUMBERLAND RIVER?

ROD: 936 BECAUSE I'M THE DERNED FOOL HE SOLD IT TO!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

(TURNER OVER)

TURNER: 136 SAY RED. YOU GOING TO SEE THE NEW YEAR IN TONIGHT?

FOLEY: 936 WELL GRANT, I'M GOING TO STAY UP UNTIL MIDNIGHT. BUT THAT'S ABOUT ALL.

GRANT: 136 GEE, NO PARTIES.. OR ANYTHING?

FOLEY: 93 GUHUH! NOT ME! NEW YEAR'S EVE, I LIKE TO GO HOME AND JUST FEEL GOOD ABOUT MY FAMILY, MY FRIENDS, ABOUT EVERYTHING!

TURNER: 134 CAN JUST SEE YOU RED. WITH YOUR SLIPPERS ON. SMOKING A PIPE-

FOLEY: 1.36 SURE! IN MY PIPE, GRANT, YOU CAN BE SURE IT'S PRINCE ALBERT

I'M SMOKING. PRINCE ALBERT IS SO RICH AND FULL-FLAVORED!

GUESS THAT'S WHY PRINCE ALBERT IS THE LARGEST-SELLING SMOKING

TOBACCO IN AMERICA!

TURNER: 93 AND PRINCE ALBERT IS SO EASY ON THE TONGUE, RED--THAT'S

ANOTHER REASON SO MANY FELLOWS LIKE IT BEST! PRINCE ALBERT'S

CHOICE TOBACCO IS SPECIALLY TREATED TO INSURE AGAINST TONGUE

BITE--AND CRIMP CUT TO BURN SLOW AND EVEN..AND SMOKE COOL.

FOLEY: 938 YES, PRINCE ALBERT'S SPECIALLY MADE FOR SMOKING ENJOYMENT...
NO MISTAKING THAT!

TURNER: 73 SO MEN, FOR EXTRA SMOKING ENJOYMENT.. SMOKE PRINCE ALBERT, THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE. BUY IT FOR CONVENIENCE, IN THE HANDY POCKET TIN WITH THE HUMIDOR TOP. FOR ECONOMY, BUY PRINCE ALBERT IN THE BIG POUND-SIZE.

JINGLE: 938 JUST FILL YOUR PIPE UP WITH P.A. AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO. YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY PRINCE ALBERT OFFERS YOU!

FOLEY: 930 FOLKS, THIS IS THE LAST TIME THIS YEAR THAT YOU'LL GET THE CHANCE TO GREET TONIGHT'S PRINCE ALBERT GUEST. HE'S A GOOD FRIEND, A FINE ARTIST, AND A CREDIT TO OUR FOLK-SINGIN' PROFESSION...LET'S ALL SAY "HAPPY NEW YEAR" TO THE TEXAS TROUBADOUR...ERNEST TUBB!

APPLAUSE AND CHEERS

FOLEY: 137 ERNEST ... IFD LIKE YOU TO DO ME A PERSONAL FAVOR, OLE BUDDY.

TUBB: 937 THAT'D BE A PLEASURE, RED. WHAT IS IT?

FOLEY: 137 I WANT YOU TO REACH IN THAT GUITAR THERE AND PICK OUT THE BIGGEST OF ALL YOUR HIT SONGS OF 19 AND 49..AND SING IT FOR US...

TUBB: 939 GLAD TO , RED. IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN, IT'S THAT ONE WE WROTE CALLED "MY FILIPINO ROSE!"

MUSIC: 139 "MY FILIPINO ROSE"..TUBB

APPLAUSE

ROD: 14/ SAY, MR. FOLEY, I WANT TO ASK YOU. MADE ANY RESOLUTIONS FOR 1950?

JUST ONE, ROD..TO TELL EVERY MAN I KNOW--EVERY MAN WHO

LISTENS TO THIS SHOW-- HOW RICH, FULL-FLAVORED..HOW MILD AND

COOL, PRINCE ALBERT TASTES IN A "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE. AND,

BELIEVE ME, THAT'S ONE RESOLUTION I'LL GLADLY KEEP, BECAUSE

PRINCE ALBERT'S MY FAVORITE TOBACCO IN ALL THE WORLD!

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NOW THAT THERE'S A FINE RESOLUTION, MR. FOLEY-BUT I RECKON MY UNCLE CYPE MADE ABOUT THE SILLIEST NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION I EVER HEARD OF.. YOU KNOW UNCLE CYPE GETS 'IM A TOUCH OF RHEUMATICS IN HIS BACK THERE EVER ONCE IN A WHILE, SO HE RESOLVED THAT DURING 19 AND 50 HE AIN'T GONNA LET MY AUNT SAP RUB HIS BACK WITH ALCOHOL NO MORE.

FOLLY, 9

DOESN'T THE ALCOHOL HELP HIS BACK?

WHY YES, IT HELPS NIS BACK ALL RIGHT, MR. FOLEY...BUT THE OLE FOOL ALWAYS SPRAINS HIS NECK TRYIN' TO LICK IT OFFI. (LAUGHS)

FACEY:

NOW GET YOURSELF IN HAND THERE, RODNEY WALLY FOWLER AND THE OAK RIDGE QUARTETTE SING THE OLD YEAR OUT WITH ONE OF THEIR BEST KNOWN SPIRITUALS... "ROLL ON JORDAN"!

MUSIC: 9 42 "ROLL ON JORDAN" ... FOWLER QUARTETTE

APPLAUSE

SEGUE TO ACCORDIAN B.G. .. FADE ON CUE FOR:

FOLEY: 112 IN A LITTLE OVER AN HOUR FROM NOW, DEPENDING ON WHAT PART OF THE COUNTRY YOU'RE IN. THE BELLS WILL RING AND THE PEOPLE WILL SHOUT AND THE WORLD WILL MAKE A PLACE FOR THE BRAND NEW YEAR. MOST OF US WILL RENEW OUR SUBSCRIPTIONS TO SPECIAL HOPES AND SPECIAL DREAMS. BUT WE'LL ALL JOIN IN THANKFUL PRAISE FOR THE GOOD THINGS OF THE YEAR JUST PASSING AND THE ONE COMING UP. LET'S DO IT NOW, IN A HYMN...

MUSIC: 7 1/ "HE'LL UNDERSTAND AND SAY WELL DONE" .. FOLEY

APPLAUSE

THANKS A LOT, FOLKS...

GOLLY RED. HASN'T THIS YEAR GONE FAST? DON'T KNOW WHERE THE TIME HAS GONE! WASTED, I SUPPOSE.

I SUPPOSE. BUT I'LL TELL YOU ONE THING. I NEVER WASTE TIME WHEN I ROLL "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTES!

TURNER: 17 OH, OH. . I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE LEADING UP TO! ABOUT HOW FAST AND EASY PRINCE ALBERT ROLLS INTO A "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE .. RIGHT?

RIGHT! YOU SEE, FELLAS, PRINCE ALBERT'S CHOICE TOBACCO IS CRIMP CUT. SO IT CLINGS TO THE PAPER. DOESN'T BLOW AROUND OR DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS. QUICK AS THAT (SNAPS FINGERS) YOU'RE READY WITH A FIRM. SMOOTH "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE WHEN YOU ROLL IT WITH PRINCE ALBERT!

SO ROLL YOUR OWN WITH GOOD P.A.

AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO.

YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY

PRINCE ALBERT OFFERS YOU!

THAT SINGING IS TOO GOOD TO LET GO TO WASTE, RED.

I AGREE WITH THAT FOR SURE, GRANT .. FOLKS, LET'S HAVE A LITTLE SINGIN! OF "AULD LANG SYNE" HERE, LED BY CLAUDE SHARPE AND HIS OLD HICKORY SINGERS. CLAUDE, START US OFF, WILL YOU?

"AULD LANG SYNE" .. OLD HICKORY SINGERS MUSIC:

> APPLAUSE... RED ASKS FOR COMMUNITY SING. AUDIENCE SINGS (FOLEY OVER) **APPLAUSE**

FOLEY: 95/ BY GOLLY, YOU WON'T HEAR SINGIN' ANY BETTER'N THAT THIS YEAR, AND YOU CAN BET YOUR HAT ON THAT...

GRANT: 957 ONE MORE THING YOU CAN BE SURE OF TOO, RED...AND THAT'S A VISIT FROM OUR SPECIAL GIRL FRIEND LONG ABOUT NOW...

FOLEY: 18 RIGHT YOU ARE, GRANT -- THE GOSSIP OF GRINDER'S SWITCH...

TOGETHER: COUSIN MINNIE PEARL!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

MINNIE: HOW-DEE! I'M JES! SO PROUD T'BE HERE!

WELL, OL' 1949 SURE IS SLIPPIN' AWAY FAST. AND I AIN'T GOT ME A HUSBAND YET. I MUST BE SLIPPIN' JUST AS FAST!

PURTY...AND CLEVER .. AND HAS A NICE FIGGER .. AND MONEY
IN THE BANK .. AND NICE CLOTHES.. AND CHARM...AND---BOY, AM
I WORRIED!

WELL, I GUESS I REALLY SHOULDN'T WORRY AT ALL SO LONG'S I

GOT MY HEZZY...(BIZ)... HEZZY'S MY OLD STAND-BY. WHEN

OTHER COUPLES IS GETTIN' MARRIED, HEZZY IS PERFECTLY WILLIN'

TO STAND BY!

WELL, I'M TELLIN' YOU..EITHER ONE THING OR THE OTHER IS GONNA HAPPEN IN 1950. EITHER HEZZY IS GONNA POP THE QUESTION OR I'M GONNA POP HEZZY!

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MINNIE: WELL, WE'RE GONNA HAVE OUR ANNUAL AND YEARLY WATCH PARTY IN

GRINDERS SWITCH IS SOMETHIN! TO WATCH!

WE PLAY ALL KINDS OF KISSIN' GAMES. THAT'S WHAT I LIKE, THE KISSIN' GAMES. MAYBE EVERY YEAR AIN'T LEAP YEAR. BUT IT SURE IS LIP YEAR!

ONE OF THE GAMES WE PLAY IS GODD OLE-FASHIONED POST OFFICE..

WHEN WE PLAY POST OFFICE, ALL THE KISSIN' BUGS GATHER

'ROUND...AND YOU DON'T FIND ME USIN' ANY R.F.D.D.T.1

I 'MEMBER THE FIRST TIME HEZZY KISSED ME PLAYIN' POST OFFICE. MAYBE HEZZY AIN'T A FIRST CLASS MALE..BUT HE SURE REGISTERED!

WELL, UNCLE NABOB WILL BE AT THE WATCH PARTY ALLRIGHT..HE'S
SO CUTE WITH HIS NIPPIN' ON NEW YEAR'S EVE...HE ALWAYS
DRINKS JUUUUUUUUSSSST ENOUGH. UNCLE NABOB AND THE LOLD YEAR
ALWAYS PASS OUT TOGETHER.

ROD: 153 HEY, MINNIE PEARL...HAPPY NEW YEAR!

MINNIE: 15 HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU TOO, RODLEY.

ROD: 953 MINNIE, DO YOU KNOW WHAT I'M GONNA DO JUST AS SOON AS THE CLOCK STRIKES 12?

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SHORE HOPE YOU DO LIKE YOU DID LAST YEAR.

WHAT WAS THAT?

(MINNIE OVER)

MINNIE .

YOU TRIED TO GET THE CUCKOO IN THE CLOCK TO STNG "SWEET ADOLINE" WITH YOU.

GONNA DO WHEN THE CLOCK STRIKES 12 IS TO LOOK FOR THE PURTIEST GAL IN THE PLACE AND I'M GONNA GIVE 'ER A BIG KISS.

MINNIE: 13 YOU ARE, ROD? WELL, HILL BE STANDIN' RIGHT ALONGSIDE OF

ROD: 1511 YOU WILL, MINNIE? THAT'LL MAKE IT A HEAP EASIER TO FIND

THE PURTIEST GAL IN THE PLACE THEN -- YOU C'N HELP ME LOOK!!

(LAUGHS)

MINNIE: NOW YOU DONE MADE ME FEEL BAD, RODLEY.

ROD: 95 AW, I WAS ONLY FUNNIN', MIN...

MINNIE: "NO YOU WASN'T...HOW COME THE FELLERS NEVER WANT TO TAKE ME
OUT, RODLEY?

ROD: 13 WELL..FLITTER.....YOU SEE MINNIE, ALL GALS HAVE SOMETHIN'
THAT MAKES 'EM GET TOOK OUT. ONE GAL WILL HAVE BEAUTIFUL
HAIR. ANOTHER GAL WILL HAVE PURTY TEETH...

MINNIE: 13 YES BUT WHAT GAL WANTS A FELLER TO TAKE HER TEETH OUT?

ROD: 15 WELL, HER FELLER COULD BE A DENTIST...COULD BE. BUT YOU DO ALLRIGHT WITH THE FELLERS, MINNIE....

MINNIE: "" DIDN'T DO SO GOOD IN 149, RODLEY. BUT COME 150 I'M GONNA
LOOK HIGH AND LOW FOR A HUSBAND.

(ROD OVER)

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ROD: MAYBE WE CAN WORK THIS OUT TOGETHER MIN. YOU LOOK HIGH,
AND I'LL LAY LOW!

MINNIE: RODLEY, I'D LIKE TO STAY HERE AND GAB WITH YOU, BUT I GOT TO SEE IF THE STORE IS STILL OPEN SO I CAN TAKE MAMMY'S CHRISTMAS PRESENT BACK...

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ROD:

WHAT DID YOU GET HER, MINNIE?

MINNIE: 10 WELL, I GIVE BROTHER THE MONEY AND TOLD HIM TO GET MAMMY A

NICE SHINY NEW FLAP-JACK GRIDDLE, BUT BROTHER GOT IT ALL

MIXED UP.

ROD: 155 8/
HOW COULD HE, MINNIE? AFTER ALL, A GRIDDLE IS A GRIDDLE.

MINNIE: THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK, RODLEY. BROTHER DON'T ALWAYS TALK CLEAR SO MAMMY HAD THE ONLY GRIDDLE IN GRINDERS SWITCH WITH A TWO-WAY STRETCH!

WELL G'BYE NOW. SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

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GRANT: SOME HAND MINNIE GOT, HEY RED?

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956 05 WELL YES, GRANT, THAT WAS GOOD. BUT IF YOU WANT TO HEAR SOME REAL ENTHUSIASM, ASK A RIPE SMOKER -- OR A "ROLL-YOUR-OWNER" .. HOW HE LIKES PRINCE ALBERT! AND SAY, ALL YOU FOOTBALL FANS, BE SURE TO TUNE IN THE COTTON BOWL GAME BETWEEN UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, AND RICE INSTITUTE ... THIS COMING MONDAY ... JANUARY SECOND ... ON MOST OF THESE NBC STATIONS. IT'S SURE TO BE A GREAT GAME AND YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS IT. AND. HERE'S SOMETHING ELSE YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS. ANOTHER SONG FROM ERNEST TUBB. AND HERE HE IS!

APPLAUSE_

"DON'T BE ASHAMED OF YOUR AGE" ... TUBB

APPLAUSE

GUITAR IN B.G.

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WELL, ERNEST NAS DONE HIS CHORE..SO I GUESS IT'S TIME FOR ME TO SING FOR MY SUPPER -- OR SING FOR MY PRINCE ALBERT, I SHOULD SAY. AND THAT S WORTH SINGIN' FOR, BE FEVE ME! THIS IN'S A BALLAD I SUNG A COUPLE OR THREE TIMES THIS PAST TEAR..AND I'D LIKE TO BING THE OLD YEAR OUT WITH IT..IT'S "I'VE GOTTA HAVE MY BABY BACK!!

MUSIC:13

"I'VE GONA HAVE MY BABY BACK" .. FOLEY

APPLAUSE

SEGUE TO SQUARE DANCE ... DOWN ON CUE FOR:

FOLEY:

WELL, THE PARTY'S JUST GETTIN' A GOOD START HERE AT THE RYMAN...BUT WE'LL HAVE TO SAY SO LONG FOR WOW TO ALL YOU GOOD FOLKS A-LISTENIN' IN OUT THERE...WE'LL COME CALLIN' FOR YOU IN THE BUCKBOARD NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT, SAME AS ALWAYS, AND WE'RE BRINGIN' TENNESSEE ERNIE ALONG WITH US. OF COURSE ROD AND MINNIE AND THE GANG WILL BE ON HAND, SO DE READY WHEN WE CALL. THIS IS RED FOLEY SAYING THANKS FOR EVERYTHING THIS PAST YEAR..!'LL BE SEEIN! YOU NEXT SATURDAY AND ALL NEXT YEAR ON PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY!!

ANNCR: Y

PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY CAME TO YOU FROM WSM IN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE.

HEAR SONGS BY MORTON DOWNEY TONIGHT .. ON NBC.