

GRAND OLE OPRY

7:30-8:00 PM

PRINCE ALBERT SHOW

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1954

# AS BROADCAST

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GRANT: 7:30 FROM NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. - THE FOLK-MUSIC CAPITAL OF  
AMERICA - IT'S YOUR GRAND OLE OPRY! -- STARRING --  
HANK SNOW!

(APPLAUSE AND CHEERS WITH SONG INTRO..HOLD TILL HANK SINGS:)

<sup>10</sup>  
MUSIC: 7:30 "GOLDEN ROCKET"...HANK SNOW

(APPLAUSE)

<sup>55</sup>  
HANK: 7:31 WELL THANKS, AND A GREAT BIG HOWDY TO ALL MY GOOD FRIENDS  
AND NEIGHBORS OF THE GRAND OLE OPRY!

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GRANT: 7:31 AND WHAT A LINE-UP OF TOP COUNTRY-STYLE STARS WE HAVE FOR  
TONIGHT! ROD BRASFIELD! MINNIE PEARL! MOON MULLICAN!  
CHET ATKINS! AND MANY, MANY MORE!

<sup>09</sup>  
HANK: 7:32 AND, FOR EXTRA-SPECIAL WE'VE ASKED ONE OF YOUR FAVORITE  
FELLAS OVER -- FARON YOUNG!

(APPLAUSE)

<sup>18</sup>  
HANK: 7:32 WE'RE FIXIN' TO HAVE FARON OUT HERE PICKIN' AND SINGIN'  
RIGHT AFTER WE GET SOME WORD FROM HOHENWALD'S LEADIN'  
CITIZEN -- ROD BRASFIELD!

(APPLAUSE...PLAY ON)

<sup>34</sup>  
ROD: 7:32 WELL, THANK YE, MEN! THAT WAS AS CLOSE TO MUSIC AS A BODY  
COULD HOPE FOR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES!

(SNOW OVER)

SNOW: RODNEY, YOU AIN'T LOOKIN' SO GOOD. MATTER OF FACT, YOU'RE LOOKIN' PUNY. WHAT'S THE MATTER?

ROD: MR. HANK, IT'S M' STOMACH. IT FEELS LIKE GRASSHOPPERS IS JUMPIN' AROUND IN M' STOMACH.

SNOW: WHAT'D YOU HAVE FOR DINNER?

ROD: GRASSHOPPERS!

SNOW: WHY DON'T YOU GO SEE A DOCTOR?

ROD: I DID. I'M MUST COMIN' FROM THERE NOW. IN FACT, I WENT TO TWO DOCTORS. ONE HAD EIGHT TO FIVE ON THE DOOR AND THE OTHER HAD NINE TO FIVE ON THE DOOR.

SNOW: WHICH ONE DID YOU GO TO?

ROD: I WENT TO THE SECOND'UN. BETTER ODDS! KIDDIN' ASIDE, HE'S A FINE DOCTOR. HE TOOK OUT TWENTY-SIX APPENDIXES.

SNOW: WHAT'S SO WONDERFUL ABOUT TAKIN' OUT TWENTY-SIX APPENDIXES?

ROD: FROM THE SAME GUY???

WHY, LAST WEEK HE SAVED THE LIVES OF TWELVE OF HIS PATIENTS....HE TOOK A WEEK OFF FROM THE HOSPITAL.

FIRST THING HE DID WHEN I WENT THERE WAS TO FEEL M'NOSE. I SAID, "DOC, I'M NOT A DOG!" AND HE SAID, "STAND STILL, YOUNG MAN - LET ME FIND THESE THINGS OUT FOR M'SELF."

THIS DOCTOR REALLY KNOWS HIS BUSINESS. WHY, HE JUST OPERATED ON UNCLE CYPE. PORE UNCLE CYPE BURNED HIS FINGERS, SO THE DOCTOR TOOK SOME SKIN OFF'N UNCLE CYPE'S MOUTH AND GRAFTED IT ONTO HIS BURNED FINGERS. UNCLE CYPE'S REAL POPULAR NOW IN THE LOCAL BAR AND GRILL. HE'S GOT THE ONLY FINGERS THAT CAN BLOW THE FOAM OFF'N A GLASS OF BEER!

(ROD CONT. OVER)

ROD:  
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COURSE, UNCLE CYPE WOULDN'T HAVE BURNED HIS FINGERS IN THE FIRST PLACE IF'N ONE OF HIS STILLSHADN'T OF BLOWN UP. WHAT A MESS! FOR MILES AROUND THE AIR WAS 100 PROOF! IF YOU TOOK A BREATH YOU HADDA TAKE A CHASER! HE WAS MAKIN' LUMBERMAN'S WHISKEY. ONE DRINK, AND YOU'RE STIFF AS A BOARD!

WE ALL THOUGHT AUNT SAP'D NEVER LET UNCLE CYPE HAVE A STILL IN THE CELLAR AGAIN. BUT, AS THINGS TURNED OUT, SHE WAS REAL HAPPY ABOUT THE STILL BLOWIN' UP. YOU SEE, IT WAS THE FIRST TIME SHE AND CYPE'D BEEN OUT TOGETHER IN SIXTEEN YEARS.

FUNNY THING ABOUT THAT MARRIAGE. FROM THE MOMENT UNCLE CYPE SEEN AUNT SAP, HE COULDN'T RESIST 'ER. SHE HAD A "WRY" (RYE) FACE.!

M'GAL SUSIE AIN'T THAT-AWAY, THOUGH. SHE'S JUST AS BEAUTIFUL AS EVER. THEM EYES, THEM LIPS, THOSE TOOTH! WHY, WHEN I SQUEEZE SUSIE'S DAINTY LI'L FINGERS IT FEELS LIKE - WELL, ANYBODY HERE EVER MILK A COW?

ONLY THING WRONG WITH SUSIE IS SHE HAS SUCH SHORT TEETH. HER TEETH IS SO SHORT THAT EVER' TIME SHE EATS A HOT DOG, SHE DON'T GET NOTHIN' BUT MUSTARD!

COURSE, SUSIE'S BEAUTIFUL, BUT SHE AIN'T THE BRAINIEST GAL IN THE WORLD. LAST WEEK SHE ET A BOX O' MOTHBALLS, THINKIN' THEY WAS CANDY. BUT IT TURNED OUT ALL RIGHT. SHE GOT A JOB BREATHIN' ON OVERCOATS!

(ROD CONT. OVER)

ROD:  
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WELL, I'D LIKE TO STAY AND CHEW THE FAT WITH Y'ALL, BUT I GOTTA GO BACK TO THE FARM AND TAKE CARE O' MY COWS. I GOT ME SOME OF THE MOST ATHLETIK COWS YOU EVER SEEN. THEY EVEN CARRY THEIR OWN PUNCHIN' BAGS! ANOTHER REASON I GOTTA GET BACK IS TO LOOK AFTER M' JOB AS CONSULTANT WITH A DAIRY FARM IN THE TROPICS. I BEEN ADVISIN' 'EM DOWN THERE HOW TO GET MILK FROM COCONUTS. OF COURSE, IT'S VERY HARD WORK - GETTIN' MILK FROM COCONUTS. YOU JUST HAVE TO SET ON A HIGHER STOOL!

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

(APPLAUSE...PLAY OFF)

TURNER: <sup>55</sup>  
7:35 HANK, ARE YOU PLANNING ON DOING A LITTLE HUNTING THIS SEASON?

SNOW: <sup>58</sup>  
7:35 PLANNIN'? MAN, I'VE GOT BOTH BARRELS OF M' SHOT GUN SHININ' LIKE A RABBIT'S EYES IN A CARROT PATCH!

TURNER: <sup>03</sup>  
7:36 WELL, ALONG WITH AMMUNITION FOR YOUR GUN, DON'T FORGET TO TAKE ALONG PLENTY OF TOBACCO FOR YOUR PIPE -- AND I'M TALKING ABOUT MILD, TASTY, NATURAL-FLAVORED PRINCE ALBERT, SON!

SNOW: <sup>13</sup>  
7:36 YOU SURE DON'T HAVE TO REMIND ME, GRANT! I WOULDN'T GO ANYWHERE WITHOUT A TIN OF P.A. WHAT I LIKE IS, YOU ALWAYS GET NATURAL FLAVOR IN PRINCE ALBERT EVERY PIPEFUL.

(TURNER OVER)

<sup>v8</sup>  
TURNER: 7:36 THAT'S BECAUSE PRINCE ALBERT IS SPECIALLY PROCESSED TO  
HOLD AND HEIGHTEN THE AGED-IN, NATURAL GOODNESS OF P.A.'S  
CHOICE TOBACCO! YES, NATURE IN HER OWN SURE WAY PUT THE  
FLAVOR IN P.A. -- BUT THE PRINCE ALBERT PROCESS IS WHAT  
KEEPS IT THERE! MEN, MAKE YOUR NEXT PIPEFUL OR MAKIN'S  
CIGARETTE WITH COOL-SMOKING PRINCE ALBERT -- THE NATIONAL,  
NATURAL JOY SMOKE!

<sup>58</sup>  
HANK: 7:36 WE ALL MISSED TONIGHT'S GUEST WHEN HE WAS AWAY SOLDIERIN',  
AND WE'RE SURE, MIGHTY HAPPY TO HAVE 'IM BACK WITH US NOW.  
FOLKS -- FARON YOUNG!

(APPLAUSE)

(HANK ASKS FARON ABOUT PERSONAL APPEARANCES, ANY ANECDOTES  
ABOUT ARMY LIFE, ETC...)

MUSIC: <sup>10</sup> A Place For Girls Like You  
7:38 "~~IN THE CHAPEL IN THE MOONLIGHT~~"...FARON YOUNG

(APPLAUSE)

(INTO SQUARE DANCE...DOWN FOR)

<sup>05</sup>  
HANK: 7:40 FARON, YOU'VE EARNED YOURSELF A DANCE WITH THE PRETTIEST,  
SO LET'S ALL DANCE AS DALE POTTER FIDDLES "IDA RED"!

MUSIC: <sup>12</sup>  
7:40 "IDA RED"...SQUARE DANCE

(APPLAUSE)

(INTO ACCORDIAN B. G....DOWN FOR:)

(HANK OVER)

HANK: <sup>12</sup> 7:41 I GOTTA ADMIT MY FONDNESS FOR SACRED SONGS..IT'S SORT OF IN OUR BLOOD IN MY FAMILY. ONE OF OUR FAVORITES IS THIS'N..

*It is No Secret*  
~~"FARTHER ALONG"~~..

MUSIC: <sup>14</sup> 7:44 *It is No Secret*  
~~"FARTHER ALONG"~~...HANK SNOW

(APPLAUSE)

HANK: <sup>34</sup> 7:43 THANKS, FOLKS, THANKS A LOT..WELL, HERE COMES A FRIEND OF OURS WITH SOMETHIN' MIGHTY IMPORTANT ON HIS MIND!

(SWITCH TO ALL POINTS...)

TURNER: <sup>40</sup> 7:43 WE MENTIONED A LITTLE WHILE AGO HOW WONDERFUL PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO IS FOR ROLL-YOUR OWNS. MAYBE WE OUGHT TO ENLARGE ON THAT A BIT.

SNOW: <sup>49</sup> 7:43 WELL, TO BEGIN WITH, PRINCE ALBERT'S SO EASY TO ROLL!

TURNER: <sup>54</sup> 7:43 YES, P.A. IS CRIMP CUT..DOESN'T BLOW AROUND OR DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS. THE MILD, TASTY, NATURAL-TOBACCO FLAVOR IS LOCKED IN, DUE TO PRINCE ALBERT'S OWN SPECIAL PROCESS, PERFECTED OVER A PERIOD OF NEARLY 50 YEARS!

SNOW: <sup>66</sup> 7:44 P. A. IS SURE ECONOMICAL, TOO, FOLKS! YOU'LL FIND THAT EITHER IN A ROLL-YOUR-OWN OR A PIPE, THE LADIES ALWAYS SEEM TO COTTON TO THAT FRESH, CLEAN AROMA WHEN YOU LIGHT UP PRINCE ALBERT AROUND 'EM!

(TURNER OVER)

TURNER: 7:44<sup>18</sup> FOR TOBACCO, AS NATURE MEANT TOBACCO TO BE, ROLL YOUR NEXT  
"MAKIN'S" SMOKE WITH PRINCE ALBERT!

JINGLE: 7:44<sup>25</sup> 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 PIANO..DOWN FOR:)

HANK: 7:44<sup>45</sup> MONSOOR MOON MULLICAN PLAYS UP A STORM ON THE PIANO NOW --  
AND IF EVERYTHING GOES THE WAY HE'S PLANNED IT, IT'LL ALL  
COME OUT "~~I'LL SAIL MY SHIP ALONE~~"! MOON MULLICAN!

MUSIC: 7:44<sup>58</sup> *Mean Mama Blues*  
"~~I'LL SAIL MY SHIP ALONE~~"...MOON MULLICAN

(APPLAUSE)

HANK: 7:46<sup>27</sup> THINGS HAVE BEEN GOIN' ABOUT AS EXPECTED DOWN IN GRINDER'S  
SWITCH THE PAST WEEK - WHICH MEANS, IT'S BEEN REAL HECTIC!  
HERE TO TELL US ALL ABOUT IT -- COUSIN MINNIE PEARL!

(APPLAUSE...PLAY ON)

MINNIE: 7:46<sup>43</sup> HOW-DEE! I'M JES' SO PROUD T'BE HERE!  
IT'S NICE T'BE AROUND HERE WITH ALL THESE NICE FELLERS.  
THEY SAY SUCH NICE THINGS ABOUT ME. I HEARD ONE OF 'EM  
SAYIN' THAT I WAS AS REFRESHIN' AS A COOL BREEZE THE WAY  
HE PUT IT, HE SAID "EVER' TIME I SEE THAT THERE MINNIE  
PEARL, IT MAKES ME SHIVVER!"

(MINNIE CONT. OVER)

MINNIE:  
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I PICK UP A LOT OF THINGS AROUND HERE BECAUSE I GOT ME SUCH SHARP EARS. I HAVE. I GOT REAL SHARP EARS. IF YOU DON'T THINK SO, YOU SHOULD SEE HOW ALL THE KEYHOLES ARE SCRATCHED UP!

COURSE, I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT FELIERS AS LONG'S I GOT MY HEZZY. HEZZY KEEPS TELLIN' ME THAT I'M ALL THE WORLD TO HIM -- THEN HE STARTS TELLIN' HOW THE WORLD IS GOIN' TO RACK AND RUIN!

UNCLE NABOB SAYS THE WORLD AIN'T GONNA BE IN SUCH BAD SHAPE AS LONG AS THEY KEEP MAKIN' GIRDLES.

I WAS READIN' IN THE PAPER THE OTHER NIGHT AND I SAYS, "LOOK HERE, UNCLE NABOB, IT SAYS HERE THAT IT'S POSSIBLE TO DEVELOP AN ATOMIC ENGINE THAT LL PUT OUT MORE POWER THAN THE TENNESSEE VALLEY DAM". AND HE SAYS, "YEAH - BUT CAN YOU FISH IN IT?" WELL, THE BIG NEWS IN GRINDER'S SWITCH THIS WEEK WAS OUR ANNUAL AND YEARLY BABY SHOW. EVERYBODY KNOWED WE WAS PUTTIN' ON THE BABY SHOW JUST FROM THE WEATHER REPORT. IT SAID "VERY DAMP TODAY, FOLLOWED BY SQUALLS!"..

THEY ASKED UNCLE NABOB TO BE ONE OF THE JUDGES AT THE BEST BABY SHOW, BUT HE WAS KINDA SKEERED OF IT. HE SAYS "SUPPOSE THEY WANT ME TO HOLD ONE O' THEM THERE BABIES? I WOULDN'T KNOW HOW TO HOLD ONE" AND LINK SHANK SAYS, "SHUCKS, NABOB, T'AIN'T NOTHIN' TO IT. WHEN HOLDIN' A BABY, JUST USE THE SAME GRIP YOU'D USE ON A BOTTLE!"

(MINNIE CONT. OVER)



MINNIE:  
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SALINA BUTTLESCUTT ENTERED HER YOUNGEST YOUNG'UN AND SHE TRIED RIGHT OFF TO IMPRESS THE JUDGES. SHE SAYS, "MY BABY IS AWFUL BRIGHT. HE'S A YEAR AND A HALF OLD NOW AND HE'S BEEN WALKIN' SINCE HE'S BEEN EIGHT MONTHS OLD"..AND LINK SHANK SAYS "THAT'S SO? WALKIN' SINCE HE'S BEEN EIGHT MONTHS? MUST BE MIGHTY TIRED BY NOW!"

SUKIE SWIVEL WAS BRAGGIN' ABOUT HOW SMART HER YOUNG'UN WAS. SHE SAYS HE SPOKE HIS FIRST WORD WHEN HE WAS ONLY A WEEK OLD. WHEN THEY PINNED 'ER DOWN TO TELL WHAT THE FIRST WORD WAS THAT THE BABY SAID, SHE SAYS "I COULD HEAR IT PLAIN AS ANYTHING; HE SAID, "BURP!"

BUT THEY HAD ONE CUTE LITTLE BABY THERE..A LITTLE PINK, DIMPLED THING THAT -

ROD: HI-DEE, MISS MINNIE!

MINNIE: ROD BRASFIELD! I GUESS YOU'RE ALL RIGHT IN THIS BABY TALK WE'RE HAVIN'. YOU COME FROM A BIG FAMILY, DON'T YOU?

ROD: BIG? MINNIE, MY BROTHER SAGAMORE CLAIMS I'M ONLY DISTANTLY RELATED TO 'IM ON ACCOUNT OF HE WAS MY MOTHER'S FIRST CHILD AND I WAS THE EIGHTEENTH!

MINNIE: ROD, THAT'S NOT A FAMILY, THAT'S A SETTLEMENT! I UNDERSTAND THE REASON YOU HAD SUCH A BIG FAMILY IS ON ACCOUNT OF YOUR FOLKS WOULD FIND SOME CLOTHES THAT WASN'T WORE OUT AND HAD TO HAVE A CHILD TO WEAR 'EM!

(ROD OVER)

ROD: MIN, YOU'RE RIGHT! AND BELIEVE ME, THEY SURE HAD A TIME MAKIN' THE KIDS AND THE CLOTHES COME OUT EVEN! MY PAPPY ALWAYS SAID THAT THERE'S NOTHIN' LIKE THE FATTER OF LITTLE FEET CRASHIN' THROUGH THE HOUSE.

MINNIE: WELL, IT LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE GOT A BIGGER FAMBLY THAN ORSON TUGWELL. THEY'VE HAD 'EM TWENTY-FOUR. THE LAST TIME THE CENSUS TAKER COME THROUGH, MIZ TUGWELL HAD 'EM ALL LINED UP AND WHEN THE FELLER COUNTED 'EM ALL, HE COULDN'T BELIEVE HIS CENSUS!

WELL, I GOTTA BE GOIN' NOW! SEE Y'ALL NEXT WEEK!

(APPLAUSE...PLAY OFF)

HANK: <sup>12</sup> 7:50 YOU FOLKS FEEL THE SAME WAY I DO ABOUT ANOTHER 'IN FROM FARON YOUNG?

(RESPONSE)

MUSIC: <sup>13</sup> 7:50 *In the Chapel in the Moonlight*  
"A PLACE FOR GIBBS LIKE YOU"...FARON YOUNG

(APPLAUSE)

(INTO BANJO..DOWN FOR:)

HANK: <sup>50</sup> 7:52 HERE COMES A BLUE RIBBON WINNER IN OUR TOWN..MR. GUITAR HIMSELF, CHET ATKINS, PLAYING FOR YOU, "SAN ANTONE ROSE"..

MUSIC: <sup>58</sup> 7:52 "SAN ANTONE ROSE"..CHET ATKINS

(APPLAUSE)

(INTO GUITAR STRUM..DOWN FOR:)

(HANK OVER)

HANK: 7:54<sup>38</sup> SORTA EARNIN' MY KEEP AROUND HERE, I'LL ENDEAVOR TO SING  
Y'ALL OUR RECORDED VERSION OF "I DON'T HURT ANYMORE"..  
HOPE YOU'LL LIKE IT....

MUSIC: 7:54<sup>32</sup> "I DON'T HURT ANYMORE"..HANK SNOW

(APPLAUSE)

(INTO SQUARE DANCE..DOWN FOR:...."TURKEY IN STRAW")

HANK: 7:57<sup>31</sup> FOLKS, MUCH AS WE HATE TO SAY IT, THAT'S ALL FOR THIS  
EVENIN!.. BUT WE'LL COME CALLIN' FOR YOU IN THE BUCKBOARD  
A WEEK FROM TONIGHT WHEN COWBOY COPAS WILL BE HEAD MAN..  
WITH GOLDIE HILL AS HIS PRETTY GUEST! 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

ENG SWITCH TO STUDIO FOR CAVALIER HITCH HIKE

COBB: 7:58<sup>15</sup> DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK..A CIGARETTE IS ONLY AS MILD AS  
THE FEEL IF ITS SMOKE? THOUSANDS OF SMOKERS HAVE LEARNED  
THIS -- SMOKERS WHO HAVE SHIFTED TO KING-SIZE CAVALIERS.  
IN CAVALIERS' SMOKE THEY FIND MILDNESS WHERE IT COUNTS --  
SMOOTH EASY MILDNESS YOU FEEL!

OVERTON: 7:58<sup>33</sup> NO WONDER, WHEN THOUSANDS OF SMOKERS, IN GROUP AFTER GROUP,  
FROM COAST TO COAST, COMPARED CAVALIERS WITH THE CIGARETTES  
THEY'D BEEN SMOKING, 8 OUT OF 10 INTERVIEWED SAID  
CAVALIERS ARE MILDER!

(COBB OVER)

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COBB: 7:58<sup>45</sup> AND NO WONDER KING-SIZE CAVALIERS ARE GROWING IN  
POPULARITY SO FAST! TRY CAVALIERS AND SEE! FEEL THAT EXTRA  
MILDNESS -- SO LIGHT, SO SMOOTH! TASTE THAT FLAVOR -- THE  
FINE, DISTINCTIVE FLAVOR OF THE WORLD'S ARISTOCRATIC  
TOBACCOS!

TRY KING-SIZE CAVALIERS.

FEEL THAT MILDNESS!

TASTE THAT FLAVOR!

THAT'S A CAVALIER!

CAVALIERS ARE KING-SIZE, BUT PRICED NO HIGHER THAN LEADING  
REGULAR-SIZE BRANDS. GET A CARTON!

TWO SECOND PAUSE

STUDIO  
ANNCR: 7:59<sup>12</sup>

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