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Series 1	The Blue Cross	1	84-12-02	25:51
Series 1	The Queer Feet	2	84-12-09	26:20
Series 1	The Eye of Apollo	3	84-12-16	26:38
Series 1	The Invisible Man	4	85-01-06	27:21
Series 1	The Honour of Israel Gow	5	85-01-13	28:38
Series 1	The Hammer of God	6	88-02-07	26:54
Series 1	The Sins of Prince Saradine	7	88-02-14	27:07

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Series 2	The Perishing of the Pendragons	1	86-10-05	28:00	By Graeme Fife. The telephone can be a vital lifeline in our lives. A lifeline, however, that can become horribly tangled. With Hannah Gordon as Mary.
Series 2	The Arrow of Heaven	2	86-10-12	28:00	With his 'beaming but breathless geniality', GK Chesterton's famous clerical sleuth unravels another mystery.
Series 2	The Mistake of the machine	3	86-10-19	28:00	
Series 2	The Curse of the Golden Cross	4	86-10-26	28:00	
Series 2	The Actor and the Alibi	5	86-11-02	28:00	

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Special	The Absence of Mr Glass	1	87-11-29	29:03
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