

THE POST OFFICE & BLACKSMITH SHOP
(Will Barber, Blacksmith & Postmaster, standing)
(Brother of Frances Ann Nobles)

On July 11, 1846 a post office was established at "Enfield Centre" (changed to Enfield Center on November 18, 1893), with Solon P. Sackett as its first postmaster. William Barber became postmaster in 1866 (est.) and was postmaster for 50 years, he died January 1918. The post office was discontinued on April 20, 1918, at which date Charles F. Wright was postmaster. This post office was located at the northeast corner of what is now Enfield Main and East Enfield Center Roads.

We invite readers to share their memories of the post office send e-mail to historian@townofenfield.org.

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