***Switchboard Soldiers* by Jennifer Chiaverini**

Chiaverini returns with another historical fiction read for her readers, this time exploring the WWI "hello girls", the switchboard operators that took positions within the army to help with military phone calls in Europe during the war. The main characters are three young American women, recruited because of their switchboard skills and fluency with French. They end up in different areas of the country, working under conditions that are not always easy and often in areas of danger. The story is long, nearly 450 pages, and as all of Chiaverini's work, well researched. I enjoyed the research as I learned a great deal about the United States during the time of WWI. Eureka PLD has a copy of *Switchboard Soldiers*, as well as copies of most of Chiaverini's previous historical fiction writings.