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AND

PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO

PRESENT

GRAND OLE OPRY

SATURDAY JUNE 14, 1952

7:30-8:00 PM

From the stage of The Ryman Auditorium Mashville, Tennessee 1:30.00/2

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

APPLAUSE & CHEERS WITH SONG INTRO. HOLD TILL RED SINGS:

MUSIC: "NIGHT TRAIN TO MEMPHIS" ... FOLEY

APPLAUSE

732.02

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: RED, HERE WE ARE, BACK IN NASHVILLE AFTER A WONDERFUL TWO WEEKS IN NEW YORK--AND ALL THE FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS HAVE GATHERED TO SAY HOWDY TO EVERYBODY, INCLUDING ROD BRASFIELD! MINNIE PEARL! THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS! STRINGBEAN! AND THE ENTIRE GANG!

THERE'S SOMEBODY ELSE THE FOLKS'VE COME OUT TO GREET, TOO, GRANT-THAT FINE SINGIN' STAR-- MERLE TRAVISI .. (APPLAUSE).. WE'RE
HAVIN' MERLE OUT HERE IN A FEW MINUTES, FRIENDS..BUT RIGHT NOW I
WANT YOU TO MEET ANOTHER KIND OF STAR-+ THE KIND TO TICKLE YOUR
FUNNY-BONE. HE'S THE HOHENWALD FLASH-- ROD BRASFIELD!

APPLAUSE . PLAY ON

ROD: 723 WELL THANK YE MEN-- I COULDDA SWORE THAT WAS MUSICY

MR. FOLEY, I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR THAT WONDERFUL BIRTHDAY PRESENT

YOU GIVE ME....

FOLEY: 7:33.15
FOLEY: DID YOU LIKE IT, ROD???

ROD: 7:33.70

ROD: 1 SURE DID, MR. FOLEY. JUST WHAT I NEEDED--A BEAUTIFUL SMOKIN'

JACKET!

I FIGURED YOU'D LIKE A SMOKIN! JACKET, RODNEY ... FOLEY1

7:33.27

I JUST LOVE IT, MR. FOLEY. ONLY THING IS, NO MATTER HOW I TRY TO STUFF IT IN MY PIPE, THE SLEEVES KEEP HANGIN! OUT!

1:33.35

NOW ROD, I'M SURPRISED AT YOU -- EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT THE BEST THING IN A PIPE IS PRINCE ALBERT

YOU SURE CAN SAY THAT AGAIN AND AGAIN!

FOLEY: BY THE WAY ROD, WHAT DID YOUR GAL SUSTE GIVE YOU?

GIVE ME A NECKTIE ...

FOLEY: 135.53 A NECKTIE? THAT'S REAL FINE!

-1 EVEN WRIT A SONG ABOUT IT!

FOLEY: YOU WROTE A SONG ABOUT A NECKTIE? WHAT'S IT CALLED???

YOU UNDER MY CHIN!" (LAUGHS) I JUST LOVE TO GET ONE ON HIM LIKE THAT! (STOPS) HI-DY FRIENDS ... (WEATHER)

7:34.23

FOLEY: ONE THING ABOUT THAT GAL OF YOURS, ROD - SHE SEEMS KINDA LIKE THE COLD TYPE TO ME ...

SUSIE COLD? WHY MR. FOLEY, DO YOU KNOW SOMETHIN'? HER KISSES ARE LIKE SOMETHIN' ELECTRIC!

I KNOW... A REFRIGERATOR!

THAT'S RIGHT, A REFRI----AWWW FLITTER! BUT SHE'S A GOOD OLE GAL MR. FOLEY .. COURSE, WE HAVE OUR FIGHTS. MATTER OF FACT, WE HAD A FIGHT JUST LAST NIGHT. I ACCUSED SUSIE OF GOIN! OUT WITH SAILORS ..

YEP. BUT SHE DENIED IT. SHE TOLD ME SHE NEVER EVEN TALKED TO A SALLOR IN HER WHOLE LIFE, SO I SAYS "OKAY SUSIE, I'M SORRY. WHERE LL I MEET YOU TONIGHT?" AND SHE SAYS "MEET ME AT SIX BELLS ON THE STARBOARD SIDE OF PIER 57. "!

MR. FOLEY, DID I EVER TELL YOU THAT SUSTERS FATHER USED TO BE-A BIG FOOTBALL STAR???

FOLEY: 73 DON'T REMEMBER YOU EVER SAYIN' ANYTHING ABOUT HER DADDY BEIN' A FOOTBALL STAR, ROD...

YEP .. I FOUND OUT THE OTHER NIGHT. HE'S A PLACE-KICKER.

7:35,02 FOLEY: A PLACE-KICKER???

ROD: 7:35 / VEP .. AND I CAN SHOW YOU THE PLACE!

I FEEL KINDA SORRY FOR SUSIE, IN A WAY. YOU SEE, MR. FOLEY, IF THE WAR HADN'T COME ALONG, WE MIGHT OF BEEN MARRIED. PORE SUSIE. EVER! TIME SHE WALKS THROUGH THE PARK AND SEES THAT BIG SIGN THAT SAYS "JOIN THE PARATROOPERS!" SHE THINKS OF ME. THAT!S THE WAY I SPENT THE WHOLE WAR, YOU KNOW....

FOLEY: SERVING IN THE PARATROOPERS???

ROD: 7.35.33 ROD: NO, HIDIN' BEHIND THAT SIGN!

SUSIE WAS GOIN' INTO THE SERVICE HERSELF. BUT SHE WAS REJECTED ..

FOLEY: HOW COME SUSTE WAS REJECTED FOR THE SERVICE?

ROD: 7: WELL, HER FACE WAS TOO WACKY FOR THE WAVES, AND HER FIGURE WAS TOO WAVY FOR THE WAC'S! (ROD STARTS TO LAUGH) A LITTLE) MR.) FOLEY. I GOT A CONFESSION TO MAKE. KNOW WHEN WE WAS UP THERE IN NEW YORK CITY?

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7/24. FOLEY! YEAH. WHAT ABOUT IT?
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RODE TO SEE MET ME A PRENCH DALL.

FOLEY Y YOU MET A FRENCH GAL? WHAT WAS HER NAME?

-RODA / PIPE

EGLETTY DID TOO HAVE A GOOD TIME?

RODATE TOUTH OUT

FOLEY: WHAT DID YOU DOS

ROD: WOO WOO!

MR. FOLEY, BEFORE I GOT ME A LITTLE POEM I WRIT. ..

7:36-30

FOLEY: WELL, GO AHEAD, ROD. RECITE IT ...

y, 36.32

ROD: OKAY, I WILL. "THERE ONCE WAS A GIRL NAMED MABEL ..

WHO DID A RHUMBA OUT IN THE STABLE ..

THE COW GOT THE NOTION

TO TRY THE SAME MOTION

...BUTTERMILK! "

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

APPLAUSE . . PLAY OFF

7:36.50

GRANT: RED, TOMORROW IS FATHER'S DAY! GOT ANYTHING SPECIAL TO SAY TO THE DADS??

7:36.55

and children

FOLEY: WELL, I GIVE 'EM MY GREETINGS AND BLESSINGS--AND FOR THE MOTHERS, A I HAVE THIS TO SAY: 6-MESS, DAD WILL CERTAINLY BE HAPPY TOMORROW WITH A NICE BIG POUND-TIN OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO!

(GRANT OVER)

7:37.07

GRANT: THAT'S RIGHT, LADIES! IT'S A PERFECT GIFT FOR DAD'S SPECIAL DAY!

YOU SEE, PRINCE ALBERT IS A SPECIAL TOBACCO -- SPECIALLY TREATED TO

INSURE AGAINST TONGUE BITE!

7:37.15

FOLEY: YES'M, THE BITE'S OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN! GOLLY, JUST WATCH HIS EYES LIGHT UP AS HE LIGHTS UP A PIPEFUL OF PRINCE ALBERT'S CHOICE TOBACCO!

7:37.22

GRANT: PRINCE ALBERT IS CRIMP CUT, TOO -- SO HE'LL ENJOY P.A.'S LONG-BURNING SMOOTH-SMOKING TOBACCO!

7:37.30

THAT MAN IN YOUR LIFE SMOKES IT AROUND THE HOUSE. SO, GET HIM THE PERFECT FATHER'S DAY GIFT-- A BIG POUND-TIN OF PRINCE ALBERT, AMERICA'S LARGEST-SELLIN' SMOKIN' TOBACCO!

SINGING: "THE BITE IS OUT AND THE PLEASURE'S IN

WHEN YOU SMOKE PRINCE ALBERT!

IT'S SPECIALLY TREATED NOT TO BITE YOUR TONGUE ...

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

7, 37,58

FOLEY: WE DON'T SEE THIS FELLA COMIN' OUT NOW QUITE OFTEN ENOUGH. HE'S A
BUSY SON-UV-A-GUN AND IT SEEMS EVER'BODY WANTS HIM TO COME SEE 'EM.
WELL, TONIGHT HE'S HERE ON THE PRINCE ALBERT OPRY, SO GIVE YOUR
BEST SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY TO-- MERLE TRAVIS!

1:38.24

FOLEY: MERLE, USUALLY WE ASK OUR VISITORS WHAT THEY BEEN DOIN' SINCE WE LAST SAW 'EM. BUT YOU'RE KINDA THE STUDIOUS TYPE, SO I'M GONNA ASK YOU, HAVE YOU READ ANY GOOD BOOKS LATELY?

7:38.35

MERLE: YES RED, NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT, I HAVE.. I READ ONE COMIN' DOWN HERE NAMED "SMOKY MOUNTAIN COUNTRY" BY MR. NORTH CALLAHAN. IT'S A DINGER.

7:38.45

BOOK ABOUT THE GREAT STATE OF TENNESSEE, AND THERE'S ONE CHAPTER
THERE THAT JUST MADE ME FEEL REAL FINE:
7: 28.50

RLE: I KNOW--IT'S ON PAGE 1381-- ABOUT OUR GRAND OLEO OPRY!

FOLEY: IT SURE IS..AND I WANNA TELL YOU, WE WERE ALL MIGHTY PROUD TO BE
WRITTEN UP IN A BOOK LIKE THAT, BUT DAWGONE IT, HERE WE BEEN JAWIN'
ABOUT LITERARY THINGS AND WE ALMOST FORGOT ABOUT PICKIN' AND
SINGIN'! WHAT'S THE FIRST SONG YOU HAVE FOR US, MERLE TRAVIS?
7:39.12

MERLE: IT'S A SONG I HAD THE PLEASURE OF RECORDIN' RECENTLY, CALLED "JOHN HENRY"!

7:39.20

MUSIC: "JOHN HENRY" .. MERLE TRAVIS

APPLAUSE

7:41.33

FOLEY: MAN, YOU CAN COME BACK ANY TIME YOU'VE A MIND TO! YOU'RE ALWAYS
AS WELCOME AS A WHOLE POUND, FATHER'S-DAY TIN OF PRINCE ALBERT!

INTO SQUARE DANCE TUNE-UP

7:41.42

FOLEY: FOLKS, IF YOU LIKE SQUARE-DANCIN' THEN TOMMY JACKSON'S YOUR MAN,
BECAUSE HE AIMS TO FIDDLE "ARKANSAS TRAVELLER" FOR YOU RIGHT NOW!
HERE WE GO!

7:41.50

MUSIC: "ARKANSAS TRAVELLER" ... SQUARE DANCE

APPLAUSE

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

MUSIC: "THERE'S A LIGHT GUIDING ME" ... FOLEY

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: THANKS FOLKS, THANKS A LOT. NOW THEN, WHO'S THAT A-COMIN' DOWN THE ROAD? WHY WHO ELSE BUT THAT BUDDY OF OURS WITH SOMETHING VERY IMPORTANT ON HIS MIND! COME ON IN, FRIEND!

(ALL STATIONS SWITCH ON CUE: "....SOMETHING VERY IMPORTANT ON HIS MIND! COME ON IN FRIEND!"

GRANT: RED, IF SOMEBODY ASKED YOU "WHAT'S THE FASTEST-ROLLING CIGARETTE TOBACCO?"...WHAT WOULD YOU SAY???

FOLEY: MAN, YOU KNOW EXACTLY WHAT I'D SAY! I'D SAY PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO -- PLUS, OF COURSE, AN O.C.B. PAPER!

GRANT: AND YOU'D SURE DE RIGHT! P.A.'S A QUICK-ROLLING TOBACCO BECAUSE

IT'S A CRIMP CUT TOBACCO. THAT MEANS IT'S A TIME-SAVER!

FOLEY: IT SURE IS! PRINCE ALBERT, BEIN' CRIMP CUT, DOESN'T BLOW AROUND OR DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS! P.A. STAYS RIGHT IN THAT PAPER WHERE IT

GRANT: AND NOT ONLY DOES IT ROLL FAST AND SMOOTH, BUT IT ALSO ROLLS WELL-GIVING YOU THE NEAT, CLOSE-PACKED "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE YOUTHE BEEN LOCKING FOR!

7,46.15

FOLEY: YOU FELLAS CHI THERE, YOU GET YOURSELVES SOME PRINCE ALBERT AND SEE WHAT A FINE, CHOICE TOBACCO PRINCE ALBERT IS! MAN, HATTELLIN YOU; YOU'LL BE REAL PLEASED! GOLLY, NO WONDER FOLKS CALL PRINCE ALBERT "THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE!"

7:44.27

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!"

7.46.53

FOLEY: THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS'VE BEEN BUSY WHILE WE BEEN GONE, LEARNIN'

UP SOME NEW FOUR-PART MARMONY SONGS. AND ONE OF THE BEST IS THIS'N

THEY'RE GONNA SING US NOW.."

MUSIC: " Prince all mine, ". OLD HICKORYS

APPLAUSE

7.48.45

FOLEY: THE GOSSIP OF GRINDER'S SWITCH IS ABOUT TO COME OUT HERE NOW, AND BELIEVE YOU ME, SHE'S GOT PLENTY TO TELL YOU ABOUT HER TRIP TO THE BIG CITY. HERE SHE IS..PRINCE ALBERT'S FAVORITE PRINCESS, AND OUR BEST GAL...COUSIN MINNIE PEARL!

APPLAUSE AND PLAY ON 7:49.04

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

I SURE HAD ME A NICE TIME IN NEW YORK, BUT DO YOU KNOW WHAT WAS
THE FIRST THING I DONE WHEN I LANDED BACK IN TENNESSEE? I WENT
RIGHT DOWN AND KISSED THE GROUND! -----SOME DURN FOOL PUT A SUITCASE IN MY PATH!

(MINNIE CONTID OVER)

MINNIE:

WAY THE HANDSOME YOUNG FELLERS WOULD SMILE AT ME...AFTER THEY
GOT PAST, THEY'D LAUGH RIGHT OUT LOUD!

ME WAS PLAYIN' AT A PLACE CALLED THE ASTOR ROOF. WHEN I WRIT MAMMY AND TOLD HER I WAS PLAYIN' ON THE ASTOR POOF SHE WRIT BACK AND SAYS "I S'POSE IT'S ALRIGHT TO PLAY ON THE ROOF, BUT BE CAREFUL OR YOU'LL GET YOURSELF FULL OF SLIVERS FROM THE SHINGLES!"

THE MANAGER OF THE HOTEL SURE WAS NICE TO US. HE SAID WE GOULD DO ANYTHING WE WANTED TO MAKE US FELL RIGHT AT HOME. UNCLE NABOB SAYS "NOW THAT'S RIGHT NEIGHBORLY OF NE. WHEN 6 O'CLOCK COMES AROUND, HOW ABOUT LETTIN' ME GO OUT AND SLOR THE PIGS?"

GOT LOST. I DIDN'T KNOW WHERE I WAS AT: I COULDN'T TELL WHAT STREET I WAS ON SECAUSE THE SIGNS DIDN'T HAVE ANY NAMES ON'EM, JUST NUMBERS I FINALLY WOUND UP AT WHAT MUST HAVE BEEN THE CORNER OF HICKORY AND DICKORY...IT WAS RIGHT NEAR THE DOCK!

BUT NICE FELLER COME ALONG AND GIVE ME A RIDE IN HIS NICE YELLER AUTOMOBILE RIGHT BACK TO THE HOTEL. AND ONLY CHARGED ME \$1.85
TAXI FARE!

BROTHER SURE HAD HISSELF A TIME UP IN NEW YORK. HE MET A LOT OF IMPORTANT MEN UP THERE. ONE FELLER TOLD BROTHER THAT IF HE'D GIVE HIM \$50.00 HE'D SHOW BROTHER HOW TO CLEAN UP IN WALL STREET.

BROTHER GIVE 'IM THE \$50 AND THE FELLER TOOK HIM RIGHT DOWN TO WALL STREET AND HANDED HIM A BROOM AND A CART!

7:50.06

MINNIE:

I TOOK BROTHER OR TO THE ZOO, AND MAYBE I SHOULDN'T OF DONE IT..

THEY STOPPED US AT THE GATE WHEN WE WAS GOIN! OUT AND MADE BROTHER

TAKE A BLOOD TEST TO PROVE HE DIDN'T BELONG THERE!

UNCLE NABOB WAS WITH US AT THE ZOO, AND WHEN WE COME TO WHERE THERE WAS A GREAT BIG OLE FAT HIPPOPOTAMUS, UNCLE NABOB PUT HIS HAND UP TO HIS HEAD AND SAID "MY GOSH! I FORGOT TO WRITE HOME TO MY WIFE!"

"IS THAT A MAMA HIPPOPOTAMUS OR A PAPA HIPPOPOTAMUS?" AND THE
PELLER SAYS "SISTER, HOW COULD THAT POSSIBLY INTEREST ANYBODY EXCEPT ANOTHER HIPPOPOTAMUS?"

MY, YOU SHOULD SEE ALL THE PURTY GALS UP THERE IN NEW YORK. ALL THE GALS UP THERE IS PURTY. I WAS QUITE A NOVELTY. HERE'S THE MAIN DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE GALS IN NEW YORK AND THE GALS IN GRINDERS SWITCH....THE GALS IN GRINDERS SWITCH COUNT ON THEIR FINGERS...WHILE THE GALS IN NEW YORK COUNT ON THEIR LEGS!

COURSE I MISSED OUT ON ALL THE NEWS FROM GRINDERS SWITCH WHILE I WAS GONE, BUT I DIE FIND OUT THAT FLUDGE SMEED AND HIS WIFE HAVE A BRAND NEW BABY. I WENT OVER TO SEE THE BABY TOTHER DAY AND WHEN I COME BACK UNCLE NABOB ARKED ME WHO THE BABY LOOKED LIKE. I SAYS "WELL, IF YOU HOLD THE BABY ONE WAY IT LOOKS LIKE FLUDGE'S WIFE.. AND IF YOU HOLD IT THE OTHER WAY, IT LOOKS LIKE FLUDGE. COURSE, IF YOU HOLD IT THAT WAY TOO LONG, ALL THE BLOOD RUSHES TO ITS HEAD!"

WELL G'BYE NOW ... SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

FOLEY: 7.5 1.0 LIKE TO REMIND ALL YOU FOLKS AGAIN ABOUT TOMORROW BEIN'

FATHER'S DAY. AND IF YOU WANT TO GET DAD A GIFT HE'LL REALLY

APPRECIATE, THEN GET HIM THAT SPECIALLY-WRAPPED POUND-TIN OF

PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO. IT'S GOT A BEAUTIFUL RED-AND-YELLOW

FATHER'S DAY BAND AROUND THE TIN, WITH A NICE SPACE TO WRITE

YOUR NAME AND YOUR GREETING. SO EVEN IF YOU'VE ALREADY BOUGHT A

GIFT FOR DAD, GET HIM THIS EXTRA-SPECIAL POUND OF EXTRA-SPECIAL

CHOICE TOBACCO....PRINCE ALBERT, AMERICA'S LARGEST-SELLIN' SMOKIN'

TOBACCO! TO DAD, FROM YOU!

NOW WHILE WE'RE STILL TALKIN' ABOUT SOMETHIN' EXTRA SPECIAL, LET'S GET MERLE TRAVIS BACK ON OUT HERE!

MUSIC: 7:53.50

MUSIC: MERLE TRAVIS

APPLAUSE

INTO BANJO NUMBER ... DOWN ON CUE FOR:

FOLEY: 7:533 WILL RECOGNIZE THE ARTIST PLAYIN' FOR YOU NOW. HE'S STRINGBEAN!..
PICKIN' AND SINGIN' "CRIPPLE CREEK!"!

MUSIC: 755, 46

CRIPPLE CREEK"...STRINGBEAN

<u>APPLAUSE</u>

FOLEY: 7: GOT A LITTLE BALLAD HERE FOR YOU NOW. AND THIS BALLAD'S BEEN AS CLOSE TO ME THROUGH THE YEARS AS MY PIPE AND PRINCE ALBERT! THE SONG I'M REFERRIN' TO IS. "FORGIVE ME".

MUSIC: 7:4 FORGIVE ME" ... FOLEY

<u>APPLAUSE</u>

INTO SQUARE DANCE . DOWN FOR:

FOLEY: FRIENDS, IT'S BEEN MIGHTY GOOD OF YOU TO COME SEE US, AND IF
YOU'RE A MIND TO, WE'LL PICK YOU UP IN THE BUCKBOARD A WEEK FROM
TONIGHT. AT THAT TIME WE'RE BRINGING SOME SPECIAL GUESTS WITH
US...THE CARTER SISTERS! TILL THEN, THIS IS RED FOLEY, SAYIN'
THANKS FOR EVER'THING, AND I'LL BE SEEIN' YOU NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT
AT PRINCE ALBERT SMOKIN' TOBACCO'S GRAND OLE OPRY!

ANNCR: 7:5970
ANNCR: PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY CAME TO YOU FROM WSM IN NASHVILLE,
TENNESSEE....

Hear Vaughn Morror in 30 minutes on NBC.

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