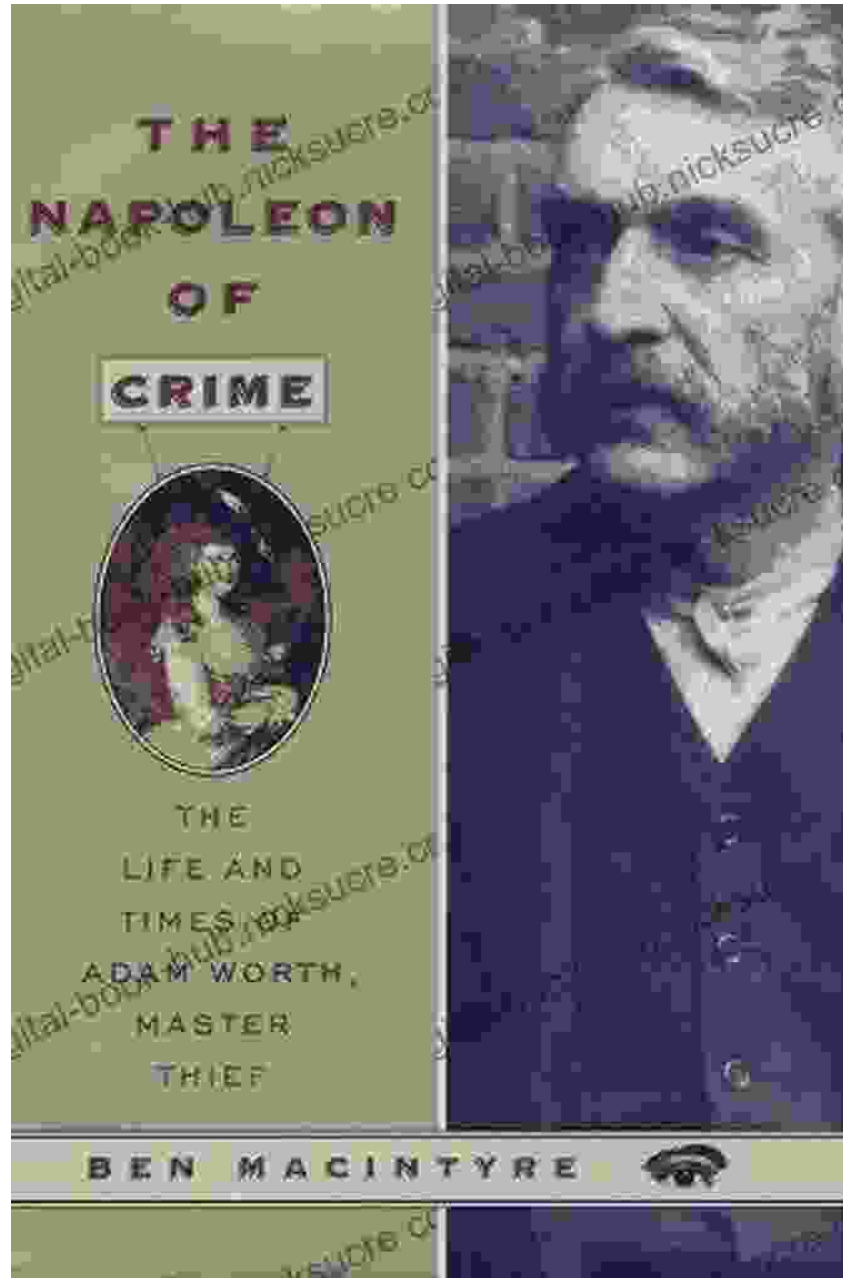


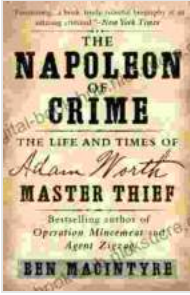
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Adam Worth was a German-born American criminal who was known as the "Napoleon of Crime." He was one of the most successful criminals of his time, and his exploits were legendary.

Worth was born in 1844 in Hanover, Germany. He came to the United States in 1866 and quickly became involved in crime. He started out as a pickpocket, but he soon graduated to more serious crimes, such as burglary and robbery.

Worth was a brilliant criminal mind. He was always one step ahead of the police, and he was able to evade capture for years. He was also a master of disguise, and he was able to change his appearance at will.

In 1876, Worth pulled off one of his most audacious crimes. He robbed the Boston & Albany Railroad of \$100,000. This was the largest robbery in American history at the time.

Worth's luck finally ran out in 1877. He was arrested in England and extradited to the United States. He was convicted of robbery and sentenced to 25 years in prison.

Worth served 11 years of his sentence before he was paroled. He was released from prison in 1892 and returned to crime. He continued to rob banks and trains until he was finally arrested again in 1895.

This time, Worth was sentenced to life in prison. He died in prison in 1912.

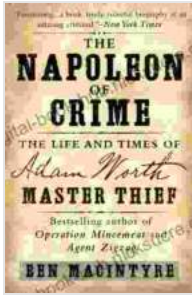
Worth was a fascinating character. He was a brilliant criminal mind and a master of disguise. He was also a ruthless and violent man. His exploits were legendary, and he is still considered one of the most successful criminals of all time.

Here are some of the key details of Worth's life:

- * Born in Hanover, Germany in 1844
- * Came to the United States in 1866
- * Began his criminal career as a pickpocket
- * Graduated to more serious crimes, such as burglary and robbery
- * Pulled off one of the most audacious crimes in American history in 1876 when he robbed the Boston & Albany Railroad of \$100,000
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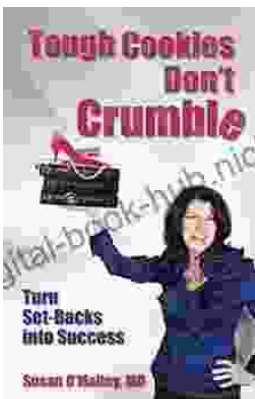
Worth's life is a fascinating tale of crime and punishment. He was one of the most successful criminals of his time, but he was also a ruthless and violent man. His exploits are still legendary, and he is still considered one of the most fascinating criminals of all time.

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