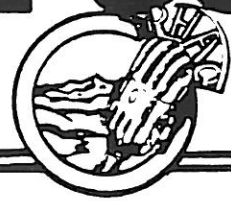


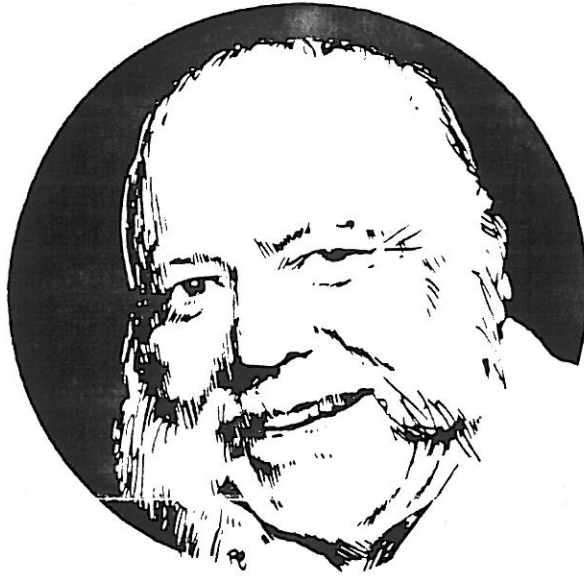
# RETURN WITH US NOW...

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### Ray Erlenborn

Ray was trained for the stage at an early age, and had the background to fill any roll available, but became most acclaimed for his work in creating great and unusual sound effects.

### Shirley Mitchell

This delightful lady may be best known to our members for her roll as Leila Ransom on the Great Gildersleeve. She has credits from The Lux Radio Theater, My Favorite Husband, The Jack Carson Show, Jack Benny Show and others.



### Sam Edwards

Sam was raised in a show business family and started playing child roles at an early age. He was in early children's adventure shows. His roles on One Man's Family, Calling All Cars, The Union Oil Show and others may not be remembered as well as his role of Dexter on Corliss Archer.

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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS:**

THE JUNE BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE RESIDENCE OF THE KING'S ON JUNE 6TH AT 7:30 PM.  
THE JULY BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD TUESDAY JULY 2ND AT HERB AND MARGARET DUNIVEN'S HOME.  
SEE ABOVE.

ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME AND INVITED TO ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE AT THE BOARD MEETINGS  
WE INVITE YOUR SUGGESTIONS.



**CLUB MEETINGS:**

THE JULY MEETING WILL BE COMBINED WITH THE CLUB'S ANNUAL PICNIC, TO BE HELD SATURDAY JULY 15TH  
THE PICNIC WILL BE AT 900 WEST QUINCY AVE. ENGLEWOOD.

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*A QUOTE FROM SOMEWHERE: ANYBODY WHOSE FATHER WORKED ON GANGBUSTERS  
CAN'T BE ALL BAD.*

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DO NOT FORGET YOUR CLUBS CONVENTION SATURDAY JUNE 15TH AT ROSSI'S  
CATERING HALL. 4301 BRIGHTON BLVD.



Radio Historical Association of Colorado

## FROM THE KING'S ROOST

By Dick and Maleta King

June, our convention month, has arrived and the convention time is very close. The plans for the panels and recreations are set. We are looking forward to meeting you at the convention. The charge is \$25.00 for pre-registration and \$30.00 at the door.

PLEASE NOTE: Those attending the convention are invited to the reception Friday evening June 14, starting at 6:00 PM. This will give convention goers a chance to informally meet and chat with our guest stars. We ask that all local members bring their favorite covered dish and we understand that this would be a hardship for our

out of town convention goers. Last years feast was outstanding. Maleta will again furnish smoked turkey and ham to complement the salad, side dishes and deserts that our members prepare. We suggest that you label your dishes to avoid the "what-is-it" questions. Please bring chairs if possible. Bring your own spirits if desired.

We have early registrations from several distant states and are looking forward to a very action filled Saturday, June 15th.

We are constantly being reminded about the copyright laws and their enforcement. We wish to remind our members that the shows available from our library are for their personal use and are not to be sold. In some areas this is getting a little sticky. Just play it straight and eliminate any problems.

Weatherman Ed Bowman was delightful at the May club meeting and has managed to keep his sense of humor despite the trials and tribulations of predicting the "trough aloft" in our ever changing weather patterns.

Our annual club picnic will be Saturday July 20th and be sure to bring tables and chairs, more information next month.

The reel to reel library will be closed the month of August while the Kings are out of town. Our members will enjoy Vern Thimyan as our guest speaker on August 15th.

Our Guest Stars are representatives of an industry that was very cold to the young aspirants and only a select few managed to survive. We will be able to enjoy a sampling of the talents of these trained artists.

Les Tremayne, handsome and talented romantic voice of the early soaps, left every listener to picture in their own minds his appearance. When TV and the movies replaced the radio dramas, his personal appearance only confirmed what his voice had created. On radio he often was called upon to play several roles on the same show. He may have played the romantic leading man and also the Japanese gardener, or a rough truck driver on the same show, but that was not possible when the audience could see him. Remember "The Thin Man" or "Mr. Mentor"? The leading man of "Grand Hotel"? All those, and many more, were the work of one man, Les Tremayne, who will be at our convention. Accompanying Les, will be Joan Tremayne, who gave up an acting career to earn a more lucrative "honest" living and then married Les, who is grateful for her business head.

Sam Edwards was happy to make a living doing many voices and roles on radio, but became best known to most of us for his steady role of the squeaky voiced Dexter Franklin on "Meet Corliss Archer". Sam is often seen in TV shows as a "character actor". He may be old or young, but is always very versatile and handles whatever role he is given at the time. Sam and Beverly Edwards have been to RHAC conventions before and always added a great deal to the shows presented.

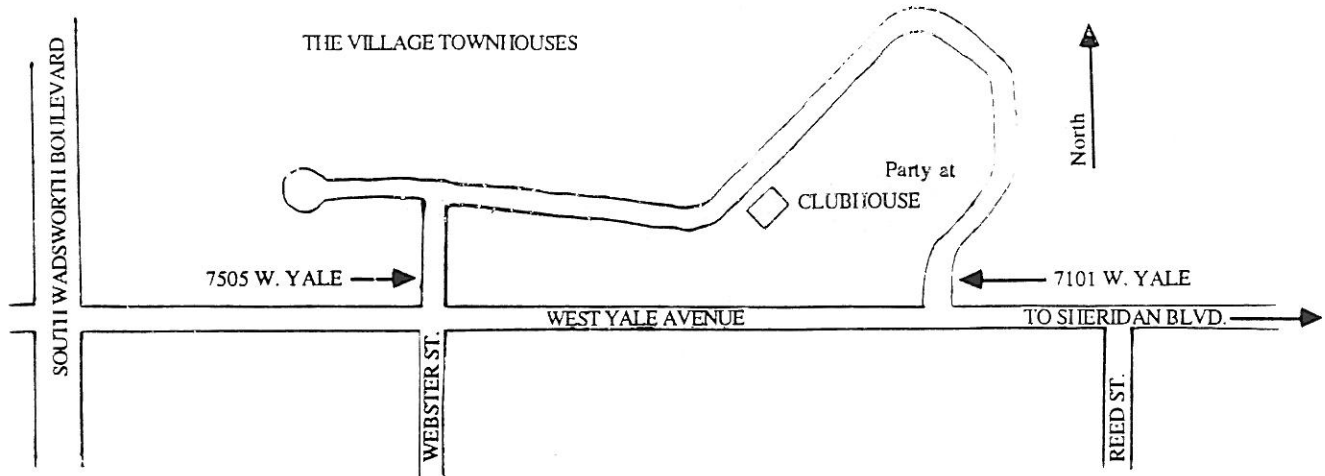
Jeanne Bates is another thoroughly schooled and versatile actress that is not waiting for the world to pass her by, but is acting in many TV series shows and many movies. Trained for the theater in both the US and London, she has the talent to play any type of role from family sit-com to heavy drama or even villainess. Jeanne played many roles in radio plays and her voice will remind us of her role on "One Man's Family", where she played "Teddy", Paul Barber's daughter.

Ezra Stone, was trained for the dramatic arts and used his skills to build a distinguished career on the stage, on radio, and in the movies and TV. He is recognized for his many works where he was producer, director and actor on plays that had high reviews and played extended lengths of time. Ezra is now the president and director of The David Library of the American Revolution in Washington Crossing, Pennsylvania. This does not slow this hard working man down, but limits his acting activities to only a few selections each year. We will be delighted to have him play his original role of Henry Aldrich in a recreation at our convention.

Harry Elders, a Colorado resident, is hard to find at home because he is still active in radio in Chicago. Harry, Tyler McVey, and the delightful lady, Shirley Mitchell will all return to RHAC to complete our cast of radio stars for the RHAC 1991 Convention. We do not mean to slight these, but we have just run out of space. Please refer to your convention program for more details.

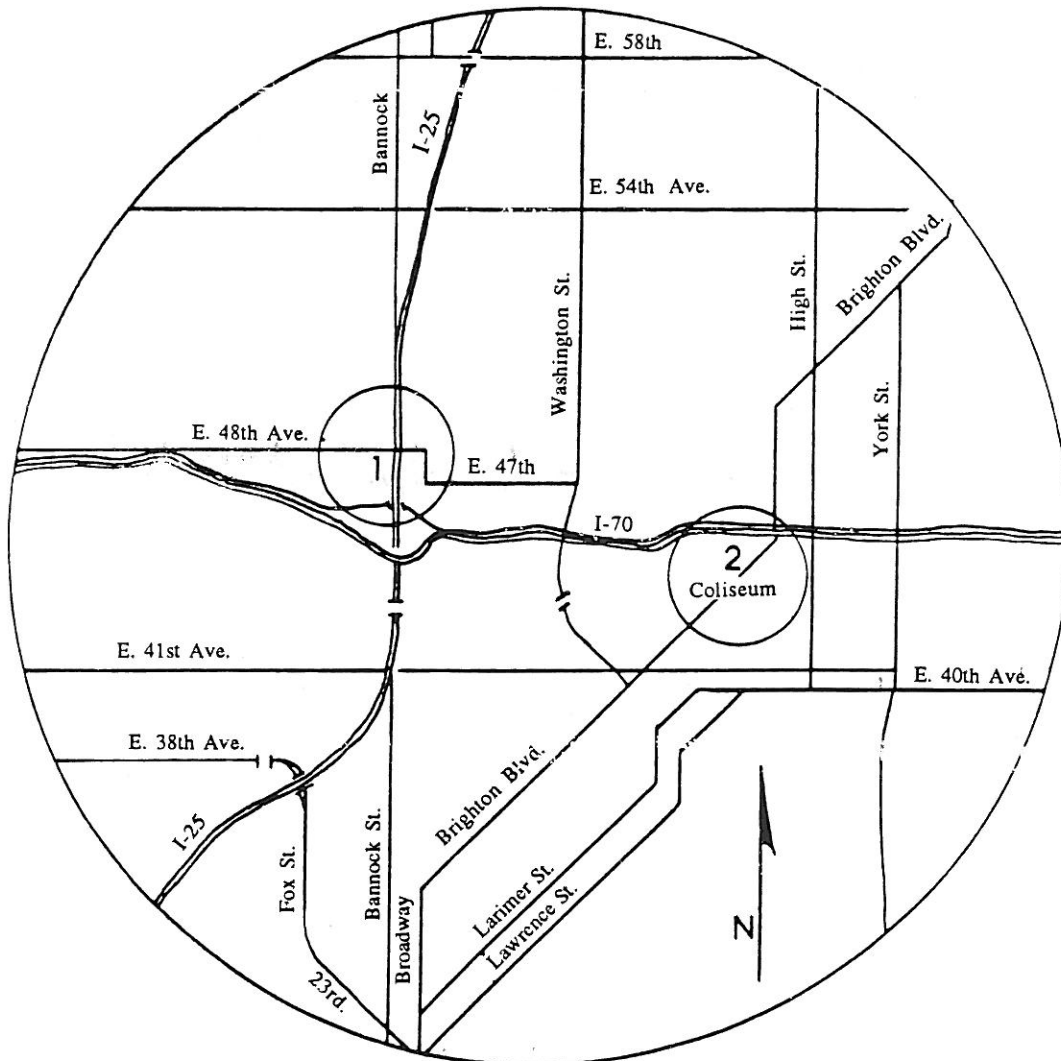
### The map below shows

the location of the Friday night reception for our guests at the Village Townhouse clubhouse, beginning at 6:00 p.m. on June 14, 1991.



### The map below indicates the following locations:

- 1=Travel Lodge-Viscount (for overnight accomodations)
- 2=Rossi's Catering Hall (location of convention on June 15, 1991).



# **RHAC 1991 CONVENTION**

**SATURDAY JUNE 15TH, 1991  
Rossi's Catering Hall \$25.00**

**Reception Friday Evening June 14, 7:00 p.m.**

- Ray Erlenborn
- Shirley Mitchell
- Tyler McVey
- Jeanne Bates
- Ezra Stone
- Les Tremayne
- Harry Elders
- Sam Edwards
- John Gassman
- Larry Gassman

**Masters of Ceremonies will be  
John Rayburn  
and Merwin Smith**

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Announces a Convention Honoring  
More Radio Personalities

**SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH, 1991**

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## FEATURED GUESTS

LES TREMAYNE  
SAM EDWARDS  
HARRY ELDERS

SHIRLEY MITCHELL  
TYLER McVEY

EZRA STONE  
RAY ERLNBORN  
and others

Registration from 9:00 AM. Activities start at 10:00 AM. Lunch available on site (not included in ticket price). Morning, afternoon and evening activities will include workshops, panels, sound effect demonstrations and recreations. There will be an evening buffet dinner.

For those from out of town, arrangements have been made at The Travel Lodge - Viscount Hotel for a special convention rate of \$40.00 plus tax. The hotel is located at 200 W. 48th Avenue, Denver, Colorado 80216, Phone (303) 296-4000 and is very convenient to the convention site. Airport transportation is available at no charge. RHAC members will provide transportation back and forth to the convention site. Please let us know if you need this service.

### SPECIAL PLUS FOR MEMBERS AND CONVENTION ATTENDEES:

Informal reception on Friday evening, June 14th, 7:00 PM. at a private clubhouse (see map in May newsletter) where everyone can meet, talk and mingle with our guests. Food and libation to be provided by members; out of town guests may contribute as desired. (Last year's feast was outstanding!)

Admission for the convention, including buffet dinner, \$25.00 per person if pre-registered; \$30.00 at the door. Send registrations to:

**RHAC, PO Box 1908, Englewood, Colorado 80150**  
**Phone: (303) 761-4139.**

<b>ADMIT ONE</b>	Please Reserve ___ Places for the RHAC June 15th Convention In the	<b>1296</b> <b>E-54</b>
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	City _____ State _____ Zip _____	
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TAPE 5179 THE LONE RANGER

1800'

1L	11-24-54	(Orig. 3-18-53)	#3148	The Glory Road
	11-26-54	(3-20-53)	#3149	Trail of Blood
	11-29-54	(3-23-53)	#3150	The Right Side
2L	12-1-54	(3-25-53)	#3151	The Brothers
	12-3-54	(3-27-53)	#3152	The Law's Deputy
	12-6-54	(3-30-53)	#3153	Looting of Lawrenceville
1R	12-8-54	(4-1-53)	#3154	Inky and the Printers Ink
	12-10-54	(4-6-53)	#3156	Three Thieves
	12-13-54	(4-8-53)	#3157	The Escape
2R	12-15-54	(4-10-53)	#3158	To Die at Dawn
	12-17-54	(4-13-53)	#3159	Silver Bullet for Speck
	12-20-54	(4-15-53)	#3160	The Killer's Gun

TAPE 5180 THE LONE RANGER

1800'

1L	12-22-54	(Orig. 4-17-53)	#3161	Widow Spider's Web
	12-24-54	(12-25-53)	#3270	The Three Wise Men
	12-27-54	(4-20-53)	#3162	Interrupted Journey
2L	12-29-54	(4-22-53)	#3163	The Outlaw Town
	12-31-54	(4-24-53)	#3164	The Partnership
	1-3-55	(4-27-53)	#3165	Snake in the Grass
1R	1-5-55	(4-29-53)	#3166	Eyeglass Clue
	1-7-55	(5-1-53)	#3167	Slated for Death
	1-10-55	(5-4-53)	#3168	Train Robbery
2R	1-12-55	(5-6-53)	#3169	Trail of the Rustling Boss
	1-14-55	(5-8-53)	#3170	A Chinaman's Chance
	1-17-55	(5-11-53)	#3171	Flight of the Martins

TAPE 5181 THE LONE RANGER

1800'

1L	1-19-55	(Orig. 5-13-53)	#3172	Border Raider
	1-21-55	(5-15-53)	#3173	Two Weeks to Go
	1-24-55	(5-18-53)	#3174	The Last of the Carson Gang
2L	1-26-55	(5-20-53)	#3175	Refund for Thunder
	1-28-55	(5-22-53)	#3176	The Emissary
	1-31-55	(5-25-53)	#3177	Heritage of Treason
1R	3-14-55	(7-6-53)	#3195	The Inferno
	4-22-55	(8-14-53)	#3212	Strangers From the East
	4-25-55	(8-17-53)	#3213	Dan Reid's Return
2R	4-27-55	(8-19-53)	#3214	Dan Reid's Fight for Life
	4-29-55	(8-21-53)	#3215	The Vindictive Corrys
	5-4-55	(8-26-53)	#3217	Mystery Hotel

TAPE 5182 THE LONE RANGER

1200'

1L 5-6-55 (Orig. 8-28-53) #3218 Five-Fifteen Deadline  
 5-9-55 (8-31-53) #3219 Drought

2L 5-11-55 (9-2-53) #3220 The Reinforcements  
 5-13-55 (9-4-53) #3221 Stolen Money

1R 5-16-55 (9-7-53) #3222 Rendezvous at the Little Big Horn  
 5-20-55 (9-11-53) #3224 The Quiet Highwayman

2R 5-23-55 (9-14-53) #3225 Race for Life  
 5-27-55 (9-18-53) #3227 The Short Route  
 End of ABC Repeat Series

HOP HARRIGAN Tapes 5183 through 5190

Hop Harrigan, the "ace of the airways", opened on the Blue Network (ABC) August 31, 1942. Aired Monday through Friday afternoons, the 15-minute juvenile adventure series switched to Mutual during 1946, lasting until February 6, 1948. Chester Stratton played Hop, with Kenny Lynch as his mechanic pal, Tank Tinker. Glenn Riggs announced, with Albert Aley as main writer. The aviation-oriented public service announcements by Riggs at the intermission usually ended with the cry, "Remember - America needs fliers!"

The Contributor's Library contains 176 shows in broadcast order, anonymously donated by an RHAC member. No Hop Harrigan shows appear in the Regular Library (through Tape 977). The first tape contains isolated episodes, with continuing stories on the remaining tapes.

Timings to the nearest minute are on the index sent with each tape.

TAPE 5183 HOP HARRIGAN

1800'

1L	Messerschmidt Cannon (15 Chapters)	1R	12-25-44	Bailout Over Austrian Alps
	9-23-42 #18 Chapter 3		11-8-45	Prisoner in Mongolia
	9-24-42 #19 Chapter 4		12-14-45	Mystery of Haunted Airport
	10-1-42 #24 Chapter 9		12-17-45	Mystery of Haunted Airport
	10-5-42 #26 Chapter 11		12-19-45	Mystery of Haunted Airport
	10-8-42 #29 Chapter 14		3-29-46	The Bentley Circus
	10-9-42 #30 Chapter 15			
2L	10-30-42 #45 Russian Adventure	2R	4-8-46	The Bentley Circus
	11-3-42 #47 Russian Adventure		7-1-46	Operation Crossroads
	11-4-42 #48 Russian Adventure		3-7-47	Atom Bomb Mission
	11-6-42 #50 Russian Adventure		3-27-47	Mystery of the Duck's Nest
	3-11-43 #139 Danger From the Skies			Mystery of the Vanishing Men
	2-7-44 Berlin Adventure			(18 Chapters)
			7-7-47	#1241 Chapter 1
			7-8-47	#1242 Chapter 2

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