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## WILLIAMS TRIES TO EXPLAIN HIS OFFICIAL RECORD

### Has Abandoned Old Time Campaign Policy, Cast Away Gun-Shoes and Is Out on Stump at Every Rally.

J. J. Williams has cast aside his old gun shoes, abandoned his old-time policy of silence, and is out on the stump at every ward rally, attempting to defeat the political record against the facts which show the conditions in Memphis while he was mayor, all the way through his administration from 1885 to 1894.

Mr. Williams defended his record Monday night before a gathering of 400 to 500 voters from the five wards in the eastern section of the city. He spoke from the band stand in Willis park. The park benches were filled with ladies in the front, and there was a good representation of the men from that section, augmented as usual, by a large contingent of plain clothes men from the police department and other city employees.

The charges, made in newspaper advertisements, and by the speakers for the Citizens league ticket, based on the official record made by Mr. Williams as mayor of Memphis from 1884 to 1894, have caused him to abandon his old policy of keeping in the background himself, and making no political speeches. The record is so long that it would take more time than Mr. Williams has before the election to explain it all.

That he was the friend of all the corporations during his terms as mayor is part of Memphis' history in those days. That he granted free franchises, truckage rights, worth a score of railroads, to various railroad companies, is admitted, for the records are in the city hall. Mr. Williams attempted to explain Monday night that these free gifts benefited the city because they brought the railroad shops to Memphis and made the city a railroad center.

He did not speak of other charges, except that of his ineptitude, and in that matter he repeated what he has said before, that if the people elect him mayor that will be the end of the matter.

If my opponents wanted to be perfectly frank about it," said he, "why not let the people speak? When they give me a majority of their votes that will end it."

Mr. Williams omitted any mention of the lawlessness which disgraced the city during his administration, the charges of election fraud and ballot box stuffing, the wide-open gambling which led to the Pesado street riots, when gamblers released a number of prisoners and killed a deputy sheriff; the election riots in the fifth and ninth wards and a number of other facts which have been alluded to during the campaign as forming part of the record on which Mr. Williams is again running for mayor.

His only attack upon Rowlett Paine and the Citizens' league ticket was the charge that they still intend to attempt to force his city manager plan upon Memphis, a charge he has already been repeatedly denied by Mr. Paine.

Addresses were made by several of the candidates for commission on Mr. Williams' ticket, and a fine speech was made by Dudley Porter, who spoke for the first time during the present campaign.

Mrs. Isaac Reese, chairman of the women's division for the Williams ticket, spoke particularly to the ladies, and incidentally said that she resented alleged statements which are being made about her. No candidate can speak for the Citizens league has ever mentioned Mrs. Reese's name at any political meeting.

Two other rallies were held, each one with a smaller attendance. One was held at the intersection of Mississippi and McLennan, and one in the Memphis at Pennsylvania avenue and Iowa.

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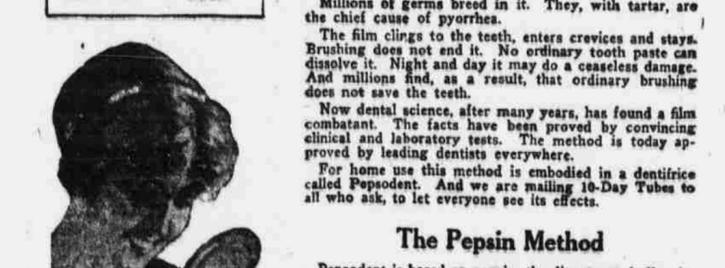
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