

ROSTERS OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

U.S. Presidents and Vice Presidents

President	Vice President	Years of Service	Congress
George Washington	John Adams	Apr. 30, 1789 - Mar. 3, 1797	1, 2, 3, 4
John Adams	Thomas Jefferson	Mar. 4, 1797 - Mar. 3, 1801	5, 6
Thomas Jefferson	Aaron Burr	Mar. 4, 1801 - Mar. 3, 1805	7, 8
Thomas Jefferson	George Clinton	Mar. 4, 1805 - Mar. 3, 1809	9, 10
James Madison	George Clinton ¹	Mar. 4, 1809 - Mar. 3, 1813	11, 12
James Madison	Elbridge Gerry ²	Mar. 4, 1813 - Mar. 3, 1817	13, 14
James Monroe	Daniel D. Tompkins	Mar. 4, 1817 - Mar. 3, 1825	15, 16, 17, 18
John Quincy Adams	John C. Calhoun	Mar. 4, 1825 - Mar. 3, 1829	19, 20
Andrew Jackson	John C. Calhoun ³	Mar. 4, 1829 - Mar. 3, 1833	21, 22
Andrew Jackson	Martin Van Buren	Mar. 4, 1833 - Mar. 3, 1837	23, 24
Martin Van Buren	Richard M. Johnson	Mar. 4, 1837 - Mar. 3, 1841	25, 26
William Henry Harrison ⁴	John Tyler	Mar. 4, 1841 - Apr. 4, 1841	27
John Tyler .....	.....	Apr. 6, 1841 - Mar. 3, 1845	27, 28
James K. Polk	George M. Dallas	Mar. 4, 1845 - Mar. 3, 1849	29, 30
Zachary Taylor ⁴	Millard Fillmore	Mar. 5, 1849 - July 9, 1850	31
Millard Fillmore .....	.....	July 10, 1850 - Mar. 3, 1853	31, 32
Franklin Pierce	William R. King ⁵	Mar. 4, 1853 - Mar. 3, 1857	33, 34
James Buchanan	John C. Breckinridge	Mar. 4, 1857 - Mar. 3, 1861	35, 36
Abraham Lincoln	Hannibal Hamlin	Mar. 4, 1861 - Mar. 3, 1865	37, 38
Abraham Lincoln ⁴	Andrew Johnson	Mar. 4, 1865 - Apr. 15, 1865	39
Andrew Johnson .....	.....	Apr. 15, 1865 - Mar. 3, 1869	39, 40
Ulysses S. Grant	Schuyler Colfax	Mar. 4, 1869 - Mar. 3, 1873	41, 42
Ulysses S. Grant	Henry Wilson ⁶	Mar. 4, 1873 - Mar. 3, 1877	43, 44
Rutherford B. Hayes	William A. Wheeler	Mar. 4, 1877 - Mar. 3, 1881	45, 46
James A. Garfield ⁴	Chester A. Arthur	Mar. 4, 1881 - Sept. 19, 1881	47
Chester A. Arthur .....	.....	Sept. 20, 1881 - Mar. 3, 1885	47, 48
Grover Cleveland	Thomas A. Hendricks ⁸	Mar. 4, 1885 - Mar. 3, 1889	49, 50
Benjamin Harrison	Levi P. Morton	Mar. 4, 1889 - Mar. 3, 1893	51, 52
Grover Cleveland ⁷	Adlai E. Stevenson	Mar. 4, 1893 - Mar. 3, 1897	53, 54
William McKinley	Garret A. Hobart ⁷	Mar. 4, 1897 - Mar. 3, 1901	55, 56
William McKinley ⁴	Theodore Roosevelt	Mar. 4, 1901 - Sept. 14, 1901	57
Theodore Roosevelt .....	.....	Sept. 14, 1901 - Mar. 3, 1905	57, 58
Theodore Roosevelt	Charles W. Fairbanks	Mar. 4, 1905 - Mar. 3, 1909	59, 60
William H. Taft	James S. Sherman ¹⁰	Mar. 4, 1909 - Mar. 3, 1913	61, 62
Woodrow Wilson	Thomas R. Marshall	Mar. 4, 1913 - Mar. 3, 1921	63, 64, 65, 66
Warren G. Harding ⁴	Calvin Coolidge	Mar. 4, 1921 - Aug. 2, 1923	67
Calvin Coolidge .....	.....	Aug. 3, 1923 - Mar. 3, 1925	68
Calvin Coolidge	Charles Gates Dawes	Mar. 4, 1925 - Mar. 3, 1929	69, 70
Herbert C. Hoover	Charles Curtis	Mar. 4, 1929 - Mar. 3, 1933	71, 72
Franklin D. Roosevelt	John N. Garner	Mar. 4, 1933 - Jan. 20, 1941	73, 74, 75, 76
Franklin D. Roosevelt	Henry A. Wallace	Jan. 20, 1941 - Jan. 20, 1945	77, 78
Franklin D. Roosevelt ⁴	Harry S. Truman	Jan. 20, 1945 - Apr. 12, 1945	79
Harry S. Truman .....	.....	Apr. 12, 1945 - Jan. 20, 1949	79, 80
Harry S. Truman	Alben W. Barkley	Jan. 20, 1949 - Jan. 20, 1953	81, 82
Dwight D. Eisenhower	Richard M. Nixon	Jan. 20, 1953 - Jan. 20, 1961	83, 84, 85, 86
John F. Kennedy ⁴	Lyndon B. Johnson	Jan. 20, 1961 - Nov. 22, 1963	87, 88
Lyndon B. Johnson .....	.....	Nov. 22, 1963 - Jan. 20, 1965	88
Lyndon B. Johnson	Hubert H. Humphrey	Jan. 20, 1965 - Jan. 20, 1969	89, 90
Richard M. Nixon	Spiro T. Agnew ¹¹	Jan. 20, 1969 - Oct. 10, 1973	91, 92, 93
Richard M. Nixon ¹³	Gerald R. Ford ¹²	Dec. 6, 1973 - Aug. 9, 1974	93
Gerald R. Ford	Nelson A. Rockefeller ¹⁴	Aug. 9, 1974 - Jan. 20, 1977	93, 94, 95
James Earl (Jimmy) Carter	Walter F. Mondale	Jan. 20, 1977 - Jan. 20, 1981	95, 96
Ronald W. Reagan	George H.W. Bush	Jan. 20, 1981 - Jan. 20, 1989	97, 98, 99, 100
George H.W. Bush	J. Danforth Quayle	Jan. 20, 1989 - Jan. 20, 1993	101, 102
Bill Clinton	Al Gore	Jan. 20, 1993 - Jan. 20, 2001	103, 104, 105, 106
George W. Bush	Richard B. Cheney	Jan. 20, 2001 - Jan. 20, 2009	107, 108, 109, 110
Barack H. Obama	Joseph R. Biden	Jan. 20, 2009 -	111

¹ Died April 20, 1812.

² Died Nov. 23, 1814.

³ Resigned Dec. 28, 1832, to become U.S. Senator.

⁴ Died in office.

⁵ Died April 18, 1853.

⁶ Died Nov. 22, 1875.

⁷ Terms not consecutive.

⁸ Died Nov. 25, 1885.

⁹ Died Nov. 21, 1899.

¹⁰ Died Oct. 30, 1912.

¹¹ Resigned Oct. 10, 1973.

¹² First Vice President nominated by President and confirmed by Congress pursuant to 25th amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

¹³ Resigned office of the Presidency, Aug. 9, 1974.

¹⁴ Nominated Vice President by President Gerald R. Ford, Aug. 20, 1974; confirmed and took oath of office, Dec. 19, 1974.

U.S. Senators from Illinois

Name	Years of Service	Residence	Remarks
Ninian Edwards (D).....	1818-1824	Kaskaskia	Resigned.
Jesse B. Thomas (D).....	1818-1829	Kaskaskia	
John McLean (D)	1824-1825	Shawneetown	To succeed Edwards, resigned.
Elias Kent Kane (D).....	1825-1835	Kaskaskia	To succeed McLean; died Dec. 12, 1835.
John McLean (D).....	1829-1830	Shawneetown	To succeed Thomas; died Oct. 14, 1830.
David J. Baker (D)	Nov. 12- Dec. 11, 1830	Kaskaskia	Appointed, to succeed McLean, deceased.
John M. Robinson (D).....	1830-1841	Carmi.....	To succeed Baker.
William L.D. Ewing (D)	1835-1837	Vandalia.....	To succeed Kane, deceased.
Richard M. Young (D).....	1837-1843	Jonesboro	To succeed Ewing.
Samuel McRoberts (D)	1841-1843	Waterloo	To succeed Robinson; died Mar. 22, 1843.
Sidney Breese (D).....	1843-1849	Carlyle	To succeed Young.
James Semple (D).....	1843-1847	Alton	Appointed, to succeed McRoberts, deceased.
Stephen A. Douglas (D)	1847-1861	Quincy.....	To succeed Semple; died June 3, 1861.
James Shields (D).....	1849-1855	Springfield.....	To succeed Breese.
Lyman Trumbull, Anti-Neb. (D)	1855-1873	Belleville	To succeed Shields.
Orville H. Browning (R)	1861-1863	Quincy.....	Appointed, to succeed Douglas, deceased.
William A. Richardson (D)	1863-1865	Quincy.....	To succeed Browning.
Richard Yates (R)	1865-1871	Jacksonville	To succeed Richardson.
John A. Logan (R)	1871-1877	Chicago.....	To succeed Yates.
Richard J. Oglesby (R)	1873-1879	Decatur	To succeed Trumbull.
David Davis (I).....	1877-1883	Bloomington	To succeed Logan.
John A. Logan (R)	1879-1886	Chicago	To succeed Oglesby; died Dec. 26, 1886.
Shelby M. Cullom (R)	1883-1913	Springfield.....	To succeed Davis.
Charles B. Farwell (R)	1887-1891	Chicago.....	To succeed Logan, deceased.
John M. Palmer (D)	1891-1897	Springfield.....	To succeed Farwell.
William E. Mason (R)	1897-1903	Chicago	To succeed Palmer.
Albert J. Hopkins (R).....	1903-1909	Aurora.....	To succeed Mason.
William Lorimer (R)*.....	1909-1912	Chicago.....	To succeed Hopkins.
James Hamilton Lewis (D).....	1913-1919	Chicago	To succeed Cullom.
Lawrence Y. Sherman (R)	1913-1921	Springfield.....	In place of Frank L. Smith.
Medill McCormick (R).....	1919-1925	Chicago.....	To succeed Lewis.
William B. McKinley (R)	1921-1927	Champaign	To succeed Sherman.
Charles S. Deneen (R)	1925-1931	Chicago.....	To succeed McCormick.
Frank L. Smith (R)†.....	1927	Dwight	To succeed McKinley.
Otis F. Glenn (R)	1928-1933	Murphysboro	In place of Frank L. Smith.
James Hamilton Lewis (D)	1931-1939	Chicago.....	To succeed Deneen; died April 9, 1939.
William H. Dieterich (D).....	1933-1939	Beardstown.....	To succeed Glenn.
Scott W. Lucas (D)	1939-1951	Havana	To succeed Dieterich.
James M. Slattery (D).....	1939-1940	Chicago.....	Appointed, to succeed Lewis, deceased.
C. Wayland Brooks (R)	1940-1949	Chicago.....	To succeed Slattery.
Paul H. Douglas (D)	1949-1967	Chicago.....	To succeed C. Wayland Brooks.
Everett McKinley Dirksen (R)	1951-1969	Pekin	To succeed Scott W. Lucas; died Sept. 7, 1969.
Charles H. Percy (R)	1967-1985	Kenilworth	To succeed Douglas.
Ralph T. Smith (R)	1969-1970	Alton	Appointed, to succeed Dirksen, deceased.
Adlai E. Stevenson III (D)	1970-1981	Chicago.....	To succeed Smith; resigned as State Treasurer to become U.S. Senator.
Alan J. Dixon (D)	1981-1993	Belleville	To succeed Stevenson.
Paul Simon (D).....	1985-1997	Makanda	To succeed Percy.
Carol Moseley-Braun (D)	1993-1999	Chicago.....	To succeed Dixon.
Richard J. Durbin (D)	1997-	Springfield.....	To succeed Simon.
Peter G. Fitzgerald (R)	1999-2005	Inverness.....	To succeed Moseley-Braun.
Barack Obama (D).....	2005-2009	Hyde Park	To succeed Fitzgerald.
Roland W. Burris (D)	2009-	Chicago.....	Appointed, to succeed Obama, who became President.

* Unseated, election declared illegal by U.S. Senate.

† Refused seat by action of U.S. Senate.

Governors of Illinois

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
Shadrach Bond (D)	Oct. 6, 1818	St. Clair	
Edward Coles (D)	Dec. 5, 1822	Madison	
Ninian Edwards (D)	Dec. 6, 1826	Madison	Territorial Governor, 1809-1818.
John Reynolds (D)	Dec. 6, 1830	St. Clair	Resigned Nov. 17, 1834, to become Representative in Congress; succeeded by William L.D. Ewing.
William L.D. Ewing (D)	Nov. 17, 1834	Fayette	Acting Lieutenant Governor; became Governor during interim between Reynolds' resignation and election to Congress and the election of Gov. Joseph Duncan.
Joseph Duncan (D)	Dec. 3, 1834	Morgan	
Thomas Carlin (D)	Dec. 7, 1838	Greene	
Thomas Ford (D)	Dec. 8, 1842	Ogle	
Augustus C. French (D)	Dec. 9, 1846	Crawford	Re-elected under the Constitution of 1848.
	Jan. 8, 1849		
Joel Aldrich Matteson (D)	Jan. 10, 1853	Will	
William H. Bissell (R)	Jan. 12, 1857	Monroe	Died March 18, 1860; succeeded by John Wood, Lieutenant Governor.
John Wood (R)	Mar. 21, 1860	Adams	
Richard Yates (R)	Jan. 14, 1861	Morgan	
Richard J. Oglesby (R)	Jan. 16, 1865	Macon	
John M. Palmer (R)	Jan. 11, 1869	Macoupin	
Richard J. Oglesby (R)	Jan. 13, 1873	Macon	Resigned Jan. 23, 1873, to become U.S. Senator; succeeded by John L. Beveridge, Lieutenant Governor.
John L. Beveridge (R)	Jan. 23, 1873	Cook	
Shelby Moore Cullom (R)	Jan. 8, 1877	Sangamon	Resigned Feb. 8, 1883, to become U.S. Senator; succeeded by John M. Hamilton, Lieutenant Governor.
	Jan. 10, 1881		
John M. Hamilton (R)	Feb. 16, 1883	McLean	
Richard J. Oglesby (R)	Jan. 30, 1885	Macon	
Joseph W. Fifer (R)	Jan. 14, 1889	McLean	
John P. Altgeld (D)	Jan. 10, 1893	Cook	
John R. Tanner (R)	Jan. 11, 1897	Clay	
Richard Yates (R)	Jan. 14, 1901	Morgan	
Charles S. Deneen (R)	Jan. 9, 1905	Cook	
	Jan. 18, 1909		
Edward F. Dunne (D)	Feb. 3, 1913	Cook	
Frank O. Lowden (R)	Jan. 8, 1917	Ogle	
Len Small (R)	Jan. 10, 1921	Kankakee	
	Jan. 12, 1925		
Louis L. Emmerson (R)	Jan. 14, 1929	Jefferson	
Henry Horner (D)	Jan. 9, 1933	Cook	Died Oct. 6, 1940; succeeded by John H. Stelle, Lieutenant Governor.
	Jan. 4, 1937		
John H. Stelle (D)	Oct. 6, 1940	Hamilton	
Dwight H. Green (R)	Jan. 13, 1941	Cook	
	Jan. 8, 1945		
Adlai E. Stevenson (D)	Jan. 10, 1949	Lake	
William G. Stratton (R)	Jan. 12, 1953	Grundy	
	Jan. 14, 1957		
Otto Kerner (D)	Jan. 9, 1961	Cook	Resigned; succeeded by Samuel H. Shapiro, Lieutenant Governor.
	Jan. 11, 1965		
Samuel H. Shapiro (D)	May 21, 1968	Kankakee	
Richard B. Ogilvie (R)	Jan. 13, 1969	Cook	
Daniel Walker (D)	Jan. 8, 1973	Lake	
James R. Thompson (R)	Jan. 10, 1977	Cook	
	Jan. 8, 1979		
	Jan. 10, 1983		
	Jan. 12, 1987		
Jim Edgar (R)	Jan. 14, 1991	Coles	
	Jan. 9, 1995		
George H. Ryan (R)	Jan. 11, 1999	Kankakee	
Rod R. Blagojevich (D)	Jan. 13, 2003	Cook	Impeached and removed from office; succeeded by Patrick J. Quinn, Lieutenant Governor.
	Jan. 8, 2007		
Patrick J. Quinn (D)	Jan. 29, 2009	Cook	

Lieutenant Governors

Under all the state's constitutions, the Lieutenant Governor has been the first official in the line of succession to the Governor's office. The Lieutenant Governor served as chief presiding officer of the Senate until the 1970 Constitution removed that responsibility.

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
Pierre Menard (D)	Oct. 6, 1818	Randolph	
Adolphus F. Hubbard (D)	Dec. 5, 1822	Gallatin	
William Kinney (D)	Dec. 6, 1826	St. Clair	
Zodok Casey (D)	Dec. 9, 1830	Jefferson	Resigned March 1, 1833.
Wm. L.D. Ewing (D)	Mar. 1, 1833	Fayette	Speaker of Senate and Acting Lieutenant Governor, became Governor Nov. 17, 1834.
Alex M. Jenkins (D)	Dec. 5, 1834	Jackson	Resigned.
Wm. H. Davidson (D)	Dec. 9, 1836	White	Speaker of Senate and Acting Lieutenant Governor.
Stinson H. Anderson (D)	Dec. 7, 1838	Jefferson	
John Moore (D)	Dec. 8, 1842	McLean	
Joseph B. Wells (D)	Dec. 9, 1846	Rock Island	
Wm. McMurty (D)	Jan. 8, 1849	Knox	
Gustavus Koerner (D)	Jan. 10, 1853	St. Clair	
John Wood (R)	Jan. 12, 1857	Adams	Succeeded to Office of Governor, to succeed Bissell, deceased.
Thomas A. Marshall (D)	Jan. 7, 1861	Coles	President of Senate and Acting Lieutenant Governor.
Francis A. Hoffman (R)	Jan. 14, 1861	Cook	
William Bross (R)	Jan. 16, 1865	Cook	
John Dougherty (R)	Jan. 11, 1869	Union	
John L. Beveridge (R)	Jan. 13, 1873	Cook	Succeeded to Office of Governor, to succeed Oglesby, elected U.S. Senator.
John Earley (R)	Jan. 23, 1873	Winnebago	President of Senate and Acting Lieutenant Governor.
Archibald A. Glenn (D)	Jan. 8, 1875	Brown	President of Senate and Acting Lieutenant Governor.
Andrew Shuman (R)	Jan. 8, 1877	Cook	
John M. Hamilton (R)	Jan. 10, 1881	McLean	Succeeded to Office of Governor, to succeed Cullom, elected U.S. Senator.
Wm. J. Campbell (R)	Feb. 6, 1883	Cook	President of Senate and Acting Lieutenant Governor, to succeed Hamilton.
John C. Smith (R)	Jan. 30, 1885	Cook	
Lyman B. Ray (R)	Jan. 14, 1889	Grundy	
Joseph B. Gill (D)	Jan. 10, 1893	Jackson	
William A. Northcott (R)	Jan. 11, 1897	Bond	
Lawrence Y. Sherman (R)	Jan. 9, 1905	McDonough	
John G. Oglesby (R)	Jan. 18, 1909	Logan	
Barratt O'Hara (D)	Feb. 3, 1913	Cook	
John G. Oglesby (R)	Jan. 8, 1917	Logan	
Fred E. Sterling (R)	Jan. 10, 1921	Winnebago	
	Jan. 12, 1925		
	Jan. 14, 1929		
Thomas F. Donovan (D)	Jan. 9, 1933	Will	
John Stelle (D)	Jan. 4, 1937	Hamilton	Succeeded to Office of Governor, to succeed Horner, deceased.
Hugh W. Cross (R)	Jan. 13, 1941	Jersey	
	Jan. 8, 1945		
Sherwood Dixon (D)	Jan. 10, 1949	Lee	
John Wm. Chapman (R)	Jan. 12, 1953	Sangamon	
	Jan. 14, 1957		
Samuel H. Shapiro (D)	Jan. 9, 1961	Kankakee	Succeeded to Office of Governor, to succeed Kerner, resigned.
	Jan. 11, 1965		
Paul Simon (D)	Jan. 13, 1969	Madison	
Neil Harrigan (D)	Jan. 8, 1973	Cook	
Dave O'Neal (R)	Jan. 10, 1977	St. Clair	Resigned July 31, 1981.
	Jan. 8, 1979		
George H. Ryan (R)	Jan. 10, 1983	Kankakee	
	Jan. 12, 1987		
Bob Kustra (R)	Jan. 14, 1991	Cook	Resigned July 1, 1998.
	Jan. 9, 1995		
Corinne Wood (R)	Jan. 11, 1999	Lake	
Patrick J. Quinn (D)	Jan. 13, 2003	Cook	
	Jan. 8, 2007		Succeeded to Office of Governor, to succeed Blagojevich, impeached and removed from office Jan. 29, 2009.

Attorneys General

Under the Constitution of 1818, the Attorney General was appointed by the General Assembly. The 1848 Constitution mentioned the Attorney General only as an officer ineligible to be elected as a member of the General Assembly, and in view of the meager definition the office was held in abeyance until an act creating the office was approved Feb. 27, 1867, when Gov. Oglesby appointed Ingersoll. Under the 1870 Constitution, the Attorney General became a constitutional officer.

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
Daniel Pope Cook (D)	Mar. 5, 1819	Randolph	Resigned March 15, 1819.
William Mears (D)	Dec. 14, 1819	St. Clair	
Samuel D. Lockwood (D)	Feb. 26, 1821	Madison	Resigned Dec. 28, 1822.
James Turney (D)	Jan. 14, 1823	Washington	Resigned Jan. 7, 1825.
	Jan. 15, 1825		
George Forquer (D)	Jan. 23, 1829	Monroe	Resigned Dec. 3, 1832.
James Semple (D)	Jan. 30, 1833	Madison	
Ninian W. Edwards (D)	Sept. 1, 1834	Sangamon	Resigned Feb. 7, 1835.
	Jan. 19, 1835		
Jesse B. Thomas, Jr. (D)	Feb. 12, 1835	Madison	Resigned Jan. 8, 1836.
Walter B. Scates (D)	Jan. 18, 1836	Jefferson	Resigned Dec. 26, 1836.
Usher F. Linder (D)	Feb. 4, 1837	Coles	Resigned June 11, 1838.
George W. Olney (D)	June 26, 1838	Madison	Resigned Feb. 1, 1839.
Wickliffe Kitchell (D)	Mar. 5, 1839	Crawford	Resigned Nov. 19, 1840.
Josiah Lamborn (D)	Dec. 23, 1840	Morgan	
James A. McDougall (D)	Jan. 12, 1843	Morgan	
David B. Campbell (D)	Dec. 21, 1846	Sangamon	
Robert G. Ingersoll (R)	Feb. 28, 1867	Peoria	Appointed by Gov. Oglesby.
Washington Bushnell (D)	Jan. 11, 1869	LaSalle	
James K. Edsall (R)	Jan. 13, 1873	Lee	
	Jan. 8, 1877		
James McCartney (R)	Jan. 10, 1881	Wayne	
George Hunt (R)	Jan. 30, 1885	Edgar	
	Jan. 14, 1889		
Maurice T. Maloney (D)	Jan. 10, 1893	LaSalle	
Edward C. Akin (R)	Jan. 11, 1897	Will	
Howland J. Hamlin (R)	Jan. 14, 1901	Shelby	
William H. Stead, Rep.	Jan. 9, 1905	LaSalle	
	Jan. 18, 1909		
Patrick J. Lucy (D)	Feb. 3, 1913	LaSalle	
Edward J. Brundage (R)	Jan. 8, 1917	Cook	
	Jan. 10, 1921		
Oscar E. Carlstrom (R)	Jan. 12, 1925	Mercer	
	Jan. 14, 1929		
Otto Kerner (D)	Jan. 9, 1933	Cook	Resigned Nov. 23, 1938.
	Jan. 4, 1937		
John E. Cassidy (D)	Nov. 23, 1938	Peoria	Appointed by Gov. Horner.
George F. Barrett (R)	Jan. 13, 1941	Cook	
	Jan. 8, 1945		
Ivan Elliott (D)	Jan. 10, 1949	White	
Latham Castle (R)	Jan. 12, 1953	DeKalb	Resigned.
	Jan. 14, 1957		
Grenville Beardsley (R)	May 9, 1959	Cook	Appointed by Gov. Stratton.
William L. Guild (R)	June 17, 1960	DuPage	Appointed by Gov. Stratton.
William G. Clark (D)	Jan. 9, 1961	Cook	
	Jan. 11, 1965		
William J. Scott (R)	Jan. 13, 1969	Cook	Resigned.
	Jan. 8, 1973		
	Jan. 10, 1977		
	Jan. 8, 1979		
Tyrone C. Fahner (R)	July 29, 1980	Cook	Appointed by Gov. Thompson.
Neil Hartigan (D)	Jan. 10, 1983	Cook	
	Jan. 12, 1987		
Roland W. Burris (D)	Jan. 14, 1991	Cook	
Jim Ryan (R)	Jan. 9, 1995	DuPage	
	Jan. 11, 1999		
Lisa Madigan (D)	Jan. 13, 2003	Cook	
	Jan. 8, 2007		

Secretaries of State

Before the 1848 Constitution, the Secretary of State was appointed by the Governor rather than elected by the citizens of Illinois. Constitutionally, the Secretary of State is required to maintain acts of the General Assembly, specified records of the Executive Branch and the Great Seal of Illinois. Until 1973, responsibilities included supervising state elections. The administrative structure of the office and its diverse departments have undergone frequent change in an effort to fulfill statutory obligations.

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
Elias Kent Kane (D)	Oct. 6, 1818	Randolph	Resigned Dec. 16, 1822.
Samuel D. Lockwood (D)	Dec. 18, 1822	Madison	Resigned April 2, 1823.
David Blackwell (D)	Apr. 2, 1823	St. Clair	Resigned Oct. 15, 1824.
Morris Birkbeck (D)	Oct. 15, 1824	Edwards	Resigned Jan. 15, 1825.
George Forquer (D)	Jan. 15, 1825	Sangamon	Resigned Dec. 31, 1828.
Alexander P. Field (D)	Jan. 23, 1829	Union	Removed Nov. 30, 1840.
Stephen A. Douglas (D)	Nov. 30, 1840	Morgan	Resigned Feb. 27, 1841.
Lyman Trumbull (D)	Mar. 1, 1841	St. Clair	Removed March 4, 1843.
Thompson Campbell (D)	Mar. 6, 1843	Jo Daviess	Resigned Dec. 23, 1846.
Horace S. Cooley (D)	Dec. 23, 1846	Adams	Appointed by Gov. French, then elected under Constitution of 1848.
	Jan. 8, 1849		Died April 2, 1850.
David L. Gregg (D)	Apr. 2, 1850	Cook	
Alexander Starne (D)	Jan. 10, 1853	Pike	
Ozias M. Hatch (R)	Jan. 12, 1857	Pike	
	Jan. 14, 1861		
Sharon Tyndale (R)	Jan. 16, 1865	St. Clair	
Edward Rummell (R)	Jan. 11, 1869	Peoria	
George H. Harlow (R)	Jan. 13, 1873	Tazewell	
	Jan. 8, 1877		
Henry D. Dement (R)	Jan. 17, 1881	Lee	
	Jan. 30, 1885		
Isaac N. Pearson (R)	Jan. 14, 1889	McDonough	
Wm. H. Hinrichsen (D)	Jan. 10, 1893	Morgan	
James A. Rose (R)	Jan. 11, 1897	Pope	Died May 29, 1912.
	Jan. 14, 1901		
	Jan. 9, 1905		
	Jan. 18, 1909		
Cornelius J. Doyle (R)	June 3, 1912	Greene	Appointed by Gov. Deneen.
Harry Woods (D)	Feb. 3, 1913	Cook	Died Oct. 11, 1914.
Lewis G. Stevenson (D)	Oct. 14, 1914	McLean	Appointed by Gov. Dunne.
Louis L. Emmerson (R)	Jan. 8, 1917	Jefferson	
	Jan. 10, 1921		
	Jan. 12, 1925		
William J. Stratton (R)	Jan. 14, 1929	Lake	
Edward J. Hughes (D)	Jan. 9, 1933	Cook	Died June 28, 1944.
	Jan. 4, 1937		
	Jan. 13, 1941		
Richard Yates Rowe (R)	June 30, 1944	Morgan	Appointed by Gov. Green.
Edward J. Barrett (D)	Jan. 8, 1945	Cook	
	Jan. 10, 1949		
Charles F. Carpentier (R)	Jan. 12, 1953	Rock Island	Died April 3, 1964.
	Jan. 14, 1957		
	Jan. 9, 1961		
William H. Chamberlain (D)	Apr. 3, 1964	Sangamon	Appointed by Gov. Kerner.
Paul Powell (D)	Jan. 11, 1965	Johnson	Died Oct. 10, 1970.
	Jan. 13, 1969		
John W. Lewis (R)	Oct. 13, 1970	Clark	Appointed by Gov. Ogilvie.
Michael J. Howlett (D)	Jan. 8, 1973	Cook	
Alan J. Dixon (D)	Jan. 10, 1977	St. Clair	Resigned as Secretary of State Jan. 3, 1981, after elected U.S. Senator.
Jim Edgar (R)	Jan. 5, 1981	Coles	Appointed by Gov. Thompson.
	Jan. 10, 1983		
	Jan. 12, 1987		
George H. Ryan (R)	Jan. 14, 1991	Kankakee	
	Jan. 9, 1995		
Jesse White (D)	Jan. 11, 1999	Cook	
	Jan. 13, 2003		
	Jan. 8, 2007		

Auditors of Public Accounts

By mandate of the Illinois Constitution of 1818, the Office of the Auditor of Public Accounts assumed responsibility for auditing and recording all accounts of the state, keeping accounts of taxes that had been received or disbursed, and maintaining a fair record of the issuance of all warrants and certificates for disbursements. Initially, the Auditor of Public Accounts was appointed by the General Assembly for a four-year term; in 1833 the term was reduced to two years; and, under the 1848 Constitution, the office became a popularly elected one with elected officials serving four-year terms. The Office of the Auditor of Public Accounts was dissolved under the 1970 Constitution, and in 1973, the newly created Comptroller became keeper of the state's fiscal accounts.

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
Elijah C. Berry (D)	Oct. 9, 1818 Apr. 6, 1819	Fayette	Auditor of Territorial Government since Aug. 28, 1817. Continued in office until 1831.
James T. Stapp (D)	Aug. 29, 1831	Fayette	
Levi Davis (D)	Nov. 16, 1835	Fayette	
James Shields (D)	Mar. 4, 1841	Randolph	
Wm. L.D. Ewing (D)	Mar. 26, 1843	Fayette	Died Mar. 25, 1846.
Thomas H. Campbell (D)	Mar. 26, 1846 Jan. 7, 1847	Randolph	Appointed, to succeed Ewing, deceased, then elected by General Assembly.
Jesse K. Dubois (R)	Jan. 12, 1857 Jan. 14, 1861	Lawrence	
Orlin H. Miner (R)	Dec. 12, 1864	Sangamon	
Charles E. Lippincott (R)	Jan. 11, 1869 Jan. 12, 1873	Cass	
Thomas B. Needles (R)	Jan. 8, 1877	Washington	
Charles P. Swigart (R)	Jan. 10, 1881 Jan. 30, 1885	Kankakee	
Charles W. Pavay (R)	Jan. 14, 1889	Jefferson	
David Gore (D)	Jan. 10, 1893	Macoupin	
James S. McCullough (R)	Jan. 11, 1897 Jan. 14, 1901 Jan. 9, 1905 Jan. 18, 1909	Champaign	
James J. Brady (D)	Feb. 3, 1913	Cook	
Andrew Russel (R)	Jan. 8, 1917 Jan. 10, 1921	Morgan	
Oscar Nelson (R)	Jan. 12, 1925 Jan. 14, 1929	Kane	
Edward J. Barrett (D)	Jan. 9, 1933 Jan. 4, 1937	Cook	
Arthur C. Lueder (R)	Jan. 13, 1941 Jan. 8, 1945	Cook	
Benjamin O. Cooper (D)	Jan. 10, 1949	St. Clair	
Orville E. Hodge (R)	Jan. 12, 1953	Madison	Resigned.
Lloyd Morey (R)	July 18, 1956	Champaign	Appointed by Gov. Stratton.
Elbert Sidney Smith (R)	Jan. 14, 1957	Macon	
Michael J. Howlett (D)	Jan. 9, 1961 Jan. 11, 1965 Jan. 13, 1969	Cook	
			Office taken over by Comptroller January 1973.

Comptrollers

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
George W. Lindberg (R)	Jan. 8, 1973	McHenry	Office established by 1970 Constitution.
Michael J. Bakalis (D)	Jan. 10, 1977	DuPage	
Roland W. Burris (D)	Jan. 8, 1979 Jan. 10, 1983 Jan. 12, 1987	Cook	
Dawn Clark Netsch (D)	Jan. 14, 1991	Cook	
Loleta Didrickson (R)	Jan. 9, 1995	Cook	
Daniel W. Hynes (D)	Jan. 11, 1999 Jan. 13, 2003 Jan. 8, 2007	Cook	

Treasurers

The 1818 Illinois Constitution designated that the Treasurer be appointed biennially by a joint vote of the General Assembly. In 1848, the Treasurer was popularly elected, and a 1959 constitutional provision changed the office term from two to four years. The Treasurer is empowered to receive proceeds of all taxes and make authorized disbursements from the state treasury.

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
John Thomas (D)	Oct. 9, 1818	St. Clair	Died July 1819.
R.K. McLaughlin (D)	Aug. 2, 1819	Fayette	
Abner Field (D)	Jan. 14, 1823	Union	
James Hall (D)	Feb. 12, 1827	Jackson	
John Dement (D).....	Feb. 1, 1831	Franklin.....	Resigned Dec. 3, 1836.
Charles Gregory (D)	Dec. 5, 1836	Greene.....	
John D. Whiteside (D)	Mar. 4, 1837	Monroe	
Milton Carpenter (D)	Mar. 6, 1841	Hamilton.....	Died August 1848.
John Moore (D)	Aug. 14, 1848	McLean	Appointed to succeed Carpenter.
	Dec. 16, 1850		
James Miller (R)	Jan. 12, 1857	McLean	Resigned Sept. 3, 1859.
William Butler (R)	Sept. 8, 1859	Sangamon	Appointed to succeed Miller.
	Jan. 14, 1861		
Alexander Starne (D)	Jan. 13, 1863	Sangamon	
James H. Beveridge (R)	Jan. 9, 1865	DeKalb	
George W. Smith (R).....	Jan. 10, 1867	Cook	
Erastus N. Bates (R)	Jan. 11, 1869	Marion.....	
	Jan. 9, 1871		
Edward Rutz (R)	Jan. 13, 1873	St. Clair	
Thomas S. Ridgway (R)	Jan. 11, 1875	Gallatin	
Edward Rutz (R)	Jan. 8, 1877	St. Clair	
John C. Smith (R)	Jan. 13, 1879	JoDaviess	
Edward Rutz (R)	Jan. 10, 1881	Cook	
John C. Smith (R)	Jan. 5, 1883	JoDaviess	
Jacob Gross (R)	Jan. 30, 1885	Cook	
John R. Tanner (R)	Jan. 6, 1887	Clay	
Charles Becker (R).....	Jan. 14, 1889	St. Clair	
Edward S. Wilson (D).....	Jan. 12, 1891	Richland	
Rufus N. Ramsay (D)	Jan. 10, 1893	Clinton	Died Nov. 11, 1894.
Elijah P. Ramsay (D)	Nov. 14, 1894	Clinton	Appointed by Governor to succeed Ramsay.
Henry Wulff (R)	Jan. 14, 1895	Cook	
Henry L. Hertz (R)	Jan. 11, 1897	Cook	
Floyd K. Whittemore (R)	Jan. 11, 1899	Sangamon	
Moses O. Williamson (R)	Jan. 14, 1901	Knox	
Fred A. Busse (R)	Jan. 12, 1903	Cook	
Len Small (R)	Jan. 9, 1905	Kankakee	
John F. Smulski (R)	Jan. 10, 1907	Cook	
Andrew Russel (R)	Jan. 18, 1909	Morgan	
Edward E. Mitchell (R).....	Jan. 9, 1911	Jackson	
William D. Ryan, Jr. (D)	Feb. 3, 1913	Vermilion	
Andrew Russel (R).....	Feb. 20, 1915	Morgan	
Len Small (R)	Jan. 8, 1917	Kankakee	
Fred E. Sterling (R)	Jan. 8, 1919	Winnebago	
Edward E. Miller (R).....	Jan. 10, 1921	St. Clair	
Oscar E. Nelson (R)	Jan. 4, 1923	Kane	
Omer N. Custer (R)	Jan. 12, 1925	Knox	
Garret DeF. Kinney (R)	Jan. 5, 1927	Peoria.....	
Omer N. Custer (R)	Jan. 14, 1929	Knox	
Edward J. Barrett (D)	Jan. 12, 1931	Cook	
John C. Martin (D)	Jan. 9, 1933	Marion.....	
John Stelle (D)	Jan. 14, 1935	Hamilton.....	
John C. Martin (D)	Jan. 4, 1937	Marion.....	
Louie E. Lewis (D)	Jan. 4, 1939	Franklin.....	
Warren Wright (R)	Jan. 13, 1941	Sangamon	
William G. Stratton (R).....	Jan. 11, 1943	Grundy	
Conrad F. Becker (R)	Jan. 8, 1945	Randolph	
Richard Yates Rowe (R)	Jan. 8, 1947	Morgan	
Ora Smith (D)	Jan. 10, 1949	Henderson	
William G. Stratton (R).....	Jan. 8, 1951	Grundy	
Elmer J. Hoffman (R)	Jan. 12, 1953	DuPage	
Warren Wright (R)	Jan. 10, 1955	Sangamon	
Elmer J. Hoffman (R)	Jan. 14, 1957	DuPage	
Joseph D. Lohman (D).....	Jan. 12, 1959	Cook	Resigned Sept. 1, 1961.

Name	Commission Date	Home County	Remarks
Francis S. Lorenz (D)	Sept. 1, 1961	Cook	Appointed by Gov. Kerner.
William J. Scott (R)	Jan. 14, 1963	Cook	
Adlai E. Stevenson III (D)	Jan. 9, 1967	Cook	Resigned Nov. 17, 1970.
Charles Woodford (D)	Nov. 17, 1970	DuPage	Appointed by Gov. Ogilvie.
Alan J. Dixon (D)	Jan. 11, 1971	St. Clair	
	Jan. 8, 1975		Resigned Jan. 10, 1977.
Donald R. Smith (R)	Jan. 10, 1977	DuPage	Appointed by Gov. Thompson.
Jerry Cosentino (D)	Jan. 8, 1979	Cook	
James Donnewald (D)	Jan. 10, 1983	Clinton	
Jerry Cosentino (D)	Jan. 12, 1987	Cook	
Patrick J. Quinn (D)	Jan. 14, 1991	Cook	
Judy Baar Topinka (R)	Jan. 9, 1995	Cook	
	Jan. 11, 1999		
	Jan. 13, 2003		
Alexi Giannoulis (D)	Jan. 8, 2007	Cook	

Justices of the Supreme Court

Under the Constitution of 1818, Justices of the Supreme Court were appointed by the General Assembly. Four justices were appointed in 1818, and five new seats were created in 1841. The Constitution of 1848 reduced the size of the court to three and provided for popular election of one justice from each of the state's three grand divisions. The Constitution of 1870 expanded the court to seven, its present size, while retaining popular election.

Name	Years of Service	Remarks
Joseph Philips	1818-1822	Resigned.
Thomas C. Browne	1818-1848	
William P. Foster	1818-1819	Resigned, never qualified.
John Reynolds	1818-1825	
William Wilson	1819-1848	To succeed Foster.
Thomas Reynolds	1822-1825	To succeed Philips.
Samuel D. Lockwood	1825-1848	To succeed John Reynolds; resigned.
Theophilus W. Smith	1825-1842	To succeed Thomas Reynolds; died.
Samuel H. Treat	1841-1855	Resigned.
Thomas Ford	1841-1842	Resigned.
Sidney Brees	1841-1843	Resigned.
Walter B. Scates	1841-1847	
Stephen A. Douglas	1841-1843	Resigned.
John D. Caton	1842-1843	Resigned.
James Semple	1843	To succeed Brees; resigned.
Richard M. Young	1843-1847	To succeed Smith; resigned.
John M. Robinson	1843	To succeed Caton; died.
John D. Caton	1843-1864	To succeed Robinson.
James Shields	1843-1845	To succeed Semple; resigned.
Jesse B. Thomas	1843-1845	To succeed Douglas; resigned.
Gustavus P. Koerner	1845-1848	To succeed Shields.
Norman H. Purple	1845-1848	To succeed Thomas.
William A. Denning	1847-1848	To succeed Scates.
Jesse B. Thomas	1847-1848	To succeed Young.
David M. Woodson	1848	To succeed Lockwood; no session during his term.
Lyman Trumbull	1848-1853	To succeed Brees; resigned.
Walter B. Scates	1853-1857	To succeed Trumbull.
Onias C. Skinner	1855-1858	To succeed Treat.
Sidney Brees	1857-1878	To succeed Scates; died.
Pinckney H. Walker	1858-1885	To succeed Skinner; died.
Corydon Beckwith	1864	To succeed Caton.
Charles B. Lawrence	1864-1873	To succeed Beckwith.
Anthony Thornton	1870-1873	Resigned.
John M. Scott	1870-1888	
Benjamin R. Sheldon	1870-1888	
W. K. McAllister	1870-1875	Resigned.
John Schofield	1873-1893	To succeed Thornton; died.
Alfred M. Craig	1873-1900	To succeed Lawrence.
T. Lyle Dickey	1875-1885	To succeed McAllister; died.
David J. Baker	1878-1879	To succeed Brees.
John H. Mulkey	1879-1888	To succeed Baker.
David J. Baker	1888-1897	To succeed Mulkey.
Damon G. Tunncliff	1885	To succeed Walker.
Simeon P. Shope	1885-1894	To succeed Tunncliff.
B. D. Magruder	1885-1906	To succeed Dickey.
Jacob W. Wilkin	1888-1907	To succeed Scott; died.
Joseph M. Bailey	1888-1897	To succeed Sheldon; died.

Name	Years of Service	Remarks
Jesse J. Philips.....	1893-1901	To succeed Schofield; died.
James H. Cartwright	1895-1924	To succeed Bailey.
Joseph N. Carter	1894-1903	To succeed Shope.
Carroll C. Boggs	1897-1906	To succeed Baker.
John P. Hand	1900-1913	To succeed Craig; resigned.
James B. Ricks	1901-1906	To succeed Philips.
Guy C. Scott.....	1903-1909	To succeed J. Carter; died.
William M. Farmer	1906-1931	To succeed Ricks; resigned.
Alonzo K. Vickers.....	1906-1915	To succeed Boggs; died.
Orrin N. Carter	1906-1924	To succeed Magruder.
Frank K. Dunn	1907-1933	To succeed Wilkin.
George A. Cooke	1909-1919	To succeed Scott; resigned.
Charles C. Craig.....	1913-1918	To succeed Hand.
Albert Watson	1915	To succeed Vickers.
Warren W. Duncan	1915-1933	To succeed Watson.
Clyde E. Stone	1918-1948	To succeed Craig.
Floyd E. Thompson	1919-1928	To succeed Cooke; resigned.
Oscar E. Heard	1924-1933	To succeed Cartwright.
Frederic R. DeYoung	1924-1934	To succeed O. Carter; died.
Cyrus Dietz	1928-1929	To succeed Thompson; died.
Paul Samuel	1929-1930	To succeed Dietz.
Warren H. Orr	1930-1939	To succeed Samuel.
Norman L. Jones.....	1931-1940	To succeed Farmer; died.
Paul Farthing	1933-1942	To succeed Duncan.
Loft R. Herrick	1933-1937	To succeed Dunn; died.
Elwyn R. Shaw.....	1933-1942	To succeed Heard.
Francis S. Wilson	1935-1951	To succeed DeYoung; died.
Walter T. Gunn	1938-1951	To succeed Herrick; died.
Loren E. Murphy.....	1939-1948	To succeed Orr.
June C. Smith	1941-1947	Elected, to succeed Jones; died.
Charles H. Thompson	1942-1951	To succeed Farthing.
William J. Fulton	1942-1954	To succeed Shaw.
Jesse L. Simpson	1947-1951	To succeed Smith.
Joseph E. Daily	1948-1963	Elected, to succeed Stone; died.
Albert M. Crampton.....	1948-1953	To succeed Murphy.
Walter V. Schaefer	1951-1976	Appointed, to succeed Wilson; retired.
George W. Bristow	1951-1961	To succeed Gunn; died.
Harry B. Hershey.....	1951-1966	To succeed Simpson; resigned.
Ralph L. Maxwell.....	1951-1956	To succeed Thompson; died.
Ray I. Klingbiel	1953-1969	To succeed Crampton; retired.
Charles H. Davis	1955-1960	To succeed Fulton.
Byron O. House.....	1957-1969	To succeed Maxwell; retired.
Roy J. Solfisburg, Jr.	1960-1969	To succeed Davis; resigned.
Robert C. Underwood	1962-1984	To succeed Bristow; retired.
Thomas E. Kluczynski	1966-1976	To succeed Hershey; retired.
Daniel P. Ward	1966-1990	To succeed Daily; retired.
John T. Culbertson	1969-1970	Assigned, after Klingbiel resigned.
Marvin F. Burt	1969-1970	Assigned, after Solfisburg resigned.
Caswell J. Crebs	1969-1970	Assigned, after House died.
Charles H. Davis	1970-1975	To succeed Solfisburg, who resigned.
Howard C. Ryan	1970-1990	To succeed Klingbiel, who resigned.
Joseph H. Goldenhersh	1970-1987	To succeed House, who died.
Caswell J. Crebs	1975-1976	Assigned, after Davis died.
William G. Clark	1976-1992	To succeed Kluczynski, who retired.
James A. Dooley	1976-1978	To succeed Schaefer, who retired.
Thomas J. Moran	1976-1992	To succeed Davis, who died.
Thomas E. Kluczynski	1978-1980	Assigned, after Dooley died.
Seymour Simon	1980-1988	To succeed Dooley, who died.
Benjamin K. Miller	1984-2001	To succeed Underwood, who resigned.
Joseph F. Cunningham	1987-1988	Assigned, after Goldenhersh resigned.
John J. Stamos	1988-1990	Appointed, after Simon resigned.
Horace L. Calvo.....	1988-1991	To succeed Goldenhersh, who resigned.
Michael A. Bilandic	1990-2000	To succeed Ward, who resigned.
Charles E. Freeman.....	1990	To succeed Simon, who resigned.
James D. Heiple	1990-2000	To succeed Ryan, who resigned.
Joseph F. Cunningham	1991-1992	Appointed, after Calvo died.
Mary Ann G. McMorrow	1992-2006	To succeed Clark, who resigned.
John L. Nickels	1992-1999	To succeed Moran, who resigned.
Moses W. Harrison II	1992-2002	To succeed Calvo, who died.
Philip J. Rarick	2002-2004	To succeed Harrison, who retired.
S. Louis Rathje	1999-2000	To succeed Nickels, who resigned.
Thomas R. Fitzgerald.....	2000	To succeed Bilandic, who retired.
Robert R. Thomas	2000	To succeed Rathje.
Thomas L. Kilbride	2000	To succeed Heiple, who retired.
Rita B. Garman	2001	To succeed Miller, who retired.
Lloyd A. Karmeier	2004	To succeed Rarick, who retired.
Anne M. Burke	2006	To succeed McMorrow, who retired.

Clerks of the Supreme Court

Prior to adoption of the Constitution of 1848, the Clerk of the Supreme Court was appointed by the court. The record as to dates of appointment is somewhat obscure. James M. Duncan was appointed July 12, 1819. Ebenezer Peck appears as the successor of Duncan; Wm. B. Warren seems to have been the successor of Peck. From 1848 to 1902, one clerk was elected in each of the Three Grand Divisions. The three were consolidated into one, comprising the entire state, by the Act of 1897, which provided that but one clerk be elected in 1902 and every six years thereafter. The 1970 Constitution provided that this office become appointive in 1975.

Name	Years of Service	Remarks
Joseph Philips	1818-1822	Resigned.
Finney D. Preston	1848-1855	First Grand Division.
Wm. B. Warren	1848-1855	Second Grand Division.
Lorenzo Leland	1848-1867	Third Grand Division.
Noah Johnston	1855-1867	To succeed Preston; First Grand Division.
Wm. A. Turney	1855-1872	To succeed Warren; Second Grand Division.
Woodbury M. Taylor	1867-1872	To succeed Leland; Third Grand Division.
Robert A.D. Wilbanks	1867-1878	Elected to succeed Johnston as Clerk of the First Grand Division under the Constitution of 1848; re-elected under the Constitution of 1870, which renamed the grand divisions Southern, Central and Northern, as Clerk of the Central Grand Division.
Emanuel C. Hamberger	1872-1878	Southern Grand Division.
Cairo D. Trimble	1872-1878	Northern Grand Division.
Jacob O. Chance	1878-1890	To succeed Wilbanks; Central Grand Division.
Ethan A. Snively	1878-1896	To succeed Hamberger; Southern Grand Division.
Everell F. Dutton	1878-1884	To succeed Trimble; Northern Grand Division.
Alfred H. Taylor	1884-1896	To succeed Dutton; Northern Grand Division.
Frank W. Haville	1890-1896	To succeed Chance; Central Grand Division.
Jacob O. Chance	1896-1900	To succeed Haville; Central Grand Division; died in office.
Albert D. Caldwellader	1896-1902	To succeed Snively; Southern Grand Division.
Christopher Mamer	1896-1908	To succeed Taylor; Northern Grand Division. Elected in 1902 as first statewide clerk under the Act of 1897.
Oliver J. Page	1900-1902	To succeed Chance; Central Grand Division.
J. McCan Davis	1908-1914	To succeed Mamer.
Charles W. Vail	1914-1932	
Adam F. Bloch	1932-1940	Died in office.
Edward F. Cullinane	1940-1944	Appointed, to succeed Bloch.
Earle B. Searcy	1944-1955	Died in office.
Mrs. Earle B. Searcy	1955-1968	Appointed, to succeed Earle B. Searcy, then elected twice; died in office.
Clell Woods	1968-1969	Appointed, to succeed Mrs. Earle B. Searcy.
Justin Taft	1969-1975	

Presidents of the Senate (Since Constitution of 1870)

General Assembly	Name	Date First Elected	County
32nd-34th	William J. Campbell (R)	Jan. 6, 1881	Cook
35th	August W. Berggren (R)	Jan. 5, 1887	Knox
36th	Theodore S. Chapman (R)	Jan. 9, 1889	Jersey
37th	Milton W. Matthews (R)	Jan. 7, 1891	Champaign
38th	John W. Coppinger (D)	Jan. 4, 1893	Madison
39th	Charles Bogardus (R)	Jan. 9, 1895	Ford
40th	Hendrick V. Fisher (R)	Jan. 6, 1897	Henry
41st	Walter Warder (R)	Jan. 4, 1899	Alexander
42nd	John J. Brenholt (R)	Jan. 9, 1901	Madison
43rd	John C. McKenzie (R)	Jan. 7, 1903	Jo Daviess
44th	Leon A. Townsend (R)	Jan. 4, 1905	Knox
44th	Orville F. Berry (R)		Hancock
45th	Stanton C. Pemberton (R)	Jan. 9, 1907	Coles
46th	Robert S. Hamilton (R)	Jan. 6, 1909	St. Clair
47th	Henry M. Dunlap (R)	Jan. 4, 1911	Champaign
48th	Walter I. Manny (D)	Jan. 22, 1913	Brown
49th	Stephen D. Canady (D)	Jan. 6, 1915	Montgomery

General Assembly	Name	Date First Elected	County
50th, 51st	Adam C. Cliffe (R)	Jan. 3, 1917	DeKalb
52nd	William S. Jewell (R)	Jan. 5, 1921	Fulton
53rd-55th	Richard J. Barr (R)	Jan. 3, 1923	Will
56th	Martin R. Carlson (R)	Jan. 9, 1929	Rock Island
57th	Richard J. Barr (R)	Jan. 7, 1931	Will
58th, 59th	Richey V. Graham (D)	Jan. 4, 1933	Cook
60th, 61st	George M. Maypole (D)	Jan. 6, 1937	Cook
62nd, 63rd	Arnold P. Benson (R)	Jan. 8, 1941	Kane
64th, 65th	Edward E. Laughlin (R)	Jan. 3, 1945	Stephenson
66th, 67th	Wallace Thompson (R)	Jan. 10, 1949	Knox
68th	Walker Butler (R)	Jan. 7, 1953	Cook
69th-73rd	Arthur J. Bidwill (R)	Jan. 5, 1955	Cook
74th-76th	W. Russell Arrington (R)	Jan. 6, 1965	Cook
77th	Cecil A. Partee (D)	Jan. 6, 1971	Cook
78th	William C. Harris (R)	Jan. 10, 1973	Livingston
79th	Cecil A. Partee (D)	Jan. 8, 1975	Cook
80th	Thomas C. Hynes (D)	Feb. 16, 1977	Cook
81st-87th	Philip J. Rock (D)	Jan. 10, 1979	Cook
88th-92nd	James "Pate" Philip (R)	Jan. 13, 1993	DuPage
93rd-95th	Emil Jones, Jr. (D)	Jan. 8, 2003	Cook
96th	John J. Cullerton (D)	Jan. 14, 2009	Cook

Speakers of the House of Representatives

General Assembly	Name	Date First Elected	County
1st	John Mesinger (R)	Oct. 5, 1818	St. Clair
2nd	John McLean (R)	Dec. 4, 1820	Gallatin
3rd	William M. Alexander (R)	Dec. 2, 1822	Alexander
4th	Thomas Mathers (R)	Nov. 15, 1824	Randolph
4th	David Blackwell (D)	Jan. 2, 1826	St. Clair
5th, 6th	John McLean (D)	Dec. 4, 1826	Gallatin
7th	William Lee D. Ewing (D)	Dec. 6, 1830	Fayette
8th	Alexander M. Jenkins (D)	Dec. 6, 1832	Jackson
9th, 10th	James Semple (D)	Dec. 1, 1834	Madison
11th, 12th	William Lee D. Ewing (D)	Dec. 3, 1838	Fayette
13th	Samuel Hackelton (D)	Dec. 5, 1842	Fulton
14th	William A. Richardson (D)	Dec. 2, 1844	Schuyler
15th	Newton Cloud (D)	Dec. 7, 1846	Morgan
16th	Zadok Casey (D)	Jan. 1, 1849	Jefferson
17th	Sidney Breeze (D)	Jan. 6, 1851	Clinton
18th	John Reynolds (D)	Jan. 3, 1853	St. Clair
19th	Thomas J. Turner, Anti-Neb. (D)	Jan. 1, 1855	Stephenson
20th	Samuel Holmes (D)	Jan. 5, 1857	Adams
21st	William R. Morrison (D)	Jan. 3, 1859	Monroe
22nd	Shelby M. Cullom (R)	Jan. 7, 1861	Sangamon
23rd	Samuel A. Buckmaster (D)	Jan. 5, 1863	Madison
24th	Allen C. Fuller (R)	Jan. 2, 1865	Boone
25th, 26th	Franklin Corwin (R)	Jan. 7, 1867	LaSalle
27th	William M. Smith (R)	Jan. 4, 1871	McLean
28th	Shelby M. Cullom (R)	Jan. 8, 1873	Sangamon
29th	Elijah M. Haines (I)	Jan. 6, 1875	Lake
30th	James Shaw (R)	Jan. 3, 1877	Carroll
31st	William A. James (R)	Jan. 8, 1879	Lake
32nd	Horace H. Thomas (R)	Jan. 5, 1881	Cook
33rd	Lorin C. Collins, Jr. (R)	Jan. 3, 1883	Cook
34th	Elijah M. Haines (I)	Jan. 29, 1885	Lake
35th	William F. Calhoun (R)	Jan. 5, 1887	DeWitt
36th	Asa C. Matthews (R)	Jan. 9, 1889	Pike
36th	James H. Miller (R)	May 10, 1889	Stark
36th	William G. Cochran (R)	July 23, 1890	Moultrie
37th, 38th	Clayton E. Crafts (D)	Jan. 7, 1891	Cook
39th	John Meyer (R)	Jan. 9, 1895	Cook
39th	William G. Cochran (R)	July 10, 1895	Moultrie
40th	Edward C. Curtis (R)	Jan. 6, 1897	Kankakee
41st, 42nd	Lawrence Y. Sherman (R)	Jan. 4, 1899	McDonough
43rd	John Henry Miller (R)	Jan. 7, 1903	Hamilton
44th-46th	Edward D. Shurtleff (R)	Jan. 4, 1905	McHenry
47th	Charles Adkins (R)	Jan. 4, 1911	Piatt
48th	William McKinley (D)	Jan. 29, 1913	Cook
49th-51st	David E. Shanahan (R)	Feb. 17, 1915	Cook
52nd	Gothard A. Dahlberg (R)	Jan. 5, 1921	Cook
53rd	David E. Shanahan (R)	Jan. 3, 1923	Cook

General Assembly	Name	Date First Elected	County
54th, 55th	Robert Scholes (R)	Jan. 7, 1925	Peoria
56th, 57th	David E. Shanahan (R)	Jan. 9, 1929	Cook
58th	Arthur Roe (D)	Jan. 4, 1933	Fayette
59th	John P. Devine (D)	Jan. 9, 1935	Lee
60th	Louie E. Lewis (D)	Jan. 6, 1937	Franklin
61st	Hugh W. Cross (R)	Jan. 3, 1939	Jersey
62nd, 63rd	Elmer J. Schnackenberg (R)	Jan. 8, 1941	Cook
64th, 65th	Hugh Green (R)	Jan. 3, 1945	Morgan
66th	Paul Powell (D)	Jan. 10, 1949	Johnson
67th-70th	Warren Wood (R)	Jan. 8, 1951	Will
71st, 72nd	Paul Powell (D)	Jan. 7, 1959	Johnson
73rd	John W. Lewis, Jr. (R)	Jan. 9, 1963	Clark
74th	John Touhy (D)	Jan. 6, 1965	Cook
75th, 76th	Ralph T. Smith (R)	Jan. 4, 1967	Madison
76th	Jack E. Walker (R)	Oct. 14, 1969	Cook
77th, 78th	W. Robert Blair (R)	Jan. 6, 1971	Cook
79th-81st	William A. Redmond (D)	Jan. 21, 1975	DuPage
82nd	George H. Ryan (R)	Jan. 14, 1981	Kankakee
82nd	Arthur A. Telser (R)	Jan. 10, 1983	Cook
83rd-88th	Michael J. Madigan (D)	Jan. 12, 1983	Cook
89th	Lee A. Daniels (R)	Jan. 9, 1995	DuPage
90th-96th	Michael J. Madigan (D)	Jan. 8, 1997	Cook

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Name	Date of Commission or Qualification	Home County	Remarks
Ninian W. Edwards (D)	Mar. 24, 1854	Sangamon	Appointed by Governor.
William G. Powell (R)	Jan. 12, 1857	Peoria	
Newton Bateman (R)	Aug. 1, 1859	Morgan	
	Jan. 4, 1861		
John P. Brooks (D)	Jan. 12, 1863	Sangamon	
Newton Bateman (R)	Jan. 10, 1865	Sangamon	Term extended to four years.
	Jan. 10, 1867		
	Nov. 8, 1870		
Samuel M. Etter (D)	Jan. 11, 1875	McLean	
James P. Slade (R)	Jan. 13, 1879	St. Clair	
Henry Raab (D)	Jan. 5, 1883	St. Clair	
Richard Edwards (R)	Jan. 6, 1887	Bureau	
Henry Raab (D)	Jan. 12, 1891	St. Clair	
Samuel Inglis (R)	Jan. 14, 1895	Jackson	Died Jan. 23, 1898.
Joseph H. Freeman (R)	June 23, 1898	Kane	Appointed, to succeed Inglis.
Alfred Bayliss (R)	Jan. 11, 1899	LaSalle	
	Jan. 12, 1903		
Francis G. Blair (R)	Jan. 10, 1907	Coles	
	Jan. 11, 1911		
	Jan. 14, 1915		
	Jan. 8, 1919		
	Jan. 4, 1923		
	Jan. 5, 1927		
	Jan. 12, 1931		
John A. Wieland (D)	Jan. 14, 1935	Clark	
	Jan. 4, 1939		
Vernon L. Nickell (R)	Jan. 11, 1943	Champaign	
	Jan. 8, 1947		
	Jan. 8, 1951		
	Jan. 10, 1955		
George T. Wilkins (D)	Jan. 12, 1959	Madison	
Ray Page (R)	Jan. 14, 1963	Sangamon	
	Jan. 9, 1967		
Michael J. Bakalis (D)	Jan. 11, 1971	DeKalb	1970 Constitution made this office appointive in 1975.