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Roosevelt or The People.
(Charlotte News.)
"Shall the people rule?" the overshadowing question confronting the American people just now, and the issue of paramount importance in the Democratic platform, was declared by Hon. 'Jim' Sherman, in his acceptance speech delivered the 20th, to be "no issue."

"Surely the people shall rule," urged Mr. Sherman, and continuing he offers more assurance, "Surely the people have ruled. Surely the people will rule."

Now let's see: Do the people really rule, as Mr. Sherman declares, or is the voice of the people lost in the noise the "Big Stick" has made for the past few years?

Think you the people—the great army of men who pay the taxes—favor a do-nothing congress whose only record made was of extravagance? The last two sessions of the nation's congress cost taxpayers over one billion dollars each. The "people" put the cost but did they do it willingly?

Do the majority of American citizens favor the gigantic enlargement of our army and navy, as planned by the few leaders who think for the "people"? Is the burning desire of the peace loving American citizen that his shall be a nation of war and of conquest—a nation that can brag of the greatest navy on earth? If, indeed, that is the wish of the "people" there is a way to satisfy the desire—the election of Taft will guarantee martial glory if nothing else.

Mr. Sherman says "Shall the people rule?" is not an issue, and if we judge by the recent administration for the past decade, it is not. The only "issue" has been the will of the "Big Stick" and that will has dominated over the wishes of the people. The "Big Stick" has forced a continuation of our possession of the Philippines. Is it the will of the people that this republic shall go into territorial acquisition business that has wrought havoc with the monarchies of the old world? We hardly think that the people believing in the inalienable rights of all free born citizens to liberty and the pursuit of happiness could favor further military control of our island possessions. But, the people have had naught to do in the matter.

Again, the people believe in a government of the people rather than a government controlled by trusts and monopolies, which it protects to be reimbursed by liberal contributions for the favor. How many trusts has the party that has been in power for over forty years, put out of business? How many of those enemies of the people's interests, been throttled? How many, think you, will be put out in the next decade by the present party, which has been able to remain in office because of the bribe-money these combines have put up.

so. Nor is Mr. Taft nor any of his party managers. It would mean sure defeat. So long as it is possible Mr. Sherman will see to it that popular rule "is not an issue."

Mr. Sherman winds up by declaring the "overshadowing issue of the campaign rally is: Shall the administration of President Roosevelt be approved?" Mr. Taft both began and wound up in the same strain.

Between this proposition and that set forth by Mr. Bryan as the cardinal issue of the day, "Shall the people rule?" we believe the hope of Democracy for success this fall is exceedingly bright.

Mr. Taft admits he is to be the

"I want to sell this cow, owing to rheumatism in my left leg, caused by her kicking at a fence post and hitting me. When I first purchased her she was very wild, but I have succeeded in taming her so I can peep through the corral without her tearing the gate down. To a man who is a good christian and does not fear death she would be a valuable animal. But I want to sell her to some one who will treat her right. She is one fourth short horn and two fourths hysene and and the rest just cow. She will be sold cheap for cash.—Ex.

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It matters not whether a man

Indians of the Southwest.

There are now in New Mexico about 25,000 Indians. We have "reduced" their number 25 per cent, within little more than half a century. Our "civilizing" influences seem to be more distinctive, proportionately, than the guns and torches and slave-driver's whips of the Spaniards. There are twenty schools in New Mexico, with an average attendance of 75 pupils. About one-third of this number attend the reservation schools. The others prefer the private or "pay" schools.

At the time of the American conquest there were about 60,000 Indians in the "arid valley" of Arizona, more than half that number being Apaches. Now there are about 15,000 the Apaches being reduced to about 8,000. The Apaches refuse to be civilized—the remembrance of the frequent "Apache wars" of the past generation still rankles in the revengeful breasts of the remnant of this once powerful tribe. Tourists get a glimpse of the descendants of these once "noble red men", at the railway stations in Arizona, New Mexico and California. At the hot town of Yuma, about 1,000 friendly Indians live on the banks of the river, and subsist by selling trinkets to travelers. The money is spent mostly for "firewater." These yagabonds are known as "Yuma Indians," having lost not only their possessions but their tribal name. They are the lowest of their race, and are not a pure type. The same may be said of those at Tucson, and other points along the railroad.

At Albuquerque, Santa Fe and at other points in New Mexico, a mild type of the Pueblo Indians is seen, with his basket, blankets and trinkets, which he offers to sell to his white brother. Some of them cling to their native dress but it does not seem to fit them any better than their new civilization.

A sadder type still is seen at the railway stations in the Major desert, and at the mining camps in northeastern Arizona and southern California. They have reached the lowest stage in human degradation and have combined all the vices of civilization with the loss of their manhood. It requires only a short mental calculation to estimate the date of the extinction of the red men of the Southwest.—Outer's Book for July.

For Sore Feet.
"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts, and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W Stone of East Poland, Me. It is the proper ointment for piles. Try it. Sold under guarantee by all druggists. 25c.

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"Is Mr. Bryan turning to manna?" asks the Kansas City Star. Oh, no. He's turning to the phonograph.

There are many imitators of DeWitt's Carbonized Witch Hazel Salve but just one original. Nothing else is just as good as DeWitt's. It is cleansing, cooling and soothing. Sold by J. M. Hodges.

Said the president of one of the great universities, in addressing his students, "Show me the young man who has had failure and has now won his way to success, and I will back him." A man who has never had any failure, whose course has been one of unbroken prosperity, has not the resources of strength and endurance stored away in his life that he has, who has suffered defeats and then has risen again and pressed forward to victory.—Sel.

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NOTICE.
North Carolina, Watauga County, Fall Term, 1908. Robert Mast vs. J. A. Mast, administrator of J. J. Mast, dec'd, Will W. Holsclaw and J. C. Smith, sureties.

The defendant, J. A. Mast above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Watauga county to recover the sum of about \$75.00 and interest on the same due by the defendant's intestate to the plaintiff in this action, same being due by note given to plaintiff said J. J. Mast deceased; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the superior court of said county to be held on the 14th day of September 1908, it being the second Monday in said month, at the court house in said county in Boone, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This 28th day of July 1908.
THOS. BINGHAM C. S. C. Clerk.

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Times are getting better. A New York exchange notes that Mr. John D. Rockefeller is painting his barn.

Judge Taft is said to be "mad all through." Staying at Hot Springs has, no doubt, made him hot in the collar.

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.
If used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs. The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

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