

*Eat Turkey,  
Stuffing,  
and  
Cranberry*

# The Falcon



*And at the  
Pottsgrove-  
Pius Game  
Be Merry*

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## Advancement Is Seen In Vo-Tech's Horticulture & Carpentry Depts.

The Vocational-Technical School has been supplying the student with the best of possible equipment. For the horticulture department, a slat house was built by the carpentry division.

### Place for Shrubbery Designed

The purpose of the slat house is to protect young shrubs from too much sunlight and harsh winds. The building was built of redwood and planned to be expanded at either end if room is needed.

### Poinsettia and Carnations for Christmas

The students who will work with the project have plans of working in landscaping and nursery care. The nursery at the school has a great variety of plants of which the students themselves are responsible.

For the Christmas holiday, poinsettia and carnations are being grown. As with all the plants, careful sunning and heat regulation is kept in check.

### Bananas Grow in Limerick

An unusual tree to be found in Pennsylvania is the banana tree which is kept in the greenhouse in Limerick. Because of root space, the tree has a stunted growth, but of its six feet, it will yield almost twenty bananas.



Green House and Slat House at Vo-Tech

## Beginning of Teacher's Orbit For Five Ursinus Students

## Aussie To Turn Traveler After Departure From P. H. S.

Pottsgrovians will say adieu to Fergus Telfer, the exchange student from Victor Harbor, Australia, on Saturday, December 6. Fergus will then tour the United States until January 3 when he will travel back to Australia.

### Senior Girls Receive Commending Letters

Three seniors, Linda Grace, Stephanie Szakal, and Linda Theis, received letters of commendation from the National Merit Scholarship Test organization. These honors were given because of high test scores they achieved.

### Activities

The three girls have a wide span of activities. Stephanie is the co-editor of the Falcon, and was in the casts of *Guys and Dolls*, *Music Man*, and *Don't Drink the Water*.

Linda Grace is a member of the marching and concert bands, the basketball team and Honor Society, and has served in various committees. Linda Theis' many activities include hockey, basketball, tennis, Varsity Club, band, and she is edi-

Fergus has participated in various school functions. He was a member of the stage crew for *Music Man*; this year he portrayed "Kilroy" in *Don't Drink the Water*; he is active as a reporter and photographer for *The Falcon* and was a member of the boys' tennis team.

Several families have hosted the exchange student during his stay. These families are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kockel, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Bauman, and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Levensgood. These people have helped Fergus develop his liking toward two American foods, chicken pot pie and abe cakes.

### American Schools

Fergus feels that the United States is a great country, but that citizenship in a major world power involves too many responsibilities. Also the schools of America are an important institution of one's so-

## American Education Week Enlightened by F. T. A.

The theme of American Education Week this year was "A Better Education—Your Job." Posters had been placed in the halls in various parts of the school to emphasize this quote.

To honor this week, the Future Teachers of America Club held an assembly. Sharon Levengood, acting president of the club, introduced Andrew Estock, president of the Student Council. At that time Fergus Telfer, Australian exchange student, was presented with a class ring from the class of 1970. Following the presentation, Janet Fink called upon Mr. Radel to present pins to members who were active in the club for two or more years.

### "Open the Door" to a Better Future

After presentations were made, Mrs. Lindemuth introduced the guest speaker. She was Dr. Helen Wise, President of Pennsylvania State Education Association and a social studies teacher at the junior high level. Her topic of discussion was titled "Ouvrez la Porte" which means "Open the Door." After the enlightening speech, the assembly ended with the singing of the Alma Mater.

## Falcon Members Travel To PSPA Convention

The thirty-eighth annual convention of the Pennsylvania School Press Association was held at the Holiday Inn Town in Harrisburg. Allen Davis, Doreen Gresh, John Grenewald, and June Green attended the affair on November 7, with the Falcon advisor, Miss Trudy Skwish.

There were various workshop sessions, and later in the evening, Chester M. Lee, Captain, USN, Director at Mission Control in Houston, Texas, spoke of Apollo 11 and presented a film.

at Pottsgrove. They will remain here until December 14.

In the mathematics department, Mr. Marshall has assisting him, Miss Biever. Miss Biever lives in Allentown and enjoys sewing and swimming.

### Biology Teacher from Atlantic City

Judy Young, Mr. Dry's associate teacher, resides in Atlantic City, New Jersey. Her plans include traveling to Europe, teaching biology, and attaining a masters degree in marine biology.

In the English Department, working with Mrs. Heffner is Thomas Wagner from Lynchburg, Virginia. Mr. Wagner hopes to teach English or history and earn his masters degree.

A native of Audubon, New Jersey is Jane Owens who is teaching Mrs. Flamm's gym classes. After graduation, Miss Owens plans to teach or attend graduate school.

Teaching P.O.D. in Mr. Murgia's class is William Mauer. Mr. Mauer is from Williamsport and enjoys baseball and reading.



Sitting, left to right: Misses J. Young, J. Owens, C. Biever; Standing, left to right: Mr. T. Wagner, Mr. W. Mauer.

## "Winter Wonderland" Planned As Theme For Annual Dance

Each year the Christmas dance is looked forward to with much anticipation, and this year is no exception. This year's dance will be held Saturday, December 13, 8-11 P.M., in the school cafeteria. It will be a semi-formal dance, and everyone in grades 9-12 inclusive is invited.

### "Winter Wonderland"

The theme for this year's dance is "Winter Wonderland" where typical winter scenes will be depicted. The main decoration will be a sleigh, surrounded by Christmas trees. Snowflakes, bells, and icicles will be suspended from the ceiling.

### Live Music

The Top Hats, a vocal group from

imi.

In February, the National Merit Scholarship Testing organization will again administer these tests.

Boyertown, will provide the live music which will be featured at the affair. Refreshments consisting of cupcakes, cookies and cokes will be sold. The chaperones will be Mr. Boehmer, Mrs. Davidheiser, Mr. Dori, Mrs. Horn, Mr. Murgia and Mrs. Wenhold. Students will be able to obtain reservations for tables when they purchase their tickets.

## Hatboro - Horsham To Witness Trenchant Chorus Competition

On Saturday, November 22, fifteen members of the chorus traveled to Hatboro-Horsham High School near Fort Washington to compete for the District Chorus. Competition was extremely keen, beginning here at Pottsgrove where the students contended with their fellow chorus members.

### Fifteen Members Strive For Positions

Those who went to Hatboro-Horsham on Saturday contested in the five ranges of singing. The ones who tried for first soprano were Lin Diamond, Rochele Williams, Nancy Yarnell, and Janet Fink strove for second soprano. Debbie Fallon, Kathy Lamb, Nancy McClurken, and Karen Knause tried for alto. Those who tried for tenor were Bruce Roberts, Eric Van Horn, Keith Sharp, and for bass were Gene Bartholomew, John Kalamon, and Steve Ciyka. Janet Kohler contended for accompaniment.

### Three Night Concert

The students who will be accepted into the District Chorus will sing at a concert at Hatboro-Horsham on January 22, 23, 24.

to Australian schools where students go to receive their academic education, and do not become involved in extra-curricular activities. Australian students are also less concerned with politics, according to Fergus; thus there are less student demonstrations.

### False Ideas

Many Americans have strange ideas about Australians, thinking they are "tennis playing farmers and kangaroo killing Bushmen." This is a false belief, because Fergus confirms the fact that most Australians live in the large industrial cities.

### Aussie's Opinion

What does the Aussie think about Pottsgrove's students? He thinks they're great!

## College Exams Plague Students Once Again

On November 1, 1969, college bound students faced the task of taking the College Entrance Examinations. This test consists of two parts, English and Mathematics. All questions are based on knowledge accumulated through high school.

The tests last four hours and are taken at the Hill School, Pottstown High School, Owen J. Roberts High School, or a high school chosen by the board.

## My Interview with Harding: A Proposition with Confusion

I recently had the opportunity to talk with Douglas Traherne Harding. For those uninformed readers, Douglas is the English gent with no head and one eye.

It was a typical English day when I entered the dwelling grounds of Mr. Harding. At first glance, all I saw were middle-aged persons standing and discussing the usual—how to make English muffins, American style. I continued on my way until I encountered a gent who claimed to be a relative of Mr. Harding, fifty times removed!

### To The Man

to the man  
who looked  
back:  
you  
are a fool!  
when you turned  
around, all  
you saw was  
there,  
and was no  
more.  
did you  
look back  
to cry,  
to laugh?  
if so,  
you are indeed  
a fool!

—JOHN GRENEWALD

**C**lassroom  
Capers

Did anyone see Ron Nace lately? Mr. Dori asked his class the question, "If a person jumps out a second story window, will he be seen?"

"Well, my young man, could you possibly relate to me where I might find Douglas?"

"Sure. He's in Parliament. In fact, he's been there for twelve weeks fighting for the rights of one-eyed, no headed people."

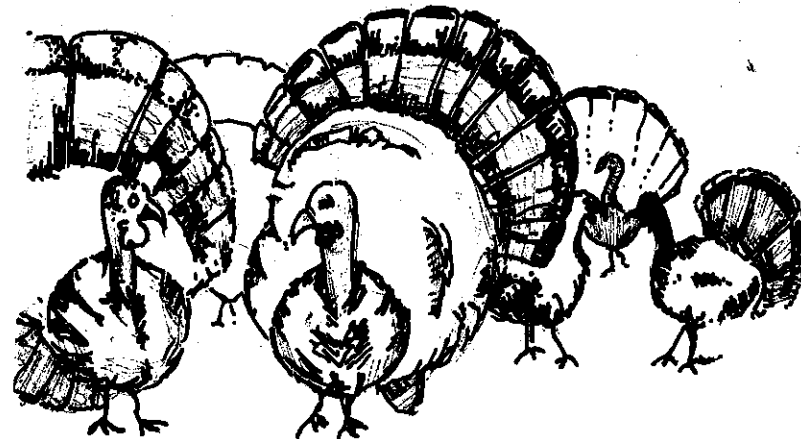
"Fine."

From thence I proceeded to the action spot of England—Parliament! In accordance with English tradition, no one was there except a little old lady chattering about her new invention—the light bulb! I saw no advantages to hanging around; therefore I didn't. My desire to talk with Mr. Harding drove me to search and search and search. By questioning several individuals I learned that I would find him in the famous English pub—The Pub. I decided that if that was where he went, that was where I would go (a brilliant decision on my part.)

Blasted English people and their directions. It took me seven and twenty days to find The Pub, and then I didn't want it.

Anyway, I found Douglas Traherne Harding. I stood there staring, my mouth agape . . . the gent with one eye and no head also lacked a vocal box with which to talk!

## Many Thanksgiving Traditions Are Saved; Super Bird Comes Through Once Again



Do YOU THINK THE PEACE SIGN WOULD HELP?

Every year everyone eats turkey on Thanksgiving, but what would happen if suddenly all the turkeys vanished a week before the "big day?" The following story gives an account of this situation.

Missing . . .

It happened that all the turkeys in the settlement had been stolen just one week before Thanksgiving. All except one whose name was Chester. It seems Chester had been forgotten when the thieves from the northern tribes had stolen the birds. Since he was the only turkey left, it was his duty to rescue the other captured ones.

He escaped one night and began his trip north. He knew his success was entirely dependent upon his ability to cry for help. Chester walked, and as he did, he kept yelling for help.

His work was finally rewarded when he heard a chorus of turkey calls. As Chester approached the group, he noticed there was no one around. All he'd have to do was to lead them home, and he did so.

If it had not been for Chester, we would not be celebrating Thanksgiving now.

A Reminder

Thus on Thanksgiving, when you are eating the gigantic turkey, remember who started the holiday, the purpose of the day, and most of all, who saved it!

## Fashions Change Atmosphere Of Ordinary Teenagers Lives

Mini or maxi? That is the question. Influence this year has been from both sides, or should I say from both lengths? The year 1969 has seen the maxi in bells, dresses, and coats, and the mini in skirts and make-up.

For men the maxi is in mini use, but gradually gaining strength. The man's maxi coat comes belted, double breasted, or single breasted. The girl's line of maxi coats is generally the same.

Emphasis on Shape

Making fashion news lately has been the "shaped" look. Shaped suits and sports jackets are available for men. The biggest article to sweep the country for both men and women is the body shirt with the

Tape

Ron tried but couldn't make it through the window. Ron, do you have high school insurance for flight accidents?

A while ago Allen Davis, Linda Kummerer, Edith Smith, and Kim Wentzel lost all reason in their cruel and crushing attack on a poor, defenseless but very needed eraser in art class. They claimed it had affected Mrs. Rooney because when she examined their art masterpieces, she exclaimed, "Where is your drawing? It's all kneaded away."

When Mr. Rutter's room recently developed an unusual and rather unpleasant odor, he demanded to know who was using the fabulous new perfume—"Midnight in the Sewer."

## So You Want to Protest?

By Stephanie Szakal

In any area of the world, restrictions can be placed on people and protests sometimes follow. Today everyone seems to be protesting and there are thousands of things to protest against, such as the war, the draft, and the establishment. Here, at Pottsgrove the most common object of protest is the dress code.

This great country was established through protesting and its future depends on it. However, today, protesting is almost fashionable, and many protestors are simply sheep who have been deceivingly informed that their rights are being taken from them. Yet, there are other protestors who have excellent reasons for their rebellion. One example is Ralph Nader, the author of *Unsafe at Any Speed*, a book that shocked the American public and startled the automobile industry. Because of this man's protest, American cars are now more safe than before. Nader, who has been traveling across the nation lecturing at various colleges, believes that it is each citizen's duty to become involved in the world around him and to try to rid this country of corruption.

Whether a person is protesting something which will affect the entire nation or something which will affect only a small student body of a high school, he should first analyze his beliefs and determine whether he can improve the situation through protesting. Then he must direct his protests along reasonable lines. If one gripes about the dress code to a friend sitting beside him at lunch, he will get no reform of the present code, but his friend may get indigestion! One must confront the right people with his complaints. At Pottsgrove these people are student council members who have been elected to solve problems in which students have a voice. However, be prepared to accept something that might appear repulsive, a magical ingredient called compromise.

# Social Outcasts Prevail From Boston to Bolivia

The days of the Ford Theater in Washington are gone, but the cinemas are coming and the people are going. Among the current attractions are as follows:

Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid is an extremely humorous version of a cowboy Bonnie and Clyde. This movie is far from the usual shoot-em-up cowboy flick, for it is a story of two cowboys trying to find a robber's paradise. Paul Newman is the brains of the gang, who sets the fate and adventures of these cowboys.

Alice's Restaurant is a beautiful movie that brings Arlo Guthrie's talking record to life. Arlo, Alice and Officer Obby, who play themselves, give the movie a quality that most lack; definitely, it reaches out to the youth today, for it is concerned with their problems.

Take the Money and Run is a first for Woody Allen as a director, and it is a great start in his hilarious career. Woody Allen portrays an extremely amateur gangster that fails in everything.

Easy Rider is a depressing look at reality. This movie is an example of how people are judged by their outward appearance and not by what they really are. Two innocent boys, riding motorcycles and having long hair, are murdered in cold blood for what they represent.

## Coming Soon

The Falcon Staff would like to initiate a Letters to the Editor column beginning with the Christmas issue. Anyone wishing to contribute should give their letter to any staff member or Miss Skwish. We ask that you follow these requirements.

All letters must be signed with the student's correct name and either be typed or neatly written in ink.

Students must remember that this column is for constructive criticism and not for personal attack.

Any comments or criticisms should include a possible solution.

All letters become the property of the Falcon Staff and are subject to their approval.

Dresses are big news this year; traditional "old" ones, new fabrics, and dazzling colors are in vogue. "Old" dresses come alive with ropes of beads, lace trim, or lace co-ordinates. The glittery look of beads and satins add to the variety of fabrics, and the colors for men and women are richer and deeper; golds, browns, greens and blacks are in season.

### Animal Look

On the fur side of the mountain, there is plenty for everyone. Furs have arrived in tiger, monkey, fox, the traditional mink, and even kangaroo! The achievements of the fur designers have reached everywhere and anywhere, capturing every type of clothing for every type of person. The paradise of furs includes vests, dresses, pants, and coats, mini or maxi.

Thus, this all takes us back to the uncanny opening line: mini or maxi? The choice is left to the individual.

the window opens  
to the courtyard  
there she stands,  
her hands shade  
the sun  
from her  
brown eyes,  
the wind blows  
her long, blonde  
hair . . .  
and she smiles.  
she walks on  
to the river,  
in the shade  
of the trees . . .  
and she smiles  
at the people,  
the people who  
reject her,  
the people who  
despise her,  
and the person  
who loves her.

—JOHN GRENEWALD

## THE FALCON

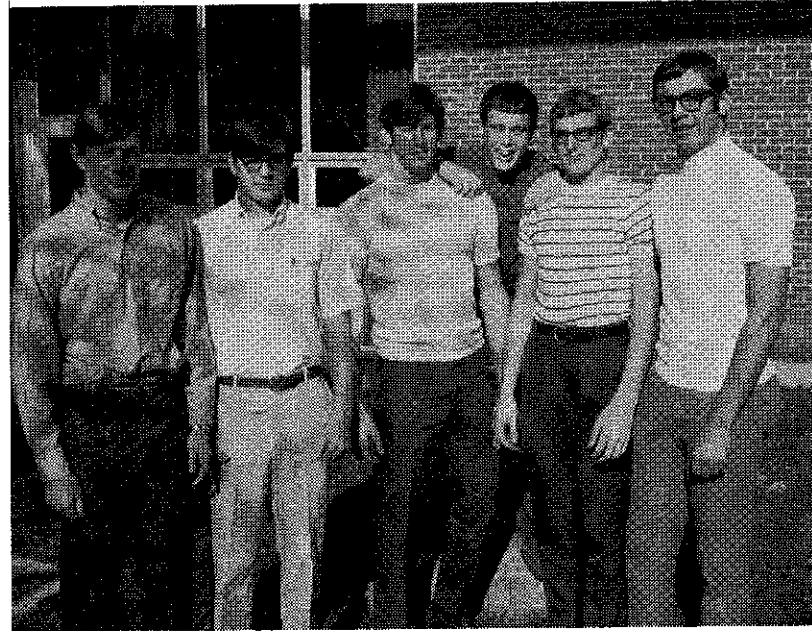
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# Pottsgrove Homecoming Results In Defeat As Team Loses, 34-16



SENIOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS



## SPORT TALK

In the National Football League, Dallas, Cleveland, Minnesota and Los Angeles all lead their divisions with Los Angeles carrying a 9-0 record into the final weeks of the season. The battles for the Eastern and Western Conference championship will be hotly contested, but Minnesota or Los Angeles seems most likely to win the league title.

## Burket Named New Basketball Coach; Plans to Pressure

Basketball season is not far away, and the Falcons senior high basketball team began practice on November 3. This year produced a large turnout of thirty-two boys from the senior high.

There are six returning lettermen to the varsity team. They are juniors, Bob Gingrich, Ken Buckert; seniors, Jim Bauer, Lenny Smith, Bob Kurtz, and Ray Wanger.

This year's team is under a new head coach, Mr. Burkert, while Mr.

Homecoming Day at Pottsgrove resulted in a losing cause as Boyertown defeated Pottsgrove 34-16.

Ray Wanger, who rushed for 74 yards, scored on a fifteen yard run as the first quarter ended in an 8-8 stalemate. Boyertown's offense went to the air to score three touchdowns before the half ended. The Bears led 28-8 at halftime.

The only score in the third period came after the Falcons recovered a fumble on the Boyertown 35 yard line. Gary Ludwig went around right end for the score, and Rob Kramer's reception added the two points.

Boyertown scored its last touchdown in the fourth quarter making the final score 34-16.

The loss made the Falcons record 0-4.

### Phoenixville

The Falcons traveled to Phoenixville still looking for their first victory.

Phoenixville jumped to a quick 12-0 lead as Pottsgrove's pass defense continued to falter. However, the defense tightened in the second period, and the Falcons pulled within six points at halftime, 12-6.

In the second half the Phantoms continued to move the ball in the air scoring three more touchdowns. Although Pottsgrove outrushed Phoenixville 108 yards to 94 yards, the Phantom's 353 yards passing proved to be the difference.

Chris Hayer, Kurt Halloway, and Rocco Liott totaled 53 yards, 35 yards, and 21 yards rushing, respectively. Bruce Roberts had 58

# Hockey Team Ends Season With Unusual Record, 2-2-5

The Pottsgrove hockey team opened their season with a 1-1 tie at Downingtown. This tie was the first of many that the girls have scored this season. The junior varsity, however, won their game.

With the tie still fresh in their minds, the Falconettes fought hard to overcome Coatesville, but lost, 3-0. The junior varsity game was scoreless for both teams.

### Meet Rivals

The Falconettes met their closest rivals, Boyertown, October 9, on our home field. Although the girls were defeated 2-0, they were commended for their fine play and skilled stickwork. The junior varsity, still undefeated, tied 1-1.

Another of the many ties for the varsity came on October 16, at Phoenixville when JoEllen Manger, left wing, scored for Pottsgrove tying the game 1-1. In addition, the J.V.'s won their game, 2-0.

### Another Tie

Although the girls showed great team work and good skills, they produced still another tie. This

time it was with Great Valley, the score being 1-1. Jean Manger, right inner, scored the only Pottsgrove goal. The Junior Birds were victorious over Great Valley, 3-0.

### Other Games

Our girls next traveled to Pottstown whom they defeated 1-0. Jean Jauger aided by team members again pushed in the lone goal of the game. The JV score was identical to that of the varsity.

The Falconettes were then defeated 1-0 by West Chester on October 30, on West Chester's home field. The JV's also lost their first game, 1-0.

On November 3, the Ladybirds tied again, 1-1. This time at Owen J. Roberts. The lone goal for Pottsgrove was scored by Roxanne Albitz, left inner. The junior varsity lost their second game, 1-0.

### Captains Chosen

JoEllen Manger and Terri Moore were chosen as captains to lead their team next year. JoEllen's position is left wing, and Terri's is the team's goalie.



will probably be decided between New York and Kansas City.

The Pottstown Firebirds clinched the ACFL Southern Division by defeating the Richmond Roadrunners 23-7. Pottstown will play Hartford on November 29 for the ACFL title.

#### Knicks Start Fast

The New York Knicks achieved the fastest start in basketball history when they ran their record to 17-1 on November 15.

On the same night the defending champion Boston Celtics suffered their seventh straight loss. The 76'ers have also gotten off to a bad start and it appears that no one can catch the Knicks.

#### Pro Hockey

A great interest has developed for ice hockey during the past few years as a result of the expansion of the National Hockey League and the addition of the Philadelphia Flyers to the league. The Flyers have done very well for themselves and in a recent performance against the Montreal Canadians, they were credited with the best performance by an expansion team. As of November 17, they were tied for fourth place in a division of six teams.

#### Phillies Take Gamble

The Philadelphia Phillies announced on November 17 that they had traded outfielder John Callison to the Chicago Cubs for pitcher Dick Selma and minor league outfielder Oscar Gamble. In an earlier trade the St. Louis Cardinals received Rich Allen, Cookie Rojas and Jerry Johnson for Curt Flood, Tim McCarver, Joe Hoerner, and Bryan Brown.

#### SPORTS FLASH!!

The Pottstown Firebirds defeated the Hartford Knights on Saturday night, 48-4.

#### Intramural Program

Many of the boys in grades nine to twelve participated in the basketball intramural which began in September. There was a total of six teams which played games in the league. Bob Gingrich had the top team with a record of 11-3.

#### Outlook for Season

This year's team is not one of the largest the Falcons have had, but Coach Burkert has three pre-season scrimmages with other schools to determine the weak points of the team.

## P.H.S. X-Country Finishes Season; Stauffer Excels

#### Home Matches

The Falcons lost to the Trojans 20-40 with Ken Stauffer taking first place; John Pitchford, seventh place; and Tom Kochel, ninth place. Owen J. was victorious over Pottsgrove, 15-48. In this meet Ken took sixth place.

#### Away Matches

Stauffer took fifth place as Pottsgrove was defeated by West Chester. At St. Pius, the Harriers came within one point of a victory, 27-28. Ken Stauffer placed first, breaking the school record with a time of 10:28. John Pitchford took third; Gary Showers, fifth; Tim Yoder, ninth; and David Supco, tenth.

#### Post Season

At the Ches-Mont Championships held at Phoenixville, Pottsgrove beat Pottstown. At Valley Forge in the District Championships, the Harriers beat two other teams. In the Third Annual Pacers Meet, Ken won a medal while Pitchford and Showers won ribbons.

25, and Randy Bush added 20 more. Pottsgrove's touchdowns were scored by Rick Mettler and Gary Troyan making the final score 33-14.

#### Coatesville

Coatesville's running back Jimmy Joe did it all as the Red Raiders defeated Pottsgrove 51-0.

Joe carried the ball 21 times for 220 yards and four touchdowns as Coatesville piled up 37 points in the first half and another 14 in the second half.

Chris Hayer and Kurt Halloway tallied 32 yards each on the ground, as the Falcon offense could not get moving all afternoon. The loss left the Falcons with an 0-6 record.

#### Great Valley

The Falcons journeyed to Great Valley for their seventh game of the season and returned with their seventh defeat.

In the first quarter the Falcons marched to the Patriot 1 foot line but failed to score. Great Valley tallied two touchdowns in the first half and took a 14-0 lead at half-time.

The Patriots scored two more touchdowns on long passes in the second half as Pottsgrove's pass defense faltered. Gary Troyan's pass to Bob Kramer from eleven yards out yielded Pottsgrove's lone touchdown, and the Falcons lost their seventh game.

#### JV's Win Three

Pottsgrove's underclassmen showed hope for improvement for next year by winning three junior varsity games. The victories were over Downingtown, 13-7; Coatesville, 14-6; and Great Valley, 30-6.

The Junior Birds also battled Spring-Ford to an 8-8 tie.

Sitting, left to right: Linda Theis, Tena Sovizal; standing, l to r: Brenda Stewartz, Janet Fink, Jean Mauer, Barbara Geiger, Linda Kummerer, Peggy Carnahan.

## Jr. High Plans Pep Club To Encourage Enthusiasm

Generally, the first step for any boy towards ruled football starts in the junior high school. Here he learns the fundamentals and basic plays of football, and he also has a chance to execute what he has learned. This year, the junior high varsity and junior varsity have had a schedule of seven games each. In these seven games every boy has a chance to play. He learns the importance of team work and the value of having a strong endurance in order that he can put forth a hardy effort the entire game.

#### Lack of Ninth Graders

Because of the lack of ninth graders on this year's football team, there are now five eighth graders starting for the varsity team. Unlike other teams no one is dropped from the football squad. This means that if you try for football you immediately become part of the team and eligible for a junior high Falcon.

Students should remember that a strong football team in their own grades is essential to the building of a school as senior high football is. Therefore, they should keep their enthusiasm burning through-

out the year for their own teams.

#### Pep Club Planned

The junior high coaches are trying to encourage this enthusiasm by having the band play at home games and also by having the refreshment stands open. They are also starting junior high pep rallies, and a pep club is being organized on the same basis as the senior high Pep Club. As a result they hope to have a better turnout at games which will give the teams an added effort in being victorious for Pottsgrove.

#### Intramurals planned

Next year a new plan shall hopefully go into effect for the seventh grade football team. Provided that fifty to seventy-five boys come out for this team, intramural teams shall be set up with each member getting his own football suit. Schedules will be arranged for each team to play each other, and after this is completed, place rating will be made. In these games not as much contact will be made as in regular league games. These teams should hopefully increase interest in football.

# GOOD LUCK! FALCONS

## P. H. S. Faculty



Mrs. Davidheiser

What female teacher drives a Volkswagen with a trailer hitch? Mrs. Davidheiser, of course! Mrs. Davidheiser, Pottsgrove's German teacher, was born in Riga Latvia, now a Baltic State, which was once a free and independent country when she lived there. She also lived in Germany for some time. Mrs. Davidheiser speaks German, Latvian, Russian, and English quite fluently as her classes will tell you.

### F T A

Our German instructor teaches grades eleven and twelve and is the head of Future Teachers of America. She was especially busy November 10-14 because it was American Education Week, and FTA had to "Do the job."

Mrs. Davidheiser graduated from Albright College in Reading in 1962. She and her husband are proud parents of their little daughter. Completing their family household are three dogs. They all keep her pretty busy, but when she can find time she likes to read.

## News From Student Council

Since the beginning of the 69-70 school year, the Student Council has done more than raising the hemlengths to three inches and allowing bell bottoms for sports activities. As a result of the dance held Friday, September 26, the Council was able to donate a total of \$100 to the United Fund. They have also planned a bonfire to be held Wednesday, November 26 to spark enthusiasm for the Thanksgiving football game. In addition, various committees have been organized and are busy at work. These include a homework committee, a happiness day committee, and a traffic pattern committee. Inquiries are also being made into the sponsoring of an orphan with any

extra funds going to Mexico.

### Junior High Agenda

The large project in progress at school was the sponsoring of a clothing drive for the Save the Children Federation. The ultimate goal was one thousand pounds of clothing (fifty pounds per junior high homeroom) to be used by the poor of the Appalachian Mountain region and by the American Indians.

The Junior High Student Council is also planning a Christmas project of some sort for the people at Pennhurst, a faculty vs. students basketball game and two dances exclusively for the junior high.

## ! HUNTERS !

### A JUNGLE OF BARGAINS

At the Distributive Education Store in the Montg. Vo-Tech. School!!

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Basco Flying Service, Inc.

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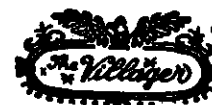
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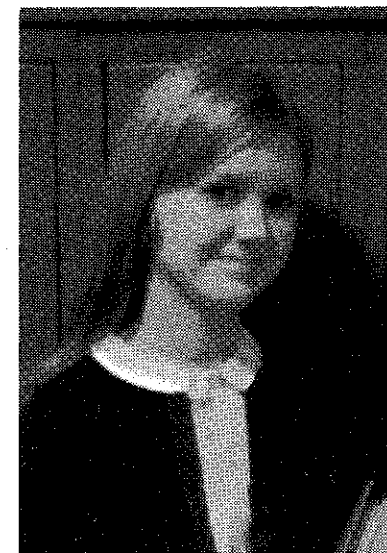


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## Who's Who In P. H. S.



Susan Prizer

If you ever have a question about food, just ask Sue Prizer. Sue has green eyes, light brown hair with blonde highlights, and is 5'6". Although she eats almost any kind of food, she especially enjoys Chinese and Italian dishes and never seems to gain any weight.

### Pastimes

During school Sue spends much of her spare time in room 106 as the Pottsgrovian's editor-in-chief. She also is F.T.A. treasurer for the second year and is an active participant in the Pep Club and class plays. She enjoys sewing, going shopping, and watching Marcus Welby, M.D. on Tuesday nights. Out of school, Sue likes to spend her time with an ex-Pottsgrovian, Rick Moyer.

Future



Garry Millard

One of the friendliest students in Pottsgrove High School is "Little Gar," a 5' 3", 123 pound senior. He calls everyone "buddy" and is always in a happy-go-lucky mood. He can be seen driving an old, beat-up, 1964 Ford. Shortly, he plans to have a hopped-up '57 Chevy on the road.

### Activities

Garry is an academic student, who is a member of the senior high chorus, Varsity Club, and wrestling team. His favorite pastime is chorus, which he regards as a "real break" from classwork.

After school, Gar enjoys working on cars, and in his spare time he may be found watching a "neat" movie on television. His favorite foods include hamburgers and veal cutlets. He also enjoys such sports as wrestling, and snow skiing.

Gar enjoys soul music and likes to dance and play the organ. "Blood, Sweat, and Tears" and "The Temptations" rank among his favorite

#### Summer

During the summer the Davidheisers stayed in a cabin in the mountains and went to Rehobeth Beach, Delaware, where they bought some land.

In 1972 Mrs. Davidheiser plans to visit Germany for the first time since she left.

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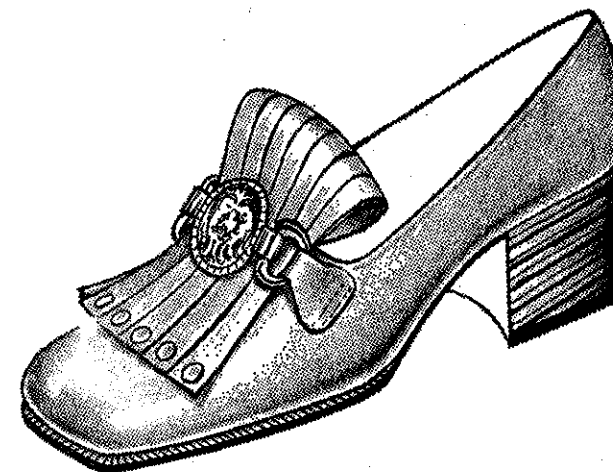
Sue hopes to attend Millersville State College upon graduation. She would like to major in English to prepare for high school teaching or journalism.

Sue lives with her parents at Happy Hill, Buchert Road, R. D. 3, Pottstown.

Garry is presently a part time employee at the Father and Son Shoe Store in the Norco Mall. He is also a member of the United Church of Christ.

#### Future Plans

The senior is planning a career in computer programming and has already been accepted by CPID in King of Prussia.



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