

PRINCE ALBERT GRAND OLE OPRY

Master ✓

8:30-9:00 PM

SATURDAY FEB. 20 - 1954

8:30.00

GRANT: DIRECT FROM THE RYMAN AUDITORIUM IN NASHVILLE TENNESSEE, IT'S GRAND OLE OPRY TIME! -- STARRING-- HANK SNOW!

AS BROADCAST

(APPLAUSE & CHEERS.. HOLD TILL HANK SINGS!)

8:30.13

MUSIC: "PANA-MAMA" .. HANK SNOW

APPLAUSE

8:32.20

SNOW: WELL THANKS, AND A GREAT BIG HOWDY TO ALL MY GOOD FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS OF THE GRAND OLE OPRY!

8:32.24

GRANT: TONIGHT'S ALL-STAR COUNTRY-MUSIC LINE-UP: ROD BRASFIELD! MOON MULLICAN! GRANDPA JONES! THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS! AND THE ENTIRE OPRY GANG!

8:32.32

SNOW: AND JUST FOR ICIN' ON THE CAKE-- AND MIGHTY SWEET ICIN', TOO-- WE'VE GOT THAT COUNTRY CUTIE FROM KARNES CITY, TEXAS--MISS GOLDIE HILL!

APPLAUSE

8:32.44

SNOW: GOLDIE'S COMIN' ON OUT HERE TO PICK AND SING SHORTLY, FOLKS, BUT FIRST WE'VE GOT FOUR FELLAS WHO CAN REALLY PRODUCE SOME SWEET HARMONY. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS..AND HERE THEY ARE WITH "SWEET MAMA, TREE TOP TALL!"

8:32.01

MUSIC: "SWEET MAMA, TREE TOP TALL" .. OLD HICKORYS

APPLAUSE

(GRANT OVER)

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8:34.37

GRANT: HANK, WHO WERE ALL THOSE PRETTY GALS CLUSTERED AROUND YOU OUTSIDE
A WHILE AGO??

8:34.44

SNOW: DON'T RIGHTLY KNOW, GRANT. SEEMS I JUST LIT ME UP A PIPEFUL OF
MELLOW-RIPE PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO, AND THERE THEY WERE!

8:34.53

GRANT: WELL, IT'S PLAIN TO SEE THAT THE LADIES ENJOY THE NATURAL, CLEAN
AROMA OF PRINCE ALBERT'S CHOICE TOBACCO. YOU SEE, NATURE-- IN
HER OWN SURE WAY, PUT THE FLAVOR IN P.A.!

8:35.06

SNOW: AND PUT IT THERE TO STAY! TELL THE FOLKS ABOUT THAT, GRANT!

8:35.11

GRANT: DUE TO PRINCE ALBERT'S OWN SPECIAL PROCESS, PERFECTED OVER A
PERIOD OF NEARLY FIFTY YEARS, THE AGED-IN GOODNESS OF THE TOBACCO
IS HELD AND HEIGHTENED FOR SMOOTH, LONG-BURNING, SMOKING
PLEASURE!!

8:35.27

SNOW: FELLAS, WHEN YOU GO OUT FOR THE PAPERS THIS EVENIN', PICK UP
SOME MILD, TASTY PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO! FOR REAL PIPE
PLEASURE-- FOR TOBACCO AS NATURE MEANT TOBACCO TO BE -- ASK FOR
"PRINCE ALBERT, THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE!"

IN CASE SOME O' YOU FELLAS OUT THERE WANT TO MAKE A FEW NOTES,
TONIGHT'S VERY PRETTY GUEST IS A SLIM 129 POUNDS-- ABOUT 5 FEET
FOUR, HAS BLUE EYES AND MIGHTY HANDSOME BROWN HAIR. YESSIR, AND
SINGS BESIDES! FOLKS-- MISS GOLDIE HILL!

APPLAUSE

(SNOW OVER)

8:36.06
SNOW: GOLDIE, TELL THE FOLKS WHAT ALL'S BEEN DOIN' IN THE MUSIC
BUSINESS WHERE YOU'RE CONCERNED...

8:36.10
GOLDIE: (TELLS ALL)

8:36.21
SNOW: WELL I'M SURE GLAD YOU CAME TO SEE US, HONEY, AND JUST AS
ANXIOUS AS EVERYBODY ELSE TO HEAR YOU SING "LET ME BE THE ONE".

~~GOLDIE HILL, FRIENDS!~~

8:36.31
MUSIC: "LET ME BE THE ONE"..GOLDIE HILL

APPLAUSE

INTO SQUARE DANCE FIDDLE..DOWN FOR:

8:38.31
SNOW: GOLDIE, DON'T YOU GO TOO FAR FROM HERE, GAL, BECAUSE I'M FIXIN'
TO ASK YOU FOR THIS NEXT DANCE, AS TOMMY FIDDLES "SOLDIERS JOY"!

8:38.40
MUSIC: "SOLDIERS JOY"..SQUARE DANCE

APPLAUSE

INTO ACCORDIAN B.G..DOWN ON CUE FOR:

8:39.29
SNOW: GOLDIE'S MOM HAS A FAVORITE SACRED SONG, AND SHE ASKED GOLDIE TO
ASK ME TO SING IT THIS EVENIN'. IT'S A PLEASURE TO SING THE
LOVELY HYMN "HE'LL UNDERSTAND AND SAY WELL DONE".

8:39.50
MUSIC: "HE'LL UNDERSTAND AND SAY WELL DONE"..SNOW

APPLAUSE

(SNOW OVER)

8:42.13
SNOW: (READ FOR NETWORK CUE EXACTLY AS WRITTEN) THANKS FOLKS, THANKS
A LOT. WELL, HERE COMES A FRIEND OF OURS WITH SOMETHIN' MIGHTY
IMPORTANT ON HIS MIND!

(SWITCH TO ALL POINTS ON ABOVE CUE LINE)

8:42.17
GRANT: PRINCE ALBERT IS TOBACCO AS NATURE MEANT TOBACCO TO BE! THAT'S
WHY P.A., IN AN O.C.B. PAPER, MAKES SUCH A SMOOTH, MILD AND
TASTY "MAKIN'S" SMOKE!

8:42.24
SNOW: MAN, AND IS PRINCE ALBERT EVER EASY TO ROLL !

8:42.30
GRANT: PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO IS CRIMP CUT! DOESN'T BLOW AROUND
OR DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS!

8:42.37
SNOW: P.A. IS THERE TO STAY! AND SO IS ITS NATURAL FLAVOR!

8:42.41
GRANT: THROUGH A PROCESS PERFECTED OVER A PERIOD OF NEARLY FIFTY YEARS,
THE MELLOW-RIPE FLAVOR OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO IS HELD
AND HEIGHTENED FOR REAL ROLL-YOUR-OWN ENJOYMENT !

8:42.52
SNOW: FELLAS, ROLL YOUR NEXT "MAKIN'S" SMOKE WITH PRINCE ALBERT, THE
LARGEST-SELLIN' SMOKIN' TOBACCO IN AMERICA-- "THE NATIONAL JOY
SMOKE"!

8:42.01
JINGLE: 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!

(INTO MOON'S RAGTIME PIANO.. DOWN FOR:)

(SNOW OVER)

SNOW: 8:43.28 OF COURSE, YOU ALL KNOW WHO THAT IS PLAYIN! THE ONE AND ONLY ..
THE BIG-TIME PIANO MAN FROM POLK COUNTY -- MOON MULLICAN!

MUSIC: 8:43.40 "I'LL SAIL MY SHIP ALONE". MOON

APPLAUSE

SNOW: 8:45.12 THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN FOLLOW MR. MOON IS THE SAGE OF HOHENWALD
TENNESSEE.. AND HERE HE IS TO TELL ALL -- ROD BRASFIELD!

APPLAUSE AND PLAY ON

SNOW: 8:45.32 HI YA, ROD.

ROD: 8:45.40 HI YA, MR. SNOW.

SNOW: 8:45. ROD, DO YOU KNOW THAT MONDAY'S WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY?

ROD: 8:45.43 IT IS? GEE I'M GLAD YOU REMINDED ME, MR. SNOW.

SNOW: 8:45.45 WHY?

ROD: 8:45.50 I FORGOT TO SEND HIM A PRESENT! (LAUGHS) ~~HI BY FRIENDS..~~

~~(LEATHER)~~

I WAS ONLY KIDDIN', MR. SNOW. I'M A STUDENT OF WASHINGTON. I KNOW
EVERYTHING THERE IS TO KNOW ABOUT HIM.

SNOW: 8:46.01 YOU DO -- THEN MAYBE YOU CAN TELL ME WHY WASHINGTON DIDN'T SIT
DOWN WHEN HE CROSSED THE DELAWARE IN A ROWBOAT?

ROD: 8:46.04 THAT'S EASY MR. SNOW..HE WAS WEARING TIGHT BREECHES!
I TELL YOU ONE THING, MR. SNOW--GEORGE WASHINGTON COULDN'T THROW
A DOLLAR ACROSS THE POTOMAC TODAY!

(SNOW OVER)

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SNOW: ^{8:46.15} WHY COULDN'T WASHINGTON THROW A DOLLAR ACROSS THE POTOMAC TODAY?

ROD: ^{8:46.17} BECAUSE A DOLLAR DOESN'T GO AS FAR TODAY AS IT DID THEN!

YOU KNOW MR. SNOW, LAST YEAR I VISITED WASHINGTON'S MONUMENT.

SNOW: ^{.20} QUITE HIGH, ISN'T IT?

ROD: ^{.30} YUP, I WONDER HOW HE GOT DOWN AFTER HE FINISHED IT.

SNOW: ^{.35} THAT'S WHAT I LIKE ABOUT YOU ROD, YOU'RE SO PATRIOTIC.

ROD: ^{.40} WHAT DO YOU MEAN, MR. SNOW?

SNOW: ^{8:46.48} ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY YOU'RE USING LINCOLN'S JOKES. SPEAKING ABOUT OLD JOKES, HOW'S YOUR GIRL FRIEND SUSIE??

ROD: ^{8:46.58} SHE'S FINE MR. SNOW. SHE'S BEEN UP ON THE FARM WORKIN' LIKE A HORSE.

SNOW: ^{8:47.02} DOIN' WHAT?

ROD: ^{8:47.05} PULLIN' A SNOW-PLOW. THAT HARD WORK IS PART OF HER THREE-DAY REDUCING DIET. THE FIRST DAY SHE LOST FOUR INCHES OFF HER WAIST.. THE SECOND DAY SHE LOST EIGHT INCHES OFF HER WAIST.

SNOW: ^{8:47.19} WHAT HAPPENED THE THIRD DAY?

ROD: ^{8:47.21} SHE LOST HER GIRDLE. SHE LOOKS GREAT NOW, ESPECIALLY HER LEGS. NOW SHE HAS THE KIND OF LEGS THAT ATTRACT MEN--THEY'RE SHAPED LIKE A MAGNET.

SNOW: ^{8:47.35} YOU KNOW ROD, I'VE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT YOU'D MAKE SOME GIRL A GENEROUS HUSBAND.

(ROD OVER)

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ROD: 8:47.40
THANK YOU MR. SNOW.. WHEN I GET MARRIED MY WIFE IS GOING TO HAVE
A LIMOUSINE, FURS AND PLENTY OF MONEY.

SNOW: 8:47.51
WHEN DO YOU INTEND TO GET MARRIED??

ROD: 8:47.54
WHEN I FIND A GIRL WHO'S GOT A LIMOUSINE, FURS AND PLENTY OF MONEY.

SNOW: 8:47.
~~I SUPPOSE YOU'LL BE UP ON THE FARM TOMORROW??~~

ROD: YUP, I CAN'T STAY AWAY FROM THAT FARM.

SNOW: I GUESS THERE'S PLENTY OF SNOW TO CLEAR OFF.

ROD: YUP, THERE'S SO MUCH SNOW ON THE FARM I HAD TO JACK THE COWS
TO MILK THEM!

SNOW: HOW YOU COMING ALONG WITH YOUR ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATIONS?

ROD: NOT SO GOOD, MR. SNOW. I TRIED TO CROSS A ROOSTER WITH A ROOSTER.

SNOW: YOU TRIED TO CROSS A ROOSTER WITH A ROOSTER?

ROD: THAT'S RIGHT, MR. SNOW.

SNOW: WELL WHAT DID YOU GET?

ROD: TWO MAD ROOSTERS! I TELL YOU THAT ONE ROOSTER WAS SO MAD HE BIT
ME ON THE FINGER.

SNOW: DID YOU PUT IODINE ON IT?

ROD: COULDN'T..THE ROOSTER RAN AWAY! BUT I EXPECT TO MAKE A LOT OF
MONEY WITH A NEW KIND OF POTATO I PLANTED. THESE ARE THE BIGGEST
POTATOES IN TENNESSEE!

(SNOW OVER)

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SNOW: IF THESE POTATOES ARE SO BIG, SEND ME OVER A HUNDRED POUNDS.

ROD: NO I CAN'T DO THAT, MR. SNOW.

SNOW: WHY NOT, ROD?

ROD: I AIN'T GONNA CUT A POTATO IN HALF FOR NOBODY! ANYWAY MR. SNOW, UNCLE CYPE BOUGHT UP THE WHOLE CROP. HE'S MAKIN' A NEW MASH OUT OF IT. I TELL YOU, THAT LIQUOR WAS SO STRONG, CYPE SPILLED IT IN THE FOREST.

SNOW: HE SPILLED THE LIQUOR IN THE FOREST? WHAT HAPPENED?

ROD: THE DOG WOODS ARE STILL CHASING PUSSY WILLOWS.

SNOW: I WONDER WHY CYPE DRINKS SO MUCH?

ROD: HE DRINKS TO STEADY HIS NERVES. YOU KNOW MR. SNOW, HIS NERVES ARE REAL STEADY NOW, BUT THE REST OF HIM IS COLLAPSING.

I SAID "YOU KNOW UNCLE CYPE, DRINKING WILL SHORTEN YOUR LIFE!" AND HE SAID "I KNOW IT WILL ROD, BUT WHEN I DRINK I SEE TWICE AS MUCH IN THE SAME LENGTH OF TIME"

~~WELL I GOT TO GO NOW, MR. SNOW, I GOT TO PICK UP MY NEW CLOTHES.~~

SNOW: ^{7:49.58} WHY, WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR OLD CLOTHES??

ROD: ^{8:48.01} THE MOTHS ATE THEM UP.

SNOW: ^{8:48.06} YOU MEAN THE MOTHS WERE EATING YOUR CLOTHES?

ROD: ^{8:48.10} EATING? THEY DIDN'T EVEN LOOK UP WHEN I OPENED THE CLOSET DOOR!

(SNOW OVER)

SNOW: 8:47.15 WHAT PART DID THEY EAT?

ROD: 8:47.09 WELL, TO PUT IT GEOGRAPHICALLY - THE SOUTH AIN'T SOLID ANY MORE!

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

APPLAUSE AND PLAY OFF

SNOW: 8:49.36 LET'S CALL THAT GUEST OF OURS OUT HERE AGAIN-- MISS GOLDIE HILL!

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: 8:49.49 "YESTERDAY'S GIRL" ..GOLDIE HILL

APPLAUSE

INTO BANJO ..DOWN ON CUE EOR:

SNOW: 8:52.38 STANDING AT THE CONSOLE OF HIS MIGHTY FIVE-STRING BANJO, GRANDPA JONES! GO TO IT, JONESY!

MUSIC: 8:52.43 "PRETTY LITTLE PINK" ..GRANDPA JONES

APPLAUSE

GUITAR STRUM IN B.G. ..DOWN UNDER:

SNOW: 8:54.18 THIS BALLAD! HERE'S A LITTLE MORE SENTIMENTAL THAN THE ONE GRANDPA JUST DID FOR US.. A RECENT RECORDIN' OF OURS CALLED "ACT I, ACT II, ACT III "!

MUSIC: 8:54.24 "ACT I, ACT II, ACT III" ..SNOW

APPLAUSE

INTO SQUARE DANCE "GRAY EAGLE" ..DOWN FOR:

(SNOW OVER)

SNOW: 8:57.18

WELL FRIENDS, IT'S BEEN A HEAP O' FUN BEIN' WITH YOU-ALL TONIGHT.. AND WE AIM TO COME CALLIN' FOR YOU IN THE BUCKBOARD A WEEK FROM NOW.. THE MAN IN THE DRIVER'S SEAT'LL BE RAY PRICE! WITH HIS GUESTS, JOHNNY AND JACK! TILL THEN, THIS IS HANK SNOW SAYIN' THANKS FOR EVERYTHING, AND WE'LL BE SEEIN'YOU NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE GRAND OLE OPRY!

TEN SECONDS MUSIC AND APPLAUSE

ENGINEER SWITCH TO STUDIO FOR HITCH-HIKE

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COBB: 8:58.12

FEEL THAT MILDNESS! YES, FEEL THAT MILDNESS.. TASTE THAT FLAVOR! THAT'S A CAVALIER!

OVERTON: 8:58.14

YES, A KING-SIZE CAVALIER CIGARETTE! SO MILD..SO FLAVORFUL..SO POPULAR WITH SMOKERS EVERYWHERE! CAVALIERS ARE BLENDED OF FINE, LIGHT, MILD TOBACCOS BY THE MAKERS OF CAMELS! AND YOU'LL DISCOVER WHAT REAL MILDNESS MEANS WITH YOUR FIRST CAVALIER..WITH EVERY CAVALIER YOU LIGHT UP. MAYBE YOU NEVER KNEW A CIGARETTE SO MILD COULD TASTE SO GOOD! CAVALIERS' SMOKE FEELS SO LIGHT AND GENTLE! HERE'S THE KIND OF MILDNESS THAT COUNTS.. MILDNESS YOU CAN FEEL IN THE SMOKE.

COBB: 8:58.42

NO WONDER, WHEN THOUSANDS OF SMOKERS COMPARED CAVALIERS WITH THE CIGARETTES THEY'D BEEN SMOKING, 8 OUT OF 10 INTERVIEWED SAID CAVALIERS ARE Milder.

OVERTON: 8:58.52

SO LIGHT UP AND INHALE! FEEL THAT MILDNESS! YES, FEEL THAT MILDNESS.. TASTE THAT FLAVOR. THAT'S A CAVALIER!

(COBB OVER)

COBB: 8:58.59
REMEMBER, CAVALIERS ARE KING-SIZE, YET PRICED NO HIGHER THAN
LEADING REGULAR-SIZE BRANDS. SO GET EXTRA LENGTH AND EXTRA
VALUE .. AT NO EXTRA COST. GET A CARTON OF CAVALIERS!

TWO SECOND PAUSE

STUDIO 8:59.12
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