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LIVE FROM THE GRAND OLE OPRY

On Nov. 28, 1925 George D. Hay, a young radio announcer, pronounced himself the 'Solemn Ole Judge,' and introduced an 80-year-old fiddle player, which launched the greatest country music entertainment attraction of all time—the Grand Ole Opry. Since then, America has changed and the world has changed but the Opry is still the Opry, the world's longest running continuous live radio show and the heart and soul of country music.

On Saturday, March 4 'Live from the Grand Ole Opry' will be presented on PBS, the first live televised coverage of country music's most venerable institution.

'Live from the Grand Ole Opry' will cover 20 to 30 acts. The tradition of the Opry is that no one knows more than 48 hours in advance who will appear. The guests will be taken from the regular roster of stars which includes Loretta Lynn, Dolly Parton (pictured), Lester Flatt, Johnny Cash, Roy Clark and Roy Acuff, to name just a few.

SPORTS PROFILE FOR THE WEEK



THURSDAY

(ABC) ALL-STAR SALUTE TO WOMEN'S SPORTS: 11:30 PM E.S.T. - 10:30 PM C.S.T.

Some of America's most famous athletes will join an all-star lineup of entertainers to auction off valuable sports memorabilia in this gala special.

SATURDAY

(NBC) COLLEGE BASKETBALL '78: 1:00 PM E.S.T. - 12:00 NOON C.S.T.

Kentucky vs. University of Nevada at Las Vegas.

(ABC) PROFESSIONAL BOWLERS TOUR: 3:00 PM E.S.T. - 2:00 PM C.S.T.

(NBC) FLORIDA CITRUS OPEN: 3:00 PM E.S.T. - 2:00 PM C.S.T.

Live semifinal-round coverage of this PGA Tour Tournament originates from the Rio Pinar Country Club in Orlando, Fla.

(ABC) WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS: 4:30 PM E.S.T. - 3:30 PM C.S.T.

(CBS) SPORTS SPECTACULAR: 4:30 PM E.S.T. - 3:30 PM C.S.T.

(NBC) COLLEGE BASKETBALL '78: 4:30 PM E.S.T. - 3:30 PM C.S.T.

Central Michigan vs. Toledo, Florida vs. Tennessee, Kentucky vs. Louisville, Big Ten wild card game, WAC wild card game and ECAC wild card game.

SUNDAY

(CBS) CHALLENGE OF THE SEXES: 1:00 PM E.S.T. - 12:00 NOON C.S.T.

Live coverage of the singles and doubles finals of tournament play originates from the Ocean City, Md., Convention Center.

(PBS) OCEAN CITY INTERNATIONAL TENNIS: 1:00 PM E.S.T. - 12:00 NOON C.S.T.

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(CBS) NBA ON CBS: 1:45 PM E.S.T. - 12:45 PM C.S.T.

Regional game to be announced.

(ABC) SUPERTEAMS: 2:00 PM E.S.T. - 1:00 PM C.S.T.

(NBC) DYNAMIC DUOS: 2:00 PM E.S.T. - 1:00 PM C.S.T.

(NBC) SPORTSWORLD: 2:30 PM E.S.T. - 1:30 PM C.S.T.

(ABC) U.S. VS. THE WORLD IN AMATEUR BOXING: 3:15 PM E.S.T. - 2:15 PM C.S.T.

(CBS) JACKIE GLEASON INVERRY CLASSIC: 4:00 PM E.S.T. - 3:00 PM C.S.T.

Live final-round coverage of this PGA Tour tournament originates from Inverry Golf and Country Club in Lauderdale, Fla.

(NBC) COLLEGE BASKETBALL '78: 4:00 PM E.S.T. - 3:00 PM C.S.T.

Marquette vs. Notre Dame.

(ABC) SPORTS MAGAZINE: 4:15 PM E.S.T. - 3:15 PM C.S.T.

(ABC) WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS: 4:30 PM E.S.T. - 3:30 PM C.S.T.

MORNING

- 6:00 **CARRASCOLENDAS**
FARM REPORT
GRAND GENERATION
OUR LAND
- 6:30 **WILDLIFE IN CRISIS**
TV CLASSROOM
FARM REPORT
ARCHIES
SUNRISE SEMESTER
ROCKY AND HIS FRIENDS
- 7:00 **MOTHER NATURE**
HONG KONG PHOOEY
SUPERFRIENDS: SCHOOL ROCK
THREE ROBONIC STOOGES; IN THE NEWS
CARTOON CAPERS
- 7:30 **ROCKY AND HIS FRIENDS**
GO GO GLOBETROTTERS; JR. HALL OF FAME
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SPEED BUGGY; IN THE NEWS
LO MEJOR DEL CINE ESPANOL "Las Enganadas" (2 hrs.)
- 8:00 **SESAME STREET**
VALLEY OF DINOSAURS
SCOOBY'S LAFF-A-LYMPICS; SCHOOL ROCK
BUGS BUNNY AND ROAD RUNNER; IN THE NEWS
SCOOBY'S LAFF-A-LYMPICS; SCHOOL ROCK
- 8:30 **CLIFFWOOD AVENUE KIDS**
STUDIO SEE
- 9:00 **TOM AND JERRY**
BIG BLUE MARBLE
- 9:30 **PINK PANTHER**
BATMAN-TARZAN; IN THE NEWS
MOVIE *** "Never A Dull Moment" 1943 The Ritz Brothers, Frances Langford. When a rich woman throws a party for her son's fiancée, the owner of the club where the party is to take place plans a robbery. (90 min.)
- 10:00 **POPEYE**
BAGGY PANTS AND NIT-WITS
KROFFT SUPERSHOW; SCHOOL ROCK
- 10:20 **SUN: PSYCHOLOGY**
- 10:30 **SPACE SENTINELS; JR. HALL OF FAME**
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SECRETS OF ISIS; IN THE NEWS
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- 11:00 **CISCO KID**
LAND OF THE LOST
ABC WEEKEND SPECIAL "The Winged Colt" When the winged colt disappears again, young Charles goes in pursuit and runs into an old hermit who claims he has seen Comet fly (Concluding episode)
- 11:00 **FAT ALBERT; IN THE NEWS**
- 11:10 **ROCK 'N' ROLL AMERICA**
- 11:30 **SURVIVAL ECONOMICS**
LONE RANGER
30 MINUTES
AMERICAN BANDSTAND Host: Dick Clark (60 min.)
THUNDER; JR. HALL OF FAME
SPACE ACADEMY; IN THE NEWS
SUN: THE HOME GARDENER

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 **THREE STOOGES**
EXPRESSIONS
THE WAY IT WAS
CISCO KID
NHL HOCKEY Colorado Rockies vs St. Louis Blues (2 hrs.)
WHAT'S NEW MISTER MAGOO; IN THE NEWS
SUN: THE HOME GARDENER
HIRING LINE
- 12:30 **LET ME SPEAK TO THE MANAGER**
NASHVILLE ON THE ROAD
LET THE BIBLE SPEAK
KIPLINGER'S CHANGING TIMES
RAZZMATAZZ 1) A report on an annual rodeo for young riders. 2) A visit to a floating High School in New York City
JAPAN: THE LIVING TRADITION
- 12:45 **TO BE ANNOUNCED**
- 1:00 **MOVIE *** "Angel And The Badman" 1947 John Wayne, Gail Russell. A Quaker girl saves men who is hunted by several people, including a gunslinger seeking revenge. (2 hrs.)**
COLLEGE BASKETBALL Wisconsin vs Purdue

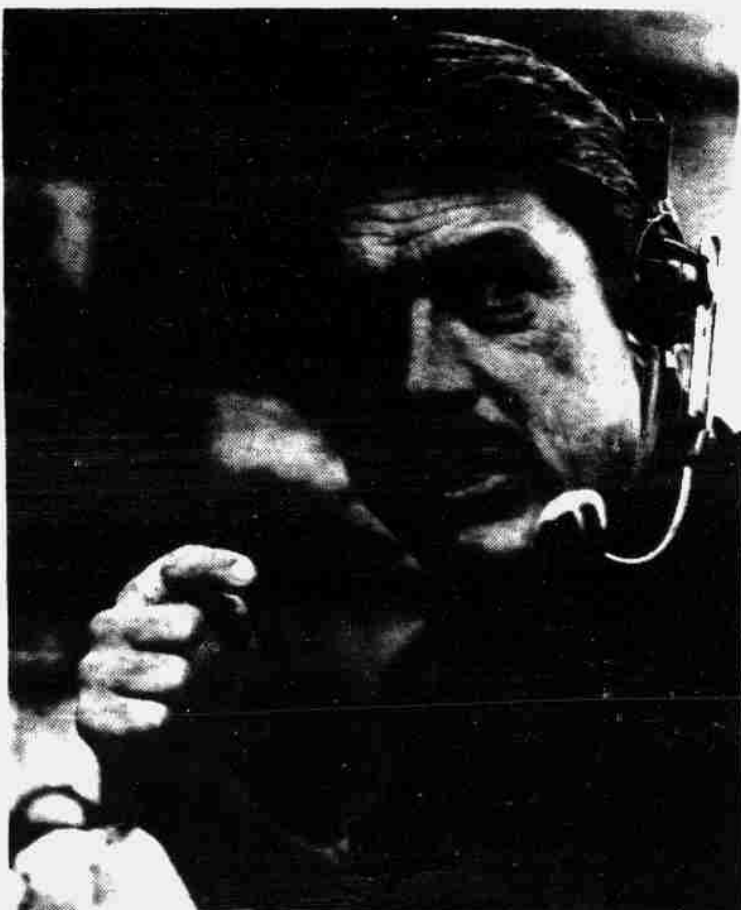
- FIESTA MEXICANA**
POINT OF VIEW
INSIGHT
KIDSWORLD
SWIMMING AND DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS (LIVE) '1978 Nebraska High School Swimming and Diving Championships" (3 hrs.)
- 1:30 **WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS** John Alexander vs Dick Stockton (60 min.)
SCHOOL REPORT
WORLD SERIES OF AUTO RACING Nine of the 12 world-famous drivers who started out in this series competing in identically prepared cars will be featured in the fourth and final race of the "International Race of Champions" (60 min.)
- 2:00 **IN SEARCH OF... "Hypnosis"**
NEWS CONFERENCE
FLYING NUN
SPORTSMAN'S FRIEND
- 2:30 **PROFESSIONAL BOWLERS TOUR** Today's show will feature the \$100,000 AMF MagicScore from Kissimmee, Florida. (90 min.)
COURTSHIP OF EDDIE'S FATHER
SOUL TRAIN
POP GOES THE COUNTRY
GUNSMOKE
COLLEGE BASKETBALL Creighton vs Southern Illinois
COLLEGE BASKETBALL NBC Sports will televise a Basketball game today. However, the exact teams were not announced at press time.

- 4:30 **TURNABOUT (CAPTIONED)** "For Safety's Safe" Examines ways in which women can assume responsibility for their own physical safety. The program includes a short film "The Date," to make teenagers aware of potential rape situations.
- 5:00 **THAT NASHVILLE MUSIC**
ADVENTURES OF MUHAMMAD ALI
OMAHA, CAN WE DO
I LOVE LUCY
SUN: APPLIED SKETCHING
- 5:30 **THAT NASHVILLE MUSIC**
NEWS
CHAMPIONSHIP FISHING
NBC NEWS
CBS NEWS
ABC NEWS
ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW
WALL STREET WEEK "A Chilling Outlook From Argus" Host: Frank Cappiello. Guest: Joseph J. McAlinden, Executive Vice President and Director of Research for Argus Research Corporation.

EVENING

- 6:00 **EMERGENCY ONE**
LAWRENCE WELK SHOW
NEWS
PROJECT VII
DICK VAN DYKE SHOW
BLACK PERSPECTIVE ON THE NEWS
- 6:30 **SHA NA NA**
GET SMART
TATTLETALES

- 6:30 **MOVIE *** "Nevada Smith" 1956 Steve McQueen, Karl Malden. Young man whose parents are tortured and killed by three gunmen sets out to avenge their murders. (2 hrs., 30 min.)**
- 7:00 **MOVIE *** "The Love Boat" Three vignettes: "Parents Know Best" Stars: Janis Paige, Monty Hall. "A Selfless Love" Stars: Leslie Nielsen, Lynda Day George. "The Nubile Nurse" Stars: Elaine Joyce (60 min.)**
- 7:30 **THAT NASHVILLE MUSIC**
MOVIE *** "The Lady Killers" 1955 Alec Guinness, Kate Johnson. The leader of a strange crew of would-be bank robbers takes up lodgings with a nice old lady. (90 min.)
- 8:30 **MOVIE *** "Maude" When Carol's ex-husband suddenly turns on the charm and captivates the Findlay household, Maude and Carol are astounded to discover his motives.**
- 9:00 **FANTASY ISLAND** A retired race driver who was seriously injured in his last race hopes to recreate the devastating moment. Guest stars: Christopher George, Carol Lynley. (60 min.)
- 9:30 **KOJAK** Kojak finds himself with an unusual case which involves a retired police officer who gets assaulted while trying to prevent the theft of a race horse.
- 9:30 **NEWS**
- 10:00 **NEWS**
MARTY ROBBINS SPOTLIGHT
ODD COUPLE
GOODIES
- 10:30 **INVASERS**
SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE Host: O. J. Simpson. (90 min.)
ABC NEWS
MOVIE *** "The Thomas Crown Affair" 1968 Steve McQueen, Faye Dunaway. A millionaire plots and executes a daring bank robbery, only to be the target of an insurance investigator who is determined to nab him. (2 hrs.)
- MOVIE *** "Run For Cover" 1955 James Cagney, John Derek. An ex-criminal, alone and proud, teaches a woman the ways of love. (2 hrs.)
- WEDNESDAY NIGHT MOVIE "Special Olympics" Charles Durning stars as a widower who struggles to hold together his family of three teen-agers, one of whom is mentally retarded. Matt, who is mentally retarded, joins the Special Olympics program and, for the first time, finds self-fulfillment. (2 hrs.)
- DAVID BUSSKIND SHOW "Are Criminals Born Or Made?" and "How To Save Your Teeth" (2 hrs.)
- 10:45 **PTL PROGRAM**
- 11:00 **MOVIE *** "Fool's Parade" 1971 James Stewart, George Kennedy. Tale about a man who is released from prison and plans to open up a business with the money he's earned behind bars. (2 hrs.)**
- 11:30 **SERGEANT BILKO**
- 12:00 **THRILLER**
MOVIE "War Of The Gargantuas" 1966 Russ Tamblyn, Kumi Mizuno. (90 min.)
- 12:30 **ROCK CONCERT** Guests: Chuck Mangione, Richard Betzer, Village Idiots. (90 min.)
NEWS
708 CLUB
MOVIE "Vampire Circus" 1972 Laurence Payne, Thorley Waters. (90 min.)
- 1:30 **ABC NEWS**
- 1:45 **NEWS**
- 2:00 **NEWS**
- 2:30 **MOVIE *** "Nevada Smith" 1956 Steve McQueen, Karl Malden. (90 min.)**
- 4:00 **MOVIE *** "Angel And The Badman" 1947 John Wayne, Gail Russell.**



Chad Everett stars as a S.W.A.T. negotiator who attempts to persuade bank robbers to surrender their hostages in the 'Police Story' drama 'THE MOUTH MARINES' March 4 on NBC Saturday Night at the Movies.

- JACKIE GLEASON INVERRY GOLF CLASSIC** CBS Sports will provide coverage of third-round play in this PGA Tournament from Florida. (60 min.)
- 3:30 **MOVIE ** "Shadows Over Chinatown" 1948 Sidney Toler, Victor Sen Young. Charlie Chan solves a mystery in Chinatown. (90 min.)**
- 4:00 **WAGON TRAIN**
WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS 1) World Bantamweight Championship, featuring Carlos Zarate and Alberto Davila. 2) World Pro Skiing Races from Vermont. (90 min.)
SPORTS SPECTACULAR 1) National AAU Track and Field Championships. 2) World 4-Man Bobsled Championships. 3) Women in Sports. (60 min.)
CONSUMER SURVIVAL KIT (CAPTIONED) "Banks, Cars, Antiques" This program compares ways to save money, offers a new car buyers' guide, and gives advice on rustproofing, also reveals some techniques used by furniture forgers to fabricate antiques.

- BRADY BUNCH**
ODD COUPLE
HONEYMOONERS
MOSAIC
- 7:00 **HISTORY OF POPULAR MUSIC: The Beatles. (60 min.)**
BIONIC WOMAN When kidnappers mistakenly capture Oscar Goldman's secretary, they use her as bait to lure the real Jamie Sommers into their trap. (60 min.)
WHAT'S HAPPENING!! Rerun borrows a car without permission to take Raj and Dwayne to a sports event and finds himself dealing with a foreign consulate.
THE JEFFERSONS George and Louise re-live some of their most unforgettable experiences when they were neighbors of Archie and Edith Bunker. (90 min.)
HEE HAW Guests: Ruth Buzzi, David Houston, Gunilla Hutton
- 7:30 **OPERATION PETTICOAT** Skipper Matt Sherman learns that radioman Gossett is a fugitive, and the only one who can clear

HARRY CHAPIN

Front Row Productions Presents

An Evening With **HARRY CHAPIN** And His Band

John Wallace, Steve Chapin, Doug Walker, Howie Fields, Kim Scholes

TUESDAY, MARCH 7 8 p.m.

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