such county, then in a newspaper published at the capital of this state, for a period of three successive weeks.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 13, 1901.

CHAPTER 295.

An act to amend section 6 of chapter 46 of the Laws Amenament. of 1895, relating to public highways in townships, and assessments to authorize assessments and levy of taxes therefor.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minne sota:

Section 1. That section 6 of chapter 46 of the Laws of 1895 be amended so as to read as follows:

That it shall be lawful for the supervisors at any time after the road tax in any year shall be voted at the annual town meeting to be assessed, to further assess the property of said town in their discretion in a sum not exceeding five mills on the dollar of the last before assessed value thereof, and to certify the same with other taxes to the county auditor for extension and collection, and before the same is collected to pledge the credit of the township by issuing town orders not exceeding the taxes so assessed, in paying the expenses of such making and repairing of roads and bridges, of said township, for the current year.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 13, 1901.

CHAPTER 296.

An act to empower cities and villages to codify and cities and publish laws, charters, ordinances, resolutions, rules and codification by-laws.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION I. Any city or village in this state, incorporated for municipal purposes, may codify all general or special laws, charters, ordinances, resolutions, rules and by-laws in force and effect within its corporate limits, and by ordinance declare such codification to be prima facie evidence in any action or proceeding brought thereon of the law of said city or village, and the same shall there-

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villages. of charters, ordinances, etc.

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and taxes.