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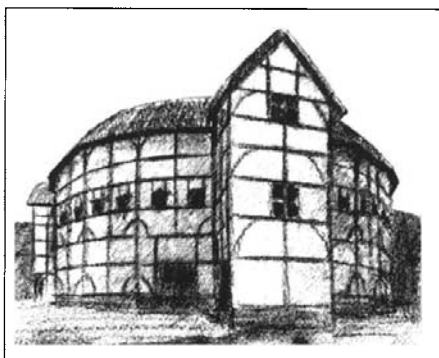
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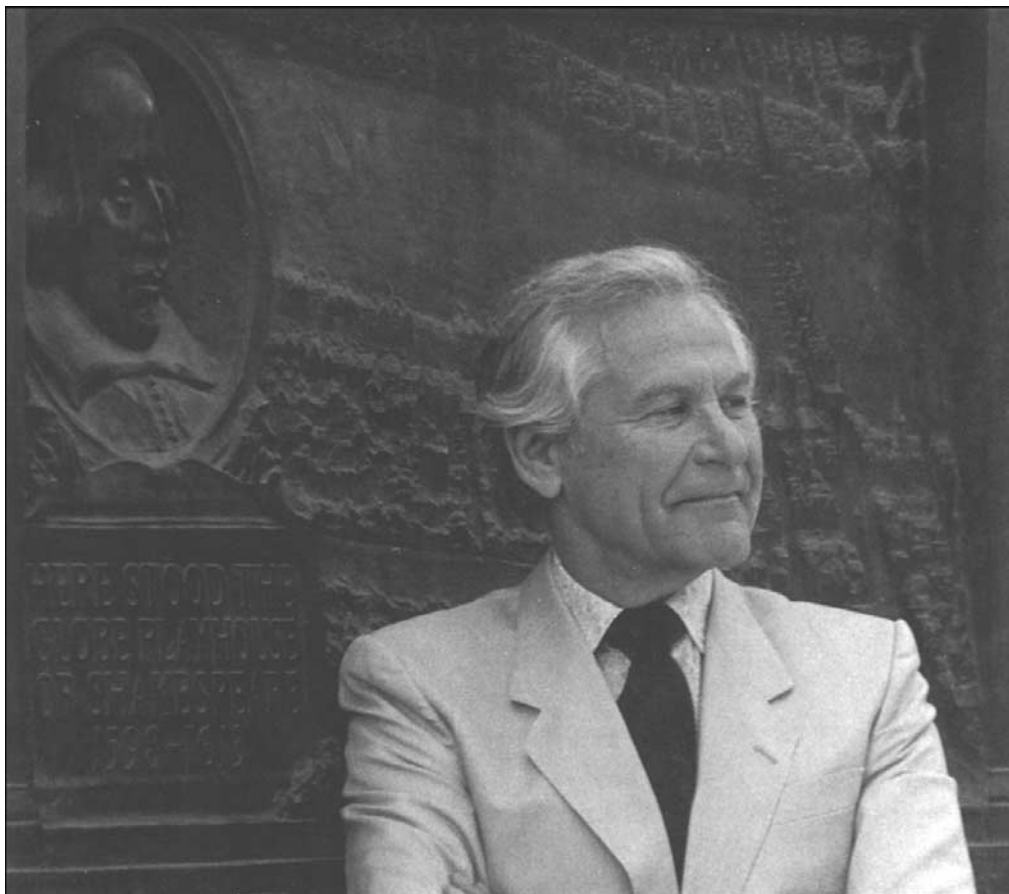
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ABOVE: Sam Wanamaker CBE (1919–1993)
(Photo: Brian Rybolt)



LEFT: Theo Crosby (1925–1994), Architect of the
Globe (Photo: Pentagram Design)

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Elizabethan orthography is notoriously variable, especially in the spelling of proper names. We have chosen to regularise the spelling of Peter Streete, but to permit variations in the spelling of other names such as Wenceslaus or Wenceslas Hollar, and Aernout or Ahrend or Arend van Buchell (or Buchel).

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