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what is the truth?

When two people disagree, most of us believe that one of them must be wrong and the other must be right. The same idea is widely held at Tektronix. If a workleader and a member of his work group disagree, most people assume that one must be wrong and the other must be right.

The Human Relations group frequently hears several different people describe the same situation. Usually each person tells a story somewhat different from the others we have heard. In such a case you may ask: "Well, how do you know what the truth really is?"

In our experience, most people really want to tell the truth; most people really strain to be objective. They know when their feelings are running high and try to take this into account when they report an incident between themselves and another person. However, no person can accurately report everything that happened in a given incident. Even when you have no "ax to grind", you can't remember everything that happened. As a matter of fact, you probably weren't even aware of everything that happened.

When you remember that your point of view is different from the other person's point of view, it is easy to see why two different people will give different accounts of the situation, although each will be trying as hard as he can to tell the truth.

Think of the great difference in background between various people. Differences in the way we were treated by our parents when we were children, differences in the schools we went to, differences in the cities and in the school groups we have associated with while we were growing up, differences in the kinds of jobs we have had, differences in our homes, our marriages, and differences in our children. When you think of the tremendous number of differences among all the people here at Tektronix, is there any reason that any two people should see a given incident in the same way? No, I think we have to accept this diversity and recognize that no two people can see things in exactly the same way.

The question, then, becomes not, "Well, what is the truth in the matter?" but "How does each person see it?" The solution becomes one of helping each person understand the other person's point of view.

I wonder if we would get along somewhat easier with each other if we adopted a different attitude toward disagreements. Rather than asking "Who's wrong?" and "Who's right?", we might ask "How do you see it?" and "How do I see it?" and "Why do we see this in different fashions?" I suspect that we would discover that there is some truth on both sides and that there is some error on both sides.

We would probably also discover that it is more important to attempt to understand the other person's point of view than to prove that he is wrong and you are right.

"What is the truth?" This is never a simple question.

.....John Wallen
Human Relations

CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 15

Production Job Evaluation committee, Beaverton conference room, 9 to 10:15 a.m.

Advisory group luncheon, Berg's restaurant, noon to 2:30

Group representatives, Beaverton conference room, 2 to 3:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 17

Credit Union credit committee, 2:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 18

Tektronix Amateur Radio club, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

Annual Tektronix golf kickoff banquet, Timber Topper restaurant, Portland. Refreshments, 7 p.m. Dinner, 8 p.m.

COVER—Visiting Tektronix in early March was Maurice Parisier, our distributor for France. He's shown talking with Dal Dallas of Marketing. Expected to be here in late March is Erik Ferner, our Swedish distributor.

the news explosion

For seven months Tek Talk has urged: Let's have more news items from departments and groups.

The response has been good—so doggone good that it now poses a problem.

In this issue departmental chatter, which used to take a couple pages, fills pages 8, 9 and 12, most of pages 5 and 10 and part of page 11—a big chomp out of a 12-page magazine.

Mushrooming news of this sort is all to the good. At the same time, it's clear that Tek Talk, as it now sits, can no longer handle the flood.

Another headache—an old one—is that, because news copy must be turned in well ahead of press day, items become stale by the time they're read.

To solve the double problem, the staff has come up with a proposal that not only will make for up-to-date departmental news but also may cut the Tek Talk printing cost.

We'll explain the idea here after talking it over with our reporters. For now, this is just to say we recognize the problem.

Joe Floren

Tek-Built Polygraphs Help Heart, Neurology Research

Among new equipment received by the University of Oregon Medical School recently are two polygraphs, the only machines of their kind, built as a "one-shot" special project by a group of interested Tektronix engineers.

The devices, used in neurology and cardiology research and clinical evaluation, are designed to measure all types of biological electrical activity. They may be used to make electrocardiograms and electroencephalograms, as well as to measure oxygen tension in the blood and the action potential of nerve cell bodies.

In the neurology division, the polygraph is being used to study blood circulation in hamsters and rabbits.

Medical school personnel describe the machines as flexible, reliable and highly sensitive.

Portable Units

The polygraphs, according to the Tek engineers who developed them, are double rack-mounted for easy moving from room to room. Each contains two oscilloscopes, an RM15 and an RM32.

The RM32 displays all channels, in conjunction with preamplifiers put into a type 127 preamp power supply. The RM15 shows one trace at a time of the RM32 display on an expanded-time basis.

The polygraph is important because it allows the technician to obtain a variety of data at the same time from a patient or experimental animal.

For example, one researcher is studying the heart action of "blue babies"

(youngsters without enough blood oxygen). The polygraph simultaneously measures tidal volume (the amount of air respired in the lungs), circulation rate, blood oxygen content, heart rate and blood pressure to help determine how much the normal heart action is impaired and to what degree proper oxygenation occurs.

Road Names Will Honor Scientists

Roads in Tektronix' Beaverton tract will be named for outstanding scientists, particularly those who have contributed to the electronics field.

First named was SW Millikan way, which runs northwest from the north end of Beaverton's Hocken street, past our warehouse, Mears Electric Controls company, the interim office building and the Retirement Trust building. The street perpetuates the name of physicist Robert A. Millikan (1868-1953).

The north-south throughfare from Jenkins road past the new Ceramics plant will be S.W. Knowlton road, named for the late professor A.A. Knowlton of Reed college physics department.

Probably the next road to be built will connect Hocken with Knowlton. It will curve through our industrial tract and may be the main Tektronix traffic artery. No name has been chosen for the road.

Derrol Pennington Wins School Board Position

Derrol Pennington (CRT) was elected to the board of the newly reorganized Beaverton grade-high school district February 23. He was a candidate from zone 1 (Sunset Valley, McKay, Cooper Mountain, Cedar Mill.)

Ken Walling (Printing) was an unsuccessful candidate from zone 1 (Barnes).

PRO and CON

To the editor,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the blood donors here at Tektronix, for all the people who have benefited so much from your donations, especially the employees who have donated their extra time to give to open-heart surgery. I would like to name all of you individually, but cannot because there are too many.

I sincerely hope that all realize the good being done by the Tektronix blood bank by helping our fellow man, for there is no substitute for a pint of blood.

I am sure that we can call this a part of the Tektronix spirit.

Thank you,
Chairman Don Pratt,
Production Planning

Activity Seen on RT Land at Hillsboro

Otto Zach, business manager of Tektronix Employees Retirement Trust, gave City Manager J.W. Barney of Hillsboro a check for \$35,000 February 25 to buy a 55-acre city-owned tract adjoining the east end of Hillsboro airport and about a mile east of the city.

The tract eventually will be developed for residential use, Otto said.

To protect the runway for instrument landing, height of the buildings will be limited on most of the tract and building will be restricted on 11 acres.

Organ Company Builds

On other Retirement Trust property, located on the airport's west edge, Rodgers Organ company of West Slope has begun construction of a manufacturing plant and sales office.

The firm, composed largely of ex-Tektronix employees, will move into its new location about June 1.

The 12,000-square-foot tiltup concrete building will house the entire Rodgers operation, now located at West Slope. It will be adequate for as many as 40 employees. The Contractor is Ron Miller of Hillsboro. Rodgers company is leasing the land from the Retirement Trust.

Tek Employees Give 317 Pints of Blood

Tektronix employees in record numbers gave blood at the Beaverton plant during the February 12 visit of the Red Cross mobile unit, according to Don Pratt (Production Planning), plant blood chairman.

A total of 317 employees contributed blood. In addition, 25 with type A-positive blood were turned away until the special March 1 drawing for an open-heart operation.

Thirty-five volunteers were rejected for health reasons.

By comparison, 25 Tekes responded at the previous bloodmobile visit, and 290 the time before that.

FROM TEKTRONIX EMPLOYEES

To the editor,

I am interested in hearing from people who would like to form an "auto buyers and sellers protective association."

The purpose of the association would be to give Tek employees an opportunity to sell or purchase used cars without being victimized by "professional" car dealers.

The club would run a car lot on a non-profit basis. Each auto placed on the lot would be checked by a mechanic and a description of its good and bad points placed on the windshield, along with the price and name and address of the owner.

A small fee would be charged for placing the car on the lot.

Dave Fisher,
Human Relations

Credit Union Picks Six Committees

Tektronix Federal Credit Union board of directors has appointed its committees for 1960:

Credit committee—Phil Mallery, chairman; Peggy Jones, secretary; Ray Crino, and alternate Lee Crowell.

Supervisory committee—Otto Zach, chairman; Ed Kreutzer, secretary, and Joe Dimeo.

Education committee—Joe Floren.

Delinquent loans committee—John Matthews.

Retirement committee—Bob Newberry.

Building committee—Henry Scott.

Family Tree Tracers Form Club at Tek

Teks interested in tracing their family trees may join a new club organized for that purpose, according to Barbara Bidwell and Frances Woodruff, whom you may call at 688.

The club will elect officers in about a month.

To cover expenses, including subscription to a magazine, the club asks \$1 starting fee and about 25 cents a month dues.

Hawkin Au, Bob DuFresne Accept New Positions

Hawkin Au, formerly head of Requirements, has been named to direct our new planning staff, which will aid Bob Davis and his group by compiling and analyzing information about company needs.

Ray McGinley is now head of the new Tek Participates In Cleveland Show

Nine individual Tektronix instruments plus a dynamic display comprised our exhibit at the Cleveland Electronics Conference, held February 10-12.

Attending were Bill Ward and Merle Martin (Cleveland) and Keith Williams (Detroit).

Our display included two 5-inch scopes, the 502 and 533; two 3-inch scopes, the 317 and the transistorized 321; four plug-in preamplifiers, type CA, Q, R and Z, and the type 575 transistor curve tracer.

The dynamic display demonstrated our equipment's capability to measure mechanical and electromechanical phenomena.

A demonstration of new Tek scopes and plug-ins was conducted March 1, 2, 3 and 4 by personnel of our Albuquerque office, assisted by Cal Hongel and Cliff Moulton (Engineering), Portland.

Demonstrated were the 555, 519, 585 and 321 scopes, the Type N sampling plug-in unit, the Type Q transducer and strain gage plug-in, the Type S diode-test plug-in and Type Z differential plug-in.

sTatistics

MARRIED—

Rick Wilson (Component Production Tooling) to Carol Ward, February 8

Woody Woodruff (Final), January 30

Joe Maples (Final) to Penny Marlow (Accessories), January 9

Cy Littlefield (CRT) to Silvia Cuning, January 22

BORN—

To Mr. and Mrs. Ken Stuart (Technical Services), a daughter, Cynthia Kay, February 4. Weight 7 pounds, 14 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morrill (Final), a son, Gregory Paul, Weight 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ken Fashing (Final), a daughter, Pamala May

To Dennis (Final) and Jo Ann Binkerd (Unit Wiring), a son, Kevin Ray, January 23.

To Kay Pinson (Unit Wiring), a son, Robert Thomas, January 24.

To Maridel White (Unit Wiring), a son.

To Doris McClure (Unit Wiring), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hainley (Panelcraft), a son, January 30.

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Case (Final Swing), a son, January 24. Weight 9 pounds, 8 ounces.

IBM department, (formerly Requirements, and IBM Accounting), with Dale Tyson and Darrell Mock as his supervisors.

Bob DuFresne has succeeded Bennett Welsh as head of our Ceramics department. Bennett left Tektronix in February to assume duties as president and treasurer of Pacific Stoneware company, Portland.

Ceramics has transferred from Earl Scott's Instrument and Electrical Components division to Erwin Ashenbrenner's Fabrication and Molding division.

Jack Murdock Talks To Hillsboro Group

Tektronix general manager Jack Murdock participated in a panel discussion on "Electronics and the Space Age" at a joint meeting of Hillsboro chamber of commerce and that city's industrial development corporation, held February 23.

He predicted a busy future for Hillsboro's airport and said there's a challenge to make the area a model for the nation.

He noted that the electronics industry has begun to spring up on the airport and near it on Tektronix Retirement Trust property.

On the panel with Jack were Norman Ralston, president of Aero-Air, Inc. and Robert Parr, director of Oregon planning and development commission.

Rodgers Jenkins, ex-Tektronix employee now president of Rodgers Organ company, which is building a new plant near the airport, played several numbers to demonstrate the transistorized instrument.

Officers Express Approval After Visit to Guernsey

"Our impression was that they (our workers on Guernsey) are doing a good job, that the operation has considerable potential and that morale and attitude are good."

This was Treasurer Don Ellis's comment after he, Bob Davis and Byron Broms completed a two-week visit to Guernsey February 27.

It was the first trip for any of them to the plant, although Bob had visited the island before Tektronix moved there.

Byron talked with the plant staff about the market outlook and discussed means of improving communications between Guernsey and Portland, including orders for instruments and parts.

Don's main concern was with accounting, and financial problems, auditing and communication of information. He also talked about how taxes relate to the Guernsey operation and what form of corporate organization would be best.

Diane Langdon Will Receive Trip to Europe

Diane Langdon, daughter of Em Langdon (Marketing), has been chosen by the Beaverton area Hi-Y leadership development committee to attend the YMCA world youth conference in Amsterdam this August. She was chosen for her "Y" experience, interest in world affairs and leadership ability.

She is one of 200 high schoolers in the US who will take part in the conclave. Portland area has two delegates.

Miss Langdon, a junior at Sunset school, will travel with the group by chartered plane from New York to Prestwick, England. The delegation will tour Europe by train and bus in groups of about 25 youngsters and leaders.

Understanding is Goal

Emphasis will be placed on understanding the people in the countries visited.

Delegates will visit homes and meet young European people, both individually and in groups.

The conference will consider two themes, "Youth and Authority" and "War and Peace."

Plant Shutdown Days Set In November, December

Our two plant shutdown days in 1960 will be Friday, November 25, and Friday, December 23.

Employees, in a poll conducted by the group representatives, favored these two days, each of which will extend a holiday period.

Bill Webber said if employees change their minds because of an unforeseen development, the dates may be altered.

Bob, besides obtaining an overall picture of Guernsey problems and goals was particularly interested in the manufacturing process.

A major topic was the effort being made to obtain "commonwealth preference" for Tektronix instruments, which will mean they can be sold in the United Kingdom duty-free.

Pressures on the board of trade by British industry are resulting in increased duty restrictions, Byron explains, particularly against products competing with domestic manufactures.

To obtain commonwealth preference status, Tektronix must go deeper into the manufacturing process. We must contribute at Guernsey at least half the manufacturing cost of each instrument approved. In other words, the product must be considered part of the United Kingdom's economy before it is granted preference.

CRT GUN GROUP

Lois Thompson broke her wrist when she fell in the bathtub and will be off work for at least a month. She is greatly missed by her co-workers. The question going around is: Does cleanliness always pay?

Jo LeBrun's welder was draped in black, and memorial services were held for her when she was transferred to the 581 group. However, she is back now and the mourning is over.

Jack Neff reports he saw his shadow on Ground Hog day. We are advised to keep our chains and rain-clothes handy.

Myrna Balsa is the proud possessor of a patch over her eye due to infection. We know it is uncomfortable, but admire her sunny smile.

AL PEECHER'S GROUP

Our loss is Personnel's gain. **Ida Meyers** is lending them a helping hand for a few weeks or so. We hope it's not the "or so," as we miss her.

Welcome to **Betty Rose**, who has joined our group from Roger Noyes' group on swing.

Jo Ann Binkerd presented her husband, Denny, with a son, Kevin Ray, on January 23.

Kay Pinson did likewise on January 24. She named her son Robert Thomas.

We were pleased to see **Opal Barth's** smiling face February 1, after an extended sick leave.

ACCESSORIES

Benlah Veach is back from her vacation in Canada. She had a wonderful time.

Ted Buckley has a new assistant. We welcome to our department **Bob Kuhes**.

Bryan Cole was off work a week with flu. Or was it the new daughter?

DICK MCKINNON'S GROUP

Election of officers was held. We wish to congratulate **Mildred Helm** as our new group representative and **Flossie Eberius** as alternate. Also, many thanks to the outgoing officers.

Sylvia Flone has changed her hair style, due to her oven exploding (also burned her fingers).

Margaret White has returned to our group from swing.

Dieting seems to be the topic of conversation in our group these days, but some people seem to be having a little trouble.—huh, Peggy?

Take a look at the new car of **Ron Runyen's**! Pretty classy.

The mud puddles must be getting pretty deep around here. **Sue Savely** had to go back home and change all her clothes one morning. She received a few bruises, too.

MARV'S GROUP

While we were fighting the "battle of the snow", **Hazel Petersen** and spouse were enjoying the balmy breezes in Hawaii.

A warm welcome to two gals just out of training: **Jane Harnett** and **Peggy Engstrom**.

On January 20, **Charlotte Kraft's** husband baked a cake for the group. Where did you find him, Charlotte? It's just what we gals are looking for—a husband that cooks!

Congratulations are in order to **Pat Dinger**, our new Group Representative, and **Velma Balston**, our new social chairman. Thanks for a job well done to **Aase Rhodes** and **Orpha Daley**.

A smorgasbord was enjoyed January 29 in honor of John Neal, who transferred to Marshall's group. He collected a few doodies—Popeye pipe, sweater and sox.

DOUG THOMPSON'S GROUP

At a farewell smorgasbord for **George Scott**, who transferred into Militarized Products, the group gave him accessories for his boat and welcomed **Doug Thompson**, our new supervisor.

Other changes in the group are **Cliff Johnson** leaving us for Shop, **Wayne Foust** and **Gene Palmer** going into Finals and **Peggy Enstrom**, **Lucy Aller**, **Hazel Royer** and **Chika Niimi** going on days.

The new faces in the group are **Shirley Allen**, **Ruth Johnson**, **Diana Fisher**, **Pat Cole**, **Olive Spitzer** and **Pat Behenke**.

Maxine Guthrie has a new granddaughter.

MECHANICAL ASSEMBLY

Mary Hatfield and husband wish to extend their thanks to the blood bank for the help they have received for their mother.

Lena McIntosh has transferred to Pilot Production. A plant was given to her as a farewell gift from the department.

Cake and ice cream were served by the swing shift for **Rose Hartley**. A money tree and many gifts were given to her for the newcomer-to-be. The day shift people were guests of swing.

Our new Group Representative is **Hulda Jamerson**; alternate, **Verna Lacey**.

MARSHALL'S MISSES

Everyone survived our unexpected snowstorm; however, not without a few bruises and not so few shattered nerves from the icy roads. **Helen Johnson** was rescued from the snowbanks by **Harriet Virell**. (She only fell in with one leg, but it was up to her waist, she says.) **Doris Flynn** and **Bobby Kielhorn** were up on the mountain and this time really snowed in!

Congratulations to **Bobby Kielhorn**, our new Group Rep. and to **Ildra Smith**, our social rep. replacing **Myrl Svela**.

Larry Sutton received a sweater from the group on his departure to Mechanical. We're happy to have **John Neal** from Marv's group as our new U. man.

What has been the attraction in Marshall's group that the U. men and group leader have been watching so intently? An ant farm?? The ants will never know the comments they caused.

PRODUCTION TOOLING

During the big snow we appreciated the fact that management took into consideration the bad roads and foul weather by making the announcement that if anyone was unable to work the supervisor would understand. Here in Production Tooling everyone made it except "Mac" **McDowell**. Poor "Mac" was snowed in for three days.

The Ham club has paid off for a couple of non-hams at Tek who were able to talk to relatives in foreign parts. **Howard McPherson** talked to his brother in Alaska and **Hank Bullock** talked to relatives in Okinawa.

PHIL'S GROUP

We welcome several new girls to our group this month—**Lucy Nickich**, **Gloria Kama**, **Anne Richardson**, **Lucy Aller** and **Hazel Royer**.

Ginny Gilbo and **Florence Brown** were recuperating from surgery.

Maridel White and **Doris McClure** both had baby boys.

Rita Jasper is back from a nice sunny trip to California and will be leaving us again soon for a trip to the hospital.

Shirley Daughtry is leaving next week to await the stork. The girls in our group chipped in to help buy a "baby tenda" for her "next".

KEN KING'S KLAN

Vern Walker has joined the ranks of amateur oil-and-canvas men at Tektronix. He brought two of his better-known works of art, the **Charge at Gettysburg** and the **Retreat at Gettysburg** (he just turns the same picture around!) into Quality Control last week to get an aesthetic reaction from his co-workers. After much consideration **Lee Crocker** suggested that he might try to scrape the paint off and salvage the canvas to patch the top of his Sprite.

Chick Furchner showed his "Florence Nightingale" tendencies this week when his wife Bev, son Russell, and dog Cindy all got the flu simultaneously. He said that every time he heard a "bark" he didn't know whether it was Bev, Russ or the dog again. We hope they are all better soon.

Marion Crowell has really been keeping busy, working on her house at the beach some weekends and taking German lessons every week at Hillsboro Hi. We believe this is in anticipation of a trip to Germany to visit her son Danny, who is stationed over there in the armed forces. She won't commit herself one way or the other, though.

Another member has swelled the ranks of Production Q.C. from 12 to 13. **Lois Anlgud** has joined our Receiving Inspection group located at the Warehouse. Before this, she was in Component Test.

Speaking of Lois, she proved the truth of an old axiom, "Better late than never" by getting her drivers license just this week—the first one she's had, so we're told, and she's delighted with it. We are, too, and feel much safer now when we ride with her!!

Barbara Byrne was on the quiet side this time, but did volunteer the fact that she has a male Siamese cat if anyone would care to rent him.

A birthday luncheon was held for **Marion Crowell** on January 15 at Podpah's. Her group gathered to dine her and wish many happy returns of the day.

Pace Slows As Moving Nears End

Tek is still on the move, but the pace is less frantic.

The last groups were to occupy our new interim office building by mid-month, and Irv Smith's Employment group was expected to take over the former Purchasing office area in the old Beaverton city hall by the week end of the 19th and 20th.

In the IO building, carpenters are catching up on loose ends of interior construction.

Now settled there are Administration, Communications, Personnel, Retirement Trust, Human Relations, Printing, Finance, Purchasing, IBM, Mailing, Company Planning and Marketing.

Scopemobiles and Plastics Production are in leased quarters near the intersection of Cornell and Murray roads in Cedar Mill.

Training Location Changes

Field training and customer training are now being done in the Retirement Trust building.

Engineering is moving into evacuated quarters in Sunset plant, which has been extensively remodeled inside. About the last week this month, much of the CRT bottle plant will move into what was the Marketing area.

According to Facilities Manager Dick Pooley, Contractor Ross B. Hammond will turn the new Ceramics building over to Tek on April 15.

Tekaqua Gets Going

Tekaqua.

That's the new Tektronix water sports club, which held its first meeting February 20.

The purpose is to gather all water sports enthusiasts together for group fun and entertainment.

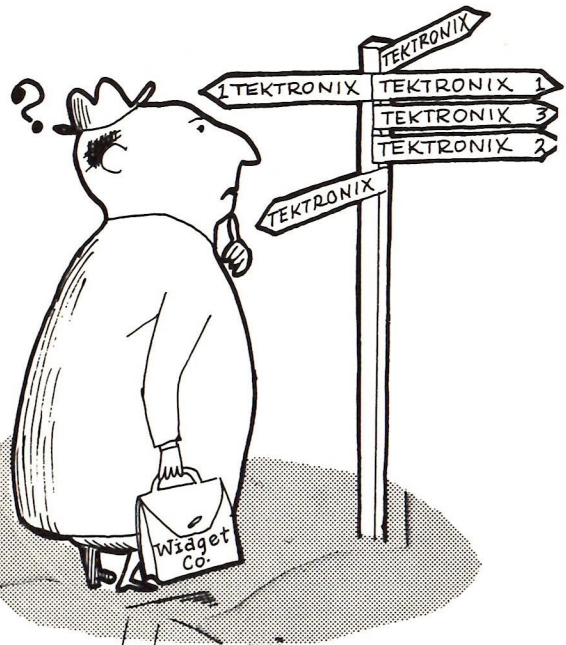
President is Dick Braniff, vice-president Roy Slack, Treasurer Russ Bassindale and secretary Helen Sherrod.

Teks interested in joining may contact any club member.

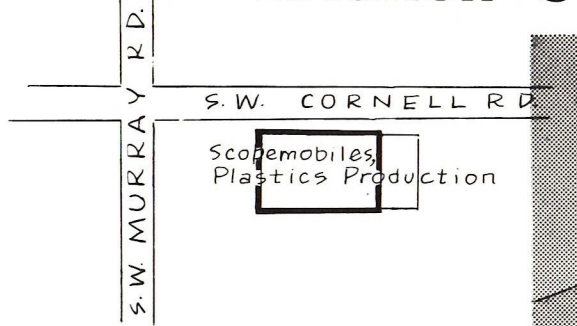
On the next two pages you'll find a new map of all Tektronix locations except Panelcraft. The map shortly will be printed in large quantity for plant visitors to use. Some copies will be given to local service stations so strangers may find us.

If you find glaring omissions or errors, please phone 406. The maps will be printed very soon.

On their reverse side will be a listing of all Tektronix departments and the building in which they're located.



Location C



Credit Union

CEDAR HILLS SHOPPING CENTER

Location D

Location E

Engineering, CRT

Location F

Advertising, Photography
WEST SLOPE PROFESSIONAL BLDG.

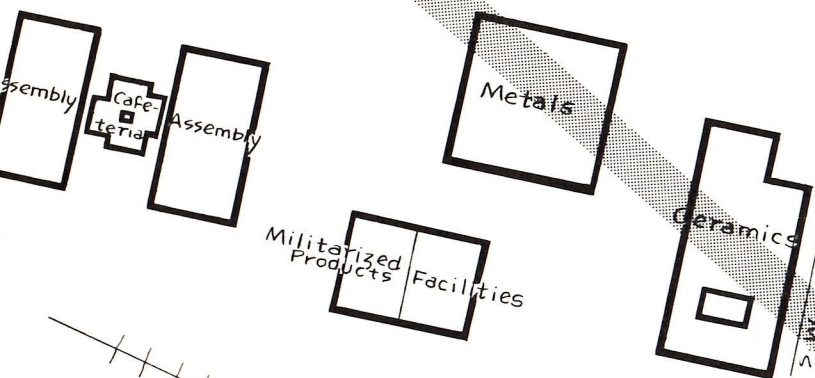
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Capacitors, Resistors, Pots

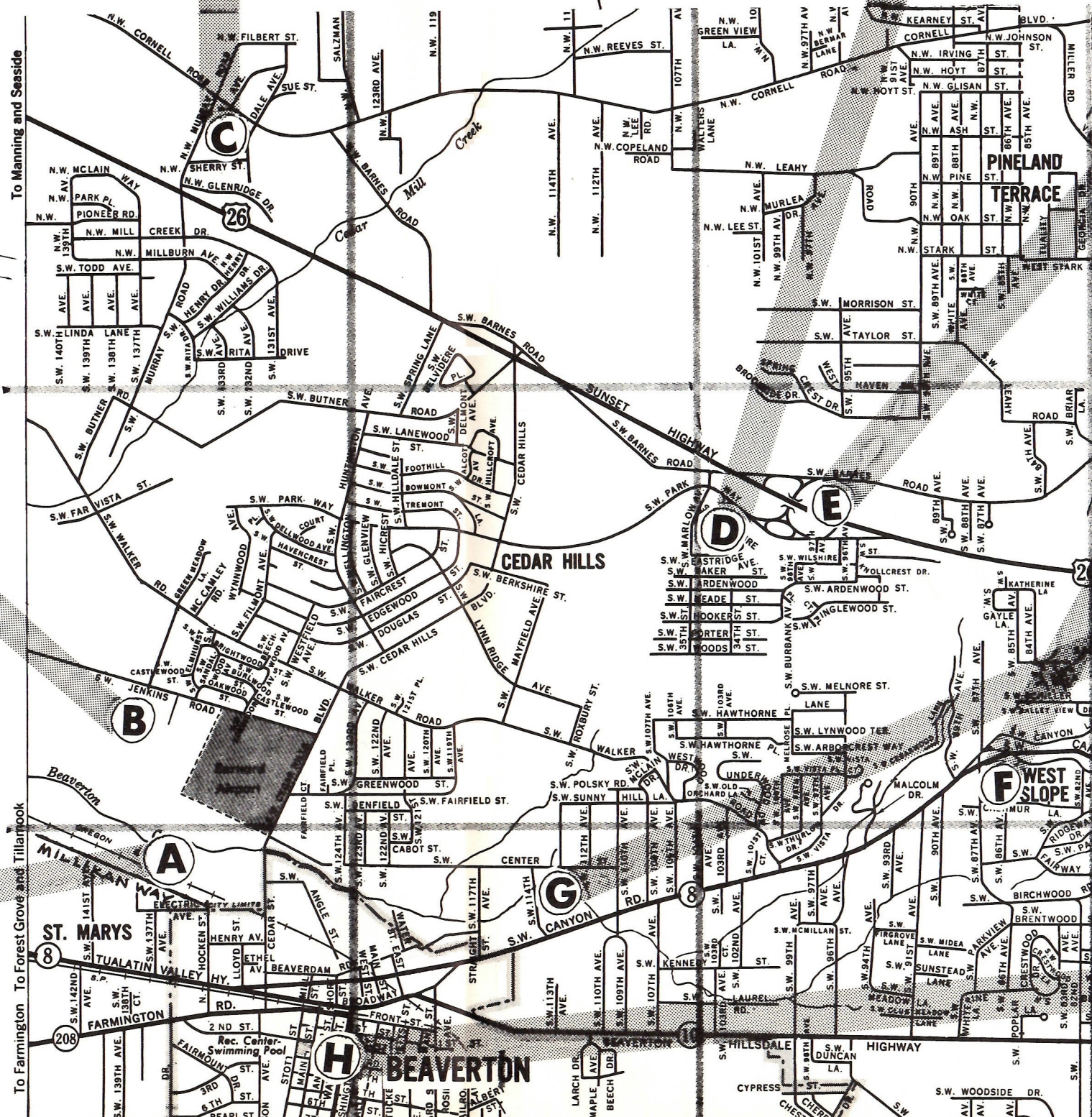
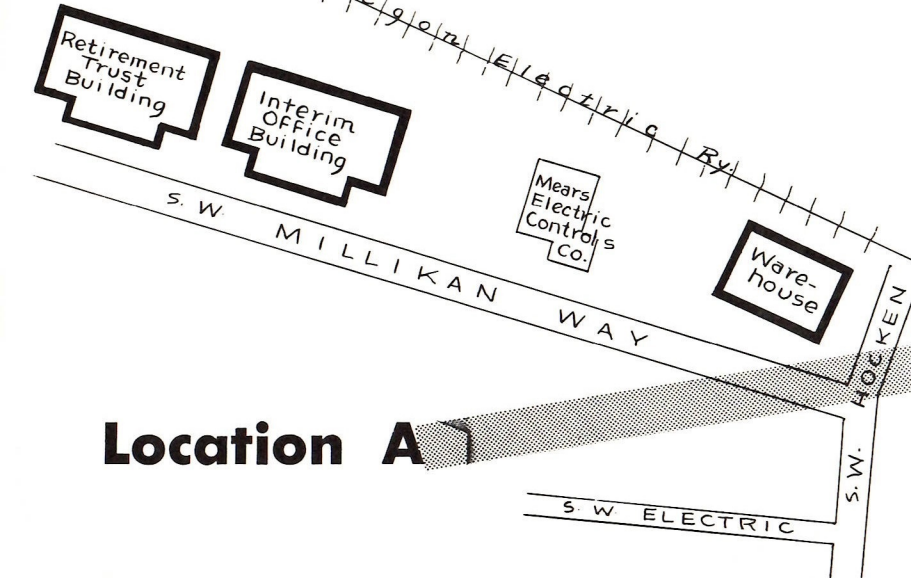
Location H

Employment, Militarized Products

Location B



Location A





THE GO-CART craze is here to stay. Kathy Egger (Unit Wiring) shows how it's done, using Merlin Mack's car. He says it will go about 35 miles an hour and handles "real good."

CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Customer Service has been busy making changes, hoping to give faster and better service to our customers. The most recent change is combining the modifications and history manuals into one group. It will be known as the Research group and will be headed by **Chet Murphy**. **Stock** welcomes **Mildred McCann** back from her two-week stay in the hospital. Newest addition to stock prepack is **Barbara Cummings**, transferred from Warehouse stock prepack. **Inventory Control**, in expanding, has added **Lola Pollard**, formerly of Messenger Service, and **Delores Gilreath**, who is new to Tek. We will miss **Marty Dawkins** who, with her husband Dave, will be leaving for one of our field offices soon. **Technical Services** lost **Al Allworth** to Engineering last week, but **Dick Forsyth** will be returning to our group. Good luck, Al, and welcome back, Dick.

FINAL DAZE

Well! Here it is spring (almost) again and everybody is raring to go places and do all sorts of things. I said "raring to" I didn't saw doing anything, and that's what most of us in Final are doing—nothing.

Say! Have you noticed those dark-eyed and sort of beat looking people roaming around the plant? Well, nine-tenths are probably department heads, group leaders or some sort of boss. (The other one-tenth? oh, probably just some bewildered kid.) They are taking a six-week course in electronics from 4 til 12 p.m., after a full day's work. So let's all help them out and co-operate.

Some people (or dogs in this case) just never get the word. **Ben Grossen's** dog, **Schwartz**, didn't get the word on Ben's 39 new chicks. To make a long story short, Ben's chicken farming has gone to the dogs.

Daze has traded **Art Comstock**, who is going on swing, so he'll have more time at home. He is planning on building this summer—for **Fred Herb** and **Bud Zemke**. Glad to have you with us, fellows.

The feud between **Gladys Koch** and "One-hand" **Jack McCabe** is finally over I guess Jack kind of let Gladys down. You can't win them all, Gladys.

PLASTIC PROCESSING

We thought it would be nice to see how we looked when we were children, so it was decided that each one would bring a baby picture of himself and we would have a Guess Who? contest. The most fun was trying to discover who was who and were we surprised how wrong we could be. The contest ended February 12.

Our department has been in a turmoil for the past week trying to get ready to move again. By the time Tek Talk is published we will have moved and settled in Cedar Mill.

Want to thank Plastic Moulding for sending us a going-away cake and the inscription that described our new home so well.

The name of our boss has been changed to Chief Polyethylene by us girls. If the picture turns out we will show you why.

Will close now with a happy birthday to the "40" club.

FINAL SWING

We welcome three new men in from Unit Wiring to our department: **Harold Hill**, formerly from Shop, **Larry Wells** and **Dean Gitchel**.

Gene Paul and **Art Comstock** are doing a switch. Gene to days and Art to swing.

George Weseman left us to go to Final days, and **Marv Hunter** returned to Unit Wiring.

COMPONENT PRODUCTION TOOLING

There's joy in Mudville tonight, for **Fred Schonstal** and **Tom Sandor**, at least. Ever since they took their physical exams on January 11 (at the request of the local draft board) they've been through plenty of metal anguish. You know—visions of themselves marching with heavy pack on their back, scrubbing the deck, peeling potatoes, and on and on. Now, though, they're having more pleasant, civilian style visions, 'cause they've both received deferments.

We suburbanites have increased in number again. **Rex Gordon** sold his Portland home and bought a nice little place in Garden Home. Rex is quite proud of the new hogan, what with running water, indoor plumbing and even electric lights! Must be quite a place! Anyhow, Rex, we denizens of the swamp take great pleasure in welcoming you to the Lake Beaverton area.

Dale Helbig has been temporarily detached from our group to work with **Marlow Butler's** group. We certainly do not wish Marlow ill, but we're anxiously waiting the end of the agreed-on 90 day period so Dale can return to our group. A word of caution to you, Dale,—be on your toes at 9:05 am. and 2:05 p.m. Tales have been told of people who were trampled into the floor if they happened to be standing between the Mechanical Engineers and the coffee pot.

Before we close, did you know that a new more dignified title has been coined

for "troublemakers"? We call 'em "agitation engineers".

MARSHALL'S MISSES

Bits of wit: **Marshall Jackson** saying, "I feel better all over than any place else!" **Doris Flynn**, "I am awfully close to my face."

Question: What is a mongoose?

Answer (**Myrl Sveta**): The opposite of a lady goose.

Learning to ski: **Joyce McNiel** and **Roberta Petit**. Joyce is learning at Timberline Ski School and Roberta is taking lessons from her new husband, Bob.

We miss **Ellen Robinson's** smile. She is on three week's leave of absence.

WANTED

News for Tek Talk,

See any reporter

CRT SWING

Congratulations to **Dave Guthrie**, our new alternate.

This past week we have enjoyed the company of **Charlie Porches**, **Maxine Fisher**, and **John Mephram** who are on loan to us from day shift. Charlie is usually found in Pre-Production. Maxine is helping in the phosphor room and John is helping finish the bottles.

Kay Conklin has joined the girls in CRT Test. She formerly did quality control work for guns.

MARV'S GROUP

A Valentine smorgasbord was enjoyed by the group on February 11. **Marv's** wife and daughter **Marcy** joined us for lunch. The laughter coming from our group was over the valentines some of the gals and guys received.

Welcome back to **Edie Alfano** and **Francine Hopkins**. Edie has had an eight-month leave and Fran has been doing duty on swing.

Vi Hart was busy February 9 showing off her new grandson. A mighty fine looking baby.

COILS

We have three new coil finishers. They are **Doris Scadding**, **Florence Nedrow** and **Viola Baker**.

Geneva Buchanan, self-appointed bug bouncer, throws out any bug that she catches trying to sneak into the department. She just doesn't have the heart to step on 'em and besides it makes a funny noise.

CABLES

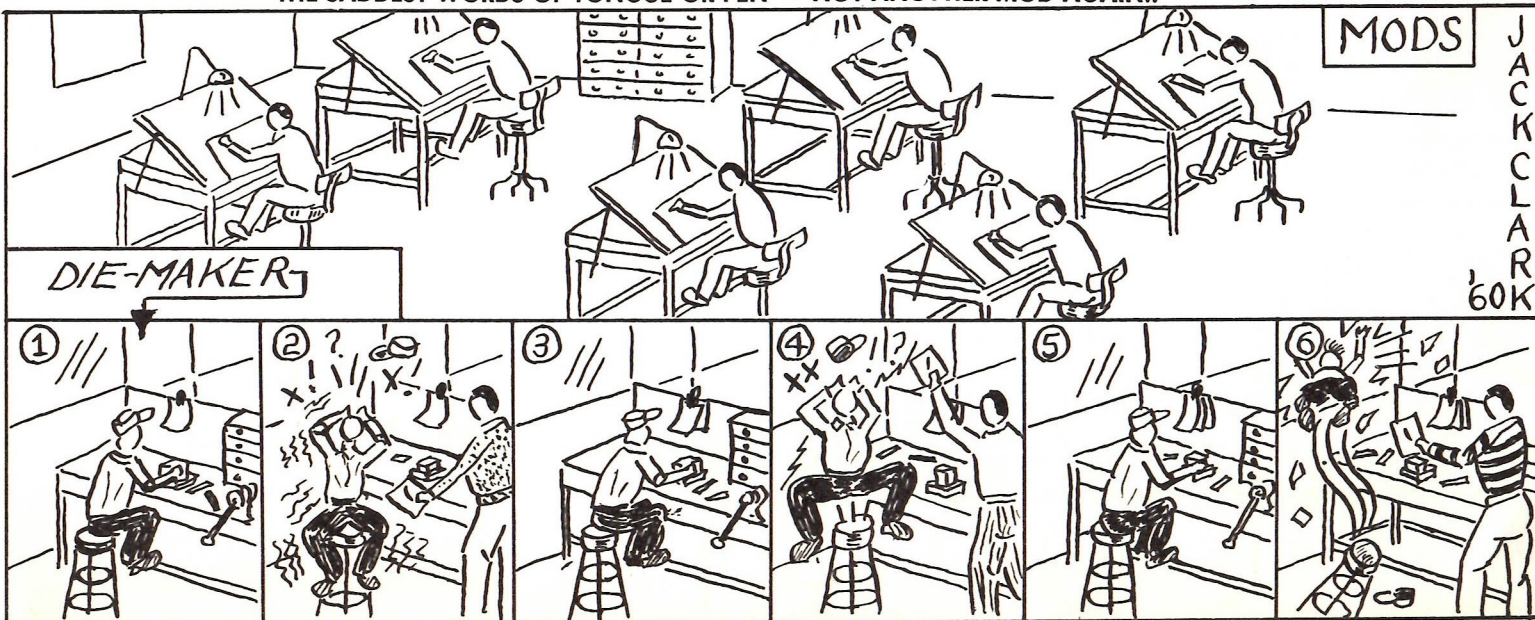
Cables swing shift expressed its appreciation with a potluck for the fine work of **Frances Pierce** during her long term as Group Representative. The pleasant affair was jointly designated to thank **Merlene Warneking**, also concluding her term as social director for the group. At the same time we welcomed **Muriel Phillips** as group rep and **Norlynn Baker** as social director. We wish them luck. Four new girls were initiated to this Tek tradition: **Karen Smith**, **Darlene Barratt**, **Penny Montague** and **Sharon Hayden**.

FRANK WHITE'S GROUP

Les Hunter has returned to our group from Final. Just couldn't stay away from all the gals.

Hilda Chamberlain returned from Cables

THE SADDEST WORDS OF TONGUE OR PEN—"NOT ANOTHER MOD AGAIN!!!"



with a few extra broken fingernails and, of course, callouses.

Marge Montag had a birthday—29th. That's for the third time around. Oh well, Marge, as long as you can hold a pair of clippers you can stay.

Ruth Schultz celebrated her first year with Tek on the fourth.

The 12th we had a nice Valentine's cake which was really hard on the diets. Everybody started a new diet the following day.

Ester Tyski is driving around in a new charcoal-and-white Rambler American.

AL PEECHER'S GROUP

Ruby Wright is still on the sick list. We miss her around here.

Cries of woe heard from **Donna Wojcik** who is building on and remodeling her home.

Woe to the one who mentions building.

And living within the place.

Instead of enjoying it and relaxing,

I'll collapse to recuperate.

Gene Wall is expecting word any time, to report to the Material Forecasting department. We've enjoyed having him in our group.

ACCESSORIES

Vera Henze from Wire Prep is now at home recovering from an operation.

We are glad to have **Mary Breazile** on day shift with us.

Florence Shade had a pleasant visit with her new little granddaughter in Tacoma last weekend.

DICK MCKINNON'S GROUP

Our group enjoyed a potluck February 3, honoring the outgoing officers and **Carol Turnage**, who is now in switch repair. Anyone noticed peg-leg **Penny Maples** lately? A day of tobogganing just isn't worth having to wear a leg cast for five weeks. We wish you a fast recovery, Penny.

Mary Ann Dewey is sporting a new Nash Rambler.

Marge Stevens forgot that you use your hands for serving volleyball. Result—black-and-blue arms. Some people never learn.

MECHANICAL ASSEMBLY SWING



A baby shower for **Rose Hartley** was held January 29 between shifts so everyone could attend. Cake, ice cream and coffee were served. The high spot of the baby shower was the money tree, brand new one dollar bills hanging from every branch (constructed by **Margaret Bustrum**). Gifts and money kept coming in all evening. Rose can't thank each one of you personally, but wishes to express her thanks to all Mechanical Assembly, Unit Wiring and Accessories who remembered her.

We wish to welcome to swing **Fran Reinhardt**, **Ila McCoy**, **Florence Fields**, **June Plaster**, **Sally Denner** and **Della Fortin**.

Three of our girls have gone on days—**Belva Yoss**, **JoAnne Dahlke** and **Linda Vanderlinde**. Good luck, kids. Don't forget to set that old alarm clock!

This reporter was certainly surprised February 1 by a beautiful birthday cake bought by **Madelene Epling**. It was a pleasure to serve it.



ROUNDING UP his tribe when **Plastics** Processing moved to Cedar Mill recently was Chief **Herb Roehr**. He's laying down the law to **Elsie Gilbert**.

CAPACITORS

Darryl Fowler, son of **Pinky** and **Clarice Fowler**, leaves February 29 for basic training in the army, after which he will serve two years overseas duty.

Florence Ziegenbein, sister of **Doris Ziegenbein**, has joined the WACs and is taking basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala.

Glen Synder, husband of **Marge Snyder**, returned to California after a two and one-half week vacation with his family. Glen is studying for his master's degree in public health education at the University of California.

Clair Swank, husband of **Maxine Swank**, has undergone surgery for a back injury at St. Vincent's hospital. He will be there from four to six weeks. Visitors are welcome.

Donna and **Al Hand** spent several days vacationing at Reno. Donna may have come back broke, but there are two CAPs running around with a Reno jingle.

The newest members to be initiated into the grandmother set are **Kay Bartmess**, **Dorothy Melzer**, **Clydeen McFerran** and **Maxine Swank**. They join **Ruth Lukens** and **Mary Senter** as members of that exclusive group. We have several more grandmothers awaiting next initiation.

Susan Loader's daughter **Hannah** celebrated her sixth birthday with us February 12.

In January, there were seven in our group celebrating one year with this department: **Effie Foster**, **Barbara Sherbeck**, **Dee Barackman**, **Judy Neelings**, **Eleanor Larson**, **Janet Snell** and our department head, **Ken Hoggatt**.

In February, we have nine: **Bev Christensen**, **Sharon Hickman**, **Bertha Howcroft**, **Marge Madden**, **Margaret Shuman**, **Norma Johnson**, **Lois Ooten**, **Judy Potts** and **Don Stradley**.

Dorothy Freerksen and **Pat Wootten** celebrate their fourth year. **Oscar Olson** held open house in his new quarters in our department.

We enjoyed the delicious treats honoring these occasions.

CABLE DEPARTMENT

A "thank you" was received by the Cable department from the parents of our little blind boy in appreciation for the Braille writer we gave him for Christmas.

Many of the girls enjoyed the charivari for **Connie Rosenblum** and husband.

Our ingenious **Joyce Hall** got tired of the snow and cold, and decided to do something about it. Using Hawaii as her theme, she entertained the department with a swimming party, followed by games and refreshments at her apartment.

While the rest of us were shivering in the snow and cold, **Maxine McCabe** and her husband were basking in the California sunshine. They had a wonderful trip to Disneyland, San Diego and Palm Springs.

After a couple of years **June Bueneman** has returned to Tek and the Cable department. **Maxine Epling** and **Mary Pelouquin** have transferred from swing to day shift. Other transfers: **Irma Breazile** to Accessories, **Grace Hamlin** to Mechanical and **Barbara Losli** to Kit Prep. Loaned to **Betty Molby**. To welcome the new girls our department are **Hilda Chamberlain** and extend our well wishes to the transfers, refreshments were served during coffee break.

Esther Sipe has capably handled the financial affairs of our Bok Mi for many years. Now she has turned over the job to **Eyla Bidwell**.

A lovely bridal shower, given by **Pansy O'Brien**, was enjoyed by the department and especially by the guest of honor, **Lorena Miller**.

FINAL DAZE

Well our **Bettys**, **Spon** and **Alward**, the tourists of Final, recently spent a glorious weekend in San Francisco. The highlight of the trip was a 10-course Italian meal, which took the better part of a day.

"**Woody**" **Woodruff** married a beautiful January 30. Best of luck, Woody.

Joe Maples also got married January 9. Joe married **Penny Marlow** from Tek. Good luck.

A couple of weeks ago we looked out the window to see a Chevy come rolling down the parking lot and smash **Bob Taylor's** back fender. Guess you just can't hold those Chevys down, driver or not!

We elected new group representatives. **Bob Hart** was re-elected rep and **Jerry Kroetch** (Senator Kroetch) was elected alternate.

Jay Wratten is going back on swing shift so he'll be able to attend an IBM course.

Ray Bernert and **Derald Thornton** are with us now from Mechanical.

CRT TOOLING

We'd like to welcome, **Melvin Winegar-den**. Mel has freshly arrived from Kelso, Wash, where he operated an auto repair shop. He's a long-time "ham", as well as a mechanic. Mel will be working on maintenance of the CRT equipment.

Although we're gaining Mel as a new member of our group, we're also losing one. **Charlie Huckins**, also known as Private Huckins, left February 27 for a seven-month tour of active duty with the Army Reserve. Charlie, don't worry about the coffee breaks you'll be missing—the others will be happy to drink your share for you. Be sure to wear your overshoes, don't catch cold and don't let that mean old sergeant push you around. Seriously though, we wish you a safe, speedy return.

We've had a greeting and a fond farewell, but there's something else in the air—sadness and sympathy. Why? The loss of his happy bachelorhood by **John McAllister**. His engagement to **Lee Vincent** recently was announced, and they plan to be married in early April. There's a bright spot for us, though—bachelors always (we think) throw a humdinger of a party before they "git hitched". Are we invited, John? By the bye, congrats and best wishes to Lee and you, from all of us.

Remember when **Gordon**, ("Pierre the Thrifty One") **Ramsay** bought that little French car because he heard they didn't use much gas? Well, the Renault really didn't like gasoline too well, but it did like something else—repairs. A couple of months and a couple of hundred dollars after he bought the car, "Pierre" threw in the sponge. He traded the Renault for a German-made Opel with a beer stein painted on the dashboard. Now he likes to be known as "Fritz the Thrifty One", as he buzzes about the country side.

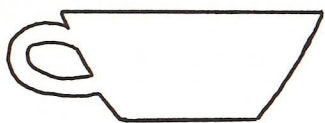
CABLES

A potluck supper was given January 28 as a farewell to **Bob Jackson**, and also to welcome **Bud Rasmussen**. We will miss Bob's grin and already are glad to know Bud. We were also welcoming the new swing shift girls, **Delores**, **Dorothy**, **Louise**, **Irene**, **Alma** and **June**. We hope these new girls will enjoy our group as much as we enjoy having them.

We were sorry to hear of the death of **Edith Waterman's** father.

PRESENTING A \$300 check to Oregon School for the Deaf are (from left) **Marv Sprecher**, **Aase Rhodes** and **Haru Rodgers**. **Tektronix Foundation** matched the Unit Wiring gift.





COFFEE BREAK

...WITH TOM WILLIAMS

Lloyd Sharp of our Production Electronics group was recently appointed as a member of a five man committee to review development of tentative curriculum for schools leading to qualification of students as Engineering Aides in the electronics field. The group met in Washington, D.C. under the auspices of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare on March 21-22.

Lloyd was Chairman of the local advisory group on Engineer Aide curriculum working in conjunction with the Adult Education section of the Department of Public Schools and is also a Regent of Multnomah College. He attended the IRE SHOW in New York City on March 23-24 as a representative of Tektronix following his two day session in Washington, D.C.

Scope applications are many—and the more diversified they become, the brighter our business horizons. From **San Diego, Ruth Christensen, Hal Dosch and Ken Dellinger** sent in a couple worth a wide reading. Westinghouse Electric's Specialty Transformer Department in Greenville, Penn. actually french-fries their Hipersil cores to demonstrate ability to withstand operating temperatures of 250°. The ad of this test shows a Tek scope in the background, and as Ken says, it is now pretty obvious that every housewife will need one in her kitchen to know that the radar oven is ovening and the closed circuit TV to the nursery is operating. Applications such as these will be highly important if anyone ever declares a world peace!

Also from San Diego, comes word of another medical application. The Bundle of His (say Hiss) which are nerve fibers responsible for keeping the lower part of the heart beating in time with the upper part of the heart must be located exactly when surgeons repair holes in the wall between the two ventricular chambers. With a probe developed by engineers of Cubic Corporation through a cooperative effort with doctors interested in heart surgery, the Tektronix oscilloscope is used to monitor signals of the order of 500 microvolts. Location of the Bundle of His has been accurately fixed in three heart operations at the Donald N. Sharp hospital.

As Cubic Corp. engineer Witkowski said about the San Diego experiment and development of an electronic probe, "This is just a new application of things we use all the time. All that was necessary was for us and the doctors to learn to communicate with each other."

FRANK WHITE'S GROUP

Good luck to **Helen Stanton** and party on their trip to Reno. Helen has promised to bring back silver dollars as treats to the group for her fourth anniversary at Tek.

Darlene "Patti" DeNeul is back at work after recent surgery. Of course, our boss, **Frank White**, gave Patti the beloved 262-175 switches to do—only 80 a week.

A welcome-aboard cake was given to **Frances Yost, Joan Flemming, Dorothy Canaday** and **Helen Sherrod**, all from swing shift.

Roslyn Buster arrived home January 22 from a trip to Nebraska, where she attended and helped celebrate her parents' 50th wedding anniversary. Roslyn had a little trouble with the snow. According to

her observations, Oregon isn't the only place with snow. A quote: "The plant never looked so good."

Vera Covington is back at work after three days absence, due to a bad fall in the snow.

Attention: On the morning of January 26 a Martian was seen in Frank White's group. A second look told the story. **Val Maynard** was running around in Frank's crash helmet.

While driving to work January 26, **Helen Stevenson** was hit by a pickup truck on Jenkins road. Damage was a broken headlight, dented fender and a bent bumper.

Here's a late report on **Helen Stanton's** trip to Reno. She got a traffic ticket hurrying to get back to work on time. She was stopped by a little burg called Alturas, California. A fine is to be paid.



WAREHOUSE basketballers edged out **Requirements**, 48-44, before a good-sized crowd in Barnes school gym February 18. At month's end, Warehouse had a 5-0 win record. Pictured are (from left): **Bob Newberry, Vern Cop, Joe Almand, Don Stoffel, Dick Place, Ron Fricke, Mike McHenry** and **Dick O'Brien**. Referee was **Milo Elkins**. (Photo by Eldon Jessup.)

PLASTIC MOLDERS

Ho Hum. Nothing much ever happens in our little group. In fact we hear the same things said from day to day. Such as **Lee Mason** checking our work will say, "How are you doing today?" and we answer, "They're staying white" and he will answer, "Is that a fact?"

Then there is **Jean Lohse** when she is having machine trouble and decides to have some extra help. She will raise her head and in her quiet, soft-spoken voice, she yells **GEORGE!!** He will come running from the other side of the building to see what is the matter.

A few things out of the ordinary will happen, too. Like the day **Lee Mason** lost the telephone. Why, that telephone jumped clear down to the second shelf and under a box, and Lee looked like he lost his last friend. But all is well now.

And then **Eddie Panian** was quiet for three days. Never sair or did much except work, until all of a sudden she decided to do a ballet dance. Just then a tourist came through the door, leaving the rest of the group nothing to do but die with laughter, while Eddie never changed her expression.

But now we are all back in our daily routine and still a happy group.

REJECTS FROM ROGERS GROUP

The old flu bug has bitten several of our girls. **Olive Moser, Kathy Whitman, Pat Alberding, Virginia Mick** and **Eleanor Whitford** have all had a bout with him.

Some of our girls have transferred to days—**Helen Sherrod, Margaret White, Gloria Kamna, Lucy Nickich** and **Lynn Webster**.

New girls welcomed to our group are **Fran Rapkins, Marguerite Mangold** and **Iona Vickaryous**. Marguerite is with us on sort of lend-lease from Plastics. We hope she decides to stay.

Jody Klatt and **Bicky Petterson** came back on swing from daze.

Mishka Morgus dropped into see us. The proud new mama promised to bring the baby in soon.

Sorena Dickson's husband called her from Okinawa. Was he surprised to hear she had adopted a son.

Cookie deserted us the other night. She won't say, but we suspect she attended that \$100-per-plate dinner in Portland. Get with the chassis, gal. It will take a lot of them to pay for that dinner.

Lill Knott's car had a bout with the wind. The doors came out second best. Now she has the doors closed but can't open them. Does she ever attract attention crawling in and out those car windows.

Pat Alberding is doing fine on her nibble diet. She nibbles cake, nibbles pie, nibbles bread, nibbles candy, nibbles anything she likes. She just doesn't swallow it.

Cookie is still filling us in with interesting bits about her sight-seeing trip to Hawaii. She says she was so busy she didn't even have time to take a bath. We are not sure whether she is kidding us or was really a dirty double-crosser.

Hear that **Roger's** wife herded the four kids over to him Sunday, handed him the armful of coats and said, "This time you put their wraps on and I'll sit in the car and honk the horn!!" Nice little group of deductions you've got there, Roger.

There are rumors of wedding bells in our group. Our advice is—be brave, be strong, son.. Don't let leap year take advantage of you.

We had our smorgasbord the night of the 27th. What a lot of delicious calories. They say no one has ever seen a calorie, but they have a way of making themselves ingloriously evident as they settle down on you in the wrong places. Just another sad fact of life—square meals make round people.

Thanks to **Martha Epperson** for her low-calory pecan pie. It tasted so good to be so low in calories.

Several girls in our group have enrolled in a charm and self-improvement class. They aren't telling what takes place at the school—but wowie, dig those classy chas-sis!

Your reporter (substitute reporter, that is) spent her vacation in California with her daughter and family. Visited Disneyland, Marine Land, Knott's Berry Farm, CBS and Universal International Studios.

Had the exciting, slightly terrifying and very confusing experience of traveling on the Los Angeles Freeway.

Overheard at coffee break: "Well I can either pay on my doctor's bill or I can pay the electric bill. Guess I'll pay the electric bill. The doctor won't shut my blood off."

PANELCRAFT

Jack Derbyshire is back slinging the paint at Panelcraft after two weeks in the leave. He spent one of these weeks in the Hillsboro hospital for minor but aggravating surgery. In lieu of flowers the group presented Jack with an original, man-sized getwell card with some \$12 in assorted coins attached and appropriately labeled bubble gum, cigs, comic books, etc.

Warnie Lemieux left us January 15 to go into business at Scio. He and his partner are now operating the "Stork Club of Scio". Warnie will welcome any of his Tek friends who happen down that way with a steak on the house and that pause that refreshes.

On his last day Warnie was presented with a metal spinning rod, case full of assorted fishing lures, and a beautiful plaque of a king salmon appropriately engraved for the true sportsman.

Phil Hainley became the proud father of another son on January 30.

CERAMICS

Howard McCormick has joined our group to help upstairs.

Ing Stromberg is returning to the hospital for another operation.

A large sheet cake was served for those having January birthdays. Happy birthday, **Don Vetriey, Murle Schroeder, Maxine Vogel** and **Steve Hughes**.

Several changes have been made within the group. **Charlotte Peterson**, is working with Mike Galley. **Muriel Cimino** is in inspection and **Lillian Parker** and **Pat Anderson** have gone on swing shift.

FINAL SWING

Lost: **Bud Zemke** and **Fred Herb** move to days and sleep mornings.

Clarence Ramseth leaves Tek for a position with the state police.

Gained: **Bob Emerson, Dave Horine, Wayne Foust** and **Gene Palmer**, all from Training in Unit Wiring.

Returned: **Jay Wratten** comes back after a short run on days.

Born: Boy, to **Howard** (Final Swing) and **Helen Case**, January 24, 9 lbs., 8 oz.

CUSTOMER SERVICE

New faces in Customer Service.....

Mildred McCann, from Stock to Leonard Mason's group....**Loretta Snook** in Chet Murphy's History Manual group....**Marianne (Marty) Dawkins** in Dick Schmidt's Parts group. Marty will be working part-time while her husband, Dave, is preparing for the field....**Chet Harding** formerly of our Union office is in Dick Winn's Technical Assistance group.

SHIPPING....**Barbara Brennan** of Jim Peabody's group has announced her recent engagement to Ron Loken....**Herman Ziegenbein** is proudly driving a new Chev Bel Air....**Marilyn Woods** and family spent the Christmas vacation in their new red Lark station wagon touring Disneyland, Las Vegas and points south.

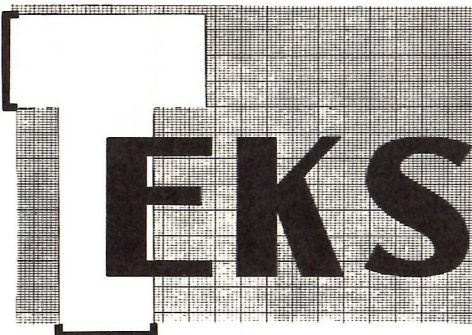
STOCK....Back after bouts with illness are **Tress Van Diest** and **Maxine Bergeron**. At the Bergeron residence, two pills and a glass of fruit juice are put out for Duncan first thing each morning...that is, if Maxine doesn't forget and take the pills herself, as recently happened.

MANUALS....Feeding the frogs is a daily ritual for **Mary Hamaker** and **Sybil Meese**. They have adopted these less fortunate creatures that live in the darkness of a sump about 18 inches deep...but as of late they are concerned. Seems that now there is only one in sight. It would be appreciated if anyone with a spare flashlight would send it to them so they can see if the missing frog is hiding in a dark corner or has a carnivorous friend. (fiend)

PARTS....**Jewel Spiering** is transferring to Purchasing in the near future....Back from the sunny south is **Irene Foxton** after spending Christmas and New Years in Arizona....**Sally Swain** will be leaving for our West L.A. office in about a month.

FORECASTING....**Vurda Lee** went into orbit recently after receiving a giant sparkler for her third finger, left hand. The lucky fellow is **Pete Shelly**....**Jan Jones** recently terminated, as the Joneses are expecting an addition to their family.

TECHNICAL SERVICES....the recent snow storm took its toll....**Don Lacey's** Chevy wouldn't stay in the ruts on Beaverton-Hillsdale highway....After a sudden gust of wind he found himself on top of a "No Parking on Hi-way Shoulders" sign....Don is very good at putting on chains (for the girls that is)....**Nellie Anthony's** son **Patrick** and high-school sweetheart (**Pat Kelm**) were married January 9 in Japan where Patrick is stationed with the Navy....**Lois Scott** turned her soldering iron in for a typewriter in the Technical Services office.



YO-HO AND happy birthday and all that sort of sentimental jargon, to 10-year-old **Jean Lohse** (Plastics), whom her fellow workers surprised with a cake February 29.

Here she is, obligingly huffing away at the 10 candles.



"How do you get around the child labor law?" our inquiring photographer snooped.

Giggled young Jean, "I'll never tell."

"WE GOT THE red carpet treatment," reports **Don Ellis**, back in from Guernsey.

When he and **Bob Davis** had to land in Amsterdam because London airport was fogbound, travel folks bent over backward to help them catch their London-to-Guernsey flight.

They jetted (as air travelers like to call it) back to London airport pronto. There they were put first in line and romped through Customs in jig time with almost no red tape. ("They hardly looked in our suitcases," marvels Don.)

They reckon they moved through Immigration, Baggage and Customs in a mere 12 minutes. Tek now may justly lay claim to the world record for this sort of caper.

IN A LITTLE lorry with a stew-ardess, they were zipped through 31 miles of London suburbia to Gatwick airport and met there by airline officials, who gave their tickets a quick once-over as they dashed for the waiting plane.

Talk about red carpet treatment, our boys thought.

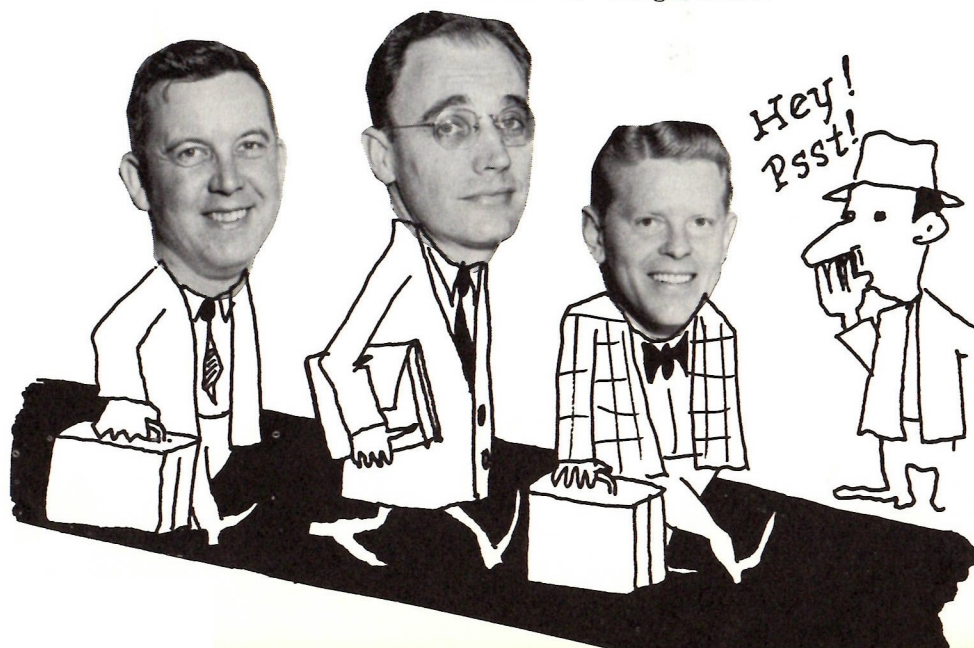
AT GUERNSEY the Tek crew—**Bob, Don, Byron, Don Alvey** and **Al Hannman**—was met by **Earl Wantland** and **Dave Spinks**, who took them to the hotel.

When they drove up, by golly if there wasn't a genuine red carpet laid out to the door.

WELL-NIGH AGOG at this final touch, they trod out of the auto onto the carpet, **Byron** in the lead.

Then some native or other busted the bubble.

"Get off that!" he ordered. "That's for the governor!"



SHOP SWEEPINGS

A new face in paint—**Joe Jasper** transferred from Panelcraft.

Another Shop get-together is planned for February. We have nothing but fun! **Mildred McCann**, who recently transferred to Customer Service Pre-pack, worked one week on her new job and now is going to the hospital. Are they that rough?

Fred Hart, Welding, recently purchased a new bowling ball. Now he wants nothing more than a few 200's to show what his new ball can do. He's quite a bowler at that.

Old **Ash Ashenbrenner** did some pretty fancy bowling too—609. Real good—I guess!!

Dorothy DeChand, an old swingster from Silk Screen, came on days in Silk Screen, was there a short time and transferred back to nights in the Mechanical department. Guess she's just a night owl at heart.

Shop QC moved again! Shop Tool Crib ran out of room for them and moved them to the end of the Rotor department.

Elmer Schaber had a heart attack and is in Holladay Park hospital.

Bud Siegel is moving part of the shop into the old Cedar Mill print shop. Also Scopemobiles is moving there from Warehouse. The print shop moved to the new building.

John Mathews is now working in the shop office.

CAPACITORS

First, we'd like to roll out the welcome mat for: **Dick Fryer**, assistant to **Larry Abney**, transferred from Test; **John Appleyard**, assistant to **Don Stradley**, transferred from Shop; **Jim Manuel**, loaned from Test to assist **Oscar Olson**; **Dwayne Wolfe**, supervisory trainee to Capacitors from

Test; **Dave Easton**, supervisor of Pots to supervisor of Capacitors.

Art Peterson, supervisor of Capacitors, will transfer to Test for a six-week training period. Then he will return to supervise the Pot department. Yeah, Art, we're going to miss the pleasant aroma of that occasional cigar.

Barbara Hart has transferred to Accessories and **Pat Morsman** has transferred to Test.

A welcome home again to **Florence Sandberg**, **Virginia Cornilles**, and **Barbara York**. They have been on loan to Accessories.

Kay Bartness is a grandmother for the third time. It's a boy!

Phyllis Jenkins is on leave of absence from Capacitor Winding.

Jean Crawford is on leave of absence to meet her husband in San Francisco. Don has been stationed with the Air Force in Japan. They plan on spending a few days in Portland before going on to Biloxi, Miss.

Margaret Pearson's son, **Larry**, joined the Air Force January 5. He is taking basic training at Lackland AFB in San Antonio.

Dave Spinks gave an interesting talk about the Tektronix plant in Guernsey talk at our January 20 group meeting.

The Resistor girls surprised their supervisor, **George Rickman**, with a potluck dinner and birthday cake, and presented him with an original handmade fishing pole. Ah—ah, George, but the goldfish yet?

Ann Bender is the new reporter for Capacitor department.

If you ask the Capacitor gals why they have such high regard for their supervisory personnel, they will tell you about the recent "big snow". The men worked out in the cold, blustery weather putting on car chains for all the girls, and when it was time to remove them, they came forth with the same cheerful assistance. This is "TEK SPIRIT" to the last link.

CRT

Marion Cady wishes to express her thanks for the cards and flowers she received during her recent bereavement.

Sally Casselman became engaged to **Dick Fahner** December 31. Dick is in the U.S. Navy. Their plans are to be married in May.

Cy Littlefield married **Silvia Cuning** of Salem on January 22. Cy and Silvia are making their home in Salem.

Kathryn Heddon rushed back to Mountain Home, Idaho to spend a wonderful two weeks with her new-born grandson. Kate is carrying around a cute little book entitled "SOG with PIP" (Silly Old Grandma with Pictures In Purse).

Arlene Jones left us February 1 for her new job in CRT Test.

Small Parts has two new people. **Marion Cady** of Hillsboro, who is working with the triode and banding welders, and **Darlene Grouper** of Beaverton, who is with the stem girls.

Jo Ann Walch, who worked with us last summer, is back working part-time. She is attending Portland State.



DICK JANOWSKI of Test was honored with cake and coffee recently, just before he got married.

Bertha Vining flew to California to spend Christmas with her daughter and family.

Gayle Hoffman and family spent the holidays visiting relatives in North Dakota.

KNOW STOCK

Our new man in the Transportation section, **Bob White**, we have discovered, has had considerable skin-diving experience. So it was only natural that **Bob Perry** should combine a "sea hunt" caricature. Although this is not as exciting as the TV version, it does make for a melodious picture, as witnessed by the above-water singing of **Bill Love**. One thing is certain—mermaids were never like this!

To commemorate the picture below we dedicate:

LAMENT TO THE SKIN DIVER

Oh skin diver, skin diver

Swimming in the sea

How do the fishes

Look to thee?

Fear not the sight

Of odd shapes and sizes

For the fishes in thee

See many surprises!

Resplendent with your

Fin, masks, and gear

The fishes in thee

See an oddity to fear

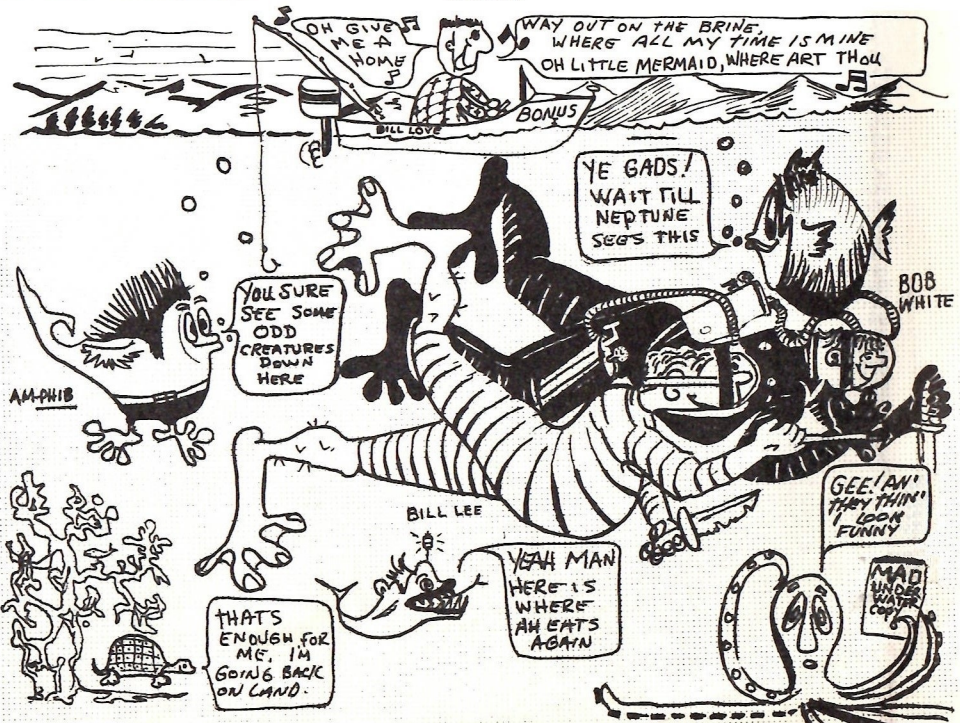
So dive deeper

You skin diver of fame

And put all the fishes

To deep, deep shame.

AMEN!



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