

**HISTORICAL LISTING  
OF  
SHERIFFS FOR THE COUNTY OF KNOX**

<b>Sheriff</b>	<b>Term of Office</b>
John D. Rust	1860 - 1869
Thomas B. Grose	1870 - 1873
Isaac Hobbs	1872 - 1873
John F. Torry	1874 - 1875
Angnstus T. Law	1876 - 1877
Samuel C. Shiperd	1878 - 1879
Edward C. Spalding	1880 - 1881
Irish S. Wilder	1882 - 1890
James W. Gray	1890 - 1895
William N. Ulmer	1896 - 1902
A. J. Tolman	1903 - 1914
J. Crosby Hobbs	1915 - 1920
Raymond E. Thurston	1921 - 1926
Frank Harding, Sr.	1927 - 1934
Charles M. Richardson	1934 - 1935
Earl C. Ludwig	1935 - 1947
P. Willard Pease	1948 - 1968
Carlton V. Thurston	1969 - 1980
George J. Massie	1981 - 1985
Daniel G. Davey	1985 - 2006
Donna L. Dennison	2007 - Present