

History Of The Allendale Post Office

Moving day looms soon for the postal workers of the Allendale office. Postmaster Charles Schubert has compiled the following interesting data on the history of the local post office since its inception.

It was established on November 11th, 1869, and will have its Allendale Centennial celebration in 6 years. The new post office will be at its fifth location, the others being: the Erie railroad station with the postmaster at that time serving in the dual capacity of both ticket agent and postmaster; at Winter's General Store located at the present site of the post office; at the Allendale Cleaners, 79 W. Allendale Ave., and on

May 30th, 1936 it was located in the present quarters at 100 W. Allendale Ave.

Postmasters included Smith Roswell, the first official, who began his duties Nov. 11, 1869; and others: Aackerman, Rossner, Upham, Van Blarcom, Krause, McDermott, John W. Winter, Critchley, Louise Kelly, Frank Farrell, William Anderson, and presently Charles Schubert.

The change in post office classification ranges from 4th class on July 1st, 1909 to first class July 1, 1955, and the postal workers have increased to the present 15 employees.

Comparative figures show gross receipts in 1887 of \$270.-51; in 1953 of \$36,316.00 and nearly double in the interm 10 years to \$66,267.00 in 1962 with an increase in population during that time from 2,579 in 1953 to 4,890 in 1963.

The present staff at the Allendale Post Office consists of the following: Postmaster Charles H. Schubert, Asst. Postmaster Wm. Anderson, Regular Clerks: H. Scherb, F. Hasenbalg, J. Fronzaglia, Carrier Sub. Clerk D. Santore, Regular Carriers: C. Scherer, G. Egerton, F. Neumann and R. Straut; Career Sub. Carrier H. Yauch; and Sub. Carriers: W. Roberts, A. DelColliano and M. Alsdorf, and Custodian: R. Steele.

Schnauzers — Pomeranians
Sheppards — Wires — Collies
Toy-Foxes, Peaks, Beagles
Bassefts, Daschunds,
Cockers, Poodles
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