UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON
Department of History
Semester I, 1988

History 571

September 6
Introduction: Political Crimes & Trials
Assignment: Bolt, A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS

September 13-27
Judging Political Leaders
Assignment: Wedgwood, "Trial of Charles I" (HL)
Benedict, IMPEACHMENT OF ANDREW JOHNSON
Lucas, NIGHTMARE: UNDERSIDE OF NIXON YEARS

October 4
Treason
Assignment: Hurst, LAW OF TREASON (HL)
Johnson, AN INSTANCE OF TREASON (HL)

October 11
Enemies of State: Symbols & Scapegoats
Assignment: Kutler: "Tokyo Rose"; "John William Powell"; "Owen Lattimore"

October 18
The State and Group Prosecution
Assignment: Daniels, CONCENTRATION CAMPS
Rostow, "Japanese Americans" (HL)
Hirabayshi vs. U.S. (HL)

October 25
War Crimes
Assignment: Falk, A GLOBAL APPROACH (HL)
Minear, VICTOR’S JUSTICE (HL)

November 1
Bureaucratic Justice
Assignment: Kutler: "Beatrice Braude"; "Queendom of Passports";
"Ezra Pound"

November 8
Politicizing Justice
Assignment: Fehrenbacher, DRED SCOTT CASE

November 15
Inverting Justice
Assignment: Carter, SCOTTSBORO

November 22
NO CLASS

November 29
First Amendment: Theory and Practice
Assignment: Levy, "First Amendment" (HL)
Scheiber, Wilson Administration (HL)
Belknap, Foley Square (HL)

December 6
Justice or Abuse
Assignment: Radosh, ROSENBERGS
Parrish, "Rosenbergs" (HL)

December 13
The Rule of Law:
Assignment: Kutler, "Epilogue"; "Bridges"; "Kill the Lawyers"
Thompson, "Whigs and Hunters" (HL)