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YESTERDAY'S RADIO

The ADVENTURES Of SAM SPADE

Dashiell Hammett's most famous detective of the all, **SAM SPADE**, came to radio first on the ABC Network July 12, 1946. There were a total of 13 shows on ABC. Sam Spade was deemed so successful that CBS out bid the other networks for the series and Sam Spade starring Howard Duff in the title roll along with Lurene Tuttle as Effie, moved to CBS in the Fall of 1946. The program moved to NBC in the New Adventures of Sam Spade in September, 1949 and left the air for good in 1950. This Log is a listing of the surviving shows of the series that includes the programs starring Howard Duff and the last programs starring Steve Dunn. All are available from AVPRO

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ABC NETWORK

#04 08-02-46 "Sam and the Psyche"

CBS Network

#38 06-15-47 "The Convertible Caper"
#54 10-05-47 "The Adam Figg Caper"
#59 11-09-47 "The Bow Window Caper"
#67 01-04-48 "The One Hour Caper"
#70 01-25-48 "The Gold Key Caper"
#91 06-20-48 "Caper with 2 Death Beds"
#92 06-27-48 "The Bail Bond Caper"
#93 07-04-48 "The Rushlight Diamond Caper"
#94 07-11-48 "The Wheel of Life Caper"
#95 07-18-48 "The Missing Newshawk Caper"
#96 07-25-48 "Tha Mad Scientist Caper"

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#97 08-01-48 "The Dry Martini Caper"
#98 08-08-48 "The Bluebeard Caper"
#99 08-15-48 "The Critical Author Caper"
#100 08-22-48 "The Vaphio Cup Caper"
#101 08-29-48 "The Lawless Caper"
#103 09-12-48 "The Lazarus Caper"
#104 09-19-48 "The Hot 100 Grand Caper"
#105 09-26-48 "The Dick Foley Caper"
#106 10-03-48 "The Sugar Kane Caper"
#109 10-24-48 "The Insomnia Caper"
#110 10-31-48 "The Fairly Bright Caper"
#111 11-07-48 "The S.Q.P. Caper"

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#114 11-28-48 "The Quarter Eagle Caper"
#116 12-12-48 "The Bouncing Betty Caper"
#121 01-16-49 "The Bumpass Hell Caper"
#131 03-27-49 "The Love Letters Caper"
#134 04-10-49 "The Stopped Watch Caper"
#136 05-01-49 "Subject: Edith Hamilton"
#141 06-05-49 "The Overjord Caper"
#143 06-19-49 "The Apple of Eve Caper"
#146 07-10-49 "The Queen Bee Caper"
#148 07-24-49 "The Tears of Night Caper"
#150 08-07-49 "The Champion Caper"

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#153 08-28-49 "The Prodigal Daughter Caper"

Beginning of the NBC Series NEW ADVENTURES of SAM SPADE w/Howard Duff

#01 09-25-49 "The Indian Caper or
Chargogagogmnanchogogochbunamungamog"
#07 11-06-49 "The Cheese Cake Caper"
#11 12-04-49 "The Flopsey, Mopsey, and
Cottontail Caper"
#35 05-21-50 "The Red Anapola Caper" **Reh**
#36 05-28-49 "The Honest Thied Caper" **Reh**
#50 09-03-50 "The Farmer's Daughter Caper"

Beginning the Steve Dunn Series

- #01 11-17-50 "Caper Over My Dead body"
- #02 11-24-50 "The Terrified Turkey Caper"
- #03 12-01-50 "The Dog Bed Caper"
- #04 12-08-50 "The Dry Gulch Caper"
- #05 12-15-50 "The 25/1235679 Caper"
- #06 12-22-50 "The Caper Concerning
the Thing"

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- #07 12-29-50 **"Prodigal Panda Caper" N/A**
- #08 01-05-51 "The Biddle Riddle Caper"
- #09 01-12-51 "The Red Star Caper"
- #10 01-19-51 "The Cloak and Dagger Caper"
- #11 01-26-51 "The Chateau McLoud Caper"
- #12 02-02-51 "The String of Death Caper"
- #13 02-09-51 "The Sure thing Caper"
- #14 02-16-51 "The Soap Opera Caper"
- #15 02-23-51 "The Shot in the Dark Caper"
- #16 03-02-51 "The Crab Louis Caper"
- #17 03-09-51 "The Spanish Prisoner Caper"
- #18 03-16-51 "The Sinister Siren Caper"
- #19 03-23-51 "The Kimberly Cross Caper"

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- #20 03-30-51 "The Vendetta Caper"
- #21 04-06-51 "The Denny Shane Caper"
- #22 04-13-51 "The Civic Pride Caper"
- #23 04-20-51 "The Rowdy Dowser Caper"
- #24 04-27-51 "The Hail and Farewell Caper"

The Last program in the series

LUX RADIO THEATER 02-08-43

"The Maltese Falcon"

w/Edward G. Robinson as Sam Spade

ACADEMY AWARD 07-03-46

"The Maltese Falcon"

w/Humphrey Bogart, Sydney Greenstreet

SUSPENSE 01-10-48 "The Kandy Tooth"

w/Howard Duff 1 hour

JOAN DAVIS TIME 03-06-48

"The Mystery Writer" w/Howard Duff