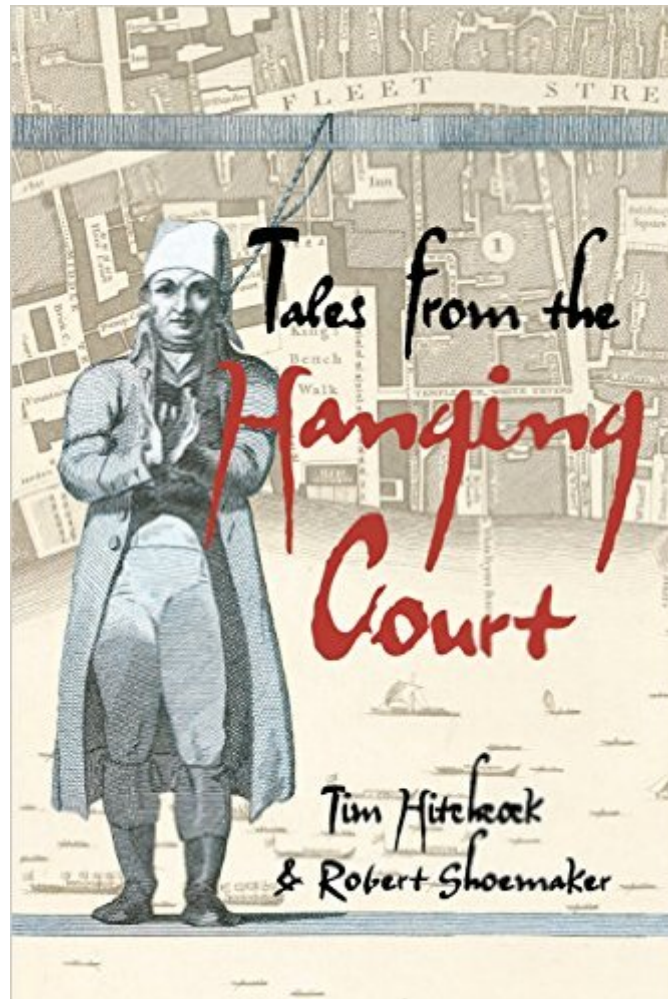


The book was found

Tales From The Hanging Court (Hodder Arnold Publication)



Synopsis

Tales from the Hanging Court draws on published accounts of Old Bailey trials from 1674-1834, a rich seam of social, political and legal history. Through these compelling true stories of theft, murder, rape and blackmail, Hitchcock and Shoemaker capture the early history of the judicial system and the colorful, vibrant and sometimes scandalous world of pre-industrial London. In its heyday the court was a soap opera of intrigue, sensation and murky goings on where authors such as Dickens and Defoe would go for inspiration. Thieves and murderers were often caught by members of the public and prosecutions brought by victims. Hitchcock and Shoemaker chart an increasingly sophisticated society taking crime and punishment away from the anarchy of the London mob to put it into a court where a judge and jury meted out justice. The authors paint a vivid picture of a flourishing city where market capitalism and Enlightenment thinking battled to impose order on the chaotic crime that accompanied Britain's economic miracle.

Book Information

Series: Hodder Arnold Publication

Paperback: 432 pages

Publisher: Bloomsbury Academic; 1 edition (September 28, 2007)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0340913754

ISBN-13: 978-0340913758

Product Dimensions: 6 x 1 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 13.4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars See all reviews (1 customer review)

Best Sellers Rank: #2,115,988 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #44 in Books > Law > Rules & Procedures > Court Records #1252 in Books > Textbooks > Science & Mathematics > Biology & Life Sciences > Botany #3455 in Books > Science & Math > Biological Sciences > Botany

Customer Reviews

Easy to read and interesting, I was reading chapters ahead of where we were in class and continued reading past the required pages. Loved it!

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Tales from the Hanging Court (Hodder Arnold Publication) Leg Ulcers 3Ed: Diagnosis and management (Hodder Arnold Publication) Glaciers and Glaciation, 2nd edition (Hodder Arnold

Publication) Media Discourse (Hodder Arnold Publication) Oral Anticoagulants (Hodder Arnold Publication) An Introduction to Coastal Geomorphology (Hodder Arnold Publication) California Rules of Court - State, 2015 ed. (Vol. I, California Court Rules) (California Rules of Court. State and Federal) Underground Gas Storage: Worldwide Experiences and Future Development in the UK and Europe - Special Publication no 313 (Geological Society Special Publication) Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association (Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association (Spiral) 6th (sixth) edition Growing Flowers in Containers: Successfully Create Extraordinary Hanging Baskets, Window Boxes and Other Flower Garden Containers (The Weekend Gardener Book 6) The Book of the Hanging Gardens and Other Songs for Voice and Piano Road to Hanging Rock I'm Not Hanging Noodles on Your Ears and Other Intriguing Idioms From Around the World Learning to Fly: A Memoir of Hanging On and Letting Go Father's Guide to Family Court: How I Represented Myself in Family Court - and WON! Everybody's Guide to Small Claims Court in California (Everybody's Guide to Small Claims Court. California Edition) May It Please the Court: The Most Significant Oral Arguments Made Before the Supreme Court Since 1955 The First Amendment: Transcripts of the Oral Arguments Made Before the Supreme Court in Sixteen Key First Amendment Cases (May It Please the Court) The Burlington Court Book of West New Jersey, 1680-1709. American Legal Records, Volume 5: The Burlington Court Book, A Record of Quaker Jurisprudence ... Records / Edited for the American Historical) Win Your Lawsuit: Sue in California Superior Court Without a Lawyer (Win Your Lawsuit: A Judges Guide to Representing Yourself in California Supreme Court)

[Dmca](#)