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**THE WHITE FEATHER**—Merritt Parmelee Allen. This story of the War Between the States is a fine sympathetic portrayal of the development of a Kentucky Mountain boy. The sectional difference that reached into many homes had their effect also in the mountain cabin. In the bitterness of his disappointment, when his grandson leans toward the South, Grandfather Dustin gives Beau a white feather. But the boy determines to make it a symbol of courage and places the feather in his Bible.

Luck was with him, and on his journey southward to find his father's people, Beau meets Tom Morgan and Jefferson Daney. Eventually he joins Colonel John Morgan, Tom's brother, and goes to war as one of Morgan's Raiders. The grimness of the battle days is well tempered in Mr. Allen's story with gaiety and charm, and the author has made excellent use of his fine and carefully gathered material. He has succeeded in conveying the heroic spirit of the Confederate leaders and good soldiers who only too often had to contend with stupidity in high places and with greed and ignorance elsewhere. The book should find a wide audience among young people and is, we believe, the only recent book on Morgan's Raiders.

**THE LITTLE LONG-AGO**—Laura Spencer Porter. Here is one of the loveliest of all books—a book about childhood. It is so charmingly written and the author has set down so many of the sensitive memories of her childhood that no one can read the book without feeling that wistful fascination which comes with ten-

der remembrances of our early years of innocence.  
Where's the kitty? — Firelight — Prayers — Day-dreams — First Christmas — Wishing on the First Evening Star — The Dark — The Land of Make-Believe — Mother's Lap — are but a few of the delightful memories which the author recaptures and brings back to lull our senses and bring a glow of joy to our hearts.

Truly a beautiful book in which the charming illustrations add to the richness of the text.  
**THE FLYING CLOUD**—A Romance of the Flying Cloud — Armstrong Sperry. "The most beautiful ship ever to taste salt water." That is what the men said of the Flying Cloud when she was launched. In this ship Donald McKay, the master builder, reached the full flower of his genius. The year was 1851, and big things were happening. The windships had accepted the challenge of steam. They adjusted their masts to a keener rake, and cracked on more and more sail to hold their own against the invader. Hoarding days, those, of iron fists and salt triumphant. America's Golden Age on the sea.

In East Boston, Enoch Thacher had been born with the tang of the sea in his blood. When he was fourteen, circumstance forced him to earn his own living. In Donald McKay's drafting room the boy saw the first lift-models and mechanical drawings of the Flying Cloud. He fell completely under the spell of the beautiful clipper ship, as day by day she moved toward perfection. And like a knight of old he swore a vow: he would give to this ship the best that was in him—his life, if need be. There came a day when he was to remember that vow, and the quality of it was to be tested. Here is a tale to quicken the pulse of every red-blooded person. A tale of those heroic years when ships were ships and men were men, and science had not yet driven romance from the swinging seas.

**CLARENCEVILLE**

By Mrs. Axel Rutla

(May 3, 1945)  
Our community joins with the Charles Finn family of Shiawassee in prayers and well wishes for the safety of their son, Tom, of the U.S. Navy, who has been reported missing in action in the Pacific area.

Plan to patronize the C.A.P. dance at Webster Hall on May 18. Many of the lads in this district are members of the organization and deserve our support.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Estep of Rensselaer who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Tuesday evening with a family dinner at Botsford Tavern.  
May being the last month of school in our system it is crammed full of activities, one of which is the annual musicale on the 17th.  
Edgewood Mothers' Club officers for the coming year were elected on Tuesday at the meeting held at Mrs. Robert Gordon's home. Mrs. Kenneth Riddle is president, Mrs. Russell Howe, vice-president; Mrs. Arthur Walsh, secretary and Mrs. Harvey Barnes, treasurer. The group is sponsoring a luncheon and card party at Macabees Hall on Wednesday, May 9, at 12:30 noon.

Jim Anderson of Southfield Township had the misfortune to break his foot Wednesday of last week.

The Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church held a wolver roast and games party on the "commons" at Waldron and Grand River Friday evening, despite our cold weather. The youngsters do not seem to mind the chilly evenings like the oldsters do.

The Old Time Dancing Club held their final party of the season at Botsford Tavern last Thursday, preceded by dinner there for the group.

The Otto Schencks of St. Francis were entertained at the Fred Melsner home on Eight Mile Thursday evening, where a large group of friends and relatives gathered to wish them farewell. Mr. and Mrs. Schenck and little son, Kenny, have resided in the District about eight years, but have sold their home, and are moving to a farm near Charlevoix. We all wish them good luck in their new undertaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heise are busily engaged in making the Farm Survey of Farmington Township.

Mumps are taking their toll of our young fry at the present writing.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the Alva and Kenneth Burt families due to the death of Mr. Frank Burt, who lived on Cambridge Avenue for the past few years. Mr. Burt was confined to a hospital since early December, where he passed away last Tuesday.

Mrs. Winifred BaKour was honored on Tuesday afternoon at a going-away party by the Girl

**WEST POINT PARK**

By L. A. Ault

Mrs. E. W. Stange visited with friends in Detroit Wednesday.  
Miss Shirley Ault and Miss Barbara Harrison, of the Farmington High School Band, attended the Regatta Festival at Algona Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooley from Hazel Park spent Friday night with their cousins, Lewis and Mrs. Graham.  
Mother's Day will be celebrated in all our churches next Sunday, May 13th. At the Neighborhood School at 11 a.m. Rev. Axel Edwards will give an address and there will be special music. At the 6:30 p.m. Vesper meeting Rev. Gordon Cameron is expected to preach. Mothers particularly of the community, are invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Clinton Ault and sister, Mrs. Lewis Graham visited their aunt, Mrs. Wynne Slater, in Hazel Park Saturday evening. Mrs. Slater is very ill and not expected to recover.  
Mrs. Emerson Ault and daughter, Lora Anne Ault, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, near the Children's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oman and daughter, Ruth Ann, from over in Oakland, are calling on relatives on Irving Ave. Saturday evening.

Jerry Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe, of Shady Side Ave., rendered an important vocal number at the music festival of the Northville Schools Thursday evening.

Scouts of Troop No. 2 which she formerly led, for about three years. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Allen Smith, the new leader, whose assistant is Mrs. Keller. The refreshments were served at the home of Mrs. Stollker, committee woman. Mrs. Kadja, Mrs. Toth, Mrs. LaFollette and Mrs. Wild were also present as committee people.

The Girl Scouts of Troop 7 under the leadership of Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Meyer went to Lola Valley on a hike and eat-out on Saturday.

day evening. Mrs. Wolfe is one of this year's graduates of Northville School and expects to attend college next winter.

Rev. John Mason, who, while visiting relatives here, spoke several times at the Neighborhood Church and also at the Clarenceville M. E. Church, returned to his home near West Jefferson, O. this Monday.

Because of ill health, Mrs. Eric Anderson, for many years a faithful teacher in Pierson School, has been compelled to resign from her position.

Mrs. Walter Rehahn, who celebrated a birthday this last week, entertained friends in Detroit on Sunday.

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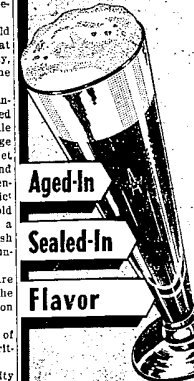


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2. Who is "Happy" Chandler?
3. Who is Marshal Von Kleist?
4. Who is Harold D. Smith?
5. Where is the Brandenburg Gate?

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