#### SATURDAY 22 AUGUST 2009

#### SAT 00:00 Ralph (b007 jwmt)

Laura and Miles get trapped between the centuries in a spiral of ghostly terror. Chilling drama starring Jean Alexander.

### SAT 00:30 HG Wells (b007jzbk)

The New Accelerator

In the name of science, HG Wells agrees to sample a new drug designed to speed up both body and mind. Read by Robert Bathurst.

### SAT 01:00 Wimsey (b007jzky)

The Nine Tailors

5 A Question of Identity

Following his trip to France, Lord Peter Wimsey takes a step closer to identifying the killer.

Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

Dorothy L Sayers' detective mystery dramatised by Alistair

Lord Peter Wimsey .... Ian Carmichael

Bunter .... Peter Jones

Rev Theodore Venables .... Phillip Latham

Supt Blundell .... Timothy Bateson Mrs Venables .... Noel Dyson

Nobby Cranton .... Stephen Greiff

Emily .... Jenny Twigg Potty Peak .... Anthony Hyde

Donnington .... John Church

Narrator .... John Westbrook

Producer: Martin Fisher

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1980.

### SAT 01:30 Andrew Sachs - The Revenge (b007jr11)

Que? Andrew Sachs's pioneering thriller featuring sound effects and 11 actors, but no written dialogue.

This experimental play for radio an attempt to tell a story in terms of sounds alone. There is no dialogue, and no coherent speech, yet the play is a thriller with a straightforward storyline full of action and dramatic tension.

Recorded on location using the naturalistic recording techniques of binaural stereo.

Written and interpreted by Andrew Sachs, The Revenge, was the world's first radio drama without words.

With Andrew Sachs, Sean Barrett, Fraser Kerr, Graham Ashley, Paul Rosebury, Michael Deacon, Blain Fairman, John Rye, Melody Sachs, Frances Jeater and Leonard Fenton.

Producer: Glyn Dearman

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1978.

SAT 02:00 Charlotte Bronte - The Professor (b00m5wdn) Victor

Married to the woman he adores and successful in his work, William is on the verge of bringing his journal to a close Conclusion of Charlotte Bronte's subtle, ambiguous and unsettling love story dramatised in ten parts by Rachel Joyce. Starring Paul Venables as William Crimsworth, Shaun Dooley as Hunsden, Claire Price as Frances and Jack Joseph Miller as

Director: Tracey Neale

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005.

# SAT 02:15 Martyn Wade - Dogged Persistence (b009xytf)

Recorded on location, this comedy drama centres on the relationship that develops between two woman brought together by a troublesome dog.

All Veronica's experiences as a dog-trainer are needed to curb the vicious beast bequeathed to Maureen by her late husband. Especially written by Martyn Wade for distinguished actresses Joan Sims and Elizabeth Spriggs

Maureen ..... Joan Sims

Veronica ..... Elizabeth Spriggs Cab Driver ..... David Thorpe

Nettie ..... Richenda Carey

Director: Cheery Cookson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2000.

# SAT 03:00 Emily Bronte - Wuthering Heights (b007jlm7)

Vengeful Heathcliff has wickedly schemed to force Catherine to marry his ailing son Linton. Stars John Duttine and Sharon

#### SAT 04:00 This Scentred Isle: The 20th Century (b00m5wdr)

1941 - Morale, Propaganda, and the USA

Across the decades, Christopher Lee's vivid account of Britain's fast-paced history. Narrated by Anna Massey, with Robert

# SAT 04:15 Neither Here Nor There (b007 jvh1)

Rome, Vatican City and Istanbul

Surviving Italian crossings and enjoying Turkish pop music, the American concludes his European travelogue. Read by Kerry Shale.

# SAT 04:30 Jean Rhys - Wide Sargasso Sea (b00m5wdt)

Episode 10

Rochester has shut his 'mad' wife, Creole heiress Antoinette, in the attic of his English home.

Jean Rhys's most famous novel tracing the early life of the first

Mrs Rochester from Jane Evre. Conlcuded by Adjoa Andoh.

Abridged by Margaret Busby

Producer: Claire Grove

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2004.

SAT 04:45 Chris Stewart - Driving over Lemons (b007jnzj) Episode 5

The baby arrives, but the heavy Spanish rains sparks chaos for the aspiring peasant farmers. Concluded by Mick Ford.

### SAT 05:00 22/08/2009 (b00m9gqs)

Join all your CBeebies friends for songs, rhymes and stories on BBC Radio 7.

### SAT 08:00 Big Toe Books (b00m9gqv)

Kirsten O'Brien presents an hour of children's stories, featuring The Boy Who Lost His Face - written by Louis Sachar and read by Robert G Slade

#### SAT 09:00 Maugham's Eve View (b00m9gqx)

Before The Party

Kathleen Skinner thinks her sister Millicent is hiding something about her husband's death.

As they want to go to a Garden Party, the truth comes out... Dirk Bogarde is the narrator for the last of Somerset

Maugham's short stories.

Mrs Skinner ..... Dorothy Tutin

Millicent Skinner ..... Amanda Waring

Mr Skinner ..... Derek Waring

Kathleen Skinner ..... Caroline Strong

Harold ..... Richard McCabe

Simpson ..... Stephen Critchlow Dramatised by Neville Teller.

Director: Janet Whitaker

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1996.

### SAT 09:30 Doctor Finlay: The Further Adventures of a Black Bag (b00m9gqz)

Series 2

The Accident

The GP gives temporary shelter to a young woman with a bullying husband. AJ Cronin dramatisation with John Gordon Sinclair.

### SAT 10:00 Comedy Greats (b007k42m)

The Noughties

Episode 2

Decade by decade, Barry Cryer showcases some of the funniest and finest shows ever broadcast by the BBC.

Yo! From the 21st century of radio comedy, Baz presents another six-pack of noughties favourites:

\* Absolute Power

Series 3 (3/6)

Roguish Martin enters the Lords, as Charles takes on a Big Brother 'star'. Stars Stephen Fry and John Bird. From 2002.

\* Fags, Mags and Bags

Series 1 (1/6) Raising Keenan

Sanjeev Kohli and Donald Mcleary's Glasgow corner shop sitcom. Owner Ramesh tackles a young tearaway. From 2007. The Sunday Format

Series 3 (1/4)

Celebrity eaters choose 'Desert Island Biscs', Radio's posh paper tells all. With Alexander Armstrong, Emma Kennedy and Tracy-Ann Oberman. From 2001.

\* Chain Reaction

Series 1 (2/6) Jimmy Carr interviews Matt Lucas

The deadpan funny man and comedy actor in the tag talk show, where the guest is next interviewer. From 2005.

Linda Smith's A Brief History of Timewasting

Series 1 (2/6)

Linda Smith gets her neighbour's Jack the Ripper letters authenticated and falls foul of the mafia. With Jeremy Hardy and Don Estelle. From 2001.

\* Dead Ringers

Series 6 (5/5)

More celeb sound-alikes as Thora Hird instructs James Bond and Zippy imitates Cherie Blair. Topical impressions with Jon Culshaw, Jan Ravens and Kevin Connelly. From 2002.

Produced and scripted by Peter Reed. Made for BBC 7 and first broadcast in August 2003.

# SAT 13:00 John Wyndham - Chocky (b007k49r)

Twelve-year-old Matthew has an imaginary friend, or is she an alien life force? Psychological drama with Owen Teale and Cathy Tyson.

# SAT 14:30 Crime Catch-Up (b00m9gr1)

Lord Peter Wimsey - The Nine Tailors: The Bells are Rung Up The elegant sleuth probes an unsolved jewel theft and a grave mystery. Dorothy L Sayers' dramatisation with Ian Carmichael. SAT 15:00 Crime Catch-Up (b00m9gr3)

Lord Peter Wimsey - The Nine Tailors: Lord Peter is Called in The elegant sleuth probes the link from the body to the unsolved jewel theft. Dorothy L Sayers' drama with Ian Carmichael.

### SAT 15:30 Crime Catch-Up (b00m9gr5)

Lord Peter Wimsey - The Nine Tailors: Bunter Breaks the Law As the sleuth's probe moves to the bell tower, his manservant uses his initiative. Dorothy L Sayers' drama with Ian Carmichael

### SAT 16:00 Crime Catch-Up (b00m9gr7)

Lord Peter Wimsey - The Nine Tailors: The Hunt Moves to

After translating the mystery letter, the posh sleuth sets off across the Channel. Dorothy L Sayers' drama with Ian Carmichael

# SAT 16:30 Crime Catch-Up (b00m9gr9) Lord Peter Wimsey - The Nine Tailors: A Question of Identity

With his trip to France, the upper class sleuth moves closer to identifying the murderer. Stars Ian Carmichael and Peter Jones. SAT 17:00 Ed Doolan Interviews... (b00fhzqz)

Lenny Henry

The Dudley-born comedian talks about his career and family -

discussing life with wife Dawn French and his comedy heroes. SAT 18:00 The Scarifyers (b007wfl3)

The Nazad Conspiracy

Episode 1

Murder unites an inspector and professor in a terrifying supernatural journey. Stars Nicholas Courtney and Terry Molloy.

### SAT 18:30 Fantastic Journeys (b00hlb0h)

The Faery Handbag by Kelly Link

The story of Zofia Swink who claims to be over 200 years old. She comes from a village which takes refuge in a magical handbag when real life becomes too dangerous. Her distraught grand-daughter narrates this bizarre tale of loss.

Maggie Blake reads Kelly Link's story.

journeys featuring flights of fancy, time travel, magical transporters and alternate realities.

Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in February 2009.

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

SAT 19:30 Doctor Finlay: The Further Adventures of a Black Bag (b00m9gqz)

SAT 20:00 Comedy Greats (b007k42m)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today] SAT 23:00 Ed Doolan Interviews... (b00fhzqz)

[Repeat of broadcast at 17:00 today]

#### SUNDAY 23 AUGUST 2009

SUN 00:00 The Scarifyers (b007wfl3)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Saturday]

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Saturday]

SUN 02:30 James Bond - You Only Live Twice (b00fbzkg) James Bond's wife, Tracey, has been murdered by his deadly enemy Blofeld.

resignation. But 'M' is prepared to give him one last chance to prove himself - on a mission which will lead him to a fatal encounter in a Japanese Garden of Death.

Starring Michael Jayston as James Bond, Clive Merrison as Sayo Inaba as Kissy, Burt Kwouk as Ando and Maxine Audley

Ian Fleming's classic story dramatised for radio by Michael

Director: Michael Bakewell.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1990

[Repeat of broadcast at 17:00 on Saturday]

# BBC Radio 7.

Kirsten O'Brien presents an hour of children's stories, featuring

William becomes intrigued by the shy and gentle Frances, but someone is watching him from the shadows

ambiguous and unsettling love story.

Omnibus of the last five of ten episodes dramatised by Rachel

and and Jack Joseph Miller as the Boy

Director: Tracey Neale

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005. SUN 10:15 Enid Bagnold - The Amorous Ghost (b00m9jbl) Mr Templeman's wife is away, but it seems someone is sleeping

in her nightgowns. Read by Paul Daneman. SUN 10:30 Bristow (b007tdnn)

Of Moles and Men

The office rebel returns with some inside information which must surely lead to promotion.

Dickens' famous newspaper cartoon strip. Syndicated

Jones ..... Rodney Bewes

Mrs Purdy ..... Dora Bryan Hewitt ..... Owen Brenman

Gert ..... Liz Frazer

Daisy ..... Joan Sims

Miss Glockling ..... Carol Starks

Some of the best sci-fi/fantasy writers in a series of fantastic

Abridged and produced by Gemma Jenkins.

SAT 19:00 Maugham's Eye View (b00m9gqx)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

SUN 00:30 Fantastic Journeys (b00hlb0h)

SUN 01:00 John Wyndham - Chocky (b007k49r) [Repeat of broadcast at 13:00 on Saturday]

Agent 007 has gone completely to pieces and is drafting his

Tanaka. James Laurenson as Henderson, David King as M,

Bakewell.

SUN 04:00 Ed Doolan Interviews... (b00fhzqz)

SUN 05:00 23/08/2009 (b00m9ibd) Join all your CBeebies friends for songs, rhymes and stories on

SUN 08:00 Big Toe Books (b00m9jbg)

The Boy Who Lost His Face - written by Louis Sachar and read by Robert G Slade

SUN 09:00 Charlotte Bronte - The Professor (b00m9jbj) Omnibus 2/2

The least-known of Charlotte Bronte's novels: a subtle,

Starring Paul Venables as William Crimsworth, Roger May as Pelet, Niamh Cusack as Zoraide Reuter, Claire Price as Frances, Penelope Rawlins as Sylvie, Shaun Dooley as Hunsden

Series 3

Michael Williams stars as Bristow, the buying clerk from Frank

internationally, it ran for 41 years in London's Evening

Bristow ... Michael Williams

Fred Stokes ..... David Battley

Teacher ..... Jane Booker Miss Sunman ... ... Katy Odey Fudge ..... Jon Glover

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Music: John Whitehall Producer: Neil Cargill

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2000.

SUN 11:00 Radio Fun: The Story of Radio Comedy (b007vcw1)

Russell Davies recalls the early 1950s, with audience-led shows waning and the impending arrival of 'The Goon Show'

SUN 11:30 The Palace of Laughter (b007k2sh)

Series 2

Dublin Gaiety Theatre

Geoffrey Wheeler crosses the water to Dublin to discover more about the city's famous Gaiety Theatre.

One of the finest venues on the Variety circuit, it played host to the Eurovision Song Contest in 1971, when theatre-goers and television audiences shared in its centenary celebrations.

With extracts from some of the musical shows for which the Gaiety is renowned, and comedy from stars past and present, including Jack Benny.
Series visiting variety theatres around the United Kingdom.

Producer: Libby Cross

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 2003.

SUN 12:00 The Men from the Ministry (b007jm8g) Bye Bye Mildred

The bumbling bureaucrats' secretary is set to be lured away... A weekly tribute to all those who work in government departments.

Stars Richard Murdoch and Deryck Guyler.

A weekly tribute to all those who work in government offices and to all the others who spend their days there as well.

Number One ..... Deryck Guyler Number Two ..... Richard Murdoch.

Mildred ..... Norma Ronald

With John Graham, Gordon Clyde and Jo Manning Wilson. Written by Edward Taylor and John Graham.

'The Men from the Ministry' ran for 14 series between 1962 and 1977. Deryck Guyler replaced Wilfrid Hyde-White from 1966. Sadly many episodes didn't survive in the archive, however the BBC's Transcription Service re-recorded 14 shows in 1980 - never broadcast in the UK, until the arrival of BBC Radio 4 Extra.

Producer: Edward Taylor,

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1970.

SUN 12:30 Albert and Me (b007 isbh)

Series 1

Spanner in the Works

Single dad Bryan's son Albert is starting nursery - what could possibly go wrong?

Stars Richard Beckinsale as Bryan Archer, Pat Coombs as Mum/Albert and John Comer as Dad. With John Junkin as Harry.

Written by Jim Eldridge

Producer: John Fawcett Wilson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in November 1977.

SUN 13:00 James Bond - You Only Live Twice (b00fbzkg) [Repeat of broadcast at 02:30 today]

SUN 14:30 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbn)

Revolting People: More Storm Clouds

The wedding reception of the year ends in chaos with a drunk bride and a shooting. Sitcom set in 1770 USA, Stars Andy

SUN 15:00 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbq)

Tony's: Putting on the Style

Misadventures of a corner-shop barber, with a battle against rival Boris the Russian, Stars Victor Spinetti, From October 1979

SUN 15:30 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbs)

Another Case of Milton Jones: World's Greatest Formula 1 Racing Driver

The surreal comedian tackles an expert role each week - with no ability whatsoever. With Tom Goodman-Hill. From October 2005

SUN 16:00 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbv)

The Brothers

Starting a website-design company, two brothers struggle through life. Stars Adam Godley and Raymond Coulthard. From May 2004.

SUN 16:30 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9ibx)

The Navy Lark: The Potarneyland Training Exercise Phillips' navigation skills are hired to a foreign power, but diplomacy breaks down, Stars Leslie Phillips, From September

SUN 17:00 Radio Fun: The Story of Radio Comedy (b007vcw1)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

SUN 17:30 The Palace of Laughter (b007k2sh)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:30 today] SUN 18:00 Fear on 4 (b007jm5g)

Series 1

Every Detail But One

The Man in Black reveals how a sinister voice sparks a trail of terror for Jenny. Stars Edward de Souza and Helena Breck.

SUN 18:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00m9p2w)

Millions of years in the future, a colossal banyan tree covers much of the Earth. In its boughs, the last remnants of humanity are fighting for survival, terrorised by carnivorous plants and grotesque insect life.

The Earth has stopped rotating and the Sun's output has

increased. Plants are engaged in a constant tropical forest-style frenzy of growth driving other life forms to extinction... Brian Aldiss's 1962 sci-fi fantasy read by Gareth Thomas

Abridged in five parts by Lu Kemp. Producer: Eilidh McCreadie

Made for BBC Radio 7 and first broadcast in 2009. SUN 19:00 The Men from the Ministry (b007jm8g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 12:00 today]

SUN 19:30 Albert and Me (b007jsbh)

[Repeat of broadcast at 12:30 today]

SUN 20:00 Charlotte Bronte - The Professor (b00m9jbj)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

SUN 21:15 Enid Bagnold - The Amorous Ghost (b00m9jbl)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:15 today] SUN 21:30 Bristow (b007tdnn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:30 today] SUN 22:00 The Now Show (b00m9p2y)

Fresh from 4 - Steve Punt and Hugh Dennis present a satirical look at the week's news. From 14th August 2009.

SUN 22:30 Chain Reaction (b00m9p30)

Series 3

Clive Anderson Interviews John Lloyd

Series in which public figures choose others to interview. The previous week's guest Clive Anderson grabs the microphone to interview his selected guest, John Lloyd, the man responsible for programmes such as Not the Nine O'Clock News. Blackadder, Spitting Image and QI. Clive asks John about cowriting and falling out with Douglas Adams and the key to

SUN 23:00 We Are Klang: Amazing Lives (b007k3vt)

On its 25th anniversary, writers and performers reflect on Gummy Monkey: The Musical. Stars Greg Davies. From April 2007

SUN 23:30 Play and Record (b0084rg4)

Series 1

creating great comedy.

Episode 2

BBC Radio 7's showcase for up-and-coming comedy writer/performers. Features Rachel Lerman and Tom Hardy. From November 2007.

#### MONDAY 24 AUGUST 2009

MON 00:00 Fear on 4 (b007jm5g)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Sunday]

MON 00:30 Brian Aldiss - Hothouse (b00m9n2w) [Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Sunday]

MON 01:00 James Bond - You Only Live Twice (b00fbzkg) [Repeat of broadcast at 02:30 on Sunday

MON 02:30 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 14:30 on Sunday] MON 03:00 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9iba)

[Repeat of broadcast at 15:00 on Sunday]

MON 03:30 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbs)

[Repeat of broadcast at 15:30 on Sunday

MON 04:00 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbv)

[Repeat of broadcast at 16:00 on Sunday]

MON 04:30 Comedy Catch-Up (b00m9jbx) [Repeat of broadcast at 16:30 on Sunday]

MON 05:00 24/08/2009 (b00m9xqy)

Join all your CBeebies friends for songs, rhymes and stories on BBC7.

MON 08:00 Dad's Army (b007jlhv)

Series 1

The Armoured Might of Lance-Corporal Jones

Private Walker dreams up a plan to get petrol coupons so Corporal Jones's delivery van can be commandeered for the war effort...

The comic exploits of a Second World War Home Guard

platoon in Walmington-on-Sea. Adapted for radio from Jimmy Perry and David Croft's TV

scripts by Harold Snoad and Michael Knowles. Captain Mainwaring .... Arthur Lowe

Sergeant Wilson .... John Le Mesurier Corporal Jones .... Clive Dunn

Private Walker .... James Beck

Private Godfrey .... Arnold Ridley Private Pike .... Ian Lavender

Private Frazer .... John Laurie

Cissie Godfrey .... Nan Brawnton

Percy the Parrot .... Percy Edwards

Announcer .... John Snagge

Producer: John Dyas

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 1974.

MON 08:30 Dead Ringers (b00m9xr0) Series 6

Episode 2

More celeb sound-alikes with Anne Robinson's best putdowns and a Doctor Who spoof call. With Jan Ravens. From December 2001.

MON 09:00 PG Wodehouse (b00b41fq)

What Ho! Jeeves: Joy in the Morning

Florence Craye

Trapped in the Hampshire hamlet of Steeple Bumpleigh, Bertie Wooster meets an old flame.

PG Wodehouse's romp starring Michael Hordern and Richard

Adapted in seven-parts by Chris Miller, Supported by bbc.co.uk/programmes/ Jeeves ..... Michael Hordern Bertie Wooster ..... Richard Briers Florence Craye .. .. Bronwen Williams

Stilton Cheesewright ..... Michael Kilgarriff Salesman ..... Bruce Bennett Producer: Simon Brett

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in July 1978.

MON 09:30 Legal, Decent, Honest and Truthful (b007jvs5)

Episode 5

Ken Handley fancies a winter break, but can he escape the ad agency? Stars Martin Jarvis and Wendy Richard. From February 1982.

MON 10:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007jzwl)

Unhappy Jane applies to be a governess at Thornfield Hall and meets Mr Rochester. Classic love story starring Sophie

MON 11:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls (b00mb1qz)

September, 1945: Anne Welles arrives in New York from sedate Lawrenceville to find that every woman she meets is looking for a husband.

Jacqueline Susann's 1960s best seller. Three beautiful young women become best friends as they carve out careers in the entertainment industry.

Stars Madeleine Potter as Anne Welles, Barbara Barnes as Neely O'Hara, Stuart Milligan as Henry Bellamy, Walter Lewis as Allen Cooper and Liza Ross as Mrs Welles.

Producer: Claire Grove First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 2005.

MON 11:15 Mrs Bradley - The Mystery of a Butcher's Shop (b00943r6)

An Offal Discovery

When Rupert Sethleigh vanishes, amateur sleuth Mrs Lestrange Bradley probes some alarming events in the village of Wandles Parva.

Stars Mary Wimbush as Mrs Bradley, Richard Pearce as Aubrey Harringay, Christopher Scoular as James Redsey and David King as the Vicar of Wandles. Glady's Mitchell's story of mayhem and murder dramatised by

Elizabeth Proud.

Producer: Sue Wilson First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1991.

MON 12:00 Dad's Army (b007jlhv)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today] MON 12:30 All the Way from Memphis (b00mb1r1)

Episode 3 James Walton tests and tickles the knowledge of industry

pundits and people passionate about pop music Team captains Tracey MacLeod and Andrew Collins are joined by Danny Kelly and Clare Grogan to be put through their

Reader: Beth Chalmers

Written and researched by James Walton

Producer: Dawn Ellis

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2006. MON 13:00 Wimsey (b007jznj)

The Nine Tailors 6 A Damnable Business

Lord Peter Wimsey identifies the mystery body, but he's yet to name the killer.

Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

Dorothy L Savers' detective mystery dramatised by Alistair

Lord Peter Wimsey .... Ian Carmichael Rev Theodore Venables .... Phillip Latham

Supt Blundell .... Timothy Bateson

Nobby Cranton .... Stephen Greiff

Will Thoday .... Keith Drinkell

Mary Thoday .... Claire Clifford

Narrator .... John Westbrook Producer: Martin Fisher First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1980.

MON 13:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mb2qn)

Wasted Years

The jazz-loving cop sees parallels to the 1960s after a spate of armed robberies. Philip Jackson reads John Harvey's thriller.

MON 14:00 This Sceptred Isle: The 20th Century (b00mb2qq)

1942 - The Atlantic Charter, India and Women

Across the decades, Christopher Lee's vivid account of Britain's fast-paced history. Narrated by Anna Massey, with Robert Powell.

MON 14:15 Matchmakers (b007k23w)

Headhunters

Jo Morris meets two boardroom headhunters Jill Carrick and Andrew Garner, who bring workers and businesses together. From 1998

MON 14:30 HE Bates - Sugar for the Horse (b007jvls)

The incorrigible Uncle Silas heads off to sup wine with a widow.

David Neal reads the first of five stories featuring one of HE Bates' best-loved characters - Uncle Silas, who lived a life of wine, women and constant sunshine in an idyllic part of the

English countryside.

Producer: Cherry Cookson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1992.

MON 14:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007jsqc) Episode 1

The comedian's voyage of self-discovery. Uncle Harry's death brings him back to Glasgow. Semi-autobiography read by the

MON 15:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007jzwl) [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

MON 16:00 Big Toe Books (b00mb8qh)

Kirsten O'Brien presents stories, featuring My Brother's Famous Bottom by Jeremy Strong and The Adventures of PG Woodlouse by Felicity Duncan and Jon Osbaldeston.

MON 17:00 PG Wodehouse (b00b41fq)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

MON 17:30 Legal, Decent, Honest and Truthful (b007jvs5) [Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

MON 18:00 Douglas Hill - The Blade of the Poisoner (b007jrkq)

Strange Talents

Why does Prince Mephtik order his troops to destroy Jarral's village?

What strange talents does the boy possess to make the Poisoner want to hunt him down?

Douglas Hill's sci-fi fantasy dramatised in four parts by Wally

Starring Eric Allen as Jarral the man, James Holland as Jarral the boy, Elizabeth Bell as Archer, Ben Onwukwe as Carver, Adjoa Ando as Dorrina, Susan Sheridan as Mandra, Hugh Dixon as Prince Mephtik with Nigel Carrington, Charles Millom and Neil Roberts as the Soldiers.

Special effects by Dick Mills.

Music by Peter Howells of the BBC Radiophonic Workshop. Producer: Peter Fozzard

First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in 1991.

MON 18:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007jtvm)

Episode 1

A young man, Carl, is beaten up on a train late one night. As he falls into a coma, we travel with him on his journey through the bizarre world of his subconscious as he struggles to wake up. Tom Goodman-Hill reads Alex Garland's surreal fantasy exploring the lucid, but powerless workings of the mind of a coma patient. This surreal fantasy play tricks on both the story's protagonist and the listener.

Alex Garland is the bestselling author of cult classic, The Beach. He also wrote the screenplay for the zombie hit, 28 Days Later, plus Sunshine, Never Let Me Go and Dredd.

Producer: Gemma Jenkins

Made for BBC 7 and first broadcast in 2004

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[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today]

MON 22:00 Dead Ringers (b00m9xr0)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

MON 22:30 Revolting People (b007jrx3) Series 1

Even More Storm Clouds

Samuel's crooked brother lures Joshua into fighting the

'Cockney Monster'. Historical sitcom, set in 1770 Boston, written by Andy Hamilton and Jay Tarses

CAST:

Samuel Oliphant .... Jay Tarses Sergeant McGurk .... Andy Hamilton Mary Oliphant .... Sophie Thompson

Captain Brimshaw .... James Fleet

Ezekiel Spriggs .... Hugh Dennis Cora Oliphant .... Felicity Montagu

Joshua Oliphant .... Tony Maudsley Mrs Arbuthnot .... Susie Blake

Uncle Dan Oliphant .... William Hootkins Michael Fenton Stevens (Announcer/Various)

Producer: Paul Mayhew-Archer

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in February 2000. MON 23:00 The Hudson and Pepperdine Show (b007jnyr)

Episode 1

Mel and Vicki battle to keep the show going despite constant interruptions from the Dirty Sloanes and the Goatee Beard Men's Group.

Variety meets sitcom meets sketch show - written and performed by Mel Hudson and Vicki Pepperdine.

With Martin Hyder and Jim North. Script editor: Graeme Garden

Producers: Claire Jones and Helen Williams

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in March 2000.

MON 23:30 The In Crowd (b0085igt)

Sketch show from Manchester's Comedy Store with Robin Ince, Helen Moon, Smug Roberts and Kate Ward. From August

MON 23:45 The Shuttleworths (b007k24g)

Series 1

Sheffield's John Shuttleworth offers tips on how to cope with divorce and washing-up. Stars Graham Fellows. From October

### TUESDAY 25 AUGUST 2009

TUE 00:00 Douglas Hill - The Blade of the Poisoner (b007jrkg)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Monday]

TUE 00:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007itvm)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Monday]

TUE 01:00 Wimsey (b007jznj) [Repeat of broadcast at 13:00 on Monday]

TUE 01:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mb2qn)

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[Repeat of broadcast at 14:15 on Monday]

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TUE 04:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007jsqc)

[Repeat of broadcast at 14:45 on Monday] TUE 05:00 25/08/2009 (b00mbbfc)

Join all your CBeebies friends for songs, rhymes and stories on BBC Radio 7.

TUE 08:00 The Navy Lark (b007jlp0)

Mr Phillips' Promotion

The navy's oldest Sub-Lieutenant causes upset when he gets ideas above his station. Stars Leslie Phillips. From October

TUE 08:30 The Long Hot Satsuma (b007 iwxv)

Episode 1

The zesty Graeme Garden, Alison Steadman and Barry Cryer star in this citrus fruit of a sketch show. From May 1989 TUE 09:00 To the Manor Born (b007k4vh)

Sons of the Fathers

Clearing out the cellar - Audrey finds more than she'd bargained for. Starring Penelope Keith as Audrey fforbes-Hamilton.

Keith Barron ..... Richard DeVere

Angela Thorne ..... Marjory Frobisher Nicholas McArdle ..... Brabinger

Margery Withers ..... Mrs Polouvicka

Frank Middlemass ..... Ned

The tale of lady of the manor Audrey fforbes-Hamilton, forced to sell her beloved Grantleigh Estate when her husband's death leaves her financially strapped. With butler Brabinger in tow, they've decamped to the tiny Old Lodge cottage.

From this vantage point, Audrey keeps a close and disapproving eve on the estate's new owner, the nouveau-riche Richard DeVere, a wholesale foods magnate of Czech descent.

First piloted on radio and then whisked off to TV before it ever appeared, before finally arriving home in 1997.

Adapted from his TV scripts by Peter Spence. Producer: Jane Berthoud

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in February 1997. TUE 09:30 The Small, Intricate Life of Gerald C Potter (b007wwg9)

Series 1

The Dog

Gerald is alarmed to discover a large four-legged friend sitting in his car.

The convoluted chronicle of an optimistic crime writer written by Basil Boothroyd. Starring Ian Carmichael as Gerald C Potter and Charlotte

Mitchell as his wife and more successful writer, Diana. With Margaret Robertson, James Thomason and Peter Craze. The Small, Intricate Life of Gerald C Potter ran from 1976 to

Producer: Bobby Jaye

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1976.

TUE 10:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007k04j)

Jane, the Governess

As she settles in at Thornfield Hall, Jane's feelings grow for the moody but charismatic Mr Rochester. Stars Sophie Thompson. TUE 11:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls (b00mbbff)

One of New York's richest men proposes marriage to Anne Jacqueline Susann's drama on the perils of fame, with

Madeleine Potter.

TUE 11:15 Mrs Bradley - The Mystery of a Butcher's Shop (b00947vh)

The Bones of the Matter

Rupert Sethleigh is missing and a headless corpse's been found jointed in the Butcher's Shop.

Rupert's cousin Jimsey is under suspicion, but Mrs Lestrange Bradley has other ideas..

Stars Mary Wimbush as Mrs Bradley, Richard Pearce as Aubrey Harringay, Christopher Scoular as James Redsey, David King as the Vicar of Wandles, Teresa Gallagher as Felicity Broome, Terence Edmond as George William Saville and Norman Bird as Superintendent Bidwell

Glady's Mitchell's story of mayhem and murder dramatised by Elizabeth Proud.

Producer: Sue Wilson

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1991.

TUE 12:00 The Navy Lark (b007jlp0) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

TUE 12:30 Steptoe and Son (b007jp6x)

Seance in a Wet Rag and Bone Yard

Sceptical Harold slams Albert's claims about speaking to the Starring Wilfrid Brambell as Albert and Harry H Corbett as

Harold. With Patricia Routledge, Gwen Nelson and Edward Kelsey. Following the conclusion of their hugely successful association

with Tony Hancock, writers Ray Galton and Alan Simpson wrote 10 pilots for the BBC TV's Comedy Playhouse in 1962. The Offer was set in a house with a yard full of junk, featuring the lives of rag and bone men Albert Steptoe and his son Harold and it was the spark for a run of 8 series for TV.

Written for TV and adapted for radio by Ray Galton and Alan Simpson.

Produced by Bobby Jaye

First broadcast on the BBC Radio 2 in March 1976. TUE 13:00 Wimsey (b007jzpw)

The Nine Tailors

7 All Is Not Explained

Lord Peter Wimsey goes snooping to try and establish who killed Geoffrey Deacon - and how.

Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

Dorothy L Savers' detective mystery dramatised by Alistair Beaton. Lord Peter Wimsey .... Ian Carmichael

Supt Blundell .... Timothy Bateson Rev Theodore Venables .... Phillip Latham Will Thoday .... Keith Drinkell

Jim Thoday .... Malcolm Terris Engineer .... Leonard Fenton Hezekiah Lavender .... Michael Spice Sluice Keeper .... Peter Tudenham Narrator .... John Westbrook

Producer: Martin Fisher

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1980 TUE 13:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mbbfh)

Wasted Years

Enisode 2 Detective Inspector Charlie Resnick's search for armed robbers gathers pace. But will they strike again? Philip Jackson reads John Harvey's thriller

### TUE 14:00 This Scentred Isle: The 20th Century

(b00mbbfk) 1943 - The Turning of the Tide and the Beveridge Report Across the decades, Christopher Lee's vivid account of Britain's fast-paced history. Narrated by Anna Massey, with Robert

Powell TUE 14:15 Matchmakers (b007k256)

Bone Marrow Jo Morris hears how leukaemia sufferer Anna Lisa found a bone marrow match from 40-year-old Howard from Yorkshire.

TUE 14:30 HE Bates - Sugar for the Horse (b007 jvlz) The Blue Feather

Loveable rogue Uncle Silas gets caught poaching. HE Bates's country tale is read by David Neal. From September 1992. TUE 14:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007 jsqx)

A mystery veiled woman is at his uncle's funeral, where the Rabbi is on stilts. The comedian reads his book of self-

TUE 15:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007k04j)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today] TUE 16:00 Big Toe Books (b00mb8qy)

Kirsten O'Brien presents stories, featuring My Brother's Famous Bottom by Jeremy Strong and The Adventures of PG

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TUE 18:00 Douglas Hill - The Blade of the Poisoner (b007jrng) Tainted Blade

Jarral carries the marks which Prince Mephtik scratched on his

chest with a tainted blade He will die without help...

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Douglas Hill's sci-fi fantasy dramatised in four parts by Wally K Daly.

Starring Eric Allen as Jarral the man, James Holland as Jarral the boy, Elizabeth Bell as Archer, Ben Onwukwe as Carver, Susan Sheridan as Mandra and Hugh Dixon as Prince Mephtik. Other parts by James Thomason, Auriol Smith, Nigel

Carrington, Charles Millom and Neil Roberts as the Soldiers. Special effects by Dick Mills.

Music by Peter Howells of the BBC Radiophonic Workshop. Producer: Peter Fozzard

First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in 1991.

TUE 18:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007m5v9)

Episode 2

Carl fears the attack has caused brain damage, as he keeps having blackouts. Tom Goodman-Hill reads Alex Garland's novel.

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(b00mbbff)

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TUE 22:00 The Long Hot Satsuma (b007jwxv)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

TUE 22:30 The Million Pound Radio Show (b008ythm) Series 2

Episode 3

Spoofing the royals - and chatty dinosaurs. Andy Hamilton and Nick Revell's sharp-edged topical humour. From September 1986.

TUE 23:00 Trevor's World of Sport (b00mbbfm)

Series 2

Episode 1

The sports agent tackles a footballer who's just issued his seventeenth public apology. Stars Neil Pearson. From November 2005.

TUE 23:30 Getting Nowhere Fast (b007k1xx)

Episode 3

Competitive capitalism engulfs the CyberPass Bistro as Merv creates an internal market. Stars Mervyn Stutter. From May 2003

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WED 05:00 26/08/2009 (b00mbc2h)

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WED 08:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b007 isqv)

Around the World in 80 Days

The lad accepts a bet when challenged to copy Phileas Fogg's trip - but in far less time.

Stars Tony Hancock.

With Sidney James, Bill Kerr, Hattie Jacques and Kenneth

Written by Ray Galton and Alan Simpson

Theme and incidental music written by Wally Stott.

Producer: Tom Ronald

First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in March 1958. WED 08:30 Old Dog and Partridge (b007jvg6)

Episode 5

When Jack's old chum Ralph comes to visit with his trophy wife Kirstie, Jack feels the need to invent a fiancee.

Joe Turner's six-part sitcom stars Michael Williams as Jack. Lisa Coleman as Nicola, Cherry Morris as Mrs Drummond, Simon Greenall as Andy, John Duttine as Ralph and Debra Stephenson as Kirstie.

Producer: Liz Anstee

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1999.

WED 09:00 No Commitments (b007jv6f)

Series 1

A Nice Civilised Evening

Victoria's plans for a perfect dinner party go awry. Stars Rosemary Leach, Celia Imrie and Nicola Pagett. From January

WED 09:30 The Sit Crom (b00mbc2k)

Night Exercises

With the sovereign set for a visit, confusion reigns in Lady Anne's bedchamber.

Sue Limb's six-part comedy set during the English Civil War.

Sir John Firebasket ..... Joss Ackland

Lady Anne Firebasket ..... Denise Coffey Tobias Thynne ..... Clive Merrison

Mercy, alias Melissa ..... Miriam Margoyles

Father Francis ..... Nickolas Grace

Slow Ned ..... Chris Emmett

Gazebo Fogg ..... Jack Klaff

Posthumous ... ... Nicky Henson Counter Tenor ..... Peter Hayward

Producer: Jonathan James-Moore

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in 1990.

WED 10:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Evre (b007k0dg)

Jane, the Fugitive

The wedding plans of Mr Rochester spark bewilderment for governess Jane, Stars Sophie Thompson, Ciaran Hinds and John Duttine.

WED 11:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls (b00mbc2m)

Episode 3

Anne meets famous torch singer Helen, and Neely understudies the lead in a new musical. Drama on the perils of fame stars Sally Dexter and Susan Jameson.

WED 11:15 Juliet Ace Monologues (b007k17c)

The Captain's Wife

As the years pass, a navy spouse moves from craving conformity to rebellion. Patricia Hodge reads Mattie Potter's

WED 12:00 Hancock's Half Hour (b007jsqv)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

WED 12:30 The Burkiss Way (b007ishz)

Series 5

Love Big Brother the Burkiss Way

It's Big Brother with a twist as the team spoof George Orwell's

Starring Fred Harris, Jo Kendall, Nigel Rees and Chris Emmett. Cult sketch comedy series which originally ran from 1976 to 1980.

Written by Andrew Marshall and David Renwick.

Producer: David Hatch

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in October 1980.

WED 13:00 Wimsey (b007jzr6) The Nine Tailors

8 Nine Tailors Make a Man

Can upper class sleuth, Lord Peter Wimsey finally solve the baffling mystery of the murder of Geoffrey Deacon? Ian Carmichael stars as the aristocratic sleuth.

The conclusion of Dorothy L Sayers' detective mystery.

Lord Peter Wimsey .... Ian Carmichael

Bunter .... Peter Jones

Supt Blundell .... Timothy Bateson

Rev Theodore Venables .... Phillip Latham

Mrs Venables...Noel Dyson Will Thoday .... Keith Drinkell

Harry Gotobed .... Alexander John

First Sluice Keeper .... Michael Spice

Second Sluice Keeper .... Peter Tudenham Narrator .... John Westbrook

Dramatised by Alistair Beaton.

Producer: Martin Fisher

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in December 1980. WED 13:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mbfm9)

Episode 3

The armed robbers are planning a return visit, but this time they vow not to fail. Philip Jackson reads John Harvey's thriller. WED 14:00 This Sceptred Isle: The 20th Century

(b00mbfmc)

1944 - D-Day, Education, and the Birth of the UN Across the decades, Christopher Lee's vivid account of Britain's fast-paced history. Narrated by Anna Massey, with Robert

WED 14:15 Matchmakers (b007k26h)

The Rosebreeder

Jo Morris spends a spring with Amanda Beales, who spends hours hybridising roses for commercial growing. From 1998. WED 14:30 HE Bates - Sugar for the Horse (b007 jvm8)

Queenie White

Mischievous Uncle Silas recalls an amorous brush with a buxom publican's wife. HE Bates's country tale read by David Neal. From September 1992.

WED 14:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007jsr0) Episode 3

The comedian learns what his Uncle Harry has left behind, but where is his Rabbi? Book of self-discovery read by the author. WED 15:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007k0dq)

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WED 18:00 Douglas Hill - The Blade of the Poisoner (b007jrr6)

Trapped

Jarral and his friends head to Prince Mephtik's garden, where an alarming battle awaits them

Douglas Hill's sci-fi fantasy dramatised in four parts by Wally

K Daly. Starring Eric Allen as Jarral the man, James Holland as Jarral the boy, Elizabeth Bell as Archer, Ben Onwukwe as Carver, Susan Sheridan as Mandra, David Bannerman as Yorrold, Hugh Dixon as Prince Mephtik.

Special effects by Dick Mills.

Music by Peter Howells of the BBC Radiophonic Workshop.

Producer: Peter Fozzard

First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in 1991. WED 18:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007mw9w)

Episode 3

As Carl gets used to his coma world, he looks for triggers to wake him up. Tom Goodman-Hill reads Alex Garland's novel.

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WED 22:00 Old Dog and Partridge (b007jvg6) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

WED 22:30 Miranda Hart's Joke Shop (b00mbfmf)

Pilot Episode Meet Miranda, a tall, life-embracing, self-effacing clown, who's at her happiest among the wind-up teeth of her Joke Shop. She's got lots to learn about retail and men - as well as coping with

her embarrassing mother. This is the 2007 pilot for Miranda's four-part 2008 series made for BBC Radio 2, which sparked her popular BBC TV series Miranda. This try-out features some actors who were replaced in the subsequent slightly re-worked radio series. Here Alison Steadman plays Miranda's mother Penny, and Morwenna Banks is Stevie. Also featuring Vincenzo Pellegrino, Katy Brand, Alice Hart, Jim Howick and Charlotte McDougall.

Produced by Lucy Armitage WED 23:00 Kenny Everett's Radio Days (b00ftb8h)

Series 2

(b007jrr6)

Episode 4 Cuddly Ken's on the wireless again! More best bits from his commercial radio peak, plus the great DJ recalls his career.

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THU 05:00 27/08/2009 (b00mbl3f) Join all your CBeebies friends for songs, rhymes and stories on

THU 08:00 Dad Made Me Laugh (b007k14d)

Nick Wisdom

Norman Wisdom's son chats to Sally Magnusson about his life growing up with a famous funny father

Producer: Mike Walker

First broadcast on BBC Radio Scotland in Octobber 2005. THU 08:30 Chambers (b007jp12)

Only the Lonely

John Fuller-Carp uses his masculine charms when he finds himself in competition with rival Vernon Ames.

Meanwhile, Ruth is very broody...

Clive Coleman's sitcom set in perhaps the country's least spectacular law chambers.

John Fuller Carp ..... John Bird

Hilary Tripping ..... James Fleet

Jonathan Kydd

Ruth Quirke ..... Sarah Lancashire

With Jeremy Clyde, Joanna Monro and Tracy-Ann Oberman. Producer: Paul Schlesinger

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1998.

## THU 09:00 The Brothers (b007k4wc)

Series 1

Episode 2

Brothers Nigel and Michael review a new website and Oonagh becomes a therapist.

Starring Adam Godley and Raymond Coulthard.

Comedy series about two brothers starting a website-design company - written by Caroline and David Stafford.

Nigel ..... Adam Godley

Michael ..... Raymond Coulthard

Oonagh..... Pauline McLynn

Zorro ..... Pearce Quigley Sally ..... Alice Hart

Producer: Marc Beeby

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2004.

#### THU 09:30 Life, Death and Sex with Mike and Sue (b007jpzv)

Series 1

Teenagers

Radio's sofa-bound daytime presenter duo look at dealing with teenagers and rising crime.

Bill Dare's sitcom starring Robert Duncan as Mike and Julia Hills as Sue

With Debbie Isitt, Roger Blake, Mark Kilmurry and Dan Strauss

Music by Mark Burton.

Producer: Pete Sinclair

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 1996

THU 10:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007jr21) Jane, the Wife

Jane has fled Thornfield Hall and settles into village life, but still she thinks of Mr Rochester. Stars Sophie Thompson.

#### THU 11:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls (b00mbl3h)

Episode 4

Anne's relationship with Lyon grows passionate, and Neely gets her big break. Jacqueline Susann drama with Madeleine Potter and Barbara Barnes

# THU 11:15 Juliet Ace Monologues (b007k18n)

Small Parts

Seduced by the theatre, Mattie Potter joins a repertory company and finds that the quick-change artistry is a preparation for life. Patricia Hodge tells her tale

THU 12:00 Dad Made Me Laugh (b007k14d) [Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

THU 12:30 The Personality Test (b00mbl3k)

Series 1

Jennie Bond

Former BBC Royal Correspondent Jennie Bond quizzes a panel about herself.

Sue Perkins, Alan Carr and Lucy Porter battle with queries based on Jenny's life, whims and interests

Series in which a fresh host every episode quizzes a comedy panel about themselves.

Script by Richard Turner

Devised & produced by Aled Evans.

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in August 2006.

*THU* 13:00 Wimsey (b007jwcn)

Murder Must Advertise

1. Death Comes to Pym's Publicity

After the unexplained death of a junior copywriter at a top advertising agency, Lord Peter Wimsey goes undercover. Ian Carmichael stars as Lord Peter Wimsey – the British gentleman detective created by Dorothy L Sayers

First published in published in 1933 and adapted in six episodes by Alistair Beaton.

Classy and sharp-witted, aristocratic amateur sleuth Lord Peter Bredon Wimsey was born in 1890 and educated at Eton and Oxford, before serving in the military during the First World

Ian Carmichael appeared as Lord Peter Wimsey for BBC Radio from 1973 to 1983, in addition to the BBC TV adaptations that were broadcast between 1972 and 1975.

Chief Inspector Parker .... Allan Cuthbertson Mr Ingleby .... John Quentin Mr Willis .... Richard O'Callaghan Miss Meteyard .... Frances Jeater Mr Hankin .... Frank Williams Miss Rossiter .... Joanna Wake

Lord Peter Wimsey .... Ian Carmichael

Producer: Martin Fisher

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1979...

THU 13:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mbl3m)

Wasted Years Episode 4

Inspired by the success of another gang, Darren decides it's time to get serious. Philip Jackson reads John Harvey's thriller. THU 14:00 This Sceptred Isle: The 20th Century

(b00mbl3p)

1945 - The End of the War and a Labour Landslide Across the decades, Christopher Lee's vivid account of Britain's fast-paced history. Narrated by Anna Massey, with Robert Powell.

THU 14:15 Matchmakers (b007k27s)

Adoption

Jo Morris follows Rod and Dee as they embark on adopting disabled twins, with their social worker's help. From 1998.

THU 14:30 HE Bates - Sugar for the Horse (b007 jvmc) The Singing Pig
The incorrigible Uncle Silas gets nostalgic over a melodic

porker. HE Bates's country tale read by David Neal. From September 1992.

# THU 14:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007jsr9)

Hit by a rich friend's car, the comedian recuperates in a Glaswegian private hospital. Book of self-discovery, read by the

THU 15:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Eyre (b007jr21)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

THU 16:00 Big Toe Books (b00mb8rs)

Kirsten O'Brien presents an hour of children's stories, including My Brother's Famous Bottom, The Adventures of PG

Woodlouse, The Stones are Hatching, and Mendax the Mystery

THU 17:00 The Brothers (b007k4wc)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

THU 17:30 Life, Death and Sex with Mike and Sue (b007jpzv)

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THU 18:00 Douglas Hill - The Blade of the Poisoner (b007 irtt)

Last Chance

Unless the tainted blade and Prince Mephtik are destroyed within two days, Jarral will die.

Conclusion of Douglas Hill's sci-fi fantasy dramatised in four parts by Wally K Daly.

Starring Eric Allen as Jarral the man, James Holland as Jarral the boy, Elizabeth Bell as Archer, Ben Onwukwe as Carver, Hugh Dixon as Prince Mephtik, Susan Sheridan as Mandra, David Bannerman as Yorrold James Thomason as Cryltor Tabatang, Bret Usher as Flammarock, Richard Pierce as Whiney, Anne Windsor as Innkeeper, with Nigel Carrington and Charles Millom as Soldiers

Special effects by Dick Mills.

Music by Peter Howells of the BBC Radiophonic Workshop. Producer: Peter Fozzard

First broadcast on BBC Radio 5 in 1991.

THU 18:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007jtw7)

Episode 4

Panic kicks in as Carl's dream-world dissolves into a void. Will he ever wake up? Tom Goodman-Hill reads Alex Garland's

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THU 22:00 Chambers (b007jp12)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

THU 22:30 Quando, Quando, Quando (b007vm3m)

The Quando brothers' hair salon is inundated with children wanting their haircut before the start of the school-term. But one of them is accompanied by nits and the result is itchy mayhem.

Brothers Rene, Carlo and Charlie Ouando chop, snip and crimp their lucky clients into shape at London's finest hair salon. Six-part comedy written and performed by Rainer Hersch and

Producer: Claire Jones

Mark Maie, With Stephen Greif and Catherine Tate. First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in November 1999. THU 22:45 Jelly Mountain (b00fkp5z)

Episode 3

A visit to the circus heralds arcane amusements. Songs and stories from Ivor Cutler, with Craig Murray-Orr. From May

THU 23:00 Rigor Mortis (b007k4h5)

Series 1

Episode 3

When a new coroner arrives, Ruth wants him to send her the most interesting autopsy cases.

Laurence Howarth's sitcom set in the fascinating, but misunderstood world of the pathology lab.

Dr Anthony Webster ..... Peter Davison
Dr Ruth Anderson ..... Tracy-Ann Oberman Professor Donaldson ..... Geoffrey Whitehead

Gordon ..... Tom Price

Chloe ..... Marianne Levy Simon ..... Gus Brown

Daniel Kasper ..... Laurence Howarth
With Stephen Critchlow and Beth Chalmers Music by Paul Mottram and Stephanie Benavente.

Producer: Dawn Ellis

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in June 2003.

THU 23:30 Spike Milligan - Adolf Hitler: My Part in His Downfall (b00fwz6h)

Episode 1

A new gunner is recruited for the Second World War.

Spike Milligan shares memories of his wartime service. Published in 1971, Adolf Hitler: My Part in His Downfall is the first volume of the Spike Milligan's idiosyncratic military

Reversioned into 8 parts by BBC Radio 4 Extra.

#### FRIDAY 28 AUGUST 2009

FRI 00:00 Douglas Hill - The Blade of the Poisoner (b007jrtt)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:00 on Thursday]

FRI 00:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007jtw7)

[Repeat of broadcast at 18:30 on Thursday]

FRI 01:00 Wimsey (b007 jwcn)

[Repeat of broadcast at 13:00 on Thursday] FRI 01:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mbl3m)

[Repeat of broadcast at 13:30 on Thursday]

FRI 02:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls

(b00mbl3h)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 on Thursday] FRI 02:15 Juliet Ace Monologues (b007k18n)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 on Thursday]

FRI 03:00 Charlotte Bronte - Jane Evre (b007 ir21) [Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 on Thursday]

FRI 04:00 This Sceptred Isle: The 20th Century (b00mbl3p)

[Repeat of broadcast at 14:00 on Thursday] FRI 04:15 Matchmakers (b007k27s)

[Repeat of broadcast at 14:15 on Thursday]

FRI 04:30 HE Bates - Sugar for the Horse (b007 ivmc) [Repeat of broadcast at 14:30 on Thursday]

FRI 04:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007jsr9) [Repeat of broadcast at 14:45 on Thursday]

FRI 05:00 28/08/2009 (b00mbl7q) Join all your CBeebies friends for songs, rhymes and stories on

BBC Radio 7 FRI 08:00 Round the Horne (b00mbl7s)

Episode 10

Kenneth Horne probes nocturnal doings in 'Gaslight, Son of Flicker', while Julian and Sandy turn bona film producers With Kenneth Williams, Hugh Paddick, Betty Marsden and Bill

Pertwee. Recorded at the BBC's Paris Studio in Lower Regent Street, London. Announcer: Douglas Smith

Round The Horne was born out of the demise of BBC radio comedy Beyond Our Ken, after the end of writer Eric Merriman's involvement. Using the same cast and producer, Barry Took and Marty Feldman were persuaded to write the

scripts - which led to four series that ran between 1965 and 1968 - packed full of parodies, recurring characters, catchphrases and double-entendres. Music by Edwin Braden and the Hornblowers and The Fraser

Haves Four.

Producer: John Simmonds First broadcast on the BBC Light Programme in April 1967.

FRI 08:30 Married (b007vkjd) Series 1

Episode 4

Robin is starting to like his life trapped in a parallel universe as a married man. But then comedian Arthur Smith turns up from

Hugh Bonneville stars in Tony Bagley's comedy.

Robin ..... Hugh Bonneville

Lesley ..... Josie Lawrence Dirk ..... Steve Frost

Ned ..... Sam Bradley

Maxine ..... Ann Gosling Adrian Turnball ..... Anthony Ofoegbu

Arthur Smith ..... Arthur Smith

Producer Claire Jones

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1999. FRI 09:00 Tony's (b007jt0l)

Series 1

Charles

Money starts to go missing from the corner-shop barber's till, so who is the thief? Stars Victor Spinetti. From October 1979.

FRI 09:30 Millport (b00761z4)

Series 2 Dark Secrets

Irene enlists Bob's help when strange events send the tiny

Scottish island into disarray.

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Bittersweet comedy written by and starring Lynn Ferguson as 30-something island barmaid Irene Bruce, who hankers after a better life on the mainland.

Irene ..... Lynn Ferguson Moira/Agnes ..... Janet Brown

Alberto/Robert/Doctor ..... Lewis McLeod

Ena/Bunty ..... Gabriel Quigley Dougie ..... Matt Costello

Bob/Minister ... ... Robert Patterson Music arranged by Olly Fox.

Producer: Lucy Bacon

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in May 2001

### FRI 10:00 Anne Bronte - Agnes Grey (b00cm5tg)

A young woman dismays her family by choosing to earn her own living as a governess. Stars Poppy Miller and Robert Whelan.

### FRI 11:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls (b00mbmd1)

Episode 5

Anne has fallen for Lyon Burke, but her friendship with Helen is put to the test. Jacqueline Susann drama with Madeleine

### FRI 11:15 Juliet Ace Monologues (b007k19x)

On her road to liberation, Mattie Potter strips off. Patricia Hodge tells her tale of sun, flesh, naturism and morality

FRI 12:00 Round the Horne (b00mbl7s)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

### FRI 12:30 Mind Your Own Business! (b009mbdc)

The Big Bang

Jimmy is suspicious when Farrow and Sue stay in their office till late every evening.
Is it devotion to duty? Or just a bit of overtime?

Bernard Cribbins and Frank Thornton star in Andrew Palmer's

sitcom Jimmy Bright ..... Bernard Cribbins

Russell Farrow ..... Frank Thornton

Nan Forbes ..... Annette Crosbie

Sue Plant ..... Annee Blott

Bacon/Jacko ..... John Kane

Written by Andrew Palmer. Producer: Edward Taylor

First broadcast on BBC Radio 2 in January 1988.

FRI 13:00 Wimsey (b007 iwct)

Murder Must Advertise

2. Singular Spotlessness of a Lethal Weapon

As his undercover murder probe at an advertising agency continues, Lord Peter Wimsey witnesses someone get a pasting that was meant for him...

Ian Carmichael stars as Lord Peter Wimsey - the aristocratic amateur sleuth created by Dorothy L Sayers.

Lord Peter Wimsey .... Ian Carmichael

Chief Inspector Parker .... Allan Cuthbertson

Mr Ingleby .... John Quentin

Mr Willis .... Richard O'Callaghan

Miss Meteyard .... Frances Jeater

Mr Hankin .... Frank Williams

Miss Rossiter .... Joanna Wake

Pamela Dean .... Amanda Murray

Ginger Joe .... Greg Mandell Dramatised by Alistair Beaton.

Producer: Martin Fisher

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in January 1979.

### FRI 13:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mbmh4)

Wasted Years

Episode 5

A spate of armed robberies has DI Charlie Resnick recalling his 1980s nemesis, the soon-to-be-paroled John Prior. Philip Jackson reads John Harvey's thriller.

# FRI 14:00 This Sceptred Isle: The 20th Century

(b00mbmh6)

1946 - Shortages, the National Health Bill and the UN Meet Across the decades, Christopher Lee's vivid account of Britain's fast-paced history. Narrated by Anna Massey, with Robert Powell.

# FRI 14:15 Matchmakers (b007k291)

Millionaires' Cupid

Jo Morris meets headhunter Heather Heber Percy, who runs an exclusive dating agency for the wealthy - but lonely. From 1998

# FRI 14:30 HE Bates - Sugar for the Horse (b007 jvmk)

A cunning landlady proves to be as resourceful as the mischievous Uncle Silas. HE Bates's country tale read by David Neal. From September 1992.

# FRI 14:45 Are You Looking at Me, Jimmy? (b007jsrp)

Episode 5

The Scottish comedian discovers more about what his Uncle Harry left behind. Book of self-discovery concluded by the author.

# FRI 15:00 Anne Bronte - Agnes Grey (b00cm5tg)

[Repeat of broadcast at 10:00 today]

# FRI 16:00 Big Toe Books (b00mb8sc)

Presented by Kirsten O'Brien. Featuring My Brother's Famous Bottom by Jeremy Strong, Mendax the Mystery Cat by Kate Saunders, and The Stones are Hatching by Geraldine

#### McCaughrean. FRI 17:00 Tony's (b007jt0l)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:00 today]

FRI 17:30 Millport (b00761z4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 09:30 today]

FRI 18:00 Bill Murphy - Vostok (b007jzm4)

Three intrepid divers plunge into the world's last unexplored Antarctic lake. Stars Stuart Milligan and Ingvar Sigurdsson.

FRI 18:30 Alex Garland - The Coma (b007jtwc)

Episode 5

Fear of never waking up turns to fear of waking up as Carl starts to stir. Tom Goodman-Hill concludes Alex Garland's novel.

FRI 19:00 Round the Horne (b00mbl7s)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:00 today]

FRI 19:30 Mind Your Own Business! (b009mbdc)

[Repeat of broadcast at 12:30 today] FRI 20:00 Wimsey (b007 jwct)

[Repeat of broadcast at 13:00 today]

FRI 20:30 Inspector Resnick (b00mbmh4)

[Repeat of broadcast at 13:30 today]

FRI 21:00 Jacqueline Susann - Valley of the Dolls (b00mbmd1)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:00 today]

FRI 21:15 Juliet Ace Monologues (b007k19x)

[Repeat of broadcast at 11:15 today] FRI 22:00 Married (b007vkjd)

[Repeat of broadcast at 08:30 today]

FRI 22:30 The Jason Byrne Show (b00mbyf7)

Series 1

Education

Exploring a fresh theme each week, the award-winning comedian hosts stand-up and sketches. With Ivan Brackenbury. From July 2008.

FRI 23:00 And Now in Colour (b007wqf1)

Series 1

Salisbury Plain

The sketch show team take their audience on Territorial Army

manoeuvres - and a surprise Book at Bedtime.

Precision comedy written and performed by Tim Firth, Tim de

Jongh, Michael Rutger and William Vandyck. Producer: Lissa Evans

First broadcast on BBC Radio 4 in April 1990

FRI 23:30 Naked Radio (b00mbvf9)

The Scottish comedy team pokes fun at topical events. From

Glasgow's Tron Theatre. With Elaine C Smith. From May 1987.