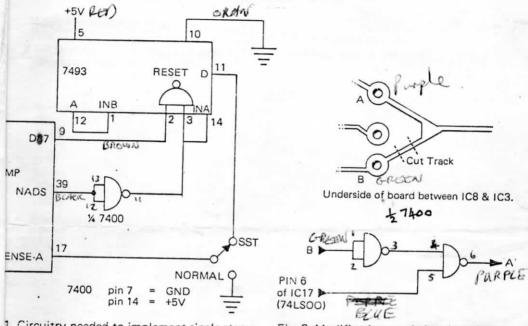
instruction and address. Repeatedly pressing 'GO' will step through the program. In between steps the contents of the user's registers, stored in RAM at OFF9 — OFFF, can be examined or altered using the monitor in the usual way. The switch may be returned to 'NORMAL' at any time; the next time 'GO' is pressed, the program will be executed in the normal way.

The single-step facility will appear to step over XPPC 3 instructions when encountered (X'3F) since they reverse the effect of the interrupt used for single-stepping. The single-step program will also behave strangely when used to step over HALT instructions (X'00), since the HALT flag is used by the single-step program.



Circuitry needed to implement single-step.

Fig. 2. Modification needed on boards Issue II or earlier.

## Offset Calculation

The offset-calculation program is located at 0093 in the revised monitor, and it saves you the trouble of calculating jump operands. Suppose we had the following program . . . .

ØFD4 9CXX JNZ LOOP

Where XX is to be determined. We use the offset program as follows:

- Put the jump instruction address in (ØFF9, ØFFA), in this case ØFD4.
- Put the destination address in (ØFFB, ØFFC), in this case ØFC9.
  Enter the address ØØ93 and press 'GO'.
- The program will insert the correct value of XX into your program, in this case F3.