PRINCE ALBERT GRAND OLE OPRY # 993

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18/1958

GRANT:

From the Ryman Auditorium in Nashville, Tennessee... the country music capitol of the world... here's the 993rd broadcast of the Grand Ole Opry... tonight starring... COWBOY COPAS!

(APPLAUSE)

MUSIC:

"DOWN IN NASHVILLE TENNESSEE".. COPAS

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

Thank you...thanks just a whole lot, neighbors...and welcome...
to the Grand Ole Opry. We've got a great list of entertainers lined
up for the show tonight and here's my good friend Grant Turner to
tell you who they are.

GRANT:

First off..., we've got that funny man from East Tennessee, Archie Campbell with us. Then... there're the Jordanaires... Hank Garland... Del Wood... Tommy Jackson and the Opry Square Dancers...

COPAS:

(BREAKING IN) And here as our special guest...the QUEEN of country music...MISS KITTY WELLS!

(APPLAUSE)

(COPAS OVER)

Kitty will be with us a little later on but right now it's my pleasure to introduce a singing group who are great favorites here at the Opry. Gordon Stoker and the Jordanaires...with...
"This Little Light of Mine."

(APPLAUSE)

MUSIC:

"THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE!". JORDS.

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

This Little Light of Mine, Thank you, Jordanaires... I know EVERYBODY enjoyed that, Now... it's guest time on the Grand Ole Opry... and I know our guest is a favorite of every one of you. So let's bring her out here... and let her know exactly how we feel... the queen of Country Music.... KITTY WELLS!!

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

Kitty...it sure is great to have you here at the Opry with us tonight.

KITTY:

Cope... I'm always happy to be here singin' for the folks.

COPAS:

An' they're grad to listen. Kitty... I know you've got two great songs out on Decca...tell me how they're goin'.

KITTY:

Pretty good, Copas...it's a little early to tell but we think they're gonna be big.

(COPAS OVER)

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You just bet they are. And now it's time you sang one of 'em. So here she is neighbors...Miss Kitty Wells...with one of her latest..."He's Lost His Love for Me."

(APPLAUSE)

MUSIC:

"HE'S LOST HIS LOVE FOR ME"... KITTY WELLS

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

Grant Turner, let's have your definition of a happy man.

GRANT:

Copas, I don't know that I can answer that, because it takes a tot of different things to make people happy. But I know one thing...

No man can be HAPPY...unless he's COMFORTABLE.

COPAS:

And ?

GRANT:

And I can't tell you what'll make a man COMFORTABLE...in general. (PAUSE) But I CAN tell you what'll make him comfortable when it comes to pipe smokin'.

COPAS:

I reckon you're talkin' about PRINCE ALBERT.?

GRANT:

Right. Prince Albert gives a man the most comfortable smoke he can get. P. A. 's always fresh.. and it's crimp cut, to burn even and slow. And P. A. sure has flavor and taste pipe smokers like.

Naturally. Prince Albert is made from fine tobaccos... and the

GOPAS:

Naturally. Prince Albert is made from fine tobaccos... and the special P.A. process locks IN all that goodness and flavor.

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GRANT:

And makin' men also prefer P.A. It rolls easy...smokes mild and mellow. Being crimp cut, P.A. doesn't blow around or dribble out the ends.

COPAS:

So makin' man or pipe smoker... light up with ?.A. and get a tasty...cool... COMFORTABLE smoke with Prince Albert...

America's largest selling smoking tobacco.

MUSIC:

"BILL CHEATHAM"...T. JACKSON..ESTAB...FADE UNDER AS BG FOR

COPAS:

Now here's my good friend Tommy Jackson and the Opry Square Dancers with some fast fiddle playin' and capers to an old timer called..."BILL CHEATHAM."

MUSIC:

"BILL CHEATHAM"...T. JACKSON AND SQUARE DANCERS

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

Great, Tommy Jackson, and Square Dancers. Just great. That's what it takes to get things really stirred up here at the Opry.

CUE:

SNEAK IN UNDERSCORE.. SOFTLY.. QUIETLY.. AS COPAS GOES ON"

(COPAS OVER IMMED.)

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COPAS:

But white we're dancin' and havin' a gay old time... none of us like to forget for one minute the blessings and goodness that we all enjoy in this old world of ours. And we all know from where those blessings come... and like to raise our voices in a hymn of praise. Here's one we like... I hope you do too. "The Man Upstairs."

MUSIC:

"THE MAN UPSTAIRS".. CORAS

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

Thank you neighbors...thanks a lot. And do me a big favor, will you? Tomorrow mornin'...pick out the church of your choice...and go. You'll really like it. Speakin' of likin' things... we've got a featured performer here at the Opry with us tonight who is really a great big favorite with all of you. He didn't turn in a number earlier...an' we really oughtn't to let him play... on account of that, But he picks a fine electric guitar....so we'll forgive him just this one time. Here he is...with a great number...your friend and mine...HANK GARLAND!!

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".. HANK GARLAND

(APPLAUSE)

(COPAS OVER)

Hank Garland and "______." Hank...you sure did play th' fire outs that number. Thanks so much for bein' with us tonight, Well now...we got another great featured entertainer here on the Opry with us tonight. He hails from East Tennessee...he's funnier than a barrel full of monkeys... his name's Archie Campbell...and his friends call him...

(APPLAUSE & PLAY ON)

CAMPBELL'S ROUTINE

APPLAUSE & PLAY OFF

COPAS:

You look mighty happy and contented, Archie. How come?

ARCH IE:

The answer is simple, Copas. You know how fussy I've always been about my pipe?

COPAS:

I sure do.

ARHC IE:

Well... I've discovered it isn't the pipe so much that makes for good smokin'. It's what you put in em.

(COPAS OVER)

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COPAS:

You mean Prince Albert Smokin! Tobacco, of course. P.A. in any pipe gives a smokin! man exactly what he wants,...a cool... tasty...satisfyin!...COMFORTABLE smoke. Prince Albert's always fresh. It's crimp cut...and that special P.A. process certainly locks IN all the natural flavor of the fine tobacco. Makin! men like P.A. too. It rolls easy...smokes mild and mellow. So All you smokers...discover real smokin! pleasure for yourself. Light up with America's largest selling smoking tobacco...PRINCE ALBERT!!

MUSIC:

TAG WITH JINGLE

COPAS:

Now it's time we heard from our guest again..., so here she is... to sing the other side of her great Decca record,...Miss Kitty Wells...with "Touch and Go Heart."

(APPLAUSE)

MUSIC:

"TOUCH AND GO HEART"...KITTY WELLS

(APPLAUSE)

"Touch and Go Heart"...thanks so much, Kitty Wells...and thanks a million for bein' here on the Opry with us. Now it's time we heard from another of our great featured performers...and when I say "great"... I mean just that. The queen of the country music piano players...Miss Del Wood..and one of HER latest records...
"The NEW Redwing."

(APPLAUSE)

MUSIC:

"NEW REDWING"... DEL WOOD

(APPLAUSE)

COPAS:

Thank you, Del...thanks just a whole lot. That was mighty fine.

GRANT:

Say, Cope...Cope can I butt in here for just a minute :

COPAS:

You certainly can, Grant Turner.

GRANT:

Before your final song... I want to get a little information from you. I know you been out on the road some...will you tell the folks about where you've been...and what you plan in the future?

COPAS:

AD LIBS BRIEFLY

GRANT:

Well, great. Now it's time for your song...so here he is, neighbors...
Cowbgy Copas, our star, with his latest Dot Record..."A World
That's Real."

(APPLAUSE)

MUSIC:

"A WORLD THAT'S REAL"...COPAS

(APPLAUSE)

(T. JACKSON OVER..)

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MUSIC:

SALLY ANN...T. JACKSON. FADE UNDER AS BG FOR:

COPAS:

We've got to go now, neighbors...but before we go I just want to tell you how nice it was havin' you here with us at the Grand Ole Opry. Next week I understand that ______ will be the star and bre'll have _____ with him. Till then...this is Cowboy Copas sayin' "Thanks" and we'll be seein' you NEXT week...at the GRAND...OLE....OPRY!!

MUSIC:

"SALLY ANN" UP... ALONG WITH TEN SECONDS OF APPLAUSE
ENG. SWITCH TO CONTROL ROOM FOR CAMEL HITCH HIKE ET...

TWO SECONDS PAUSE

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