

## **Dad's Army**

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## 1.2 Dad's Army > The Man And The Hour [#1]

The Man And The Hour [#1] (1968)

As Anthony Eden announces the forming of the Local Defence Volunteers (LDV), Mainwaring appoints himself commander of the Invasion Committee, with Wilson as his second-in-command. Volunteers are enrolled at the church hall. Frazer is the first, and here we encounter Wilson and Mainwaring's conflicting styles of command.

MAINWARING:

Get the first main in.

WILSON:

Oh, very well. (looking out of the office door).  
Would you mind stepping this way, please.

MAINWARING:

Wilson, Wilson, come here, come here. I intend to mould those men out there into an aggressive fighting unit. I'm going to lead them, command them and inspire them to be ruthless killers, and I'm not going to get very far if you invite them to step this way, am I?

Quick march is the order.

WILSON:

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I'm very sorry, sir. Quick march.

(by this time, Frazer has already entered the office)

FRAZER:

There's no point, I'm already here.

Enrolment is wrapped up after Hodges makes his debut telling Mainwaring to clear the hall, he's got a lecture in five minutes. The first day of the Walmington's LDV ends up with an inspection and lecture on German tanks. The expected delivery of uniforms only brings LDV armbands.

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John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [ARP Warden])  
Caroline Dowdeswell (Janet King)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
John Ringham (Bracewell)  
Neville Hughes (Soldier)

### 1.3 Dad's Army > Museum Piece [#2]

Museum Piece [#2] (1968)

Six weeks to go before the uniforms arrive and the platoons arsenal comprises of a shotgun, 15 carving knives. Jones' assegai and Bracewell's number three iron. But when a letter arrives instructing the bank to close the account of the Peabody Museum of Historic Army Weapons for the duration, Mainwaring and Wilson have an idea. At 1800 hours Operation Gun Grab begins. The aim - to requisition any firearms of use in the platoon's fight against the Nazis.

The trouble is they've got to outwit the crusty 88-year-old caretaker who turns out to be Jones' father. After numerous attempts Frazer, disguised as an ARP warden, exploits the caretaker's predilection for booze. While he's outside the museum swigging down whisky, the platoon seizes a Chinese Rocket Gun. Mainwaring, who's not particularly enthused by their new weapon, is forced to eat his words when the gun goes off and he ends up sheltering under a table.

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Co-Cast : Caroline Dowdeswell (Janet King)  
Eric Woodburn (Museum Caretaker)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Leon Cortez (Milkman)  
Michael Osborne (Boy Scout)

## 1.4 Dad's Army > Command Decision [#3]

Command Decision [#3] (1968)

When the platoon fall in, Mainwaring tells Pike off for wearing a muffler on parade. But he's got a note from his mother.

MAINWARING: (reading the note)

"Frank is starting with his chest again, he ought to be in bed. If he can't wear his muffler he's to come home or he will catch his death".

(turning to Wilson).

We can't have him wearing that thing on parade, makes the whole platoon look ludicrous.

WILSON:

Perhaps he could wear it on patrol, sir? (turning to Pike).  
What time do you go on?

PIKE:

Ten till twelve, sir.

WILSON:

It'll be dark by then, sir, anyway.

MAINWARING:

Oh, very well.

The dearth of weapons causes low morale in the platoon. At the bank the following day a visit from an old campaigner Colonel Square, leaves Mainwaring in a predicament. Square wants to take over the platoon and in doing so will allow them the use of his 20 rifles. That evening, after much cogitating, Mainwaring announces that he's placing the platoon under Square's command. But at Marsham Hall, Square's home, Mainwaring swiftly reverses his decision after discovering the crackpot plans to turn them into cavalry with circus horses and antiquarian muskets. Back under Mainwaring's command their supply of guns arrive before the day's out.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)

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Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
James Beck	(Private Joe Walker)
John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Caroline Dowdeswell	(Janet King)
	Charles Hill	(Butler)
	Geoffrey Lumsden	(Colonel Square)
	Gordon Peters	(Soldier)
	Janet Davies	(Mrs. Pike)

## 1.5 Dad's Army > Enemy Within The Gates [#4]

Enemy Within The Gates [#4] (1968)

Mainwaring's lecture on dealing with enemy agents is interrupted by a monocle-wearing officer, with a suspicious accent. Not taking any chances, they arrest the man and plan an interrogation until he convinces them he's a Polish captain serving with GHQ - he's there simply to inform them of the £10 reward for every Nazi arrested. On night patrol, Jones' section captures two German pilots.

While being held at the church hall, Godfrey credulously lets them escape. But the Polish captain recaptures them and escorts the pilots back to the hall. When military police collect the prisoners, the Polish captain is mistakenly arrested as well, rewarding the platoon by a total of £30.

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	John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
	John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [ARP Warden])
	Carl Jaffe	(Captain Winogrodzki)
	Caroline Dowdeswell	(Janet King)
	David Davenport	(Military Police Sergeant)
	Denys Peek	(German Pilot)
	Nigel Rideout	(German Pilot)

## 1.6 Dad's Army > The Showing Up Of Corporal Jones [#5]

The Showing Up Of Corporal Jones [#5] (1968)

Major Regan visits from area HQ to monitor progress in everything from use of weapons to first aid. Things run smoothly until he labels Jones a potential danger - not only did he forget how to aim a rifle, but his glasses steamed up when charging the dummy with his bayonet. Jones' fate is decided on his ability to negotiate an assault course in 15 minutes.

On the eve of the test, Jones' outlook is bleak until certain platoon members cook up a plan. Strategically placed along the course, they help the butcher romp home with two minutes to spare.

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John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Edward Sinclair (Caretaker)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Martin Wyldeck (Major Regan)  
Patrick Waddington (Brigadier)  
Therese McMurray (Girl at the window)

## 1.7 Dad's Army > Shooting Pains [#6]

Shooting Pains [#6] (1968)

Mainwaring and Wilson discuss the forthcoming shooting practice and the fiasco last time.

MAINWARING:

To tell you the truth, Wilson, I was a bit ashamed of our shooting last week.

WILSON: (glancing away and rubbing his ear lobe)

Oh, I don't know, sir, some of the men didn't do too badly.

MAINWARING:

No, I still fail to understand how they can possibly mistake the tyres on the area commanders staff car for the target.

WILSON:

All four of them?

MAINWARING:

No, all five of them - they got the spare as well!

Mainwaring's platoon, the first to be formed in the area, is selected to provide the guard of honour for the Prime Minister's impending visit. But sloppy shooting at the range forces the major to consider changing his views and select the Eastgate platoon instead.

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The matter is decided by a shooting contest in which three of Walmington's men compete against Eastgate.

A visit to the local Hippodrome that evening sparks off one of Walker's devious plans. Crack shot Laura la Plaz, who entertains the Hippodrome audience with her firing skills, dresses up as a platoon member to help Walmington win the contest. But when it appears the scheme is going to backfire, Frazer steps up and clinches victory by scoring five bull's-eyes.

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John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Barbara Windsor (Laura la Plaz)  
Caroline Dowdeswell (Janet King)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Jimmy Perry (Charlie Cheeseman)  
Martin Wyldeck (Major Regan)  
Therese McMurray (Girl at the window)

## 1.8 Dad's Army > Operation Kilt [#7]

Operation Kilt [#7] (1969)

While the platoon are completing their first PT lesson, Captain Ogilvy, of the Highland Regiment, arrives to brief the men on Saturday nights manoeuvres. Six of his regiment will attempt to capture Mainwaring's HQ.

As the Walmington boys outnumber Ogilvy's bunch by three to one, they shouldn't have any problems; and that proves to be the case because after spying on Ogilvy at his base at Manor Farm, the Walmington platoon are successful in laying man traps to capture their opponents.

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John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
James Copeland (Captain Ogilvy)

## 1.9 Dad's Army > The Battle Of Godfrey's Cottage [#8]

The Battle Of Godfrey's Cottage [#8] (1969)

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Godfrey's cottage is picked as a machine gun post in the event of an invasion. While Mainwaring is in the bank's vault, he doesn't hear the toll of the church bells signifying a German invasion. Wilson and Pike head for the Novelty Rock Emporium while Jones and Frazer inform Mainwaring and head for Godfrey's cottage, unaware where their sergeant has gone.

Eventually Wilson and Pike decide to make for the cottage, which is being guarded by the rest of the platoon.

When Jones nips off to the outside toilet, Wilson and Pike mistake him for a German and begin shooting. But when Godfrey's sister, oblivious to all the pandemonium, waves her tea cloth out of the window, Wilson and Pike take it as a sign of surrender and move towards the cottage, only to find their supposed enemies are none other than their own men.

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John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Amy Dalby (Dolly)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [ARP Warden])  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Nan Braunton (Cissy)

## 1.10 Dad's Army > The Loneliness Of The Long Distance Walker [#9]

The Loneliness Of The Long Distance Walker [#9] (1969)

Walker is called up which is bad news for the platoon because of his deftness in acquiring essential supplies like cigarettes, booze and fudge for Godfrey's sister. Mainwaring decides that Walker is too important to the platoon to let him go, so he fights the War Office on his behalf.

His valiant attempts fail and Walker joins the army. But within days he's discharged, much to the relief of the platoon, when it's discovered he's allergic to corned beef.

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John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Anthony Sharpe (War Office Brigadier)  
Diana King (Chairwoman)  
Edward Evans (Mr. Reed)  
Gilda Perry (Blonde)  
Larry Martyn (Soldier)

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Michael Knowles (Captain Cutts)  
Patrick Waddington (Brigadier)  
Robert Lankesheer (Medical Officer)

## 1.11 Dad's Army > Sgt. Wilson's Little Secret [#10]

Sgt. Wilson's Little Secret [#10] (1969)

Overhearing Mrs. Pike talking to Frank, Wilson gets the wrong end of the stick. After receiving a letter from the WVS asking her to take in a evacuee, she tells Pike that it will be nice being a mother again. Wilson hears and assumes she is pregnant. Confusion reigns and when Wilson eventually confides in Mainwaring, he sees no alternative, Wilson will have to marry her.

The platoon is to provide the guard of honour at the wedding, but as Wilson practices the ceremonial march with Jones substituting for Mrs. Pike, Mavis brings little Arthur into the church hall and introduces him to Wilson. Confusion cleared, Wilson breathes a sign of relief.

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James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Graham Harboard (Little Arthur)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)

## 1.12 Dad's Army > A Stripe For Frazer [#11]

A Stripe For Frazer [#11] (1969)

Mainwaring is allowed to promote someone to Corporal. He suggests that instead of giving the job to Jones, they should install another Lance-Corporal and see who performs the best. Classing himself the best judge of character, he picks Frazer, against Wilson's advice. The competition causes intense rivalry between the two candidates and much fawning towards Mainwaring.

The men begin to dislike Frazer's brash attitudes and overpowering desire to impress, particularly when he presents charge sheets containing Pike's name for deserting his post and cowardice in the face of the enemy, and Walker for mutiny. After Jones is added to the list, action is required: Frazer quickly falls out of contention for promotion.

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Co-Cast : Edward Sinclair (Caretaker)  
 Geoffrey Lumsden (Corporal-Colonel Square)  
 Gordon Peters (Policeman)  
 John Ringham (Captain Bailey)

### 1.13 Dad's Army > Under Fire [#12]

Under Fire [#12] (1969)

The platoon are on watch for fire bombs when Frazer spots a light flashing on the corner of Mortimer Street. They suspect a spy signalling to the enemy planes overhead. Mainwaring and his men arrest the suspect, a Mr. Murphy, who claims he's a British citizen even though he was born in Austria. Back at the church hall, an incendiary device lands and causes a fire that the platoon struggles to control.

It's Mrs. Pike who extinguishes the fire by smothering it with sandbags. At the same time she vouches for Mr. Murphy, he was married to her Auntie Ethel's cousin.

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Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [ARP Warden])  
 Ernst Ulman (Sigmund Murphy)  
 Geoffrey Lumsden (Corporal-Colonel Square)  
 Gladys Dawson (Mrs. Witt)  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 John Ringham (Captain Bailey)  
 June Petersen (Mrs. Keen)  
 Queenie Watts (Mrs. Keane)

### 1.14 Dad's Army > The Armoured Might Of Lance Corporal Jones [#13]

The Armoured Might Of Lance Corporal Jones [#13] (1969)

GHQ orders the platoon to work closer with the ARP. The new chief warden is to discuss suggestions as to how this can be achieved - but who is the new warden, asks Mainwaring.

WILSON:

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It's that rather common fellow, sir, Mr. Hodges, I think.

MAINWARING:

You mean to say they've made him chief warden?

WILSON:

Yes, they have.

MAINWARING:

He's a greengrocer!

WILSON:

Yes, I know that, sir, because of his dirty fingernails.

As soon as Hodges arrives, the foundations of his friction-based relationship with Mainwaring are laid. Walker persuades Jones into loaning his delivery van, which is converted to gas for fuel economy, to the platoon, primarily because he wants to use it for his own black market dealings. The delivery van takes on a new role as an ambulance during Hodges' air raid practice, with the platoon becoming stretcherbearers.

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Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Dick Haydon (Raymond)  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Harold Bennett (Old Man)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Jean St. Clair (Miss Meadows)  
Nigel Hawthorne (Angry Man)  
Olive Mercer (Mrs. Casson)  
Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
Queenie Watts (Mrs. Peters)

## 1.15 Dad's Army > Battle School [#14]

Battle School [#14] (1969)

The platoon is a train ride away from weekend camp and a course in guerrilla warfare. Mainwaring is hungry and grouchy and Godfrey uncomfortable.

GODFREY:

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I hope we get there soon.

MAINWARING:

Why?

GODFREY:

It's all very awkward this not being a corridor train... it's very difficult indeed.

MAINWARING:

You'll just have to control yourself, Godfrey, There's a war on you know.

After taking four hours to reach the camp from the station, from just a mile away, the platoon's hunger pains deepen when they discover they've missed supper. After oversleeping and missing breakfast too, they set out to capture Captain Rodrigues' base. Upon discovering a secret tunnel leading straight into the HQ, Mainwaring tells the platoon they'll capture the base at nightfall.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Alan Haines (Major Smith)  
Alan Tilvern (Captain Rodrigues)  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)

## 1.16 Dad's Army > The Lion Has 'Phones [#15]

The Lion Has 'Phones [#15] (1969)

Frazer and Wilson are on patrol and witness a German bomber crash in the reservoir. When Mainwaring arrives on the scene, Walker is nowhere to be seen. Confusion is created when Jones is sent to phone GHQ. After dialling the wrong number he speaks to the cashier at the Plaza Cinema and gets confused upon hearing her say the film's title is "One Of Our Aircraft Is Missing", and Eric Portman and Googie Withers are in it.

Back at the reservoir Hodges and Lt. Hope Bruce arrive, but it's Walker who has used his initiative. After a word with the reservoir official, the sluices are opened and the Germans swim for their lives.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)

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James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Avril Angers (Telephone Operator)  
Bernadette Milnes (Lady in queue)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Carson Green (Boy)  
Colin Daniel (Boy)  
Gilda Perry (Doreen)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Linda James (Betty)  
Olive Mercer (Lady in queue)  
Pamela Cundell (Lady in queue)  
Richard Jacques (Mr. Cheesewright)  
Stanley McGeagh (Sergeant Waller)  
Timothy Carlton (Lieutenant Hope Bruce)

## 1.17 Dad's Army > The Bullet Is Not For Firing [#16]

The Bullet Is Not For Firing [#16] (1969)

Trouble is in the air when the platoon blow all their ammo in a nights exercise. Mainwaring sees no alternative but to report the incident to his superiors. The gravity of the scene is punctuated by the entrance of Mrs. Pike, concerned about nothing more than Frank's appearance.

MRS. PIKE:

Where on earth have you been? I've been worried sick about you.

PIKE:

I've been shooting at aeroplanes, we think we shot one down.

MRS. PIKE:

'Ere, have you washed your face?

PIKE:

No, I've only just got back from shooting at aeroplanes.

MRS. PIKE:

Well, it's a disgrace. You're going to come straight home with me and I'll give it a good go with a flannel, come on.

PIKE:

I can't, I've got to boil my rifle out.

MRS. PIKE:

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I'll soon see about that. (turning to Mainwaring).  
Mr. Mainwaring, my Frank's coming home with me. It's a perfect disgrace  
you keeping him out all night like this with a dirty face.

A Court of Inquiry is held, upon Mainwaring's insistence, into the use of  
75 rounds of ammo. But proceedings are farcical and peppered with constant  
interruptions, especially when Jones brings the ceiling down.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Andrew Daye (Choir Member)  
Arthur Lewis (Choir Member)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Eilidh McNab (Choir Member)  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Fred Tomlinson (Choir Member)  
Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Kate Forge (Choir Member)  
May Warden (Mrs. Dowding)  
Michael Knowles (Captain Cutts)  
Tim Barrett (Captain Pringle)

## 1.18 Dad's Army > Something Nasty In The Vault [#17]

Something Nasty In The Vault [#17] (1969)

The arrival of Mr. West, the bank inspector, is all Mainwaring needs. When  
he points out that the monthly report to head office has become irregular,  
Mainwaring blames the weight of responsibility, particularly as he's  
protecting the stretch of coastline from Stone's Amusement Arcade to the  
Novelty Rock Emporium. An air raid interrupts the discussion, and they  
return to find the bank has taken a direct hit. Both Mainwaring and Wilson  
fall down a gaping hole in the office and end up clutching an unexploded  
bomb in the banks strongroom.

WILSON:

Sir, if you could possibly lower your end just a little bit.

MAINWARING:

Don't do that, the slightest movement could set this thing off.

WILSON:

Well we can't sit here all day holding it like this, sir, for heavens

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sake.

MAINWARING:

If you don't stop jogging your end, we'll be sitting on a cloud holding a harp!

While Mainwaring and Wilson sweat buckets, Captain Rogers, bomb disposal, arrives but does little to help confidence when announcing the bomb is a trembler. While he rushes off to get the right tools, the trusty platoon members take matters into their own hands.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Norman Mitchell (Captain Rogers)  
Robert Dorning (Mr. West [Bank Inspector])

## 1.19 Dad's Army > Room At The Bottom [#18]

Room At The Bottom [#18] (1969)

When it transpires Mainwaring's self-appointment to captain isn't official, and that he hasn't even been commissioned as a lieutenant, it's demotion to private. As Wilson is put in temporary charge of the platoon, his former superior wears a brave face and attends the drill exercise. The drill sergeant is a hard task master... as Godfrey discovers.

DRILL SERGEANT:

What are you laughing at then, lad?

GODFREY:

I'm not really laughing, it's my normal expression.

DRILL SERGEANT:

Looking at you I should think it's the only thing that is normal.

When a training exercise turns into a failure under Wilson's command, the platoon write to HQ requesting Mainwaring's reinstatement.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)

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Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Anthony Sagar (Drill Sergeant Gregory)  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
John Ringham (Captain Bailey)

## 1.20 Dad's Army > Big Guns [#19]

Big Guns [#19] (1969)

A naval gun is delivered but Mainwaring's plans for its use in the defence of Walmington are scuppered by the town's bandstand being directly in its line of fire. He writes to the town clerk requesting its dismantling. As it's a rare example of Victorian ironwork, erected to commemorate Queen Victoria's visit in 1891. Mr. Rees, the town clerk, and Mr. Bennett, the borough engineer, are unhappy with Mainwaring's request. To help convince them, the platoon put on a demo of what they can do with the gun, with the usual farcical results.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Don Estelle (Man from Pickfords)  
Edward Evans (Mr. Rees)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Roy Denton (Mr. Bennett)

## 1.21 Dad's Army > The Day The Balloon Went Up [#20]

The Day The Balloon Went Up [#20] (1969)

The Verger gets caught up on the cable of a barrage balloon while cleaning windows. The platoon eventually free him but then have to decide what to do with the stray balloon. With help unlikely before nightfall, it's decided to take the balloon to nearby woods and tie it to a tree. As always things don't go to plan and Mainwaring is lifted in to the air, triggering a Spitfire squadron to scramble in search of an unidentified object, or is it Captain Mainwaring.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)

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Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Andrew Carr (Operations Room Officer)  
 Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)  
 Jack Haig (Gardener)  
 Jennifer Browne (WAAF Sergeant)  
 Kenneth Watson (RAF Officer)  
 Nan Braunton (Miss Godfrey)  
 Therese McMurray (Girl in Haystack)  
 Vicki Lane (Girl on Tandem)

## 1.22 Dad's Army > War Dance [#21]

War Dance [#21] (1969)

It's the Home Guard dance and Pikey, who's nearly 19, is bringing ATS girl Violet Gibbons, whose mother used to clean for Mainwaring. Violet worked in a fish and chip shop and Woolworth's, and Mainwaring doesn't think the girl is suitable when considering Pike's future in the bank. He persuades a chary Wilson to talk to the boy. But it's no good, Pike tells him he's announcing their engagement at the dance, even though his mother knows nothing of the relationship.

At the dance, Jones is told to stop Pikey getting to the mike but fails. When Mrs. Pike later throws a bucket of water over Frank, he decides married life isn't for him after all.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Dora Graham (Dora)  
 Doris Graham (Doris)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Hugh Hastings (Pianist)  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 Nan Braunton (Miss Godfrey)  
 Olive Mercer (Mrs. Yeatman)  
 Sally Douglas (Blodwen)

## 1.23 Dad's Army > Menace From The Deep [#22]

Menace From The Deep [#22] (1969)

The platoon are guarding the machine gun post at the end of the pier for four nights. Wilson and Mainwaring spot a hammock.

MAINWARING:

Oh, I say, a hammock, good, I'll take that.

WILSON:

Oh, now, really, sir.

MAINWARING:

What's the matter?

WILSON:

Well I really must protest, sir. Just because you're the officer you must take the hammock. I mean, you don't even say: "May I take the hammock?" or "Do you mind if I take the hammock?" You just strut over there, put your hand out and say: "I'm taking that". I mean, it's just the sort of behaviour that I cannot stand!

MAINWARING:

Well I'm sorry, Wilson. Perhaps it was a little unthinking of me, a little undemocratic, but you know I'm the last person in the world to take advantage of my position.

WILSON:

Oh really, sir.

MAINWARING:

We shall take it in turns, of course.

WILSON:

Thank you.

MAINWARING:

But I shall use it first.

During their stay on the pier, Pikey fails to secure the rowing boat and it drifts out to sea taking the tangled telephone wire with it, and they have to deal with a wandering sea mine.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)

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Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Stuart Sherwin (ARP Warden #2)  
Bill Treacher (Sailor #1)  
Larry Martyn (Sailor #2)

## 1.24 Dad's Army > Branded [#23]

Branded [#23] (1969)

Godfrey hands in his notice. When interviewed by Mainwaring, he confesses to having been a conscientious objector during the last campaign. He's sent home in disgrace while Mainwaring informs the rest of the platoon, who cold shoulder the old man. But when Mainwaring passes out during an exercise in a smoke-filled room, it's Godfrey who comes to the rescue, saving the captain's life. While Godfrey's recovering from his ordeal, he's visited by the platoon. Spotting a photo of Godfrey wearing the Military Medal, apologies follow and Godfrey is installed as the platoon's medical orderly.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Nan Braunton (Miss Godfrey)  
Roger Avon (Doctor)  
Stuart Sherwin (ARP Warden #2)

## 1.25 Dad's Army > Man Hunt [#24]

Man Hunt [#24] (1969)

Walker introduces a tracking dog to the platoon, and as the canine recruit lolllops across the floor, Mainwaring decides to test it out against Jones. When a discarded parachute is discovered in the area, the dog is put to work and is successful in tracking down an ornithologist, after rare eggs.

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Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

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Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Bran (Himself)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Leon Cortez (Small Man)  
Miranda Hampton (Sexy Lady)  
Olive Mercer (Fierce Lady)  
Patrick Tull (Suspect)  
Robert Aldous (German Pilot)  
Robert Moore (Large Man)

## 1.26 Dad's Army > No Spring For Frazer [#25]

No Spring For Frazer [#25] (1969)

Mainwaring orders Wilson to march the platoon over to the rec for the field craft lecture, and asks his sergeant whether he obtained appropriate permission.

WILSON:

Oh yes, he would like us to keep away from the childrens swings and the Donald Duck sandpit.

MAINWARING:

He'll soon change his tune when he hears the tramp, tramp of Nazi jackboots pounding over his bowling greens.

When Mainwaring inspects the Lewis gun Frazer has been looking after he notices that the butterfly spring is missing.

En route to the rec they pop into Frazer's workshop but discover the spring fell into the coffin of the recently deceased Horace Blewitt, brother of Sidney, in whose house he lies in rest. The platoon head for 21 Marigold Avenue during the night in an attempt to recover the spring only to find the coffin lid has been screwed down.

At the funeral, Mainwaring and his men put Plan B into action, they cause the ceremony to be abandoned by suggesting there is an unexploded bomb in the area. Further attempts to retrieve the spring fail before Frazer suddenly comes across it in his pocket.

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Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])

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Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)  
Joan Cooper (Miss Baker)  
Ronnie Brandon (Mr. Dury)

## 1.27 Dad's Army > Sons Of The Sea [#26]

Sons Of The Sea [#26] (1969)

Mainwaring and his men take possession of the late Mr. Johnson's boat, "The Naughty Jane", which they put to use as a patrol boat. The platoon are in trouble when they get lost in the fog, drifting aimlessly in the English Channel. When they reach land, they confuse the sound of the nearby party being thrown by the French Canadians celebrating shooting down their 50th Nazi plane. Hiding in a railway wagon overnight, they wake to find themselves travelling through the countryside. They make plans to cross enemy territory when the train stops at... Eastbourne Station.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : John Leeson (Soldier #1)  
Jonathan Holt (Soldier #2)  
Michael Bilton (Mr. Maxwell)  
Ralph Ball (Man on Station)

## 1.28 Dad's Army > The Big Parade [#27]

The Big Parade [#27] (1970)

Mainwaring decides the platoon needs a mascot, particularly as on Sunday morning they will be leading the big parade to mark the start of Spitfire Week. Private Sponge donates a ram - if anyone can catch one at his farm. Wilson gets caught on barbed wire and Pikey falls in a bog. After several failed attempts, the boy is finally rescued. The parade takes place without the mascot, even though Walker offered a goat as an alternative.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])

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Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)

## 1.29 Dad's Army > Don't Forget The Diver [#28]

Don't Forget The Diver [#28] (1970)

A big exercise takes place between all the Home Guard units and the Walmington platoon have to plant a bomb in the windmill occupied by the Eastgate mob. Mainwaring and his team use various forms of disguise to reach the windmill unnoticed, even though the Verger is spying for Captain Square. After negotiating a chasing dog, Jones throws the bomb into the windmill but gets caught up on the mills sails. As Mainwaring confronts Square and demands his surrender, the platoon can pat themselves on the back for a well executed plan.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Don Estelle (ARP Warden #2)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Geoffrey Lumsden (Captain Square)  
Robert Raglan (H. G. Sergeant)  
Verne Morgan (Landlord)

## 1.30 Dad's Army > Boots, Boots, Boots [#29]

Boots, Boots, Boots [#29] (1970)

Mainwaring introduces the three F's - fast feet, functional feet and fit feet. After inspecting the mens feet he announces a series of route marches. After a seven mile trek he plans to inspect their feet again, but takes Wilson into the office to check his in private to save embarrassment.

WILSON:

Yes, quite, in that case who's going to inspect your feet, sir?

MAINWARING: (rubbing his chin)

Yes, I see your point. Look here. (he moves closer to Wilson).  
You show me yours and I'll show you mine.

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The platoon feel Mainwaring is getting obsessed by his drive for healthy feet, particularly when he organises a barefoot football match, running across the pebbled beach and marching in the sea. But when he announces the 20-mile route march, that's the final straw. The platoon plan swapping Mainwaring's boots with a smaller pair in an attempt to make his feet hurt and prevent him completing the march. But they hadn't accounted for the shopkeeper returning another pair of Mainwaring's boots from repair just in time for the march.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Erik Chitty (Mr. Sedgewick)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)

### 1.31 Dad's Army > Sgt. - Save My Boy! [#30]

Sgt. - Save My Boy! [#30] (1970)

The platoon take over the Harris Orphan's Holiday Home Hut on the beach and Pikey gets caught on barbed wire in the middle of a mine field. While they await the arrival of the Engineers to clear a path, Mainwaring checks on the progress.

MAINWARING:

What news of the sappers, Wilson?

WILSON:

I'm just on to them now, sir...

yes, it really is most terribly kind of you, but I wonder if you could possibly manage to get here just a teeny-weeny bit sooner, we really would be most awfully grateful - thank you so much, it's so kind of you, alright, goodbye.

MAINWARING: (fed up with Wilson's approach)

Well?

WILSON:

They're having trouble with a land mine, sir, I think. They'll be about three hours I'm afraid.

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As Pikey can't swim and the tide is rushing in, there's no alternative but for the platoon to rescue their comrade. As the men progress cautiously across the sand, Godfrey reaches Pike from another angle, much to Mainwaring's surprise.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Michael Knowles (Engineer Officer)

### 1.32 Dad's Army > Don't Fence Me In [#31]

Don't Fence Me In [#31] (1970)

For two weekends, the platoon are responsible for guarding Italian POW's. There is a shortage of discipline which irks Mainwaring - prisoners are listening to music and generally idling. In the evening, Walker meets up with the Italian general and discusses plans for getting them out of the camp, Godfrey overhears and reports back to Mainwaring, who suspects Joe of being a fifth columnist. They catch him red-handed, loading prisoners into the platoon van. Walker confesses to employing them on the night shift helping to assemble radio parts. When Captain Bailey from GHQ, arrives to inspect the prisoners, panic breaks out.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Edward Evans (General Monteverdi)  
John Ringham (Captain Bailey)  
Larry Martyn (Italian POW)

### 1.33 Dad's Army > Absent Friends [#32]

Absent Friends [#32] (1970)

When Mainwaring has a meeting cancelled, he turns up at the church hall to find Wilson has given the men permission to play darts in the local pub against the ARP Wardens. Mainwaring is furious and orders Wilson to get everyone back in ten minutes - but as there are two pints for the victors of the match, no one is prepared to leave. Mainwaring cannot believe the

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men are acting this way and finds himself short of help when an armed IRA suspect is reported at 27 Ivy Crescent.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Arthur English (Policeman)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
J. G. Devlin (Regan)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Michael Lomax (ARP Warden #2)  
Patrick Conner (Shamus)  
Verne Morgan (Landlord)

### 1.34 Dad's Army > Put That Light Out [#33]

Put That Light Out [#33] (1970)

Mainwaring sets up an observation post in a lighthouse and Jones' section are first on duty. By accident they switch on the light, illuminating the whole of Walmington just as the siren warns of approaching enemy bombers. As the lighthouse has its own generator, it's vital that Mainwaring gets a message to Jones - the trouble is the phone is disconnected. His attempts to get the line reconnected via the exchange are fruitless until Walker takes control.

WALKER: (speaking to Mainwaring)

Come here, give it to me will you. (he takes the phone).  
'Ello Freda.

OPERATOR:

Who's that?

WALKER:

It's Joe, Joe Walker.

OPERATOR:

Oh! (smiling and tidying her hair).  
Hello, Joe.

WALKER:

'Ere, listen luv, stick 73 into 21 will you?

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OPERATOR:

Oh, Joe, what are you up to now?  
Alright then, I'll do it for you.  
Hang on. (she reconnects the line).

WALKER:

'Ere you are, sir, she's putting you through. (hands phone to Mainwaring).

MAINWARING:

You seem very well informed.

WALKER:

Well we used to run the brandy from France before the war in the motor boats, you know. And there was this bent coastguard who used to give us a tip-off when they were coming round the bay.

Mainwaring is finally able to instruct Jones on how to turn the light off just before enemy planes pass overhead.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Avril Angers (Telephone Operator)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Gordon Peters (Lighthouse Keeper)  
Stuart Sherwin (ARP Warden #2)

### 1.35 Dad's Army > The Two And A Half Feathers [#34]

The Two And A Half Feathers [#34] (1970)

George Clarke, a former colleague of Jones' in the Sudan, arrives in town and joins the platoon. It's not long before the new face begins tarnishing the butchers war record, claiming Jones left him in the desert to die. The morning post brings Jones three anonymous letters and the stark message that there's no room in Walmington for a coward.

It's time for action. After Clarke recalls his version of events to Mainwaring, Jones presents his side of the story, stating that he and Clarke were captured in the desert but that he overcame one of the captors and rescued Clarke who'd been pegged down in the blazing heat to die.

A disgraced Clarke scuttles off to the station and Jones' military reputation remains intact.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Gilda Perry (Doreen)  
John Ash (Raymond)  
John Cater (Private Clarke)  
Linda James (Betty)  
Parnell McGarry (Elizabeth)  
Queenie Watts (Edna)  
Wendy Richard (Edith)

### 1.36 Dad's Army > Mum's Army [#35]

Mum's Army [#35] (1970)

The womenfolk want to join Mainwaring in the war effort. New recruits include Mrs. Fox, the timorous Ivy Samways from Jutland Drive, usherette Edith Parish and Fiona Gray who recently moved from London with her mother, to whom Mainwaring takes an instant shine. On parade he puts the women through their paces, while perpetually complementing Mrs. Gray.

After Mainwaring meets Mrs. Gray at Ann's Pantry the next day, rumours spread that there is more to this relationship than meets the eye.

At the next parade, Mrs. Gray's absence is explained when Ivy reports seeing her heading for the station. Mainwaring gives chase and spots her in the station buffet. Upon learning she's returning to London, he opens his heart.

MAINWARING:

But... but I don't want you to go. The whole pattern of my life has changed. I just live from one meeting to the next.

MRS. GRAY:

I know, and I'm just the same but it's the only thing to do - people are talking.

MAINWARING:

People always talk, who cares about them?

MRS. GRAY:

But there's your wife.

MAINWARING:

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No one will talk to her. She hasn't left the house since Munich!

MRS. GRAY:

Be sensible, George. You can't afford scandal and tittle-tattle.

MAINWARING:

I tell you, I don't care.

MRS. GRAY:

But there's the bank.

MAINWARING:

Damn the bloody bank!

Mainwaring implores her to stay but she goes, leaving Mainwaring with a broken heart.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Carmen Silvera (Mrs. Gray)  
David Gilchrist (Serviceman)  
Deirdre Costello (Buffet Attendant)  
Eleanor Smale (Mrs. Prosser)  
Jack Le White (Porter)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Julia Burbury (Miss Ironside)  
Melita Manger (Waitress)  
Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
Rosemary Faith (Ivy Samways)  
Wendy Richard (Edith Parish)

### 1.37 Dad's Army > The Test [#36]

The Test [#36] (1970)

Hodges challenges the platoon to a cricket match. Mainwaring selects himself as captain and proceeds to give the men some advice on batting stances until he gets bowled first ball by Pike. Jones arrives late.

JONES:

I'm sorry I'm late, Mr. Mainwaring - I did the coupon counting and then

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the sausages arrived.

MAINWARING:

I don't want excuses, Jones. A parade is a parade, you should be on time you know.

JONES:

Yes, I've put your pound of sausages in the right-hand drawer of your desk as usual.

MAINWARING: (feeling embarrassed)

Thank you, Jones. Just watch it in future.

Hodges has a secret weapon in his team, the cricket pro Ernie Egan, who signs on as a warden to cover him for playing. With the Verger and Vicar as umpires. Hodges' team bat first, clocking up a total of 152 for 4 declared, with 24 being taken off one ball. There is much tension during the match and Mainwaring nearly gets his marching orders after an altercation with the Verger about a no-ball.

MAINWARING:

That was my googly.

VERGER:

From where I was standing it looked like a chuck, and don't argue with the umpire or you'll be sent off.

MAINWARING:

You don't send people off in cricket!

VERGER:

I do!

MAINWARING:

I suppose I'm lucky not to be given offside!

VERGER:

I'm taking your name for that.

With three hours to go, Mainwaring's team make heavy weather of reaching the target even though Mr. Egan strains his shoulder bowling. As the wickets tumble, Wilson is the saviour with a glorious innings, but it's Godfrey who shocks even himself when he scores the winning runs with a six.

Cast : Arnold Ridley            (Private Charles Godfrey)

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Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
James Beck	(Private Joe Walker)
John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :

Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
Don Estelle	(Gerald)
Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
Freddie Trueman	(E. C. Egan)
Harold Bennett	(Mr. Blewitt)

### 1.38 Dad's Army > A. Wilson (Manager)? [#37]

A. Wilson (Manager)? [#37] (1970)

It's a bad morning for Mainwaring, Wilson's promoted to manager at the Eastgate branch and his commission comes through. Hastily, Mainwaring appoints Pike as relief Chief Clerk and Jones as sergeant of the platoon - that is until there's a mix-up with a memo sent to all members of the platoon confirming their promotion to sergeant.

Fortunately the mess sorts itself out when Wilson's dream of being manager is shattered when the bank takes a direct hit during a bombing raid. He returns to his subservient role at the Walmington branch.

Cast :

Arnold Ridley	(Private Charles Godfrey)
Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
James Beck	(Private Joe Walker)
John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :

Arthur Brough	(Mr. Boyle)
Blake Butler	(Mr. West)
Colin Bean	(Private Sponge)
Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
Hugh Hastings	(Private Hastings)
Janet Davies	(Mrs. Pike)
Robert Raglan	(Captain Pritchard)

### 1.39 Dad's Army > Uninvited Guests [#38]

Uninvited Guests [#38] (1970)

When Hodges' HQ is bombed there is little alternative but to share the church hall with Mainwaring. Unhappy with the situation, Mainwaring complains to the Vicar, Area HQ, the Civil Defence people and the secretary

of the Council, a fellow Rotarian. The ARP are to leave, but not for a week. Meanwhile Mainwaring and Hodges squabble like kids and the church hall nearly burns down.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Don Estelle (Gerald)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Rose Hill (Mrs. Cole)

## 1.40 Dad's Army > Fallen Idol [#39]

Fallen Idol [#39] (1970)

The platoon attend a weekend course. While the privates consume their free allocation of two pints, Mainwaring is persuaded by Captain Square to distance himself from his men and drink in the officers mess - much to the disgust of the platoon. In the company of fellow officers, Mainwaring is led astray and ends up drunk. In the morning, nursing a horrific hangover, he's in desperate need of restoring his reputation with his men, something he is able to achieve by saving Jones' life.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Anthony Sagar (Sergeant Major)  
Geoffrey Lumsden (Captain Square)  
Michael Knowles (Captain Reed)  
Rex Garner (Captain Ashley-Jones)  
Robert Raglan (Captain Pritchard)  
Tom Mennard (Mess Orderly)

## 1.41 Dad's Army > Battle Of The Giants [#40]

Battle Of The Giants [#40] (1971)

It's the ceremonial church parade and everyone is allowed to wear their medals - the problem is, Mainwaring hasn't got any. After the parade, everyone meets up at the pub where Captain Square, Mainwaring's rival at

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Eastgate, gives Mainwaring stick about his lack of medals and the quality of his platoon. Annoyed by his remarks, Mainwaring agrees to challenge them in initiation tests, with Hodges, the Verger and the Vicar as judges.

Shortly after the tests begin, Jones gets a malaria attack which hampers the platoons early progress in bursting balloons and filling barrels with feathers. But it's Mainwaring who's first up the tower to raise his flag, trouble is they can't fly it in time. Square beats his adversary and hoists his flag only to find it's got Mainwaring's platoon on it. Walker had supplied the Walmington platoon flag to Square as well.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Charles Hill (Sergeant)  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Geoffrey Lumsden (Captain Square)  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)  
 Rosemary Faith (Barmaid)

## 1.42 Dad's Army > Asleep In The Deep [#41]

Asleep In The Deep [#41] (1972)

A bomb hits the pumping station where Walker and Godfrey are on patrol. Mainwaring and the rest of the platoon rush to help but the door is blocked. Eventually the rubble is removed and Mainwaring and his men are able to enter the room and free Walker and Godfrey. A further fall of debris traps them all, and when the water pipe bursts and the room rapidly fills with water, time is running out for the intrepid soldiers.

Just as the water nears neck level, Godfrey notices a manhole cover and the platoon flee in the nick of time. But their problems aren't over yet.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)

## 1.43 Dad's Army > Keep Young And Beautiful [#42]

Keep Young And Beautiful [#42] (1972)

Believing the Home Guard is full of old warhorses and the ARP of younger, fitter personnel, Parliament agrees an exchange of men. A parade is planned during which an official from Area HQ will select those to be transferred. With the ageing Walmington-on-Sea platoon likely to be hit hard, everyone makes an effort to look younger. Mainwaring buys a toupee and Wilson wears a corset.

MAINWARING:

Wilson, you're wearing corsets, am I right?

WILSON:

It's a gentlemans abdominal support.

MAINWARING:

Gentlemans abdominal support, my fool, it's corsets. You're a rum cove. You wear that uniform like a sack of porridge and you're as vain as a peacock.

WILSON:

It's nothing to do with vanity, sir, I just don't want to be drafted into Hodges' mob, that's all, I'm really rather proud of this platoon. I think you've done wonders getting us all together the way you have - I really mean that. So I just think it pays at the moment not to look any older than one needs.

MAINWARING:

I'm sorry, Wilson.

WILSON:

That's alright.

MAINWARING:

It's very kind of you to pay that tribute to me, very kind. I realise it doesn't come easy to a cold fish like you. And here I am pouring scorn on you. I had no right to really, no right at all. I have to tell you, Wilson, that I too have taken some steps to look a little more... a little more virile.

WILSON:

Oh my god, it's not monkey glands, is it?

MAINWARING:

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No! It's nothing as drastic as that. What do you think of this?  
(he carefully removes his hat and reveals a ragged wig).

WILSON:

It's awful! (he begins laughing). No, no, no, awfully good, it's awfully good. (he subsides into unbridled laughter).

MAINWARING:

Watch it, Wilson, you might snap your girdle!

The platoon are also worried they'll be transferred, particularly Godfrey, Jones and Frazer, who decide to take drastic action with their appearance.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Charles Morgan (Member of Parliament #2)  
 Derek Bond (Minister)  
 James Ottaway (Member of Parliament #1)  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.44 Dad's Army > A Soldier's Farewell [#43]

A Soldier's Farewell [#43] (1972)

Mainwaring takes the platoon to the cinema but is the only one who remains for the national anthem. Disgusted by their actions, he orders the men to stand to attention during parade while the anthem is played six times.

After finishing off the night with a cheese supper with Wilson and Jones, Mainwaring goes home to bed. The cheese plays havoc with his stomach and he dreams he's Napoleon.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Joan Savage (Greta Garbo)  
 Joy Allen (Clippie)

Robert Gillespie (Charles Boyer)

## 1.45 Dad's Army > Getting The Bird [#44]

Getting The Bird [#44] (1972)

Wilson is missing and Godfrey reports seeing him with his arm round an attractive blond. Walker, meanwhile, promises to supply Jones with several dozen pigeons to help his meat supply.

As Mainwaring tells the men about the voluntary church parade on Sunday, which he expects everyone to attend, a groaning from the stage turns out to be an inebriated Sergeant Wilson.

Walker and Jones work into the night trying to hide the pigeons away, but Hodges spots the small paraffin light.

HODGES:

Oi! Put that ruddy light out, haven't you heard the Jerry planes flying over?

JONES:

Well, they can't see a little light like that.

HODGES:

How do you know? Have you been up there to have a look? I'm going to book you for this.

JONES:

You're showing more light with that silly torch of yours.

WALKER: (passing a couple of pigeons to Hodges)

Come 'ere, have a couple of pigeons and forget it.

HODGES:

For me? Oh. Well i suppose... it's not a very big light is it?  
Ta, thanks very much.

When news reports state a mysterious loss of pigeons from Trafalgar Square, Jones wants nothing more to do with the batch Walker supplied. Finally the mystery concerning Wilson is cleared up - the mysterious girl is his daughter.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)

James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Olive Mercer (Mrs. Yeatman)  
 Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
 Alvar Lidell (Newsreader)  
 Seretta Wilson (Wren)

## 1.46 Dad's Army > The Desperate Drive Of Corporal Jones [#45]

The Desperate Drive Of Corporal Jones [#45] (1972)

The platoon take part in a divisional scheme involving live ammunition. The task is to occupy a deserted barn and defend it against the enemy. But Godfrey and Jones mix up the map references and Mainwaring takes up position in the barn being used as the target for the 25 pounders.

Jones and Godfrey, who occupy HQ, desperately try phoning to stop the firing but Godfrey has cut the phone wire by mistake. Jones reaches the barn with just a minute to spare before it's blown to pieces.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 James Taylor (Artillery Officer)  
 Larry Martyn (Signals Private)  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.47 Dad's Army > If The Cap Fits... [#46]

If The Cap Fits... [#46] (1972)

Mainwaring is giving a slide show and Frazer isn't happy because it's lovely summers evening. After the lecture, he bursts into the office and accuses Mainwaring of wasting time on irrelevant lectures. Mainwaring is furious and fed up with his grousing, so decides to swap rank with Frazer for a few days.

The power soon goes to Frazer's head, as Wilson discovers.

FRAZER: (checking a discrepancy in a record sheet)

You cannot wriggle your way out of this with me, there's a discrepancy, eight yards of four by two missing and unaccounted for.

WILSON:

Well I think if you look at the overall...

FRAZER:

S-t-a-n-d to attention when your addressing an officer.

WILSON:

Well I-I-I might have given a little extra to some of the chaps.

FRAZER:

Precisely, incompetence and extravagance - maybe even corruption. Well that's it, you're busted!

The whole platoon gets shaken up except for Pikey and Walker who are promoted to rank of corporal and sergeant respectively. The new Major General, who's taken over area command, arrives at the church hall office and discusses progress with Frazer. He invites him along to the forthcoming Highland get-together and asks him to play the bagpipes.

Eventually Mainwaring slips back into his former role of captain. But what he doesn't realise is that the invitation to attend the Highland dinner involves playing the bagpipes, which, to Frazer's surprise, he does with consummate ease.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Alex McAvoy (Sergeant)  
 Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Campbell Singer (Major General Menzies)  
 Dennis Blanch (2nd Lieutenant)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.48 Dad's Army > The King Was In His Counting House [#47]

The King Was In His Counting House [#47] (1972)

Mainwaring holds a party at his home, a rare occasion. The atmosphere is

tense and conversation stilted - perfectly summed up by Walker as resembling "an undertakers convention". But it's brought to an untimely end when the bank takes a direct hit during an air raid. The party guests are recruited to help count the money. With over £96,000 to safeguard, the following day Mainwaring takes it to the Eastgate branch by horse and cart.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Wendy Richard (Shirley)

## 1.49 Dad's Army > All Is Safely Gathered In [#48]

All Is Safely Gathered In [#48] (1972)

Godfrey requests three days leave to help longtime friend, Mrs. Prentice, with her harvest. Realising the importance of the task, Mainwaring gets the whole platoon to help harvest her 100 acres.

Even though Jones falls into the hopper, the gathering of the harvest is a great success. After celebrating with too much potato wine, they join the Vicar's service to bless the harvest - but it's rudely interrupted when scuffles break-out in the congregation.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : April Walker (Judy)  
 Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Brenda Cowling (Mrs. Prentice)  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Tina Cornioli (Olive)

## 1.50 Dad's Army > When Did You Last See Your Money? [#49]

When Did You Last See Your Money? [#49] (1972)

The bank is still looking the worse for wear after recently being hit by a bomb, but it's business as usual, even though Mainwaring sits at his desk with an umbrella to protect him from drips. Jones comes in to deposit £500 collected from local shopkeepers for the towns servicemen's canteen, but the packet he gives Pikey contains sausages but not money - Jones has mislaid the \$500.

In an attempt to remember what he's done with the cash, Jones even succumbs to Frazer's suggestion of hypnotism. As a result, it's thought that Mr. Blewitt's recently-purchased chicken has been stuffed with the money, but after pulling it apart, that idea falls through. Just as Jones prepares to spend his life savings on sorting out the problem, the £500 turns up.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)  
Tony Hughes (Mr. Billings)

## 1.51 Dad's Army > Brain Versus Brawn [#50]

Brain Versus Brawn [#50] (1972)

Wilson is Mainwaring's guest at Walmington's Rotarian dinner at the Peabody Rooms, and Jones and Walker are also there. After getting involved in a discussion with the Colonel regarding not being involved in the Home Guard commando unit, they accept a challenge to prove that brain is better than brawn. For the exercise, the platoon's objective is to place a bomb in the QC's office. To get past all the guards, they dress up as firemen and travel in a fully-equipped engine. En route, they get diverted by Hodges to a house fire.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Anthony Roye (Mr. Fairbrother)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
David Rose (Dump Corporal)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])

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Geoffrey Hughes (Bridge Corporal)  
 Maggie Don (Waitress)  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.52 Dad's Army > A Brush With The Law [#51]

A Brush With The Law [#51] (1972)

The church office light is spotted burning and Hodges takes great pleasure in prosecuting Mainwaring, who decides to defend himself in court. When the Verger confesses to Hodges that Mainwaring is innocent, Hodges blackmails him into keeping quiet. Things look grim for Mainwaring until Walker takes the stand as a witness.

Having recently supplied whisky to Captain Square, the leading magistrate, Joe's reference to this occasion results in an uneasy Square deciding the case should be dropped. But before matters are wrapped up, the Verger confesses to burning the light while compiling his memoirs.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Chris Gannon (Clerk Of The Court)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Geoffrey Lumsden (Captain Square)  
 Jeffrey Gardiner (Mr. Wintergreen)  
 Marjorie Wilde (Lady Magistrate)  
 Stuart Sherwin (Junior Warden)  
 Toby Perkins (Usher)

## 1.53 Dad's Army > Round And Round Went The Great Big Wheel [#52]

Round And Round Went The Great Big Wheel [#52] (1972)

The War Office has developed a new weapon - a great explosive-carrying wheel controlled by radio. It can knock out a pillbox within three miles. Operation Catherine Wheel takes place to test the new invention, with Mainwaring's men responsible for fatigues, much to their annoyance.

When Pike and Walker nip off to listen to the radio, they cause interference to the big wheel which rolls out of control, carrying 2000lbs of high explosives with it. The platoon give chase in their van and that's when the fun begins...

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)

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Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
James Beck	(Private Joe Walker)
John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :

Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
Edward Underdown	(Major General Sir Charles Holland)
Geoffrey Chater	(Colonel Pierce)
Jeffrey Segal	(Minister)
John Clegg	(Wireless Operator)
Michael Knowles	(Captain Stewart)

## 1.54 Dad's Army > Time On My Hands [#53]

Time On My Hands [#53] (1972)

Mainwaring and Wilson's tea break at the Marigold Tea Rooms is interrupted when Pike tells them that a German pilot has bailed out and is hanging from the town hall clock tower. Up in the tower, Mainwaring and his men consider how to pull the pilot to safety. Jones then causes an extra headache by breaking the makeshift ladder, their only route down.

FRAZER:

You silly old fool, we'll never get down now. We're marooned, marooned!

JONES: (turning to Mainwaring)

Mr. Mainwaring, I want to say how sorry I am, and to make up for it I'm going to do anything you tell me to do no matter how dangerous it is. And I'll make any sacrifice in order to regurgitate myself.

They finally retrieve the pilot. Now they have to decide how to get down.

Cast :

Arnold Ridley	(Private Charles Godfrey)
Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
James Beck	(Private Joe Walker)
John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :

Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
Christopher Sandford	(German Pilot)
Colin Bean	(Private Sponge)
Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
Eric Longworth	(Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])
Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
Harold Bennett	(Mr. Blewitt)
Joan Cooper	(Miss Fortescue)

## 1.55 Dad's Army > The Deadly Attachment [#54]

The Deadly Attachment [#54] (1973)

Mainwaring is responsible for guarding a brusque U-boat captain and seven crew, who've been drifting in a dinghy for two days, until an armed escort arrives. When the escort is delayed until the next morning, the platoon has to guard them all night.

Mainwaring exchanges a few words with the captain.

U-BOAT CAPTAIN:

I am making notes, Captain, and your name will go on the list, and when we win the war you'll be brought to account.

MAINWARING:

You can write what you like, you're not going to win the war.

U-BOAT CAPTAIN:

Oh yes we are.

MAINWARING:

Oh no you're not.

U-BOAT CAPTAIN:

Oh yes we are!

PIKE: (singing)

Whistle while you work, Hitler is a twerp, he's half barmy, so's his army, whistle while you work.

U-BOAT CAPTAIN:

You're name will also go on the list, what is it?

MAINWARING:

Don't tell him, Pike.

U-BOAT CAPTAIN:

Pike! (he writes it down).

Walker heads off to the chippie to buy fish and chips for everyone before settling down for the long night. Later, when the U-boat Captain collapses on the floor complaining of stomach pains, Mainwaring has to decide whether this is just another Nazi trick.

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Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Philip Madoc (U-Boat Captain)  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.56 Dad's Army > My British Buddy [#55]

My British Buddy [#55] (1973)

The Americans have joined the fight against the Germans and a darts match is arranged at the Red Lion to welcome a small advance party. After the formal introductions, Mainwaring tells the Americans to make themselves at home, so they rush over to the girls - who happen to be the platoon members partners. When the American colonel complains about the warm beer and Hodges mouths off about the slowness of the Yanks in joining the war, a fight breaks out.

Thanks to Mr. Cheeseman of the Eastbourne Gazette, who was attending the party, extensive coverage of the incident appears in the local rag.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Alan Tilvern (U.S. Colonel)  
 Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Blain Fairman (U.S. Sergeant)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
 Robert Raglan (Colonel)  
 Suzanne Kerchiss (Ivy)  
 Talfryn Thomas (Mr. Cheeseman)  
 Verne Morgon (Landlord)  
 Wendy Richard (Shirley)

## 1.57 Dad's Army > The Royal Train [#56]

## The Royal Train [#56] (1973)

With King Henry VI passing through Walmington-on-Sea on the Royal Train, Mainwaring's men provide the Guard of Honour. When a train's whistle is heard in the distance they line up before realising it's a false alarm. The engine stops and the drivers go to the office to make a phone call and have a quick cuppa. Mistaking Mainwaring's sleeping pills for saccharin they're quickly asleep in their chairs leaving no alternative but for the Home Guard to move their train in order to clear the line for the King.

Pike is the only one who can drive the engine, the trouble is he can't stop it. After some hair-raising moments, they manage to stop just in time to see the King go racing by.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Bob Hornery (City Gent)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Fred McNaughton (Mayor)  
 Freddie Earlle (Henry)  
 Ronnie Brody (Bob)  
 Sue Bishop (Ticket Collector)  
 William Moore (Station Master)

**1.58 Dad's Army > We Know Our Onions [#57]**

## We Know Our Onions [#57] (1973)

The platoon compete in an efficiency test and take their Smith gun along. When Mainwaring opens the door of Jones' van, hundreds of onions, Walker's order for Hodges, fall out. If the men pass the test with flying colours, they'll be graded a 12-star platoon. After early set back while negotiating an electric fence and attacking the NAAFI teagirl, who they suspect of carrying a bomb in disguise, they pick up marks for showing initiative when firing Walker's onions at an advancing line of troops. But is it enough to earn them their 12-star goal.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Alex McAvoy (Sergeant)

Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
Cy Town	(Mess Steward)
Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
Fulton MacKay	(Captain Ramsey)
Pamela Manson	(NAAFI Girl)

## 1.59 Dad's Army > The Honourable Man [#58]

The Honourable Man [#58] (1973)

Mainwaring heads a committee set up to greet a celebrated Russian visiting Walmington. Frazer suggests giving him a £10 voucher towards funeral expenses, Mrs. Fox, representing the WVS, feels everyone should smile a lot, while Godfrey's not sympathetic to the Reds.

Mainwaring takes the suggestions away to consider the best plan. At the bank a letter arrives addressed to The Honourable Arthur Wilson, the result of an uncle dying which has moved his family up the social ladder. Mainwaring can't believe it.

WILSON:

I don't really see why it should make any difference to you and me.

MAINWARING:

You can bet your bottom dollar it won't make any difference to you and me. (getting agitated). And you needn't think you can roll in here 20 minutes late after lunch. Where have you been?

WILSON:

Well, I went up to the golf club and had a bite to eat there.

MAINWARING:

The golf club!

WILSON:

Yes.

MAINWARING:

Who took you?

WILSON:

Well, I'm a member.

MAINWARING:

You're a member, since when?

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WILSON:

Yes, well you see, when the committee heard about this little thing, they asked me if, you know, I'd like to join.

MAINWARING: (red in fury)

I've been trying for years to get in there.

WILSON:

I believe they're awfully particular!

It seems everyone thinks the newly-titled Wilson should present the key allowing the visitor the freedom of the town and, although Mainwaring fights against it, Wilson comes out on top again.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Cabor Vernon (Russian)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Eric Longworth (Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Fred McNaughton (Mayor)  
Hana-Maria Pravada (Interpreter)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.60 Dad's Army > Things That Go Bump In The Night [#59]

Things That Go Bump In The Night [#59] (1973)

It's a stormy night for driving and with petrol running out the platoon take shelter in an old house.

MAINWARING:

Sponge!

SPONGE:

Yes, Captain Mainwaring.

MAINWARING:

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Didn't you fill the tank yesterday?

SPONGE:

I didn't have any coupons.

MAINWARING:

But Walker was supposed to be supplying the coupons.

PIKE:

Ah, yeah... he couldn't get the ink dry in time!

As a pack of dogs howls outside, the house appears empty except for the burning fire. When someone enters the house and climbs the stairs, the platoon wait nervously - but it turns out to be Captain Cadbury. In the morning he tells them it's a school for training tracker dogs. As the platoon go off to collect some petrol the dogs get loose and give chase - the problem is they aren't fully trained and are still inclined to tear their victims apart.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
James Beck (Private Joe Walker)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Jonathan Cecil (Captain Cadbury)

## 1.61 Dad's Army > The Recruit [#60]

The Recruit [#60] (1973)

Mainwaring is in hospital with ingrowing toenails and his trusty old pistol by his side. Wilson is in charge of the platoon, who aren't happy when he allows the Vicar and the Verger to join the ranks.

They arrive for their first parade.

VICAR: (he runs into the office)

Oh dear, I'm sorry I'm late, the confirmation class went on and on and on - have I missed anything?

WILSON:

It's perfectly alright, we're just going to start the parade now.

VICAR:

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Oh, how very exciting.

VERGER: (comes rushing in)

You left your belt in the vestry, your reverence.

VICAR:

Oh, silly me.

WILSON:

All right, now that you're both here can we start.

VICAR:

Goody, goody.

Mainwaring arrives at the hall, he's discharged himself early. Unhappy with the new additions, he aims to remove them. That evening they're on patrol with Jones' section. While the Verger and Vicar are on guard an impudent kid gives them lip. The Verger clips him round the ear and he rushes off to tell his Uncle Willie - who turns out to be Hodges. Mainwaring feels the Vicar should have dealt with the matter better - taking offence, the new recruits resign.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Susan Majolier (Nurse)  
 Lindsey Dunn (Small Boy)

## 1.62 Dad's Army > Everybody's Trucking [#61]

Everybody's Trucking [#61] (1974)

Mainwaring's men are asked to signpost the route for an exercise the regulars are having in the area. After completing the job they discover the route is blocked by an unmanned steam engine, the driver having left it to get some coal. In an attempt to drive around the engine Jones' van gets stuck in the mud, and before long, so has Hodges' van, his motorbike and sidecar as well as a coach carrying a group of pensioners on their annual trip. After many failed attempts to sort the trouble out, there's no alternative but to set up a diversion.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)

Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
	Colin Bean	(Private Sponge)
	Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
	Felix Bowness	(Driver)
	Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
	Harold Bennett	(Mr. Blewitt)
	Olive Mercer	(Mrs. Yeatman)
	Pamela Cundell	(Mrs. Fox)

### 1.63 Dad's Army > A Man Of Action [#62]

A Man Of Action [#62] (1974)

Pike, on patrol with Jones, relives a childhood memory by pushing his head through an ironbar gate - only this time he gets stuck. Mainwaring and Wilson discuss the arrival of a temporary recruit, Mr. Cheeseman, from the Eastbourne Gazette. He's doing a weekly article about the platoon. As Mainwaring prepares to have his photo taken, Jones telephones and he rushes off to help. To keep the embarrassing incident to themselves, they take the gate from its hinges and march back to the church hall.

While Pike sits and waits for someone to free him, Mainwaring rushes in to an emergency meeting being held in the church hall office - a land mine has ripped up 100 yards of railway track - gas and water supplies have been cut off and the phone wires are down. As the town is cut off, Mainwaring declares martial law.

Cast :	Arnold Ridley	(Private Charles Godfrey)
	Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
	Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
	Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
	John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
	John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Arnold Peters	(Fire Officer Dale)
	Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
	Colin Bean	(Private Sponge)
	Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
	Eric Longworth	(Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])
	Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
	Harold Bennett	(Mr. Blewitt)
	Jay Denyer	(Inspector Baker)
	Robert Mill	(Captain Swan)
	Talfryn Thomas	(Mr. Cheeseman)

### 1.64 Dad's Army > Gorilla Warfare [#63]

Gorilla Warfare [#63] (1974)

The platoon arrive ready for the weekends exercise. Wilson has brought his pyjamas and eau de Cologne while Godfrey has his eiderdown.

GODFREY:

Good afternoon, Captain Mainwaring.

MAINWARING:

What are you carrying that eiderdown for?

GODFREY:

Well we shall be out all night and my sister Dolly thought it might help keep me warm.

MAINWARING:

You can't move swiftly across country loaded down with that.

FRAZER:

He couldn't move swiftly across country stark naked!

For the exercise the platoon are commandos behind enemy lines trying to rendezvous with a highly important secret agent, to be played by Mainwaring, who they will escort to a secret destination. GHQ will have counteragents out trying to capture Mainwaring.

Knowing the counteragents are disguised they ignore everyone, including two stranded nuns and a doctor who suddenly appears warning Mainwaring about an escaped gorilla roaming the woods.

The platoon settle down for the night in a barn and Lieutenant Wood, who is dressed up as the gorilla, is confident he'll ruin Mainwaring's plans. After a tangle with the gorilla the following day, Mainwaring leads his men to victory.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Erik Chitty (Mr. Clerk)  
Joy Allen (Lady with Pram)  
Michael Sharvell-Martin (Lieutenant)  
Rachel Thomas (Mother Superior)  
Robert Raglan (Colonel)

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Robin Parkinson	(Lieutenant Wood)
Talfryn Thomas	(Private Cheeseman)
Verne Morgan	(Farmer)

## 1.65 Dad's Army > The Godiva Affair [#64]

The Godiva Affair [#64] (1974)

The town is £2000 short of their target for buying a Spitfire so a procession is planned with the platoon as Morris dancers. After rehearsals, Jones pours out his heart to Mainwaring and Wilson - he suspects widow Mrs. Fox, who he'd been 'Walking out with' of being smitten with Mr. Gordon, the town clerk.

WILSON:

What! Not that silly bald-headed old duffer, do you mean?

(Mainwaring removes his hat revealing his shining bald head)

WILSON: (staring at Mainwaring's head)

Oh, I don't mean he's a bald-headed old duffer because he's got a bald head... I mean he'd be a silly old... wouldn't he?... I mean... he'd be a silly old duffer even if he'd got a full head of hair.

MAINWARING:

All right, all right, all right, all right.

Jones begs Mainwaring to speak to Mrs. Fox on his behalf - he reluctantly agrees and meets her at the Marigold Tea Rooms the following day. As he stumbles his way through his words, Mrs. Fox gets the wrong end of the stick and thinks Mainwaring fancies her.

In the church hall Hodges and his panel of judges are selecting who'll play Lady Godiva in the procession. After a whisper in his ear, the Town Clerk selects the robust Mrs. Fox. When on procession day, Mrs. Fox finds her fleshings and wig stolen it's Jones she turns to for comfort. But to Mainwaring's consternation, it's his wife who has donned the wig and rides as Lady Godiva.

Cast :	Arnold Ridley	(Private Charles Godfrey)
	Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
	Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
	Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
	John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
	John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
	Colin Bean	(Private Sponge)
	Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
	Eric Longworth	(Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])

Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
George Hancock	(Private Hancock)
Janet Davies	(Mrs. Pike)
Pamela Cundell	(Mrs. Fox)
Peter Honri	(Private Day)
Rosemary Faith	(Waitress)
Talfryn Thomas	(Private Cheeseman)

## 1.66 Dad's Army > The Captain's Car [#65]

The Captain's Car [#65] (1974)

A French general is visiting the town and Mainwaring's platoon is selected to provide the guard of honour, partly because of their smartness and also as a result of Wilson's ability to speak French. Lady Maltby, meanwhile, donates her Rolls to the war effort. Mainwaring decides he'll second it as his staff car. On the day of its delivery, the car breaks down and Pike and Wilson rush off to help, ensuring it gets to the paint shop first for camouflaging. Confusion arises when Jones also helps, but tows away the mayor's Rolls instead and gets Frazer to paint it by mistake.

When the error is spotted, Frazer repaints it black, but not with quick-drying paint, as the handprints on Hodges' face reveal after he's greeted by the French general.

Cast :	Arnold Ridley	(Private Charles Godfrey)
	Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
	Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
	Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
	John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
	John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])
	Donald Morley	(Glossip)
	Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
	Eric Longworth	(Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])
	Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
	Fred McNaughton	(Mayor)
	John Hart Dyke	(French General)
	Mavis Pugh	(Lady Maltby)
	Robert Raglan	(Colonel)
	Talfryn Thomas	(Private Cheeseman)

## 1.67 Dad's Army > Turkey Dinner [#66]

Turkey Dinner [#66] (1974)

It's confession time - members of the platoon tell Mainwaring about their monumental binge during which they accidentally killed a turkey. Believing the bird could only have belonged to the North Berrington turkey farm, the platoon march to the farm to apologise and pay for the bird. After discovering it didn't belong to the farm, Mainwaring and Wilson discuss

what to do with the turkey.

WILSON:

Jonesey shot it, I suppose it rightfully belongs to him.

MAINWARING:

No, no, he was on duty, he was wearing one of my uniforms, carrying one of my rifles and he fired one of my bullets.

WILSON:

I see. Does that mean you're bagging it, sir?

MAINWARING:

No, it doesn't mean I'm bagging it - not all of it anyway.

WILSON:

In that case, I bags it.

MAINWARING:

I'm afraid you can't do that, you see I bags it first.

WILSON:

Well you said you didn't want it, anyway you didn't use the word bag, so it doesn't count.

MAINWARING:

Now don't start using any of that public school cheating with me.

The platoon decide to throw a turkey dinner for the OAPs. Although he helps serve, Mainwaring is dressed in a dinner suit ready for a swift exit to a later engagement. But, as expected, things go wrong when Pike throws gravy over Mainwaring and Jones tries to cover the stains with white paint.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Dave Butler (Farmhand)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Olive Mercer (Mrs. Yeatman)

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Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
Talfryn Thomas (Private Cheeseman)

## 1.68 Dad's Army > Ring Dem Bells [#67]

Ring Dem Bells [#67] (1975)

The platoon take part in a training film, playing Nazis, much to Mainwaring's disgust. There's only two officers' uniforms and as they fit Wilson and Pike, they're chosen for the parts. After being told filming has been postponed for a week, the platoon return from location, stopping off at a country pub on the way. The barman at the Six Bells pub understandably mistakes them for real enemy and gets the barmaid to fetch the police.

Mainwaring and his men get away in time, but when Hodges, the Vicar and Verger spot him talking to a bunch of supposed Germans, they think he's a quisling and sound the church bells.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Adele Strong (Lady with umbrella)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Felix Bowness (Special Constable)  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Hilda Fenemore (Queenie Beal)  
Jack Haig (Landlord)  
Janet Mahoney (Barmaid)  
John Bardon (Harold Forster)  
Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.69 Dad's Army > When You've Got To Go [#68]

When You've Got To Go [#68] (1975)

Pike gets his call-up papers and has to attend a medical, but Mrs. Pike think it's just a formality before he's rejected because of his weak ankles and chest, not to mention the nervous twitch he's recently adopted. So she's shocked when he's passed Al. To celebrate the boy's departure, the platoon hold a fish and chip supper at the local chippie.

But before that the town clerk organises a blood donor session and the rivalry between Hodges and Mainwaring leads to a contest to see who can get the most people to be donors. Just when it looks like Hodges will win, Jones and Frazer come to their captains rescue by gathering together 17 nuns and a myriad of Italian POWs.

At the chip shop the platoon enjoy their fish and chips until Pikey announces that his recent donation of blood has indicated that he belongs to a rare blood group - he can't join up.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Eric Longworth (Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Frankie Holmes (Fishfryer)  
 Freddie Earlle (Italian Sergeant)  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 Tim Barrett (Doctor)

## 1.70 Dad's Army > Is There Honey Still For Tea? [#69]

Is There Honey Still For Tea? [#69] (1975)

Mainwaring is told Godfrey's cottage is to be flattened to make way for a new aerodrome. Intending to break the news, Mainwaring, Wilson and Pike visit Godfrey and his two aged sisters.

After devouring upside down cakes, they leave without broaching the subject, concerned that the gravity of the situation may cause him to keel over. Jones is the one who finally tells Godfrey, by which time he's already recieved official notice.

Frazer champions Godfrey's cause and blackmails the minister responsible for the aerodrome project. Remembering him as the son of a chip shop owner on the Isle of Barra, he threatens to expose him to a society magazine by revealing details of his expulsion from school and sacking from a drapers shop for fingers in the till.

Godfrey's worries evaporate and life goes on at Cherry Tree Cottage.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Campbell Singer (Sir Charles McAllister)  
 Gordon Peters (Man with the door)  
 Joan Cooper (Dolly)  
 Kathleen Saintsbury (Cissy)



Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.71 Dad's Army > Come In, Your Time Is Up [#70]

Come In, Your Time Is Up [#70] (1975)

While testing out their new two-man bivouac tents at weekend camp, the platoon are disturbed by Hodges dropping off the Vicar, Verger and the Sea Scouts, who also intend to camp on the same site. The next morning finds three German airmen in an inflatable dinghy on the lake, casualties of the previous nights air raid.

With the use of a raft, Mainwaring and some of his men, together with Hodges, who's acting as interpreter, consider all ways of getting the Germans to the shore.

PIKE:

Lets shoot at the rubber dinghy and sink it.

MAINWARING:

We can't do that either, the bullets will go straight through and hit them. This is the penalty you pay for being a sporting nation and playing with a straight bat.

WILSON:

You know, it's really quite simple, sir. All we've got to do is attach a rope to the dinghy and tow it to the shore.

MAINWARING:

Ah!... well done, Wilson... just wondered who'd be the first to spot that.

After the scheme fails, it's down to Pike to resolve the problem by shooting his bow and arrow to sink the dinghy.

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)

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## 1.72 Dad's Army > High Finance [#71]

High Finance [#71] (1975)

Jones' bank account is in the red and Mainwaring won't honour any more cheques. Mainwaring, Wilson and Pike visit Jones to sort the problem out, but the butchers slapdash bookkeeping doesn't impress.

After failing to balance the books, Mainwaring prepares to speak to Jones at the church hall when Mr. Swann, the town grocer, asks to speak urgently to Mainwaring, but he hasn't any time.

Finally it's established that the reason Jones is in the red is because the orphanage hasn't paid their bills for three months and he can't bring himself to demand payment. After further investigation a long chain of debtors is unearthed, but the buck stops with Hodges, who repays the money.

Mr. Swann then reappears on the scene.

MR. SWANN:

I want to speak to you, Mr. Mainwaring. Remember me, Swann the grocer?

MAINWARING:

Oh yes, yes, yes, what is it?

MR. SWANN:

Well, it's a bit embarrassing in front of all these people.

MAINWARING:

Your trouble is you're too sensitive, come on, spit it out.

MR. SWANN:

Well, I would prefer that we would go somewhere a little more private.

MAINWARING:

Oh come along, be a man, tell me, tell me.

MR. SWANN:

Oh all right then. You're wife hasn't paid her grocery bill for six months, it comes to £49, 17 shillings and six pence, and I want it now!

Cast : Arnold Ridley (Private Charles Godfrey)  
Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

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Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 Natalie Kent (Miss Twelvetrees)  
 Ronnie Brody (Mr. Swann)

### 1.73 Dad's Army > The Face On The Poster [#72]

The Face On The Poster [#72] (1975)

Mainwaring has his heart set on becoming a major, to help him achieve his goal he's determined to turn the platoon into a company by launching a recruitment drive. A poster is designed with Jones' mug on it inviting people to join the platoon, but a mix up at the printers finds his face plastered all over a missing POW poster issued by the police.

In the street Jones is arrested by a Polish officer and interrogated before being banished to a POW camp. The platoons fortunes dip further when Mainwaring's vain attempts to help result in the whole platoon being thrown behind barbed wire.

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 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Bill Tasker (Fred)  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Gabor Vernon (Polish Officer)  
 Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)  
 Michael Bevis (Police Sergeant)  
 Peter Butterworth (Mr. Bugden)

### 1.74 Dad's Army > My Brother And I [#73]

My Brother And I [#73] (1975)

Local Home Guard officers are throwing a sherry party for local dignitaries and Mainwaring is playing host. Jones' section act as stewards.

On the way home from Eastbourne, where he's been attending a business meeting, Frazer shares the same train compartment with Mainwaring's red-nosed, drunken brother, Barry - the black sheep of the family. He's on his way to visit George, who he hasn't seen for 15 years, to claim

ownership of the pocket watch their late father owned.

News that his brother is in town worries Mainwaring and he tries his utmost to keep him out of sight. But when Barry gatecrashes the sherry party, the platoon has its work cut out.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Arnold Diamond (Major General)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Penny Irving (Chambermaid)

## 1.75 Dad's Army > The Love Of Three Oranges [#74]

The Love Of Three Oranges [#74] (1976)

The Vicar's organised a church bazaar to raise money for the Comforts for the Troops fund. Mainwaring sets up a committee to organise events, and selects himself as chairman, much to Hodges' annoyance.

MAINWARING:

As chairman, uh, may I just bring the meeting to order and welcome all...

HODGES:

Oi! Hold on a minute, hold on... why is it that whenever we have a meeting about anything, you're always the chairman?

Who elected you, that's what I want to know?

MAINWARING:

It was perfectly above board and legal.  
I was elected by the steering committee.

HODGES:

And who elected the steering committee?

MAINWARING:

I did!

A grim-faced Mrs. Yeatman offers to run the tombola, Godfrey donates

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chutney and homemade wine, Jones donates a monster brawn, Mrs. Fox will tell fortunes, Mrs. Mainwaring will sell some of her bizarre lampshades and Hodges will auction three oranges, a scarce fruit since the war.

After another argument with his beloved, Mrs. Mainwaring doesn't turn up but Pike collects her lampshades and brings them to the bazaar. In an attempt to bring peace to the Mainwaring household he's determined to acquire one of the oranges, but has to cough up ten shillings after bidding against Pike.

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 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Eric Longworth (Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 Joan Cooper (Dolly)  
 Olive Mercer (Mrs. Yeatman)  
 Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)

## 1.76 Dad's Army > Wake-Up Walmington [#75]

Wake-Up Walmington [#75] (1977)

No one seems to be taking the war seriously in Walmington so Mainwaring devises a plan for the platoon to masquerade as fifth columnists to shake everyone up a bit. With the old flour mill as their HQ, they march the country roads trying desperately to look suspicious. But whatever they do, nothing seems to shift the residents complacency towards the Nazi threat. Finally someone reports them to the police who in turn contact the Home Guard. When Captain Square hears he sets off in pursuit.

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 Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Alister Williamson (Bert)  
 Barry Linehan (Van Driver)  
 Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Charles Hill (Butler)  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Geoffrey Lumsden (Captain Square)  
 Harold Bennett (Mr. Blewitt)

Jeffrey Holland (Soldier)  
Michael Stainton (Frenchy)  
Robert Raglan (Colonel)  
Sam Kydd (Yokel)

## 1.77 Dad's Army > The Making Of Private Pike [#76]

The Making Of Private Pike [#76] (1977)

Mainwaring is soon persuaded to be an umpire during an exercise once he learns the role affords a staff car, which Hodges, who's in the church hall office at the time, can't believe.

HODGES:

Staff car! How did you get a staff car?

MAINWARING:

My position entitles me to one.

HODGES:

Who are you kidding, your position wouldn't entitle you to a pair of roller skates.

While Pikey is drinking raspberryade at the local cafe, Hodges niece, Sylvia, who's on leave, chats to him, and before he knows it they've arranged to go to the pictures the following evening. Sylvia takes advantage of callow Pike and they end up travelling to Eastgate in the staff car. On the way home the car runs out of petrol, and it takes Pikey all night to push the car home. It's time for Wilson to have a man to man chat with Pike.

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Arthur Lowe (Captain George Mainwaring)  
Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Anthony Sharp (Colonel)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Jean Gilpin (Sylvia)  
Jeffrey Segal (Brigadier)  
Melita Manger (Nora)  
Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)

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## 1.78 Dad's Army > Knights Of Madness [#77]

Knights Of Madness [#77] (1977)

At the 'Wings for Victory' committee meeting, plans for helping to raise money are discussed. After Mainwaring and Hodges argue it's decided that the Home Guard and wardens will share the grand finale. The platoon decides to stage the battle of Saint George and the dragon, while Hodges decides to do the something. But he doesn't realise what Mainwaring's bunch are doing until the actual day. Not wanting to be a laughing stock, he enters the arena at the same time as the Home Guard and the battle begins.

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 Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
 Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
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Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Eric Longworth (Mr. Gordon [Town Clerk])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Fred McNaughton (Mayor)  
 Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
 Olive Mercer (Mrs. Yeatman)

## 1.79 Dad's Army > The Miser's Hoard [#78]

The Miser's Hoard [#78] (1977)

Mainwaring wants to get his hands on Frazer's collection of gold sovereigns and tries persuading him to sell them and buy an annuity instead. Rumours spread around the town about the scotsmans hoard and soon people are calling him for handouts.

Blaming Mainwaring for this sudden interest in his financial status, he's spotted taking a box to the graveyard. The platoon follow and believe they've dug up his savings, but Frazer gets the last laugh.

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 John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
 John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
 Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
 Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
 Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
 Fulton MacKay (Dr. McCeavedy)

## 1.80 Dad's Army > Number Engaged [#79]

Number Engaged [#79] (1977)

The platoon is guarding crucial telephone wires for the weekend while the regular army enjoys a spell of leave. When the Vicar and Verger arrive to give an open air service, Mainwaring notices a bomb caught up in the wires.

VICAR:

Let us give thought to those things above that control our destiny. Let us raise our faces to heaven and give thanks.

MAINWARING: (looking up)

Good lord!

VICAR:

He is indeed, Captain Mainwaring.

VERGER: (looking up)

Heavens above!

VICAR:

I'll do the praying, Mr. Yeatman.

JONES:

There's a bomb in the wire, don't panic, there's a bomb in the wire.

Mainwaring decides to handle the situation and borrows furniture from a passing removal van to build a tower. After Pikey fails to dislodge the bomb, Wilson has a bright idea.

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Clive Dunn (Lance Corporal Jack Jones)  
Ian Lavender (Private Frank Pike)  
John Laurie (Private James Frazer)  
John Le Mesurier (Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast : Bernice Adams (ATS Girl)  
Bill Pertwee (Mr. Hodges [Chief ARP Warden])  
Colin Bean (Private Sponge)  
Edward Sinclair (Mr. Yeatman [Verger])  
Felix Bowness (Van Driver)  
Frank Williams (Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])  
Kenneth MacDonald (Army Sergeant)  
Robert Mill (Army Captain)  
Ronnie Brody (GPO Man)  
Stuart McGugan (Scottish Sergeant)

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## 1.81 Dad's Army > Never To Old [#80]

Never To Old [#80] (1977)

Loves in the air for Jones, who announces his marriage to Mrs. Fox. In the church hall office, Mainwaring and Wilson discuss life.

MAINWARING:

You know she's very well connected, Elizabeth. Her father was the suffragan bishop of Clagthorpe.

WILSON:

Was he really?

MAINWARING:

Led a very sheltered life, Elizabeth. (he laughs). Very funny. You know she hadn't even, she hadn't even tried tomato sauce before she met me - I soon put that right.

WILSON: (smiling)

Marrying you must have opened up a whole new world for her.

At the ceremony, Wilson is best man, Mrs. Pike Matron of Honour and Mainwaring gives the bride away. But when the Colonel phones and warns that an invasion could be imminent, the celebrations are interrupted and Jones spends his wedding night keeping guard.

The rest of the platoon arrive and decide to toast Jones' health, but not before Hodges turns up and cruelly ridicules the Home Guard.

HODGES:

Look at you. What good would you be against real soldiers?  
Cor, dear. (he laughs).  
They'd walk straight through you. Good night.

(Mainwaring tells his men not to take any notice)

PIKE:

Mr. Mainwaring. Warden wasn't right was he, when he said the Nazis would walk straight through us?

MAINWARING:

Of course he wasn't right.

JONES:

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I know one thing, they're not walking straight through me.

FRAZER:

Nor me. I'll be beside you, Jonesey.

MAINWARING:

We'll all be beside you, Jonesey. We'll stick together, you can rely on that. Anybody tries to take our homes or our freedom away from us, they'll find out what we can do. We'll fight. And we're not alone, there are thousands of us all over England.

FRAZER:

And Scotland.

MAINWARING:

And Scotland. All over Great Britain, in fact. Men who'll stand together when their country needs them.

WILSON:

Excuse me, sir. Don't you think it might be a nice idea if we paid our tribute to them?

MAINWARING:

For once, Wilson, I agree with you. (they raise their mugs).  
To Britain's Home Guard.

ALL:

To Britain's Home Guard.

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Janet Davies (Mrs. Pike)  
Joan Cooper (Dolly)  
Pamela Cundell (Mrs. Fox)  
Robert Raglan (Colonel)

## 1.82 Dad's Army > Dad's Army [#M1]

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Dad's Army [#M1] (1971)

Mainwaring and company save the day when a crew of a German aircraft take the Vicar and villagers hostage in the church.

Cast :	Arnold Ridley	(Private Charles Godfrey)
	Arthur Lowe	(Captain George Mainwaring)
	Clive Dunn	(Lance Corporal Jack Jones)
	Ian Lavender	(Private Frank Pike)
	James Beck	(Private Joe Walker)
	John Laurie	(Private James Frazer)
	John Le Mesurier	(Sergeant Arthur Wilson)

Co-Cast :	Alan Haines	(Marine Officer)
	Alvar Lidell	(Newsreader)
	Anthony Sagar	(Police Sergeant)
	Bernard Archard	(Major General Fullard)
	Bernard Seavern	(Platoon Member)
	Bill Pertwee	(Mr. Hodges [ARP Warden])
	Colin Bean	(Platoon Member)
	David Fennell	(Platoon Member)
	Derek Newark	(R.S.M.)
	Dervis Ward	(A.A. Man)
	Desmond Cullen-Jones	(Platoon Member)
	Edward Sinclair	(Mr. Yeatman [Verger])
	Frank Godfrey	(Platoon Member)
	Frank Williams	(Reverend Timothy Farthing [Vicar])
	Franz Van Norde	(Nazi Co-Pilot)
	Fred Griffiths	(Bert King)
	Freddie White	(Platoon Member)
	Freddie Wiles	(Platoon Member)
	George Hancock	(Platoon Member)
	George Roubicek	(German Radio Operator)
	Harriet Rhys	(Girl In Bank)
	Hugh Hastings	(Platoon Member)
	Ingo Mogendorf	(Nazi Pilot)
	John Baskcomb	(Mayor)
	John D. Collins	(Naval Officer)
	John Henderson	(Radio Shop Assistant)
	Leslie Noyes	(Platoon Member)
	Liz Fraser	(Mrs. Pike)
	Michael Knowles	(Staff Captain)
	Pat Coombs	(Mrs. Hall)
	Paul Dawkins	(Nazi General)
	Robert Raglan	(Inspector Hardcastle)
	Roger Maxwell	(Peppery Old Gent)
	Sam Kydd	(Nazi Orderly)
	Scott Fredericks	(Nazi Photographer)

## 1.83 Dad's Army (Help)

Dad's Army

You don't need any help for this.