

## Tudor crimes and punishments

| Crime                        | Punishment  |
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| public drunkenness           | drunkard's cloak<br>a barrel with holes in for the head and hands |
| gossiping                    | scold's bridle<br>a metal cage put over the gossip's head         |
| begging                      | whipping  |
| homelessness                 | whipping  |
| stealing                     | whipping, amputation or hanging                                   |
| murder                       | hanging   |
| poisoning                    | boiling   |
| spying                       | beheading   |
| talking about the government | beheading   |
| blasphemy                    | beheading   |
| witchcraft                   | beheading   |
| alchemy                      | beheading   |
| treason                      | beheading or burning at the stake                                 |
| high treason                 | hanging, drawing and quartering                                   |

