

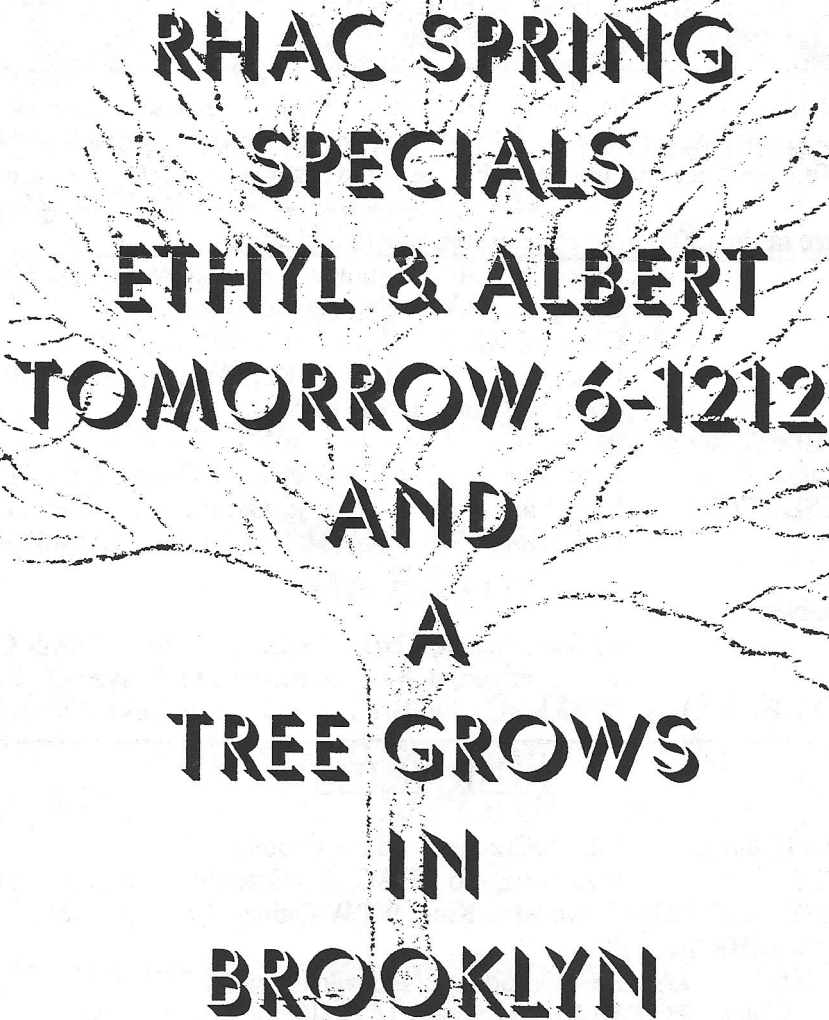


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NOW...**

**RADIO HISTORICAL  
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COLORADO**

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**RHAC SPRING  
SPECIALS  
ETHYL & ALBERT  
TOMORROW 6-1212  
AND  
A  
TREE GROWS  
IN  
BROOKLYN**

May 23rd and 24th, 1997

# RADIO HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION OF COLORADO

Dedicated to the preservation of old time radio programs and to making those programs available to our members.

## RHAC BOARD MEETING June 5, 1997

Fred Bantin residence 7:30 PM SEE ADDRESS BELOW

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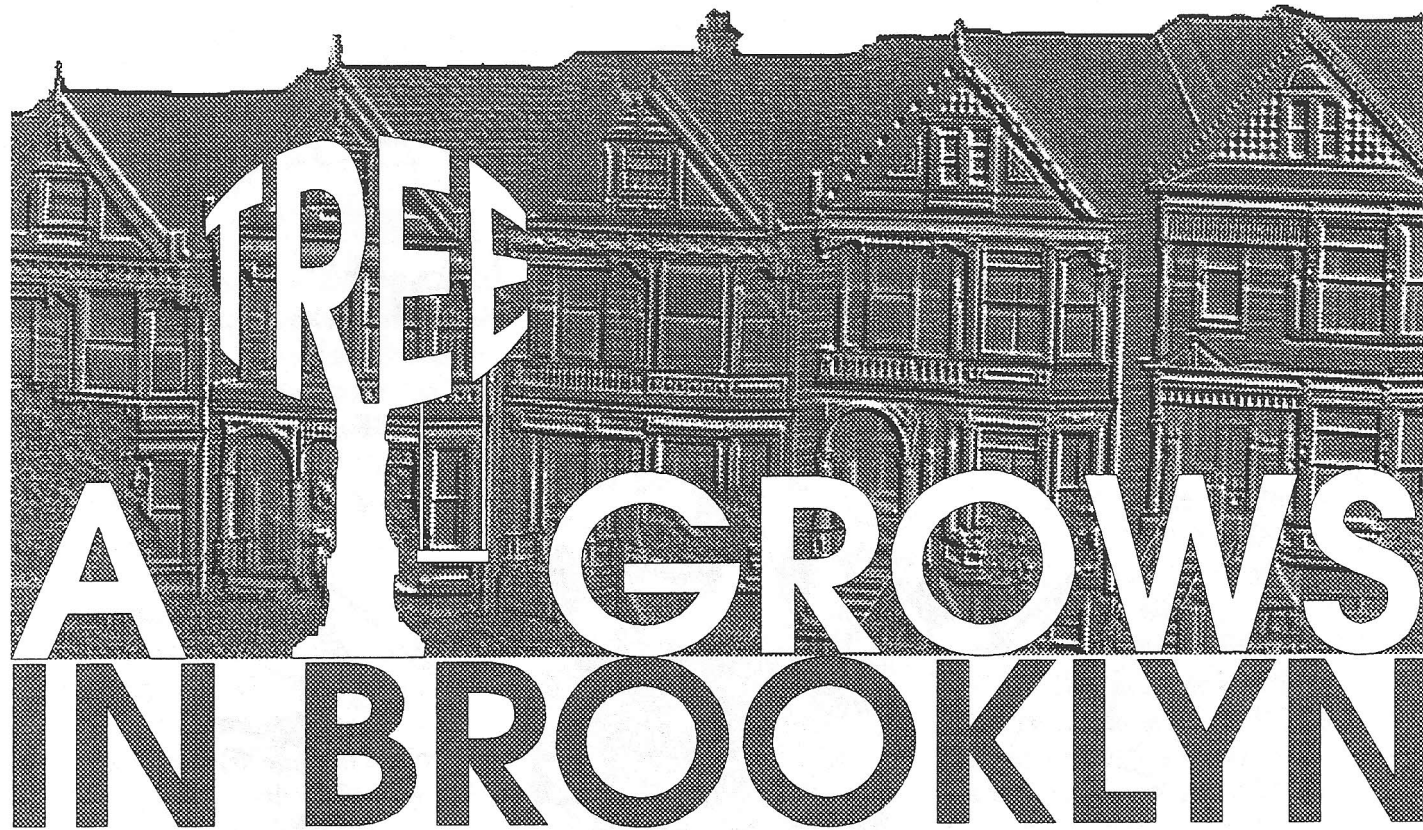
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Enjoy a live, full hour re-creation of this award winning 1947 family drama featuring the original leading lady...

*Rosemary Rice*

The play will be directed by Herb Ellis, and will feature well known radio personalities,

Parley Baer  
Sam Edwards

The evening of radio memories will start with a comedy skit of "Ethyl and Albert", written and performed by Peg Lynch, with Parley Baer as Albert. A comedy of everyday family life.



Produced by the Radio Historical Association of Colorado  
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Friday, May 23 at 7:00PM  
For information call, (303)761-4139



FAMILY RADIO LIVES AGAIN

# "Ethyl and Albert"

A delightfull Comedy  
Featuring Peg Lynch and Parley Baer



# " TOMORROW 6-1212 "

A story by Robert Newman  
Directed by Herb Ellis

It started when Nina wanted to check the weather to see if  
it would be OK for her to wear her new shoes.

Featuring: Rosemary Rice, Parley  
Baer, Sam Edwards

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Saturday morning at 11:00 AM at the School of the Church of  
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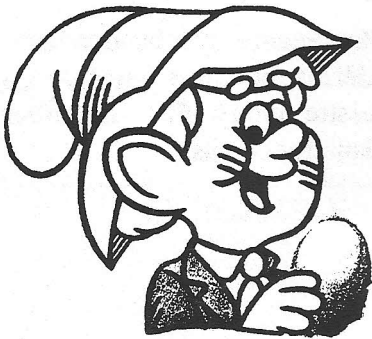
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## PARLEY BAER

Parley, whose voice you will hear as the Keebler master elf in current advertising, was the mayor of the town on the Andy Griffith show and often showed up on the Bob Newhart show and many others.

Parley got his start in his home town of Salt Lake City in the city playhouse and also worked as ring master with a circus. He got his radio start on KSL, Salt Lake City. We feel that he is best known for his role as Chester Proudfoot on Gunsmoke. His voice is often heard on Old Time Radio Shows of all kinds. He is as at home on a mystery show as on a comedy or dramatic show. He was referred to by Bill Conrad as a "Man that everybody should have somebody like Parley Baer in their life. A great man that makes you feel like you have known for a long time, even if you haven't"

Parley will be "Albert" in the comedy skits with Peg Lynch and will be carrying important roles in the other presentations for RHAC.



## PEG LYNCH

Peg is a delightful lady that is able to see the comedy side of every day family life, no matter what or how serious it may be. She writes, and performs in her own scripts, so you know they are good. She can't expect anyone else to be able to present her roles just as she created them. RHAC has many of her shows in the lending library under the names of "The Couple Next Door" and "Ethyl and Albert."

## SAM EDWARDS

Sam Edwards, his brother Jack and their sister were born into a family active in vaudeville dramatic stock, radio and films. Sam's first stage experience was playing children's parts in his parent's stock company.

Sam was a singer and actor while in high school and was later heard in one of the first children's series, "Sonny and Buddy", which was written and produced by his parents. After moving to California, the family continued to broadcast "Sonny and Buddy" live from the US Grant Hotel and recording five episodes every weekend from the RCA - Victor studios in Hollywood. They became the first dramatic show ever recorded at that facility. Later, Sam and the

other family members worked on many shows in California.

His list of credits includes such shows as "Calling All Cars", "Dr. Christian", "Father Knows Best", "The Union Oil Show", "Death Valley Days", and on and on. He is well known for his role as Dexter Franklin in "Meet Corliss Archer", which he played for eight years. He was Tracy Baker on "One Man's Family" and had the lead role on "Sons Of The Lone Star", which was written by his father. NBC produced a show named "The Edwards Family", which was the first show in which a real family starred portraying themselves.

Sam now lives in Durango which is the home base for him and his wife Beverly while traveling in their motor home. Beverly is a professional journalist, writing articles for Trailer Life about their travels throughout the United States and Canada. This active couple have been traveling for a dozen years or more, and enjoying every bit of it.

## HERB ELLIS

RHAC last had Herb and Sylvia Ellis in Denver in 1994. His career has had many different levels in the radio industry. He was an announcer on KFMB in San Diego, and became chief

announcer before moving to Riverside California and then to San Francisco, where he met and worked with Jack Webb, the fabulous low key producer of many radio shows, including "Dragnet".

Herb and Jack were close friends, even sharing living quarters for a while. Herb was a writer for "Jason And The Golden Fleece" and was also an actor on "The Adventures of Nero Wolfe". Herb produced the show "We Deliver The Goods", a series of shows about the merchant marine. His list of shows that he acted on include "This is Your FBI", "Yours Truly Johnny Dollar", "Screen Directors Playhouse", "Lux Radio Theater", "The Burns and Allen show", "One Mans Family", "Broadway Is My Beat", "Tales of The Texas Rangers", "Box 13", "Dr. Christian", "Dr. Kildare", "Pat Novac For Hire", "Dragnet", "Jeff Regan Investigator". The list goes on and on. He was a very busy actor, director, writer and producer for many years on Old Time Radio.

Herb will be directing the plays presented by RHAC and may even be asked to do a voice role or two.

## ROSEMARY RICE

This will be Rosemary's first visit to RHAC. She was very kind to furnish us with the scripts of Studio One Show "A Tree Grows In Brooklyn", and the Theater Five show "Tomorrow 6-1212".

Rosemary won many awards for her role in "The Tree" and all who attend the RHAC presentation will understand why.

She has years of training in her profession and has worked for years with children. She helped develop sound-pictures stories for newborn children and helped develop school learning programs. She was on Broadway for over twenty-five years and also on TV in "I Remember Moma" for eight years. Rosemary is actively producing books on tape, aiming for the children, but also enjoyed by adults the world over. She has written, narrated, and sung albums for many recording biggies.

We will only have Rosemary with us in Denver a short time, so we encourage all of you to join us and appreciate what this lady can add to our presentation for your pleasure. Come and meet our actors and actresses.

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RHAC members are invited to a reception for our guests at the Village Townhouse Club House on Saturday evening May 24th at 7:00 PM we urge you to come meet these radio personalities and enjoy talking to them.

We have received notice from Nancy Warner that the ILORSS the Illinois Old Radio Shows Society has temperaly ceased operation. A house fire that totaly destroyed the librian's home in February destroyed all tapes, scripts, logs and recorders. Nancy is asking for contributions. She may be reached at 603-887-1308.

WE HAVE ANOTHER MEMBER CHRIS TURNER IN MARIETTA GEORGIA 770-321-9899 WHO HAS NOT RETURNED CASSETTES TO THE LIBRARIES. HE WORKS FOR CNN AS DO SOME OTHERS OF OUR MEMBERS THAT HAVE NOT GIVING US ANY PROBLEMS.

We hope other clubs will make a note of his name to avoid simular problems.

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