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A writ of Election.

Whereas, I have thought it expedient to convene the General Assembly of Arkansas, at an extra session on the first Monday in November A. D. 1837; and where as there is a vacancy in the Representative branch thereof in the county of Jackson caused by the death of Rowland Tidwell, former Representative from said County;

Now, therefore, I, James S. Conway, Governor of the State of Arkansas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, do hereby authorize and direct the Sheriff or Coroner of said County to open a poll, on the first Monday of October next, for the election of a Representative, in said County to fill said vacancy.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State to be affixed at Little Rock this 7<sup>th</sup> Day of September A. D. 1837.

By The Governor's  
P. A. Watkins, Secretary of State.

J. S. Conway  




By the Honorable  
Senate of Boston  
of Middlesex County

J. V. [Signature]

