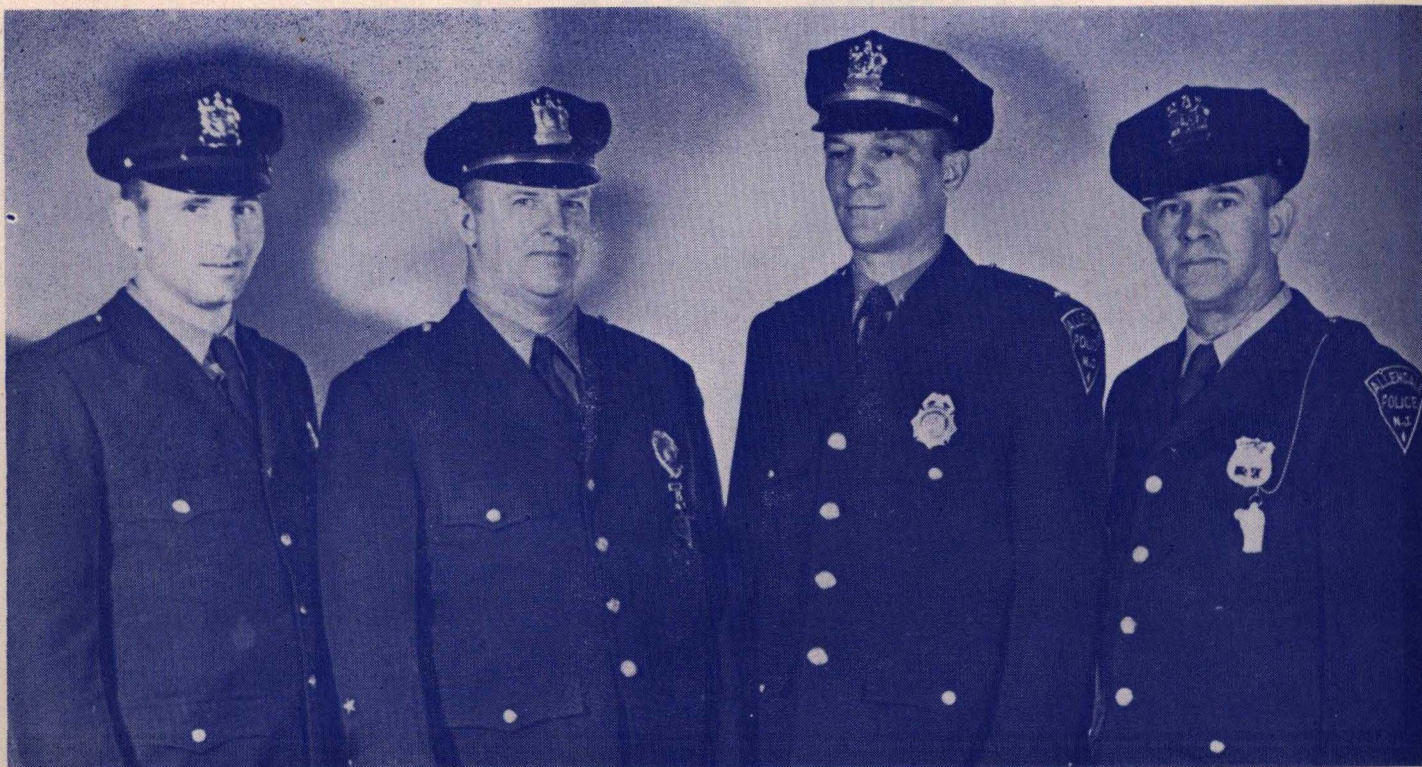

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Left to right, Second Lieutenant, Frank Keil, First Captain George Prince; Assistant Chief, Everett Straut; Chief, Robert Osborne; Second Captain, Arthur Alsdorf; First Lieutenant, Emery Turnure.

Allendale Fire Association Officers



Left to right, George Wehner, Jr., Treasurer; Harold Osborne, Vice-President; Russell Stewart, President; Warren Scherb, Secretary.

Golden Anniversary

OF THE ALLENDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

1910 - 1960



These two houses, right, beyond that store, on Myrtle Avenue burned to the ground Christmas Day, 1909. Men of the community got together Christmas night to begin formation of a volunteer fire department.

After the disastrous fires of two residences on Myrtle Avenue on Christmas morning of 1909, the Citizens of Allendale decided that community effort would have to be made to give the Borough adequate protection against fire. These two homes were located in the center of town, Myrtle Avenue, corner of High Street, one residence owned by Mr. Max Scholz, the other by William J. Kornhoff, and rented by the La Conte family, who barely escaped death.

Up to this time fire fighting consisted of hastily summoned storekeepers, tradesmen, farmers and neighbors who happened to be close by when such fires occurred. There were no means of alarm and telephones were a luxury. The fire equipment non-existing, pails, shovels and axes were brought from homes by those attempting to help. Bucket brigades passed water from open wells as there was not a water system in the borough at this time.

Within five days after the fire, on December 31,

1909, steps toward the formation of a fire association were made. A general meeting was called at the Archer Hall, of all citizens. The Rev. Mr. Leech, Pastor of the Methodist Church was chosen Presiding officer, and Mr. John Yeomans, secretary. At this meeting a committee of seven was appointed to report on all details of organization, costs and etc. By a motion of Mr. William Talman, the committee was instructed to look into the possibility of purchasing a second hand two or four wheel apparatus. This first meeting was attended by fifty four citizens. (Looking over the names of those attending, this must have been almost a third of the male population of Allendale in 1909.) The committee of seven were very active, holding five meetings in the next twenty days, with a constitution and by laws formulated and plans for a full working organization prepared.

January 24, 1910, the constitution was adopted by unanimous vote. J. Willard DeYoe, Borough Council
