

BAKER CITES LONG RECORD OF RESULTS

51 Achievements on List Covering Term in Office. MANY PROBLEMS SOLVED Difficulties Averted in Advance of Disaster, Radicalism Prevented, Advancement Encouraged.

A comprehensive summary of the work and accomplishments of the multiplicity of emergencies and serious problems that have confronted Mayor Baker during his term as the city's chief executive has just been completed.

This summary shows a most remarkable record on the part of Mayor Baker in meeting problems and difficulties in advance of disaster. The report outlines the work of the mayor during the war period and during the period of reconstruction up to the present time, showing his action in connection with the "win-the-war" program, the prevention of radicalism and disorder and the handling of municipal and civil affairs and problems for the growth and upbuilding of the city.

The report shows that the three and one-half years he has been mayor have been beset with more problems and emergencies than probably any like period in the city's history. Following is the record:

- Baker in Office in 1917. Took office of mayor July 1, 1917, soon after the United States entered the war. Organized comprehensive plan whereby enterprising businessmen and contractors were placed with all groups of Oregon soldiers for emergency use. Took leading part in organizing benefits whereby relief organizations raised funds for their part of the war work. Organized committee and personally handled farewell dinners and entertainments and parades for all groups of soldiers leaving for service after troop movements were allowed made public by the government.

- Launched plan for full co-operation of city with the army in the life-long friend, Mrs. Wolcott's 17-year-old daughter, Owena Wolcott, who went to New York from Portland a few years ago, is achieving phenomenal success in the musical-comedy field, and her only dance rival in New York is Ann Pennington, so reviews say. Miss Wolcott's stage name is Ona Munson. She made the change "when she first tried out," said Miss MacQueen, "and gave as her reason that if she proved a failure, none of her Portland friends would know of it. But she proved a very big success and has more offers for engagements than she could fill in a lifetime. She kept the name Ona Munson after she had made good by that name, for the managers would not allow her to change it. She is just the same sweet, gentle-natured and lovable young girl her Portland friends knew her to be. All the adulation and theatrical atmosphere has left her unspoiled and unassuming. Her mother is her constant companion, going to the theater with Ona and on tour with her. They have a cosy apartment in New York and are always glad to see people from Portland. This season Ona is featured with Charlie King in "Love Letters." The company is in New York now, but is going on the road soon and Ona writes that some time after Christmas she will visit her home town."

PORTLAND GIRL DANCING HER WAY TO FAME ON BROADWAY

Owena Wolcott, Now Known as Ona Munson, Has Few Rivals on Stage—Changed Name in Fear of Failure.



ONA MUNSON

BRINGING news at first hand from a former Portland girl who is dancing her way to the top of the ladder, Miss Angela MacQueen has returned to Portland from New York, where she was the guest of Mrs. O. P. Wolcott, her life-long friend. Mrs. Wolcott's 17-year-old daughter, Owena Wolcott, who went to New York from Portland a few years ago, is achieving phenomenal success in the musical-comedy field, and her only dance rival in New York is Ann Pennington, so reviews say. Miss Wolcott's stage name is Ona Munson. She made the change "when she first tried out," said Miss MacQueen, "and gave as her reason that if she proved a failure, none of her Portland friends would know of it. But she proved a very big success and has more offers for engagements than she could fill in a lifetime. She kept the name Ona Munson after she had made good by that name, for the managers would not allow her to change it. She is just the same sweet, gentle-natured and lovable young girl her Portland friends knew her to be. All the adulation and theatrical atmosphere has left her unspoiled and unassuming. Her mother is her constant companion, going to the theater with Ona and on tour with her. They have a cosy apartment in New York and are always glad to see people from Portland. This season Ona is featured with Charlie King in "Love Letters." The company is in New York now, but is going on the road soon and Ona writes that some time after Christmas she will visit her home town."

IOWA ROSES RECEIVED

AMERICAN BEAUTIES SENT TO MRS. FRED E. TAYLOR.

Portland Realtor Speaks to Many Members of Profession on Eastern Trip.

Three dozen American Beauty roses were received last week by Mrs. Fred E. Taylor at 270 Shenandoah terrace, Westover, from the realty board of the city, following a visit paid that organization by Mr. Taylor, who is president of the national association of real estate boards. The roses were accompanied by friendly greetings and words of appreciation. The letter, written by Robert E. Wallace, mentioned the thoughtful visit which the Council Bluffs realtors had enjoyed with "our president and your husband, who is the salt of the earth," and asked Mrs. Taylor to accept the "Beauties from Iowa" as an acknowledgment of her sacrifice in making Mr. Taylor make the eastern trip.

Since his departure from Portland nearly a month ago Mr. Taylor, who is expected home Tuesday, has delivered addresses before realty men and chambers of commerce in Boise, Denver, Omaha, Chicago, St. Paul, Pittsburgh, Indianapolis, Detroit, Rockford, Ill.; Canton, O., and a number of other cities where meetings of local realty boards and state associations were held in Mr. Taylor's honor. The meetings of the executive committee of the national association were held in Denver while Chicago was the scene of important conferences having to do with the next annual convention of realty men and with plans for enlarging the scope of the national association.

Salem, North Willamette Valley Merchants' association, Astoria Chamber of Commerce (retail section), Coos County Business Men's association, Bend Merchants' association, Hood River County Merchants' association, Lane County Credit association, Roseburg and Douglas County Merchants' association, Washington County Merchants' association, Yamhill County Merchants' association and the Tillamook County Merchants' Credit association.

"From this it will be plain that our state organization is not merely all that its name implies, but it will be evident that it must voice the sentiments of those merchants who are closest to the farmer—most dependent on the prosperity of the farmer for their own prosperity and at the same time most intelligently informed concerning the real wants and needs of the farmer. It must be plain that the opposition of our state organization to the state market commission bill was not inspired by any lack of genuine interest in the farmer's problems and his welfare. Mr. Wenger's blunder in regard to this bill is a common blunder. He seems to suppose this bill necessary for the development of co-operative marketing by farmers. That is an absolute mistake. The way is wide open right now for co-operative marketing enterprises. Not only is the way open, but we already have them. If this market commission bill promoted any real benefit to the farmers of Oregon our state organization would be strong for it. The reason we opposed it was because the best analysis our people could make of it was that it was simply a political scheme for a few more soft jobs at the expense of the taxpayers."

ORGANIZED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO REQUIRE OWNERS OF LARGE TRACTS OF VACANT PROPERTY TO PAY DELINQUENT TAXES AND SEWER ASSESSMENTS THAT HAD BEEN TACKLED BY THE CITY FOR YEARS.

Organized and conducted monster street celebration on day of the first great Yankee drive in history.

WENGER IS ANSWERED

E. A. MacLEAN DEFENDS ATTACK ON MARKET BILL.

Right of State Organization to Speak for Merchants Is Insisted On in Reply.

OLYMPIC ROAD COMPLETED

Work of Surfacing Highway East of Aberdeen Is Finished.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Work of surfacing the Olympic highway at the east entrance to Aberdeen, a project started last October with the removal of an old wooden trestle, was completed Thursday. The new roadway will be kept closed another 30 days to allow the paving time to cure, and then will be opened to traffic with appropriate ceremonies. Many delays have prevented earlier completion of the work. The city was for a time unable to get bids on the project. Then the Seattle firm undertaking the work was unable to complete the job because of the character of a filled section, and much trouble was experienced in getting care and cement.

Mr. Wenger makes as loud a noise as he can," said Mr. MacLean, "to the general effect that the farmers' prosperity should be advanced by co-operative marketing. Incidentally, he undertakes to convey the impression that the Oregon State Retail Merchants' association is not properly qualified to speak for the merchants of the state. Mr. Wenger's assertion is about as ridiculous as an assertion he made one day before the city council—that the average loss of retail merchants on bad accounts was 5 per cent of their sales. Any man whose ignorance of retail business is such that he could make a statement of that kind has a nerve to attempt to speak for retail merchants at all. By affiliation, every member of the following associations is a member of our state organization: Portland Grocers' and Merchants' association, Business Men's league of

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