

Prolific spicy artist H.J. Ward contributes another cover to PRIVATE DETECTIVE STORIES with the February 1943 issue. Although it hasn't been calculated, either Ward or Howard Parkhurst likely hold the record for painting the greatest number of spicy pulp covers. Ward's effort this time out is a bit more restrained than usual, as massive amounts of cleavage are not on display, due to the villain's arm getting in the way. If only the girl was being attacked by the one-armed man...