

encountered after reaching town. So 40 years ago the Commercial Club was organized and one of the results of its work was the paving of Lawrence.

6. As the forerunner of the C. of C. was the Merchants Assn. so the forerunner of that organization was the Booster's Club, with a membership of 40 and the macadamizing of West 9th to connect with the California road was one of the results of Booster Club activity.

7. While many farmers were interested in securing good roads it is doubtful if the Fort to Fort proposition could have been put through had it not been for the Civic organizations of Lawrence.

8. In 1922 one of the efforts of the C. of C. which had lasting effects was in urging C. B. Hosford for appointment as County Commissioner to succeed the late A. L. Cox. Mr. Hosford undertook this work at a personal sacrifice,