The Six Shooter on the Hollywood Star Playhouse.

The Hollywood Star Playhouse featured original dramas, tales of suspense, thrills and mystery, written by Hollywood's finest writers and featuring Hollywood's greatest stars. It came to CBS radio on April 24, 1950, moved to NBC for the 1952 - 53 season. A high spot of 1952 was the first broadcast of The Six Shooter, with James Stewart, which later became an NBC series.

The Six Shooter broadcast on the Hollywood Star Playhouse was on April 13, 1952. NBC net. "The Six-Shooter". Sponsored by: The Bakers Of America. The first adventure of Britt Ponset, which would lead to a series named "The Six-Shooter." The Wells Fargo office has been robbed of \$5000 and a man has been shot. A distinctive horseshoe leads "The Six-Shooter" to Ben Schofield, the sheriff's son. Radio actors in support of this first broadcast, Bert Holland, Parley Baer, William Conrad, Herb Vigran, Diana Lynn, Jimmy Stewart, Wendell Niles (announcer), Frank Burt (writer), Jack Johnstone (director).

The Six Shooter as a series came to NBC on September 20. 1953 with James Steward as Britt Ponset, "the Texas plainsman who wandered through the western territories, leaving behind a trail of still-remembered legends.

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The man in the saddle is angular and long-legged .... His skin is sun-dyed brown .... The gun in his holster is gray steel and rainbow mother-of-pearl, its handle unmarked. People call them both "The Six Shooter."

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