

## THE GREAT MOVE WEST

On the Seventh day of September 1963, under the direction of Wagon-master Norman Gardner, Tektronix Guernsey Limited set forth into the wilds of the higher parishes.

Slave gangs toiled all day at Victoria Ave. in an effort to load the wagons before opening time. Meanwhile the local tribesmen had been whipped into action at the other end to unload over 100 tons of goods.

Over one hundred and fifty people were directly involved and the whole move took only 6 hours, leaving only a few odds and ends to be collected later. This reflected somewhat on the excellent organisation at all levels which had preceded the long awaited day. The approach roads were, unfortunately were not quite completed but the continuous rain of the preceding fortnight suddenly stopped, saving the use of tracked vehicles.

On arriving at the New Plant halfway through the Saturday morning, our Reporter found that almost everything had arrived and that people were unpacking the thousands of Tek boxes used in the operation. There was, of course, much to be done such as erecting bins, setting up cable benches and sorting out kits. It is quite remarkable that work should have continued right up to 3-30 on Friday and continued as if nothing had happened on Monday morning.

There were snags, of course, like the P.A.System, but we hear that Harry Guilbert is managing without his HiFi system. Not everyone moved on the Saturday and the following week saw Staff Engineering and the rest of the Office Staff moving up.

Considerable re-organisation will now take place at the Victoria Ave. Factory and there are already signs of activity in this direction.

#### Marketing in Europe for Tek

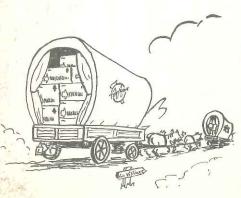
Tektronix opened a marketing office in Zug, Switzerland, soon after the Guernsey plant was set up. Its function was to process orders from European Distributors and to give help with technical queries. This office has now been merged with Field Training and Warehousing and is established as Tektronix Ltd here in Guernsey.

Through long association and continuing training, our distributors are technically very proficient but Field Engineers assist with specific problems, at shows, and in the giving of brief user and maintenance courses.

The Field Support Engineers who have completed the training course will provide backing-up facilities for the FE's, deal with technical correspondence, govern allotment of technical literature and specification sheets, etc..

With this build-up of staff we anticipate being able to do that much more towards ensuring the customer receives the fullest support we can provide.







### ROY FALLA in Beaverton...

Roy Falla, Special Projects Engineer, came to Tek in March 1960 as a Test Engineer. He had previously gained a full C & G Technological Certificate at Southampton University. He had then worked in the Radio Div'n of Standard Telephones & Cables and amongst other projects, had worked on Tropospheric Forward Scatter Communications. However, having been born & educated in Guernsey, he decided to return when Tek offered him a post.

He then proceeded to move at a rapid pace through Test & Staff Engineering into Field Training, but on successful completion of his course, he was offered his present position, so ten months ago, he and his family set off for Portland to learn something of production methods in Beaverton.



The Ceramics Building

Roy stated in a recent interview that he had an enthusiastic reception from the Americans and that they were keen to bring about an even closer relationship between Tek Inc and Tek Guernsey Ltd He said that there was still a pioneering atmosphere amongst both Teks and non-Teks and although there were many young people in Tek Inc, the majority of positions were held by the same type of person as here in Guernsey.

He thought that the working conditions in our new plant at La Villiaze compared very favourably with those of Beaverton. Their Cafeteria is mainly different from ours by virtue of the size and numbers of the vending machines. Although Tek Park and its buildings were not revolutionary, the design was pleasing & exceedingly practical. When completed, the Park should provide an impressive centre for Tek's worldwide operations.



Cafeteria and Assembly Building

#### ...and it's surroundings

Talking about Oregon, Roy was surprised by the contrasts found across this particular State. The Towns and Cities are sprawling suburban areas where most houses are single storey and set well back from the road, a far cry from English Cities. The surrounding countryside varies from the coast line of the Pacific through dense forests, cut only by rivers and motorways, through cultivated valleys to the both bare and wooded mountain peaks of the Cascades, beyond which are the desert and sagebrush of Eastern Oregon.



The City of Portland and Mt.Hood

Roy said that it was the vast recreational potential in this State that impressed him most. The high speed motorways enabled him to take his family to anywhere within 200 miles in just a few hours. This gave them an infinite variety of landscape and activity anything from hunting and fishing to mountaineering. He was, however very pleased to return home, for like all true Britons, he missed his draught Beer!!

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#### Editorial

This month has seen quite a few changes on the Tektronix front, both locally and in the company as a whole. Interest in Guernsey has been centred on the move to the new plant and cables have been received sending best wishes from Beaverton and other countries.

Tek shares have been occupying many employees minds just recently. By the time this issue is published we will all either be millionaires or queueing up at the labour exchange!

Finally, one interesting idea, which was briefly mentioned in the last issue, namely the exchange of pen-friends between the various Tektronix locations in America...Guernsey...Holland...Australia...Canada...England... and Switzerland. If you wish to make further arrangements, the co-operation of the personnel departments concerned will, no doubt, be forthcoming.

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## statistics

#### 21 St's

Over the past two months, four people have celebrated their coming of age. Collin Norman (Stock) on Aug 7th Pam Brown(Capacitors) on Sep 7th Gwen le Noury(Caps) on Sept 20th John Gillingham(Final)on Sep 27th

#### marriages

Robert Keiser (Tek Ltd) to Rita Mohr at St.Michaels Church, Zug. Switzerland, oon

on August 22nd.

Terence Marquis (Final) to Barbara Robilliard at Torteval Methodist Ch on August 28th.

Joyce Louth (Stock) to Dave Inman(Test) at The Town Church, St. Peter Port on August 29th.

Margaret Brehaut (Cables) to Patrick Kenneally at St.Josephs Church on August 29th.

Rose de Carteret (Cables) to Seamus (Shim) Sharman (Test) at St.Magliore R.C. Church on September 2nd.

Sylvia de Jersey (Unit Wiring) to David, Ferbrache at St Sampsons Church on September 5th.

Margaret Procter (Final) to Maurice Hemery at Notre Dame du Rosaire on September 12th

Joyce Gaskin (Tek Ltd) to Graham Froome at St Michael du Valle on Sept 19th

#### births

To Mike Davey(Test)and Wendy, a daughter
Nora Ann on Aug 3rd. 61bs 8ozs.

To Ron Renouf(Stk) and Doreen, a daughter
Alison Jane on Aug 17th.51bs 8ozs.

To Richard Preston and Nina(U.W.) a son Trevor Francis on Sep 18th.71bs loz

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## AROUND \*\*\* and \*\*\* ABOUT

The Social and Sports Club has asked us to announce the following future events:-

Fri Oct 18 Presentation dance at The Royal Hotel

Tues Nov 5 Guy Fawkes Night with Sausage Sizzle

Fri Dec 13 Annual Dinner & Dance at The Royal Hotel

Members will naturally have special concessions at these events so those who have not joined the Club should do so immediately --- contact your supervisor.

A point about the new plant is that the windows are so large that they are flexing in the wind! The New Plant has made necessary a new van which has just been delivered. Sporting the Tekbug in gold, it is chauffeured by Paddy Hillion -- quite a credit to Tek.

The Mutual Benefit Club asks us to remind its members that they are responsible for adjusting the amount of benefit they receive after wage reviews --- see your representative.

This month sees the first 5th. anniversary of a Guernsey employee namely Val Davison. She was number one on the books back in '58. Now a member of the Tek Ltd staff, she celebrated with cakes..... Several more 5-yearers will follow soon.

At the August Hill Climb, Nev Mees & Roy Bisson won their class. Nev in his Formula-Junior engined Anglia easily beat the challenging Mini-Cooper 'S's and the like.Roy thrashed the record for large

sports cars in his Cosworth-Ford engined Lotus Seven, to be the

fastest ever production sports car up the hill.

By the way, our advertising is absolutely free and we hope to have more applications for our next issue in November.

### Personal Achievements...

#### **Dancing Teks**

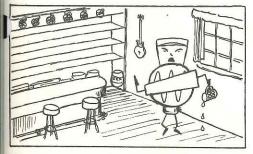
Both Lynne Crowson and Doris Maloney share a common interest in ballet. Lynnes' 1st exam came when she was 5 years old. At 12, Sadlers Wells found her too young and the International Ballet Co. thought her too short. Nevertheless, between the ages of 9 and 14 she had gained eight trophies, 9 medals & 150 certificates. At 16, she appeared at Candie Gardens on the Carrol Levis Talent Show and

spent 3 months touring England. Dorothy Hurrell trained her in Ballet, Tap, Character & National dancing.

Doris started training when 10 yrs old, studying Ballet, Greek, National, Modern, Musical and Tap dancing. She won certificates in the Guernsey & Jersey Eistedfodds and 7 first placings in the All England dancing competitions. From

the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing she gained a teaching certificate for Ballet. Besides being a member of the Farnborough R.A.E. Operatic Soc. and a silver medallist in Olde Tyme, Doris is a GADOC member. She was Principle Boy in "Cinderella" and played "Fay" in the "Boy Friend". She arranged the dances for the "Robin Hood" and "Free as Air" productions and will dance in "Aladdin" this Christmas.

# Teks Technical Terms By Ed



### No.2 'Dry joint'

#### engagements

Karol Towns (Tek Ltd) to Michael Paine
On August 2nd.

Michele Agnelli (Final)to Val Ducquemin
On August 3rd.

Jill Gardner (Tek Ltd) to Ivan Baigent September 10th.

Brian Torode (Accounts) to Janice Mees September 17th.

Gwyn Nicolle (Tek Ltd) to Alan Richmond (Test) on September 20th.

#### Wanted

BED-SITTER. with Kitchenette or Accessories. Town area. Apply Kathy Waldron (Unit Wiring).

CHILDS TRICYCLE. Chain driven or Pedal car. Apply Joe Guerin. (Test)

LAWN CUTTINGS required. Apply Walter Le Page. c/o Reception.

HOMES WANTED for four white kittens, all Toms. Apply Elsie Proctor.(U.W.)

LOAN of Sun-ray lamp for one month. Fee by arrangement. Apply Jack Moffatt. Tek Ltd.Quay House.

FOUR BADMINTON Racquets for use during the coming season. Any condition. Apply Field Training, Quay House.

50-60 ft STEEL MAST.Suitable for hanging T.V.Aerials on. Apply Roy.S.Perry Tek Ltd. E Block.

SMALL MAINS or battery operated radio, must be cheap. Apply Chris Morgan Tek Ltd. Quay House.

#### For sale

ALSATION puppies.High pedigree. Two wks old. Apply Ann Brown.(Unit Wiring). GREENFINCH £1 the pair or will exchange for two Canary Hens. Apply Angela Knight. Inspection. Unit Wiring. AVO MULTIMINOR. With case £7.10s. Apply

Vernon Falla. Unit Wiring.

UNUSED flashing indicator set. £3.15.0 Apply Jerry Bligh.Final.

## Small Ads

TWO SPOT LIGHTS, (One fog) £4 the pair Apply Margaret Harvey, (Unit Wiring). SINGLE DIVAN in good condition. £7.10.0 Apply Charlotte Forsey.Cables.

#### Accommodation

WINTER Accommodation for two to four people with possibility of permanent accomodation.Les Cornus,St.Martin's. Please contact Personnel Department for full particulars.

VACANT, Mid-Oct. Furnished flat. Double bedroom, Lounge, Kitchen, Share Bathroom. £3 10s. er week. Apply: David Whitehorne. (Final).

#### Cars for sale

MORRIS Mini-Cooper. 1962 Fiesta Yellow Radio and other extras.£400 o.n.o. Apply Margaret Kenneally.Cables.

HILLMAN MINX 1962.Blue-white.9000 miles Serviced by dealer, Excellent cond. 4 new tyres, Extras, £475 Apply, Roy S.Perry.Tek Ltd. E Block.

FORD Saloon. 8hp.Running condition,good tyres and battery.£25 o.n.o. Contact Ron Renouf,Stock Area.

TRIUMPH Tiger Cub. In top condition, HP. terms arranged. Price £65. Apply--Eugene Hughes. Shipping.

125cc Scooter and Crash Helmet only 400 miles on the clock. Apply Personnel.

## Spotlight

Looking for something new to do, Tekites?

Then run the rule over this lot:-

Cricket, Football, Darts, Snooker, Bowls, Badminton, Tennis, Table Tennis, Fishing (Sub and above.) Draughts and Chess. If you can't play yet, come and learn, if you can, come and show the rest how it's done.

From Cricket to Table Tennis, Tek runs teams in competitions and leagues; to keep them alive and kicking they all need you, so dust down your feathers, chalk your boots,

lace up your cues and come a-running!

Now pick where you're needed most from the rundown of the sections. CRICKET...Two teams in the Evening League and something new and exciting which Tek was the first to start in Guernsey, "Trios", three-a-side cricket, which, perhaps unlike 'proper' cricket, was always fast, furious and often

amusing..just ask anyone who played.

FOOTBALL...Friendly matches, five-a-side and two teams in the Business House Knockout.Last year, both Tek teams reached the final and Tek 'A' just won 1 - 0. Also, of course, the Ladies - Tektrinians - a formidable array of beauty and skill that did a great job fundraising last Season!

BADMINTON...Club nights and two teams, one mixed, one men's, in the league. Trophies??

None yet but we're hoping....

DARTS...Friendlies, a team in the Business House League (and with a different pub each

week, who cares about the results!)? TENNIS & TABLE TENNIS...Tennis Club evenings and friendly matches at Beau Sejour, Table-

Tennis buried beneath the Little Theatre has a Club Night and a men's team in the Second

Division.
BOWLS & SNOOKER...First yearers but plenty of enthusiasm - and who knows what they'll do in

the coming Seasons?

Most anything else-mainly annual competitions to see who's the biggest liar or most patient guy in Tek.



#### Five a side

JULY 17 In winter-like weather, seven blue-nosed-and-kneed teams turned out for the first five-a-side tournament. A rather small pitch made scientific football difficult and teams won mainly through opponents' errors rather than their own endeavours. Defensive play dominated and the term "packing your goal" took on a new meaning, with whole teams forming a wall across their goal as a defensive ploy. Stock found the right blend of enthe final. The other teams were from Final, Material Control, Unit Wiring, Transformers Unit Wiring, Transformers and Tektronix Ltd.

JULY 31 The first tournament's success





saw teams from Material Control, Shop, and Tektronix Limited trying to take "Champions" title. This time better weather, a bigger pitch and goals encouraged open play and something more like five-a-side was seen, particularly from the Tek Ltd and Test teams. Victory finally went to an energetic shop team, though not easily, as their path to the final against Tek Ltd included playing the Material Control team twice; sudden death by thusiasm and skill for victory over Shop in the first goal or corner in extra time being needed to get a result.

A big thank you from the players to the organisers, especially Al Lambourne, for their enthusiasm and thoughtfulness. (Yessh we mean

the beer!!)

#### ACROSS

- 1) A wasps end in the end goes on for some time. (7) There's nothing in a backward sport for the army
- (6) 7) For measuring small parts (10)
- 10)Black 16 upside down: (3) 13)Solo, bridge or snap. (4.4) 15)Left, harbour or drink. (4) 17)Seed after 4, for army conveyance.(4).

18)Small child either way(3) 19) Alternative. no change (6) 23) Why chat about this boat

#### DUWN

- 1) Double barrelled girl?(4)
- 2) Gripping chinese group(4) 3) Rage for a change, change
- for a drive. (4). ANSWERS TO TEKBUGWORD No.1. ACROSS 1) Zealous, 4) Get out 9) Astor, 10) Lotto, 11) Tibia 7) Compatriot, 10) Let, 15) Near 9) Astor, 10) Lotto, 11) Tibia
- 13) Particle, 16) Ton, 17) Hen 12) Yeast, 13) Pause, 14) Roast 18) Ova, 19) Talcum, 23) Knife 21) Lie, 22) Ink.

- 5) For prairie cooking maybe (5)
- 6) Stickly sweet, up at the end.(5).
- 7) About a yard in France(5) 8) Comes before effect.(5) 10) Change of rate to a T, a pleasant surprise.(5).
- 11) This side is not on our roads.(5).
- 12) The list of exporters in diamonds contains this country.(5).
- 13)Sea map. (5).
- 14) Normal change minus fifty describes Caesar but not Cleopatra. (5).
- 16)Rodent.(3).
- 21) This insect may be found in rows of plants.(3).

#### AROUND

20) Five African mammals. (8,10,12,7,7)

5)Event6)Train7)Carry8)Mouse

AROUND 20) As you like it,

DOWN 1) Zinc,2) Reel,3) Sham The Merchant of Venice, Romeo and Juliet.

