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GRAND OLE OPRY

PRINCE ALBERT SHOW

MARCH 1 + 1952

8:30 -- 9:00 P. M. GRANT: 8:30.01 IT'S GRAND OLE OPRY TIME! -- ANOTHER BIG PRINCE ALBERT SHOW -STARRING RED FOLEY!

APPLAUSE

8,32.0°
FOLEY: WELL, THANKS - AND A GREAT BIG HOWDY TO ALL MY GOOD FRIENCS AND NEIGHBORS OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN! TOBACCO'S GRAND OLE OPRY!

GRANT: 8:32.08 AND A GREAT BIG HOWDY RIGHT BACK AT YOU, RED -- FROM ME AND FROM ALL THE THOUSANDS OF FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS GATHERED HERE AT THE PRINCE ALBERT OPRY HOUSE TO SEE AND HEAR ROD BRASFIELD! MINN! PEARLI CLAUDE SHARPE AND THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS!

AND ALL THE P. A. PICKERS AND SINGERS!

TOLEY. 8:32.25 AND YOU BETTER NOT LEAVE OUT THE BIG IMPORTANT STAR WE GOT VISITIN' US THIS EVENIN', GRANT ... HE'S ONE OF THE FOLK-SINGIN'EST GUYS I'VE EVER KNOWN +- AND SURELY ONE OF THE NICEST ... TEX RITT

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: 8:32. 45 TEX WILL COME OUT HERE DIRECTLY, FOLKS -- JUST AFTER WE HEAR A FEW THOUSAND WELL-CHOSEN WORDS FROM HOHENWALD, TENNESSEE'S FIRST CITIZEN -- ROD BRASFIELD!

APPLAUSE ... PLAY ON

(ROD OVER)

HI-DY, FRIENDS! (WEATHER)

MR. FOLEY, AS I WAS COMIN' IN HER TONIGHT SEEN SOME YOUNG'UNS OUT ON THE SIDEWALK PLAYIN' WITH A LITTLE COG. I SAYS, "WHAT ARE YOU YOUNG'UNS COIN?" AND ONE YOUNG'UN SAYS, "WE'RE TELLIN' LIES, MISTER. THE ONE WHO TELLS THE BIGGEST LIE GETS THE COG." I SAYS, "WHY THAT'S JUST TERRIBLE! YOU YOUNG'UNS SHOULDN'T TELL LIES. LOOK AT GEORGE WASHINGTON! HE NEVER TOLD A LIE IN HIS WHOLE LIFE! LOOK AT ME! I NEVER TOLD A LIE IN MY WHOLE LIFE!" SO THE YOUNG'UN SAYS, "WHAT'S YOUR NAME, MISTER?" AND I SAYS, "ROD BRASFIELD." AND THE KID SAYS, "WHAT CO YOU CO?" AND I SAYS, "I'M A COMEDIAN." AND THE YOUNG'UN SAYS, "ARE YOU FUNNY?" SO I SAYS, "AM I FUNNY! WHY, BOY, I'M THE FUNNIEST COMEDIAN IN THE WHOLE WORLD!"

FOLE X.83 SO WHAT HAPPENED, ROD?

ROD:

WHAT HAPPENED? THEY SAVE ME THE COST

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OLEY: ROD, NOT TO CHANGE THE SUBJECT, BUT I JUST SAW YOUR GAL SUSIE OUTSIDE WAITIN' FOR YOU. NOW, I CON'T LIKE TO SAY THIS, BUT THAT GAL IS SURE GETTIN' A LITTLE ON THE STOUT SIDE...

ROD: 9:34.02

WELL, SUSIE AIN'T FAT, EXACTLY +- BUT IT SURE SHOWS YOU HOW FAR YOU CAN STRETCH THE HUMAN SKIN WITHOUT BUSTIN' IT! WHY, SUSIE'S THE ONLY GAL I EVER HEARD OF THAT CAN TAKE A SHOWER WITHOUT GETTIN' HER FEET WET!

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FOLEY: ANOTHER THING, ROD -- I WAS TALKIN! TO SUSIL AWHILE AGO -- AND SHE'S KINDA DUMB...

ROD: 8:34.80
OH, SHE'S DUMB, ALL RIGHT... WHY, SHE IS EVEN CUMBER'N ME.

FOLEY: ROD, WHAT GRAMMAR! SHE IS CUMBER THAN 11

OKAY, OKAY -- SO SHE'S DUMBER'N BOTH OF US!

SUSTE TOLD ME THAT SHE HAS A BIRTHDAY COMIN! UP NEXT WEEK

YOU DECADED WHAT TO GET !ER?

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WAS CONNY GET HERZSOME

THAT'S NICE, RODNEY -- WHAT'S SHE HAVE TO SAY, ANYTHING NEW?

LET ME READY YOU A LITTLE OF IT. . SHE SAYS, "CEAR RODNEY; HAS BEEN SO MUCH EXCITEMENT HERE TODAY. THE ARMY HAS BEEN HAV! MANEUVERS ON THE BOTTOM FORTY AND YOU NEVER SEEN SO MUCH EXCITE-A BUNCH OF PARATROOPERS COME SAILIN! DOWN BY THE BARN IN THE IR PARACHUTES AND YOUR YOUNGEST BROTHER COME A-RUNNIN' IN ALL EXCITED AND HE SAYS, LOOK, MOMMY + THE STORK IS CROPPIN' 'EM. FULL GROWN! "... HERE'S SOME MORE ... SHE SAYS, "YOUR POPPY WAS TERRIBLE SICK LAST WEEK AND THE DOCTOR SAID I SHOULD TAKE HIS TEMPERATURE. WE DIDN'T HAVE NO THERMOMETER, SO I WENT OUT AND GOT OUR BAROMETER AND PUT IT ON YOUR POPPY'S CHEST. IT SAID IVERY DRY ... SO I GOT 'IM A BUCKETFUL OF BEER AND HE WAS BACK AT WORK THE NEXT DAY" ...

(ROD OVER)

DOD-

I GOT A COPY OF IT RIGHT WITH ME. I SAYS "DEAR MOMMY, ALL YOUR LIFE YOU HAVE WORKED SO HARD FOR ME. BUT I GOT A JOB AND SOME MONEY NOW, AND YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORK FOR ME NO MORE. NOW YOU CAN GET OUT AND WORK FOR YOURSELF!"

(ROD WILL CLOSE WITH 2 OR 3 OF HIS OWN JOKES)

APPLAUSE . . PLAYOFF

8:37,10

GRANTE RED. DID YOU TAKE MUCH NOTICE OF THE WEATHER TODAY?

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FOLEY: NO MORE THAN USUAL GRANT .. WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

GRANT: OF COURSE YOU KNOW WHAT DATE IT IS TODAY? IT'S MARCH 1...AND THE OLD SAYING IS THAT IF MARCH COMES IN LIKE A LION, IT'LL GO OUT LIKE A LAMB!

FOLEY: 8:37.35
TO BE PERFECTLY FRANK WITH YOU OLD BUDDY, I'M NOT WORRYIN' ABOUT
IT. YOU SEE, I KNOW THAT WHETHER THE WEATHER'S BLUSTERY OR
BALMY, PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO WILL ALWAYS BE AS GENTLE
AS A LAMB TO YOUR TONGUE!

GRANT: THATS RIGHT, RED! WITH PRINCE ALBERT "THE BITE'S OUT AND THE

PLEASURE'S IN!" BECAUSE P.A. IS SPECIALLY TREATED TO INSURE

AGAINST TONGUE BITE.

FOLEY: YESSIR, PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO'S PATENTED "NO-BITE" PRO-CESS DOES ADD EXTRA PLEASURE TO SMOKING! AND P.A. IS CRIMP CUT, TOO!

GRANT: IT SMOKES SMOOTH AND EVEN AND IT BURNS LONG. AND AS FOR FLAVOR AND AROMA, WHY EVEN THE LADIES LIKE P.A. AROUND THE HOUSE!

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FOLEY:8:38.11 SO GET SOME PRINCE ALBERT THIS EVENIN' MEN, AND BUY IT IN THE BIG POUND-TIN IF YOU LIKE, OR THE SMALLER, HANDY POCKET-SIZE. EITHER WAY, SMOKE P.A... PRINCE ALBERT, THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE!

THE BITE IS OUT AND THE PLEASURE IS IN JINGLE: WHEN YOU SMOKE PRINCE ALBERT IT'S SPECIALLY TREATED NOT TO BITE YOUR TONGUE

THE BITE'S OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN!

WE'VE HAD TONIGHT'S SPECIAL GUEST WITH US BEFORE MANY TIMES, AND FOLEY: EACH TIME WAS MORE ENJOYABLE THAN THE LAST IN. SO YOU CAN UNDER-STAND WHY I'M ANXIOUS TO SAY "LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, MY MOVIE-STAR BUDDY ... TEX RITTER!"

APPLAUSE

8:39.02 TEX, WHAT'S THAT MAGAZINE YOU'VE GOT THERE IN YOUR HAND? YOU PLANNIN' TO DO SOME READIN' INSTEAD OF SOME SINGIN' ??

TEX: 8:39.07 THIS IS A COPY OF THE CURRENT ISSUE OF AMERICAN MAGAZINE, RED. OUT ON THE STANDS NOW, AND PLEASE DON'T TELL ME THAT YOU DON'T KNOW THERE'S AN ARTICLE ABOUT THE OPRY AND YOUR PICTURE IN IT!

YOU'VE GOT ME, PARDNER .. MY BASEMENT IS JUST FULL OF COPIES . BY THE WAY, IT'S SURE A GOOD ARTICLE BY DON EDDY . AND WE'D LIKE TO THANK AMERICAN MAGAZINE RIGHT NOW FOR BEIN! SO NICE ...

WELL, NOW THAT WE'VE HAD ALL THIS CHINIMUSIC, WHEN'M I GONNA GET A CHANCE TO SING?

RIGHT NOW TEX RITTER, AND WE'RE WAITIN' TO HEAR "MR BUZZARD

(FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: 8:41.42

TEX, AFTER A PERFORMANCE LIKE THAT, YOU DESERVE SOME TIME OFF

FOR A SPELL..SO GO LIGHT UP YOUR PIPEFUL OF PRINCE ALBERT AND

REST YOUR BONES IN THE ROCKER YONDER!

INTO SQUARE DANCE.

TOLEY:

STON OF TWINKLE TWINKLE LITTLE START AND YOU'RE ALL INVITED TO

MUSTE:

"TWINKLE TWINKLE LITTLE STAR" SQUARE DANCE

APPLAUSE

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

FOLEY: TIME FOR THIS EVENIN'S SACRED SONG, AND THE HYMN YOU'VE ASKED FOR IS THAT'N CALLED "I JUST CAN'T KEEP FROM CRYING".

MUSIC: "I JUST CAN'T KEEP FROM CRYING" . FOLEY

APPLAUSE

THANKS FOLKS.. THANKS A LOT. WELL IT SEEMS LIKE EVERY WEEK ALONG
ABOUT THIS TIME WE HAVE A SHORT VISIT FROM A GOOD BUDDY OF OUR'N,
AND HE ALWAYS HAS SOMETHING IMPORTANT ON HIS MIND.

SWITCH TO WASHINGTON. CUE: ".. IMPORTANT ON HIS MIND. LET'S HEAR I'M OUT, SHALL WE?"

GRANT : RED, I SAW A BUNCH OF OUR GUYS ENJOYIN' A SMOKE BEFORE THE SHOW STARTED AND I NEVER SAW SO MANY "ROLL-YOUR-OWNERS"!

(FOLEY OVER)

8.44.55

FOLEY: TO SHUCKS, THAT'S NO SURPRISE, GRANT! WHY WITH PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN'
TOBACCO AND AN O.C.B. PAPER, ROLLIN' A "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE
IS ONE OF THE EASIEST MOST PLEASURABLE THINGS A-GOIN'....

GRANT: WELL I DO KNOW THIS, RED. ANY STEADY "ROLL-YOUR-OWNER" WILL WANT A CRIMP CUT TOBACCO AND THAT'S JUST WHAT PRINCE ALBERT IS!

FOLEY: AND IT'S THAT VERY CRIMP CUT THAT MAKES ROLLIN' A "MAKIN'S"

CIGARETTE WITH P.A. SUCH A PLEASANT CHORE. BECAUSE PRINCE ALBERT

DON'T BLOW AROUND. DON'T DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS, EITHER! INFACT,

IT LJUST STAYS RIGHT WHERE IT OUGHT TO BE AND IT DON'T GIVE A

FELLA ANY BACK-TALK!

GRANT: ROLL YOUR NEXT "MAKIN'S" SMOKE WITH PRINCE ALBERT, MEN! IT'S

AMERICA'S LARGEST-SELLING SMOKING TOBACCO!

JINGLE: 8145,33

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: "HE MARVIN HUGHES, STAY RIGHT AT THAT PIANO SON. BECAUSE WE'RE

KINDA COUNTIN' ON YOU TO ACCOMPANY THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS IN

THEIR RENDITION OF "STEAMBOAT BLOW YOUR WHISTLE ACAIN".

MUSIC: 8:46 "STEAMBORT BLOW YOUR WHISTLE AGAIN" .. OLD HICKORYS

APPLAUSE

APPLAUSE . . PLAY ON

(MINNIE OVER)

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8:48

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

WELL HERE IT IS STARTIN' THE THIRD MONTH OF LEAP YEAR AND NOBODY'S

EVER'BODY IS ALLUS SAYIN' "LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP!" BUT I'VE FOUND OUT THAT IF YOU'RE A GOOD LOOKER, YOU DON'T HAVE TO LEAP!

NOW THERE'S SOME CALS THAT CAN HAVE FELLERS CROWDING AROUND 'ER IF SHE JES' SMAPS HER FINGER, AND EVEN MORE OF JEM NE SHE SNAPS HER GARTER!

JES! WHAT IS IT THAT THE OTHER GALSIVE GOT THAT _ AIN'T GOT? DON'T NOBODY ANSWER THAT....

FOLEY+ MI

MINNIE, DO YOU MIND IT I OFFER YOU A SUGGESTION?

MINNIE 8:19

NOT AT ALL, RED FOLEY ... WHAT IS IT?

GET YOURSELF A NEW HAIF-DO ...

INNIE

I DON'T KNOW RED. THE LAST TIME I TRIED THAT I HAD ME SOME TROUBLE. REMEMBER WHEN I TRIED TO GIVE MYSELF ONE O' THEM THERE UP-SWEEP HAIR-DOS??

OLET: TREMEMBER, MIN. BUT YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE TRIED TO SWEEP MP YOUR HAIR WITH A VACUUM CLEANER!

MINNIE: WELL WHAT KIND OF A HAIR-DO DO YOU THINK I SHOULD GET?

FOLEY: WHY DON'T YOU TRY ONE O' THEM NEW-FANGLED "POODLE" PAIRCUTS?

NINNIE: UH-UH! YOU KNOW WHAT CONSTABULE L'ON BARNABY DONE WHEN HE SAW NELLIE STURM WITH ONE O' THEM "POODLE" HAIRCUTS?

FOLEY: NO. WHAT'D HE DO?

(MINNIE OVER)

MINNIE: 8:50.15
HE MADE HER PAPPY TAKE OUT A DOG LICENSE!

BUT I'M NOT WORRYIN' AS LONG AS I'VE GOT MY FELLER HEZZY (BIZ)
NOW THERE'S A FELLER THAT WOULD TURN HISSELF INSIDE OUT FER ME.
COME TO THINK OF IT, MAYBE HE'D LOOK BETTER THAT WAY!

HEZZY SAYS HE LIKES MY HAIR JES! THE WAY IT IS. HE SAYS HE'LL

NEVER FERGIT HOW CARELESS AND FREE IT LOOKED ONE TIME WHEN HE

SAW THE WIND AND THE RAIN BLOWIN! THRU IT. I SHOULDN'T HAVE BEEN

SO CARELESS AS TO LEAVE IT OUT ON THE CLOTHESLINE!

TO THIS DAY I AIN'T BEEN ABLE TO CONVINCE 'IM THAT IT WASN'T BROTHER'S COON-SKIN CAP!

I'LL NEVER FERGIT WHEN HEZZY FIRST STARTED CALLIN' ON ME. I TOLD
'IM MY PAPPY WAS THE ONLY MAN THAT HAD EVER KISSED ME. HEZZY
SAYS 'I DON'T QUITE KNOW HOW TO FIGGER THAT'N OUT. ARE YOU
BRAGGIN' OR COMPLAININ'!??"

AND I'LL NEVER FERGIT WHAT HEXZY SAID WHEN I LET 'IM KISS ME SHORTLY AFTER. HE SAYS "MINNIE PEARL, IF THAT'S YOUR FIRST KISS, YOU SURE DONE INHERITED A LOT OF EXPERIENCE!"

WE GOT A GAL NAMED MARGO MURTZ THAT LIVES OUT PAST THE EDGE OF
TOWN AND WHEN I HEARD SHE WAS FEELIN' KINDA LOW I WENT OVER TO
SEE WHAT THE TROUBLE WAS. SHE TOLD ME SHE DIDN'T THINK HER
HUSBAND LOVED HER ANY MORE. SO I ASKED IF HE DEEN UGLY TO 'ER
AND SHE SAYS "NOPE, BUT HE LEFT ME AND WENT OUT TO SHOOT POOL
WITH SOME OF THE BOYS". SO I SAYS "SHUCKS WOMAN, LOTS OF HUSBANDS
GO OUT AND SHOOT POOL WITH THE BOYS. THAT DON'T PROVE HE DON'T
LOVE YOU" AND SHE SAYS "MEDBE YOU'RE RIGHT, BUT IF'N HE DON'T
COME BACK IN ANOTHER FIVE WEARS, I'M THROUGH!"

(MINNEE CONTID OVER)

MINNIE:

WELL SIR SNODGRASS TINKUM'S WIFE SURE FIGGERED OUT A GOOD WAY TO KEEP ANM HOME NIGHTS. HE GOT IN THE HABIT O' GOIN' OUT WITH THE BOYS AND COMIN' IN AT ALL HOURS OF THE NIGHT. WELL THE OTHER NIGHT HE COME NOME AWFUL LATE -- MUSTA BEEN CLOSE TO JEN O'CLOCK --AND SNOD'S WIFE HAR BOLTED THE DOOR FROM THE INSIDE AND HE HAD TO KNOCK FOR HER TO LET IM IN. AND THIS IS WHERE HIS WIFE GIVE 'IM SUCH A SHOCK THAT HE ATM'T BEEN OUT A NIGHT SINCE. WHEN HE KNOCKED SHE COME UP CLOSE TO THE DOOR AND SAID IN A LOW VOICE "SHHHH-- IS THAT YOU, HENRY?" BROTHER'S ALLUS TRYIN! TO HELP SOMEBODY. THE (EXTRA JOKE) RICH FOLKS THAT LIVES UP ON THE HILL HAS GOT ONE O' THEM SWEET, ANGEL-FACE BOYS AND I HEARD HIM TELLIN BROTHER HE SAYS "LOOK, HERE'S A QUARTER I GOT FROM MY MOTHER SO I WOULDN'T SAY "DARN IT" ANYMORE." AND BROTHER SAYS "LISTEN KID, LET'S GO INTO BUSINESS FOGETHER! I CAN LEARN YOU SOME WORDS THAT OUGHTA BE WORTH LIVE BUCKS!"

WELL GIBYE NOW, SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

FOLEY: 8:51.12

YESSIR, WE'RE SURE HAVIN' US A TIME HERE AT THE OPRY TONIGHT AND

WE WISH ALL YOU LISTENERS OUT THERE COULD BE HERE WITH US IN

PERSON! BUT YOU MENFOLKS CAN LIGHT UP A PIPEFUL OF PRINCE ALBERT

WITH US! MAN, THAT SURE IS A WONDERFUL SMOKE -- EASY ON THE TONGUT

SMOOTH, AND SO FLAVORFUL! NO WONDER PRINCE ALBERT IS AMERICA'S

LARGEST-SELLIN' SMOKIN' TOBACCO! "THE BITE'S OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S

1N!"

I CAN'T THINK OF A BETTER TIME THAN RIGHT NOW TO CALL ON TONITE S
PRINCE ALBERT GUEST, TEX RITTER!

AUSIC: 8,5 "DECK OF CARDS"..RITTER

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APPLAUSE ... GUITAR STRUM IN B.G.

(FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: 8:53 LIKE PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO, THIS HERE BALLAD GETS I

8:35:29 LIKED BETTER AND BETTER EVERY DAY YOU KNOW IT! IT'S ONE WITH

A LOT OF REAL HEART TO IT.. "BLUE EYES CRYIN' IN THE RAIN".

MUSIC: "BLUE EYES GRYIN' IN THE RAIN". FOLEY

Foley 8:55:33 — Blue eyes Crying in the Rain

APPLAUSE

INTO SQUARE DANCE . DOWN ON CUE FOR:

FOLEY: 8:39
WE'VE GOT TO BE GOIN' NOW FRIENDS, BUT WE AIM TO COME CALLIN'
FOR YOU IN THE BUCKBOARD A WEEK FROM THIS EVENIN'. BE READY,
WON'T YOU? WE'RE BRINGIN' A REAL FAVORITE WITH US TOO..ONE
OF THE NATION'S LEADIN' FOLK ARTISTS, HANK SNOW! TILL THEN,
THIS IS RED FOLEY SAYIN' THANKS FOR EVERYTHING, AND I'LL BE
SEEIN' YOU NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT AT PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBAC.CO'S
GRAND OLE OPRY!

ANNCR: PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY CAME TO YOU FROM WSM IN

NASHVILLE TENNESSEE....

NOW ENJOY MUSIC ON THE "CAMEL CARAVAN" STARRING VAUGHN

MONROE..ON NBC.