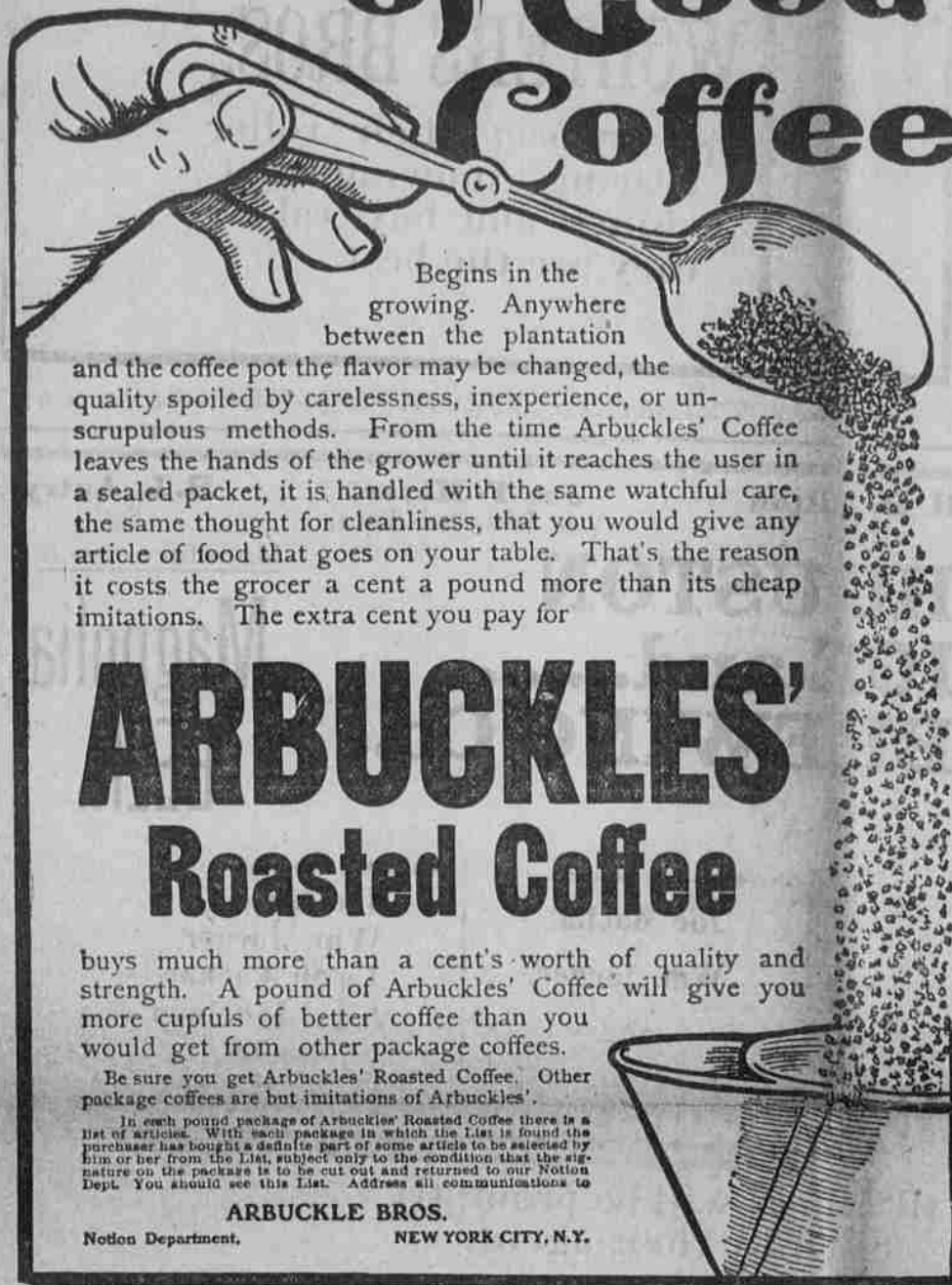


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REMARKABLE APPEALS TO PROLONG MURDERER'S LIFE

(Seattle Letter.)

Seven times tried for murder seven times sentenced and seven times saved; 10 years in the shadow of the gallows and apparently as far from death as ever, is the record of Charles W. Nordstrom, who is now confined in the jail at Seattle, Wash., still with the sentence of hanging resting on him. In 1891 Nordstrom was tried for the murder of William Mason and convicted on circumstantial evidence. His lawyer, ex-Congressman James Hamilton Lewis, at once inaugurated a series of appeals which up to the present time have put a barrier between Nordstrom and the fate to which he had been sentenced.

Nordstrom's Crime.

The crime of which Nordstrom is charged took place in the fall of 1891 at the farm of William Mason, at the summit of Cedar mountain. A dispute over wages had angered Nordstrom at his employer and he had threatened him, saying that he would kill old man Mason. A few days later he went to Seattle and bought a Winchester rifle. Three nights later William Mason, while sitting near the window in the dining room, was shot. A shot was heard outside and the entire family hurried out in search of the assassin. No one was in sight, but boot tracks showed that the murderer had come close to the window. The night was too dark for the pursuers to see any great distance, but all night long they could see the light burning in Nordstrom's cabin. The next day his house was found to be empty. Then all the neighbors joined in the hunt. At last two deputy sheriffs saw Nordstrom walking along the railroad track near Gilman, with his rifle over his shoulder on his way north to Canada.

The deputies, concealing their weapons, waited for him and engaged him in conversation. Then suddenly seizing his rifle, they made him their prisoner after a severe struggle. He was taken to Kings county jail and in December tried and convicted of the murder of Mason.

A Long Legal Fight.

Then came the long fight of his lawyer, "Ham" Lewis, for his life. Appeal No. 1 was made on the ground that the prisoner had been made to incriminate himself. Nordstrom having been compelled by the court to fit on a pair of boots, which had been found near the scene of the murder.

This appeal failed. Appeal No. 2 was an application for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that the verdict of the jury was "guilty, as proved" and as the presentment was murder in the first, second, third and fourth degrees, Nordstrom could not be held for more than the lowest degree. This adroit plea was ineffectual, but it served its purpose of adding another 12 months to the prisoner's life.

Appeal No. 3 was taken on the ground that Nordstrom was a Swedish citizen and, therefore, entitled to a trial before a grand jury. Lewis secured a stay of execution, but the Supreme court, after another 12 months' deliberation, took the stand that this appeal might be made by the Swedish government with hope of success, though not by the prisoner's counsel.

Insanity Plead.

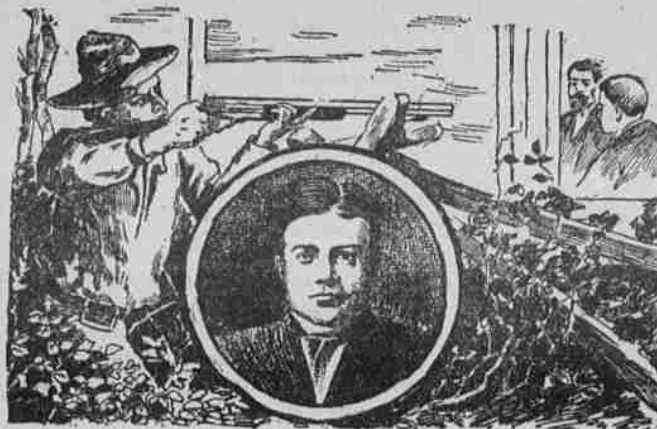
Appeal No. 4 was a declaration that the prisoner had become insane and therefore could not legally be put to death. A delegation of physicians was sent by the state to examine Nordstrom, and they pronounced him sane. By this time the local court had become angered at the devices of Lewis and ordered Nordstrom to be hanged in 10 days.

Appeal No. 5 was put forward on the ground that the prisoner's sanity should have been decided by a jury. Lewis rushed across the continent to Narragansett pier and obtained a stay of execution from Justice McKenna. This put the whole matter back to the Supreme court and gave another year and a half of life to the murderer.

Appeal No. 6 was made to the United States Circuit court, Lewis maintaining that the prisoner should be discharged because a review had been denied him by the State Supreme court. Lewis claims that new evidence has been discovered, which proves that the "murder" was nothing more than an accident.

And so there has come an end to the most extraordinary fight for life ever made by a lawyer on behalf of a client. Nordstrom had neither property nor wealthy friends. Previous to the trial he had never seen James Hamilton Lewis. His prolonged defense has been due simply to the indomitable perseverance and pugnacity of his lawyer.

Nordstrom's last appeal to the United States Supreme court was refused by that tribunal on Tuesday last, and he will soon be executed.



CHARLES W. NORDSTROM.

NEW YORK'S SPITE HOUSE.

One of the Most Curious Buildings Erected in the Universe.

It is reported in New York that the famous "spite" house erected several years ago by a man named Richardson is to be offered for sale, together with its furniture and interior decorations. There is not in the whole world a stranger house than this one, nor any that has a more curious history. The man who built the house "out of spite" is now dead, but his name still clings to the place, and it is unlikely that it will ever be known by any other name than the "Richardson Spite House." Richardson was a millionaire and he was also a miser. He began life as a bricklayer, economized and saved money. In time his savings were invested in houses and land. The land upon which Richardson built his "spite house" was the property of his wife. It was an absurd little strip of land extending 104 feet along Lexington avenue and only five feet on the side street. Eighteen years ago one Heyman Sarnet, a clothier, wished to build a block of apartment houses on the side street, adjoining the little strip of land owned by Mrs. Richardson. He desired the front on the avenue and approaching the Richardsons offered \$1,000 for the ruler-shaped bit of land. One thousand dollars was a good price for the property. It was not worth a cent more. "Oh, no," said Richardson, "but we'll sell it to you for \$5,000—not a cent less." Sarnet declined to pay more than his original offer and said he'd

manage to get along without a Lexington avenue frontage. Richardson brooded over the matter awhile and then made plans for "getting even." He would build a house of some sort on that land even if it were uninhabitable, just so he could keep the light from Sarnet's windows. He built the house and gratified his spite. Then he went to live in the house with his family. There he afterward died. The house is the queerest dwelling imaginable. It looks like a bicycle case set on end. It extends the full 104 feet on the avenue and is nowhere over sixty inches wide. It contains narrow little casement-like rooms, with furniture built especially for the pygmy apartments. The stairways are as cramped as one can possibly imagine. It is impossible for two persons to pass in the halls. To accomplish such a passing one of the two must step into one of the rooms on the side. The table in the dining room is eighteen inches wide and the rest of the furniture is built in proportion.

Camera Fend's Best Shot.

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