CARYL CHURCHILL started writing plays while she was at Oxford and has written for stage, television and radio. Among her stage plays are "Light Shining in Buckinghamshire", seen here in 1979 also directed by Alan Chambers, "Top Girls" which played successfully in London and New York, and "Soft Cops" which was seen recently at the R.S.C.

Much of her work has arisen out of the time she spent as the Royal Court's resident dramatist, when she devised plays out of workshops and improvisations in conjunction with Joint Stock.

One of her earliest plays, "Having a Wonderful Time" was given by Oxford University at The Questors Theatre in 1959.

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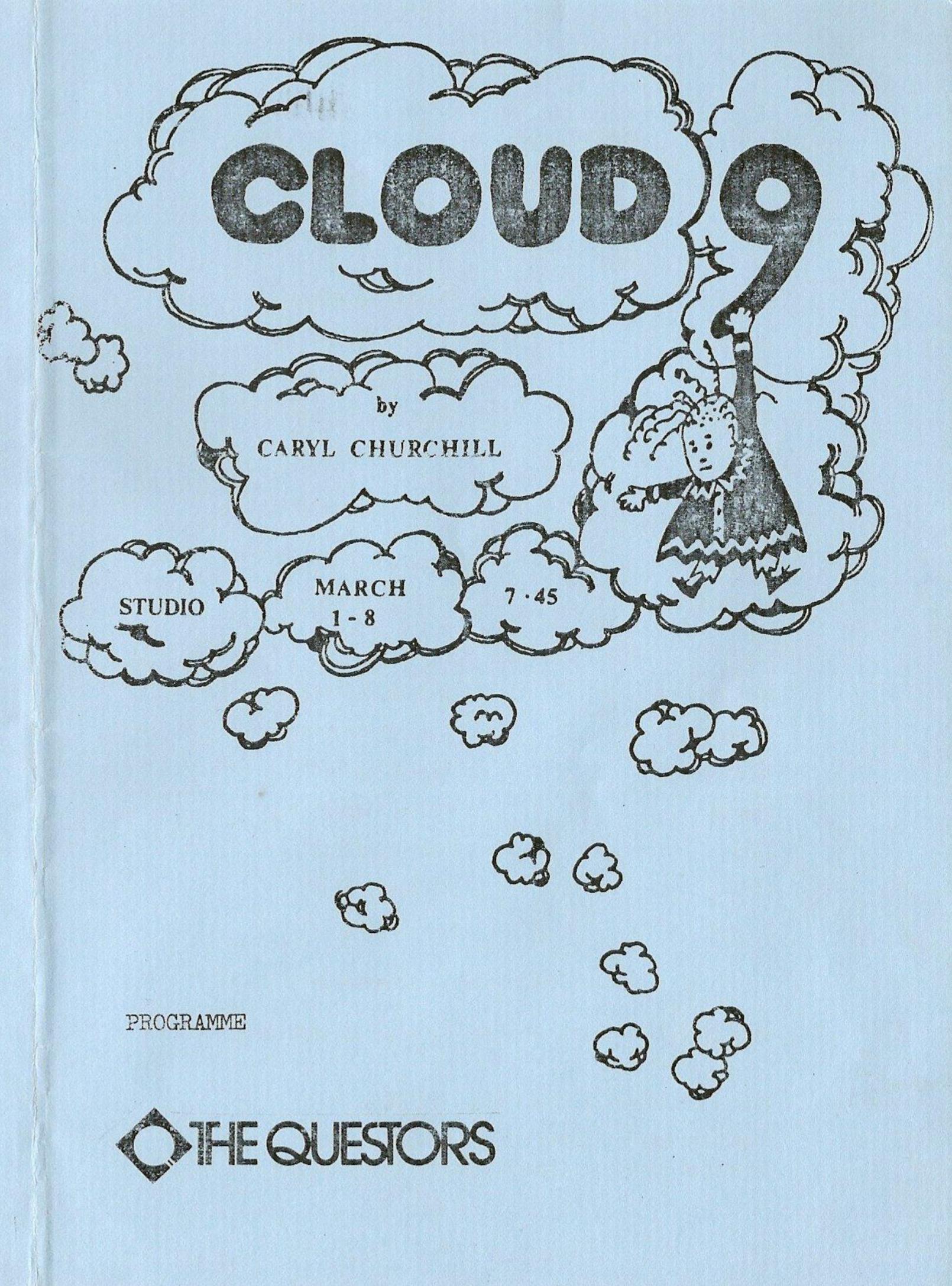
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CLOUD NINE

by CARYL CHURCHILL

CAST:

Act I

Clive Peter Gardiner

Betty

Joshua

Michael Law

Edward

Sue Proffitt

Maud

Sarah Lermit

Ellen
Mrs. Saunders
Sarah Morrison

Harry Stuart Rhodes
Victoria Victoria Doli

Act II

Betty Sarah Morrison
Edward Stuart Rhodes
Victoria Sarah Lermit
Martin Peter Gardiner
Lin Sue Proffitt
Cathy Michael Law
Gerry David Emmet

Directed by Alan Chambers

Act I Colonial Africa in the nineteenth century.

Act II Around the Park, Today.

Characters reappearing in Act II are assumed to have aged twenty five years.

Set Design Lights Design Costume Design Sound Design Tessa Curtis Martin Stoner Therese Gillen Nigel Worsley

Music composed and played by Eric Kirby Dances created by the Cast.

Stage Managers
Deputy Stage Manager
Assistant Stage Managers

Properties Sound Operator Lights Operator Sue Oliver, Jo Perse
Trish Knight
Graham Hunter-Gray
Jane Arrowsmith
Margaret Bowden
Julann Smyth
John Garforth
assisted by Steve Anderson

Construction, Adviser and General Help In All Aspects Geoff Moore

Thanks to Rona Christie, Peter Gardiner, Pat Clayton and Roger de Toney for their help.

Champagne by Moet and Chandon

The Director's personal thanks go to Norman Barwick and Eric Lister for helping in a number of indescribable ways!