

CHAPTER 46.

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An Act to change the name of Elizabeth Van Antwerp to Sally Elizabeth Smith, and to provide for her adoption as the child and heir-at-law of Benjamin A. Smith and Sally Smith, his wife.

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

SECTION 1. The name of Elizabeth Van Antwerp, is **Name changed** hereby changed to Sally Elizabeth Smith, by which name she shall be hereafter known in all cases and proceedings whatsoever, and the said Sally Elizabeth Smith is hereby declared to be the child and heir-at-law of Benjamin A. Smith and Sally Smith, his wife, and it is hereby made their duty to maintain, support and educate the said Sally Elizabeth in the same manner as if she were the natural child of the said Benjamin A. and Sally Smith.

SEC. 2. This act shall have no force and effect, until the said Benjamin A. Smith and Lovina Austin, the natural mother and only surviving parent of Elizabeth Van Antwerp first before named, shall have assented and executed an instrument in writing, said instrument to be subscribed by them, witnessed and acknowledged in the same manner as is now required in the execution of deeds, nor until said instrument so executed shall be recorded in the office of register of deeds in the county of Rock, in which county the said Benjamin A. and Sally Smith reside. **When to take effect**

SEC. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 28, 1856.