

## Livingston County Coroners Since 1838 to Present

No state or county records, 1837

Simeon Mead,  
August 29, 1838

Moses Allen,  
September 21, 1840

James Cooper,  
August 23, 1842

John Blue,  
September 3, 1844

S.S. Mead,  
August 20, 1845

John Blue,  
August 27, 1846  
August 23, 1848

James D. Garner (to fill vacancy),  
November 23, 1849

Joseph Springer,  
November 20, 1850

Jerome Garner,  
November 23, 1852

Laben Frakes,  
November 22, 1854

Thomas Crosswell,  
November 17, 1856  
November 13, 1858  
November 6, 1860  
November 4, 1862

E.W. Capron,  
November 26, 1864

M.K. Wright,  
November 19, 1868

John J. Wright,  
November 30, 1870

M.K. Wright (vice John J. Wright),  
November 15, 1871

Merwin K. Wright,  
November 5, 1872

Samuel Stewart (vice Wright),  
June 13, 1873

Everett G. Johnson,  
November 21, 1874

Darius Johnson,  
November 24, 1876

Horace Gaylord (vice Johnson, deceased),  
December 15, 1877

H.E.W. Barnes,  
December 2, 1878

C.H. Long,  
December 1, 1880

Chas. True,  
December 1, 1882

Chas. Long,  
November 4, 1884

John A. Fellows  
December 3, 1888

George F. Kline (vice Fellows, deceased),  
February 9, 1892

John Zimmerman,  
December 1, 1892

W.E. Slyder,  
December 7, 1896  
November 30, 1900  
January 6, 1905  
November 24, 1908

Walter O. Myers,  
November 27, 1912

Raleigh J. Harris,  
November 25, 1916  
November 23, 1920

Elmo L. Knick,  
November 17, 1924  
November 30, 1928

John A. Keeley,  
November 30, 1932

Dr. H.L. Shafer,  
November 21, 1936

P.L. McGuire,  
November 5, 1940

Kenneth G. Essington,  
April 1, 1942 (appointed)  
November 7, 1944

Vernon VonQualen  
November 2, 1948  
November 4, 1952  
November 6, 1956  
November 8, 1960  
November 3, 1964  
November 5, 1968

Keith P. VonQualen  
November 7, 1972  
November 2, 1976  
November 4, 1980  
November 6, 1984

Roger W. Duffy  
November 5, 1988  
died October 15, 1991

Michael P. Burke  
November 12, 1991 (appointed)  
November 3, 1992  
November 5, 1996  
November 7, 2000

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Michael P. Burke

November 2, 2004

November 4, 2008

November 6, 2012

Retired March 16, 2016

Danny L. Watson

March 16, 2016

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