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GRAND OLE OPRY

PRINCE ALBERT SHOW

8:30--9:00 PM

JANUARY 19, 1952

GRANT: IT'S

MUSIC:

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

APPLAUSE & CHEERS . . HOLD TILL RED SINGS:

8:30.11

"GILES COUNTY, PULASKI POST OFFICE". FOLEY

APPLAUSE

FOLEY. 8:32.WE

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

GRANT: 8:32.72

LOOKS LIKE A BIG NIGHT TONIGHT RED, WITH FOLKS FROM ALMOST

EVERY STATE IN THE UNION NERE FOR A LOOK AND A LISTEN AT ROD

BRASFIELD!..MINNIE PEARL!..CLAUDE SHARPE AND THE OLD HICKORY

SINGERS!...STRINGBEAN!..AND THE ENTIRE PRINCE ALBERT GANG!

 $q:32.3^{\circ}$ 

AND THAT AIN'T ALL GRANT..TONIGHT A GREAT LITTLE GUY'S PAYIN' US
A RETURN VISIT..LITTLE JIMMY DICKENS!

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: 8:32.77
LITTLE
HERE DI

HERE DIRECTLY. BUT RIGHT NOW FOLKS, GIVE A GREAT BIG "HOWDY" TO ONE OF AMERICA'S FUNNIEST FELLAS, AND HOHENWALD TENNESSEE'S LEADING CITIZEN..ROD BRASFIELD!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

ROD: 8:33.08

WELL THANK YE MEN! THAT WAS REAL NICE!

MR. FOLEY I WANT TO TELL YOU ABOUT MY GAL SUSIE. THE OTHER NITE

FOLEY: 8:39.10
FOLEY: NOW WAIT A MINUTE, ROD. I GOT ONE FOR YOU TONITE...

RODE THE OTHER NIGHT

(FOLEY OVER)

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FOLEY:8:3 WHY I'LL HAVE A CHOCOLATE ICE CREAM SODA ROD .. AND THANKS!

ROD: 18:3

AWW FLITTER! I'M SO MAD I COULD -- AWW! (REACTION) HEY MR. KOLEY!

(FOLEY OVER)

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ROD: 8:3 " I GOTTA ADMIT IT, THAT'S SURE A GOOD'N. I'D LIKE TO TRY THAT'N ...

FOLEY: WELL HERE HE COMES. GO AHEAD ...

ROD: 8:34. (CALLS) MR. TURNER, COME OVER HERE A MINUTE BUDDY, WILL YOU?

GRANT: 8:34. 15

YES RODNEY??

ROD: 11D LIKE TO BEI YOU THAT I CAN MAKE YOU BUY ME A CHOCOLATE TOE

GRANT:

THAT'S JUST SILLY I'M NOT BUYING YOU ANY CHOCOLATE SOBA!

ROD:

TS THAT A BET?

GRANT:

IT'S A WAGER

ROD:

WELL, IT'S A BET TOO NOW LET ME TELL YOU A STORY. ONE TIME I WAS HUNTIN' LIONS IN AFRICA AND I WAS ALL ALONE OUT THERE IN THE JUNGLE WHEN ALONG COME THIS BIG OLE LION OUT OF THE TALL GRASS. WELL MY GUN JAMMER, SO I REACHED DOWN AND PICKED UP A HANDFUL OF MINE AND THREW IT AT 'IM. THEN I REACHED TO MY RIGHT AND PICKED UP A HANDFUL OF MINE AND THREW THAT AT 'IM! THEN I REACHED DOWN TO MY LEFT, PICKED UP ANOTHER HANDFUL OF MINE AND THREW THAT AT 'IM! AND THE BIG OL' LION DROPPED DEAD RIGHT AT MY FEET! (PAUSE)

GRANT: WELL NOW, THAT'S VERY INTERESTING.

ROD: 8' MR. GRANT, YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO ASK ME "WHAT'S YOURS?"

GRANT: 8' REG YOUR PARDON ROD .. WHAT AM I SUPPOSED TO SAY??

(ROD OVER)

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WHAT'S YOURS!??
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A CHOCOLATE ICE CREAM SODA ROD .. AND THANKS!

WHY. SURE. (TAKE) **HWWWWWA** 

DON'T GET SORE RODNEY .. I WANT TO TALK TO YOU SERIOUSLY ABOUT SOMETHING ....

YOU DO, MR. GRANT? WHAT ABOUT?

L I GUESS YOU'VE NOTICED DOWN HERE IN NASHVILLE THAT MOST OF THE FOLKS HAVE SOUTHERN DRAWLS. THEY KIND OF SPREAD THE WORDS OUT SLOW AND SOFT. THEY ALL GOT LONG DRAWLS EXCEPT YOU, ROD. HOW COME YOU DON'T HAVE ANY DRAWLS??

ROD. 8; 35. 45 I SENT 'EM TO THE LAUNDRY THIS WEEK! (LAUGHS) HI-DY FRIENDS .. (WEATHER)

> MR. GRANT, I WENT DOWN TO THE FARM THIS PAST WEEK TO SEE MOMMY AND POPPY. Y'KNOW ABOUT SIX MONTHS AGO THEY BOTH DECIDED MAYBE THEY WAS GETTIN! A LITTLE STOUT. POPPY WEIGHED 260 POUNDS MOMMY, WHO'S JUST A LITTLE BITTY THING, GOT TO WEIGHIN! UP 130. SO THEY WENT ON THIS HERE REAL STRICT DIET.

DID THEY REALLY STICK TO THE DIETS, ROD??

ROD: 8:36.31 THEY SURE DID. THEY WAS REAL FAITHFUL ON THAT DIET FER SIX MONTHS. POPPY HE'S DONE SLIMMED DOWN TO 130 POUNDS..

GRANT. 8: 36.40 THAT'S WONDERFUL!

ROD:8: 36.42 AND MOMMY., SHE'S DONE DISAPPEARED ALL TOGETHER! I WANT TO TELL YOU MR. GRANT, THAT'S SURE A BIG FARM THEY GOT. WHY I TRIED TO COUNT HOW MANY HEAD O' CATTLE THEY HAD AND COULDN'T!

(GRANT OVER)

GRANT: 5:37.00 COME ??

ROD: 8: 37.

THEY WAS ALL A-FACIN' THE OTHER WAY! BUT THEY WAS ONE REAL CUTE LITTLE CALF. HE WAS JUST STANDIN' IN FRONT O' THE SILO AND CRYIN' AND CRYIN'. IT SHORE WAS PITIFUL. I SAYS TO 'IM "LITTLE FELLER, HOW COME YOU'RE STANDIN' BY THIS HERE SILO AND CRYIN'?"

AND HE SAYS "THEY GOT MY FODDER INSIDE!"

(ROD WILL CLOSE WITH ONE OR TWO OF HIS OWN JOKES)

## APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

- GRANT: 8:37.38

  RED, IF YOU HAD YOUR CHOICE OF GOING OUT THIS EVENING TO ANY

  OF THE BIG AND FAMOUS NIGHT CLUBS IN AMERICA, WHICH ONE WOULD

  YOU CHOOSE????
- FOLEY: 8:37.48

  WELL--I DON'T KNOW GRANT-- I THINK I'D RATHER STAY HOME TONIGHT.

  YOU SEE, I'M KINDA THE HOME-LOVIN' TYPE MYSELF--AND I CAN'T

  THINK OF ANYTHING BETTER I LIKE TO DO THAN JUST GET HOME, SLIP

  OFF MY BOOTS, SETTLE DOWN IN MY FAVORITE CHAIR AND LIGHT

  ME UP A BIG PIPEFUL OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO.....
- GRANT: 8:38 WELL, I MUST ADMIT YOU'VE GOT SOMETHING THERE, RED. ESPECIALLY

  THE PRINCE ALBERT!! GOLLY, THE FIRST PUFF ON A PIPEFUL OF PRINCE

  ALBERT MAKES A FELLOW FEEL COMFORTABLE AND ALL AT PEACE WITH THE

  WORLD, DOESN'T 17???
- FOLEY: 0' 38.15

  FOLEY: 0' IT SURE DOES..AND THAT'S MAINLY BECAUSE PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN'

  TOBACCO'S SO EASY ON THE TONGUE. FACT IS, WITH P.A. "THE BITE'S

  OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN!"
- GRANT: 8: 3 4.27
  YES FRIENDS, PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO IS SPECIALLY TREATED
  TO INSURE AGAINST TONGUE BITE!

  (FOLEY OVER)
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FOLEY: 8:38,33 FELLAS, GET CRIMP-CUT EASY-BURNIN' PRINCE ALBERT THIS EVENIN' AND START ENJOYIN' ITS WONDERFUL FLAVOR AND AROMA! EITHER THE POUND-SIZE OR THE POCKET-SIZE. BUT NO MATTER WHICH, MAKE YOUR NEXT PIPEFUL PRINCE ALBERT! THE BITE IS OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN SINGING: WHEN YOU SMOKE PRINCE ALBERT IT'S SPECIALLY TREATED NOT TO BITE YOUR TONGUE THE BITE'S OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN! ABOUT EVERY 8 WEEKS OR SO WE HAVE A STEADY DATE WITH ONE OF THE FINEST LITTLE GUYS IN THE FOLK SONG SINGIN' BUSINESS. HE'S ABOUT AS HIGH AS HIS GUITAR, BUT HE IS A BIG MAN WHERE WE'RE CONCERNED. I COULD ONLY MEAN -- LITTLE JIMMY DICKENS! .. (APPLAUSE).. JIMMY, IT'S BEEN JUST ABOUT \_\_\_ WEEKS NOW SINCE WE'VE HAD YOU HERE AS OUR PRINCE ALBERT GUEST. WHAT'S BEEN COCKIN' SON?? WELL RED, 1-- (TELLS ABOUT RECENT PERSONALS ETC)

POLEY: WELL NOW THAT WE'VE GOT YOU SURROUNDED BY THAT BTG GUITAR OF

JIMMY: 8139,45 WISH YOU DIDN'T LOVE ME SO MUCH" ...

FOLEY S' HERE HE IS .. LITTLE JIMMY DIGKENS!

MUSIC: 8: 39 1 WISH YOU DIDN'T LOVE ME SO MUCH" ... DICKENS

<u>APPLAUS</u>E

FOLEY: 8:41,40
THAT WAS SURE RIGHT ENJOYABLE, LITTLE JIMMY! I THINK YOU'VE

EARNED YOURSELF SOME TIME OFF FOR A PIPEFUL OF RICH-FLAVORED

PRINCE ALBERT, SO GO HAVE IT, OLE BUDDY!

## INTO SQUARE DANCE . DOWN FOR:

FOLEY: 9 , 41,53

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GAL! WE'RE ALL GONNA DANCE TO "BILE THEM CABBAGE DOWN" AS FIDDLED BY TOMMY JACKSON!

MUSIC: 8;41.57

MUSIC: "BILE THEM CABBAGE DOWN" ... JACKSON .. SQUARE DANCE

#### APPLAUSE

# INTO ACCORDIAN B.G. . DOWN FOR:

FOLEY: 8:41.35
TONIGHT'S SACRED SONG SORTA PAINTS A PICTURE FOR US.. A PICTURE
OF "LIFE'S RAILWAY TO HEAVEN". AND HERE IT IS..

MUSIC: 8:42.53

"LIFE'S RAILWAY TO HEAVEN"... FOLEY

## APPLAUSE

FOLEY: 8:45.10
THANKS FOLKS, THANKS A LOT. WELL, IT JUST SEEMS LIKE YESTERDAY
WHEN WE HAD THAT BUDDY OF OURS UP HERE. THE ONE WITH SO MANY
IMPORTANT THINGS ON HIS MIND! COME ON, OLE BUDDY!

SWITCH TO WASHINGTON .. CUE: ".. WITH SO MANY IMPORTANT THINGS ON HIS MIND! COME ON OLE BUDDY!"

GRANT: 8:45.2/
RED, I HEARD A FELLOW SAY THIS EVENING THAT THINGS ARE MOVING
TOO FAST THESE DAYS. AGREE WITH HIM???

FOLEY: 8: 45,24
YES I DO, GRANT--AND I KNOW OF ONLY ONE THING FASTER ...

GRANT: 8:45,32

TOBACCO AND AN O.C.B. PAPER?? (FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: 8:45.39 KINDA SUSPECTED YOU'D SAY THAT!

GRANT: 8:45.42 WELL IT'S TRUE, ISN'T IT? WHY ANYBODY CAN QUICKLY ROLL A CIGARETTE HE'LL BE PROUD TO SMOKE WHEN HE USES PRINCE ALBERT FOR THE "MAKIN'S"...

FOLEY: 8 RIGHT GRANT. AND FELLAS, THE REASON IS THAT P.A. IS CRIMP-CUT..

DON'T DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS OR BLOW AROUND ON YA. NO SIR! SHE

JUST STAYS PUT IN THE PAPER AND WAITS! THEN WHEN YOU LIGHT UP...

MAN! THAT'S SMOKIN!!

GRANT: 8 .46.03

MEN, ROLL YOUR NEXT "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE WITH PRINCE ALBERT--THE

LARGEST-SELLIN' SMOKIN' TOBACCO IN AMERICA!

SINGING: SO ROLL YOUR OWN WITH GOOD P.A.

AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO.

YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY PRINCE ALBERT BRINGS TO YOU!

FOLEY: 8. 46.35
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT YOU FOLKS, BUT I LIKE MY MUSIC SIMPLE AND
RIGHT STRAIGHT DOWN THE LINE. I GUESS THAT'S WHY I KINDA COTTON
TO THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS, BECAUSE THAT'S THE WAY THEY SING
IT! HERE THEY ARE WITH "MINE ALL MINE"...

MUSIC: "MINE ALL MINE"..OLD HICKORYS

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: 8.34

FOLEY: 8.48.34

BIG BOOK, MOST OF IT'D BE FROM GRINDERS SWITCH, AND ALL ON ACCOUNT OF ONE SPECIAL GAL..PRINCE ALBERT'S PRINCESS OF THE PRESS...COUSIN MINNIE PEARL!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

(MINNIE OVER)

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MINNIE:8;48.57 HOW-DEE! I'M JES! SO GLAD T'BE HERE!

I WAS ALMOST LATE TONIGHT. THEY WAS A FELLER AROUND HERE AWHILE AGO LOOKIN' FER SOME OLD ANTIQUES, SO THEY SENT 'IM TO ME!

I SURE WISH THEY'D BE CAREFUL WHAT THEY SAY TO STRANGERS! THEY TOLD THIS FELLER THAT I HAD A MAHOGANY CHEST WITH CROSS-GRAIN DRAWERS!

I'M TELLIN' YOU A PERSON CAN GET INTO TROUBLE WITH THEM OLD RELICS. LIKE LUKE SHANK FIRINSTANCE. HE'S HAD A BIT OLE MOOSE-HEAD IN HIS PARLOR FER YEARS AND HIS WIFE'S BEEN AFTER 'IM A LONG TIME TO GET RID OF IT. SO WHAT DOES HE DO BUT WAIT TILL WHEN HIS WIFE'S MAMMY DROPS IN FER A VISIT. LINK HOLLERS IN FROM THE KITCHEN AND SAYS "BELLA, I'VE MADE UP MY MIND TO COME RIGHT IN AND THROW THAT OLE MOOSE OUT OF THE PARLOR!! "

THEY EXPECT LINK TO RECOVER IN TIME FER SPRING PLOWIN ...

WELL THE BIG DOIN'S AT GRINDERS SWITCH THIS WEEK WAS THE ANNUAL AN' YEARLY WINTER ENTERTAINMENT WE PUT ON. EVERBODY THAT CAN DO ANY ENTERTAININ' AT ALL COMES TO THIS AFFAIR AND DOES IT. I WAS MISTRESS OF GEREMONIES, THE ONE THAT COMES OUT AND TELLS EVER! BODY ELSE WHAT THEY ARE TO DO. FOR THE OCCASION I HAD TO WEAR ONE O' THEM EVENIN' GOWNS THAT STACKLESS, STRAPLESS, NECKLESS AND RECKLESS!

I SAYS TO MAMMY "DOES THIS HERE DRESS LOOK LIKE IT'S ABOUT TO FALL OFF?" AND SHE SAYS "NO IT DON'T". AND I SAYS "WELL THEN THERE MUST BE SOMETHIN' WRONG WITH IT BECAUSE IT'S SIPOSED TO LOOK LIKE IT IS!"

(MINNIE CONT'D OVER)

MINNIE:

WELL SIR, TO GET ON WITH THE SHOW ITSELF .. WHEN WE STARTED THERE WASN'T A SEAT IN THE HOUSE .. NOTHIN' BUT STANDIN' ROOM. SEEMS SOMEBODY'D FERGOT TO SET UP THE CHAIRS!

HEZZY AND SOME OF THE BOYS STARTED OFF WITH A COMEDY ACT. IT WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A TAKE-OFF ON A BURLEXCUE SHOW WHERE THE GALS TAKE OFF. HEZZY AND THESE 3 OTHER FELLERS PUT ON GAL'S WIGS AND THEN CAVORTED AROUND THE STAGE IN RED LONGHANDLED UNDERWEAR. THEY CALLED THEIRSELVES "THE FOUR FLAPPERS"....

BROTHER WAS THERE AND HE HAD THE FOLKS ROLLIN' IN THE AISLES...
TILL WE TOOK AWAY HIS DICE...

HOAGY HAGSTROPE WAS THERE AND PUT ON HIS MAGIC ACT. HE WAS REAL GOOD. WHY HE MADE THINGS DISAPPEAR RIGHT IN FRONT OF YOUR EYES. HE DONE CARD TRICKS AND HE PULLED BABY RABBITS OUT OF A HAT. BROTHER SAYS THAT'S THE FIRST TIME IN HIS LIFE HE KNEW WHERE BABY RABBITS COME FROM!

HOAGY WAS GONNA DO A BIG MAGIC TRICK TO FINISH HIS ACT. HE WAS GONNA DO THE TRICK OF SAWIN' A WOMAN IN HALF. WELL HE GOT HIS WIFE IN THE BOX AND GOT HIS NEW CROSS-CUT SAW ALL SET AND THEN DECIDED AGAINST DOIN' IT. I SAYS "WHAT'S THE MATTER HOAGY? ARE YOU AFRAID YOU MIGHT HURT YOUR WIFE?" AND HE SAYS "NO MINNIE I'M AFRAID I MIGHT DULL MY NEW SAW!"

BROTHER TOLD SOME HUMOROUS STORIES AND HE WAS TELLIN' ONE THERE IN WHICH HE SAID THAT HE WAS CHASIN' A BIG OLE COW AND CAUGHT IT BY THE HORNS. I SAID "BROTHER, COWS DO NOT HAVE HORNS! WHAT YOU MUST'VE CAUGHT WAS THE COW'S TAIL!" AND BROTHER SAYS "OH-NO WONDERIT HAD SUCH A BLANK EXPRESSION!"

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BARNABY BUCKLEBEAM WAS THERE AND HE'S SURE GOTTEN TO BE BALD! I MENTIONED IT TO 'IM AND HE SAYS "YES MISS MINNIE, I GUESS I AM GETTIN' A LITTLE BY BALD DON'T MIND MY BALD HEAD SLIPPIN' OFF THE PILLOW AT NIGHT, BUT THE OTHER EVENIN' WHEN I WAS AT THE BOWLIN' ALLEY, A PERFECT STRANGER COME UP TO ME AND STUCK HIS FINGERS IN MY EARS!"

WELL G'BYE NOW. SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

#### APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

FOLEY: 8: \$2,82 WELL THAT'S THE KIND OF RESPONSE MINNIE PEARL IS USED TO, BECAUSE SHE ALWAYS GIVES A FINE PERFORMANCE! SORTA LIKE PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO IN THAT RESPECT .. FOR P.A. ALWAYS GIVES A . STAR PERFORMANCE IN YOUR FAVORITE PIPE. WITH PRINCE ALBERT "THE BITE'S OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN"! --- AND FELLA SMOKERS, THAT MAKES ALL THE DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD! GET P.A. TONIGHT AND ENJOY THE SMOOTHEST SMOKE YOU EVER HAD!

> WHILE WE'RE ON THE SUBJECT OF SOMETHIN' SPECIAL LIKE PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO, LET'S STAY WITH SOMETHIN' SPECIAL AND BRING BACK LITTLE JIMMY DICKENS!

JUST GOTTA SEE YOU ONCE MORE " .. DICKENS

APPLAUSE

INTO BANJO NUMBER. DOWN FOR:

(FOLEY OVER)

THE MAN PICKIN' THE FOOL OUTA THAT THERE FIVE STRING BANJO IS AND THE FELLER THAT'LL SING TO HIS OWN PICKIN' IS STRINGBEAN! STRINGBEAN .. PICKIN! AND SINGIN" "GOIN! DOWN THE SAME FELLER! THE COUNTRY"!

GOIN' DOWN THE COUNTRY" .. STRINGBEAN

'RE SURE HAVIN' OURSELVES A BIG TIME HERE TONIGHT AND WE WISH ALL YOU FOLKS OUT THERE COULD BE WITH US! YOU MEN FOLKS, THO, YOU CAN ENJOY A PIPEFUL OF PRINCE ALBERT WITH US, SO LIGHT UP

### (GUITAR STRUM IN B.G.)

GOT A LITTLE BALLAD HERE NOW .. NOT TOO NEW BUT STILL A FAVORITE WITH MOST OF US. AND THE NAME OF IT IS "I LOVE YOU SO MUCH IT HURTS ME".

## APPL/.USE

NTO SQUARE DANCE "8TH OF JANUARY" .. DOWN FOR:

LL THAT'S ABOUT ALL FOR TONIGHT FRIENDS, BUT WE'LL COME CALLIN' FOR Y'ALL IN THE BUCKBOARD A WEEK FROM TONIGHT AT WHICH TIME WE'LL BE BRINGIN' WITH US NONE OTHER THAN PEE WEE KING AND HIS TILL THEN THIS IS RED FOLEY SAYIN' THANKS GOLDEN WEST COWBOYS! FOR EVER THING, AND I'LL BE SEEIN! YOU NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT AT PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY!

PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY CAME TO YOU FROM WSM IN NASHVILLE ANNCR: .....NOW ENJOY MUSIC ON THE "CAMEL CARAVAN" STARRING VAUGHN MONROE .. ON NBC. 51456 7631