

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE

# Commonwealth of Kentucky



## JAMES B. MCCREARY

Governor of Said Commonwealth.

To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

Know Ye, That *Wm J. Withers* having been duly appointed one of the commissioners of the Eastern Lunatic Asylum, to fill a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of *W. Talbot* I hereby invest him with full power and authority to execute and discharge the duties of the said office according to Law; and to have and to hold the same, with all the rights and emoluments thereto, legally appertaining, until the last day of next session of the General Assembly.

In Testimony Whereof, I have caused these letters to be made patent, and the Seal of the Commonwealth to be hereunto affixed. Done at Frankfort, the *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-*Six* and in the eighty-*fifth* year of the Commonwealth.



BY THE GOVERNOR:

*James B. McCreary*

*Horace Johnston*

SECRETARY OF STATE.

By

*Thos J. Brouston*

ASSISTANT SECRETARY.