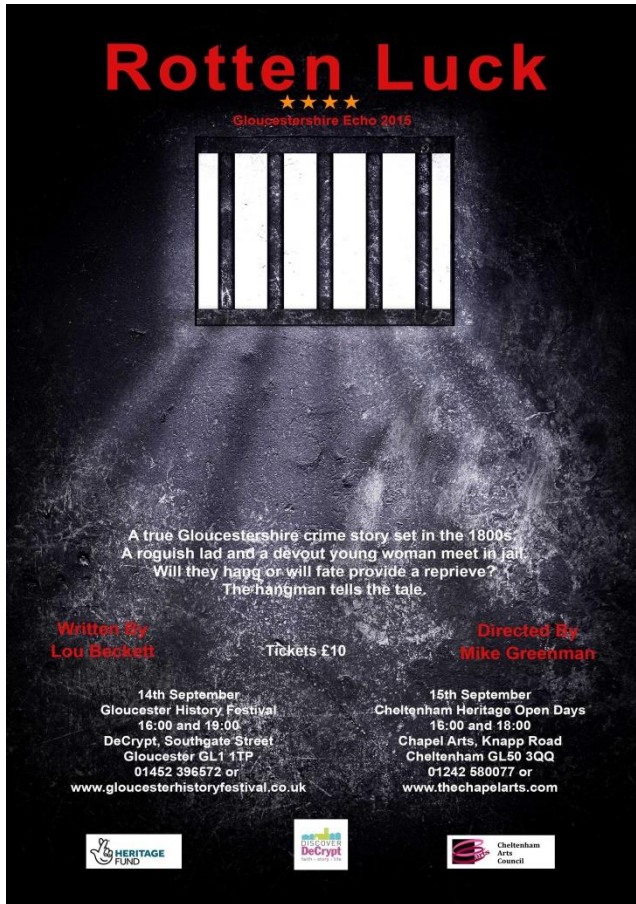


**A Play with a Discount for THS Members!**  
written by our Collaborator David Elder [Literary Tewkesbury]



The play, called 'Rotten Luck', is set in the early 1800s and tells the story of a roguish lad and a devout young woman who meet in jail. We follow their stories, wondering whether they will hang or if fate will provide them a reprieve? The hangman tells the tale. The play is produced by Parrot Productions, a local theatre group set up by Lou Beckett and myself, David Elder.

Tickets are £10 but discounts of 10% are being made available to history society members if you purchase the tickets through us by contacting Graham Beckett at [gbeckett500@gmail.com](mailto:gbeckett500@gmail.com). (This offer is not available through the Box Office).

Details of the Performances

a) Gloucester History Festival  
14 September, 16:00 and 19:00 (one hour)  
Discover DeCrypt, Southgate St.,

Gloucester GL1 1TP

At this performance, a Q & A will be conducted between the two performances. Participants will include a representative of Nelson Trust speaking on prison reform, the director Mike Greenman, the playwright Lou Beckett and me, a historian, David Elder. There is no charge for the Q & A.

01452 396572 or [www.gloucesterhistoryfestival.co.uk](http://www.gloucesterhistoryfestival.co.uk)

b) Cheltenham Heritage Open Days  
15 September 16:00 and 18:00 (one hour)  
Chapel Arts, Knapp Road GL50 3QQ  
01242 580077 or [www.thechapelarts.com](http://www.thechapelarts.com)