purchase thereof, and the balance, if any, shall be paid into the general fund. The common council of every city which shall construct or own and operate *a power plant,* lighting works, waterworks, * * * heating plant or plants *or other public utility* to supply the city and its inhabitants with *power,* light, water, * * * heat, *or other public utility service,* may, by ordinance, fix the initial rates to be charged for light, *power,* water, * * * heat *or such other service* furnished the inhabitants thereof, and provide for the collection of the same either *monthly,* quarterly or semiannually in advance or otherwise, provided such rates shall be uniform for like services in all parts of the city. The provisions of the next following section shall apply to the listing and collection of unpaid rates or charges for light, *power,* water, * * * heat *or other public utility service* so furnished so far as they are applicable.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved June 23, 1915.

CHAPTER 301.

AN ACT to create section 1229m of the statutes, relating to salary of superintendent of highways in towns.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1229m. 1. In any town situated in any county having a population of two hundred thousand or over, wherein the county board, at any annual meeting, shall, by a majority vote of all members thereof, have adopted a resolution determining that the provisions of chapter 599, laws of 1911, shall apply to such county, the superintendent of highways of such town may be paid, in lieu of all other compensation, a salary not to exceed one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly, out of the bridge and road fund of such town. Such salary shall be fixed by the electors at the annual town meeting.

2. This section shall apply only in towns in which but one superintendent of highways is appointed. Such superintendent, as to the mode of his appointment, the giving of bond and removal for cause, shall be subject to and there shall be applicable to his tenure of office, the provisions of sections 1229, 1230 and 1231 of the statutes.

3.   County boards which have adopted the provisions of chapter 599, laws of 1911, may by resolution rescind and repeal their action.

SECTION 2.   This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 302.

AN ACT to amend subsection 5 of section 925m—308 of the statutes, relating to organization of city government operating under the commission form.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1.   Subsection 5 of section 925m—308 of the statutes is amended to read: (Section 925m—308)   5.   All boards and commissions created and existing under laws heretofore in force in any such city shall continue to exist, and all powers, authority, jurisdiction and duties conferred and imposed upon such boards and commissions shall remain unaffected by this act, except that the mayor shall not be ex officio a member of any such board or commission,   *   *   *

SECTION 2.   This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 303.

AN ACT to create section 94jm of the statutes, relating to changing the name of a political party.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1.   There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 94jm.   1.   The Social Democratic party of this state may change its name by following the procedure hereinafter provided.

2.   The state central committee of such political party may call a convention for the purpose of changing the name of its political party by stating in its call therefor the time and place for the holding of the convention and that the purpose of holding such convention is to change the name of the party to some