Strange and wonderful things are afoot in the Deep Springs valley. The 1988 summer seminar at Deep Springs is titled: “Law, Literature, and Society: American and American Indian.” Professors Robert N. Clinton, College of Law, University of Iowa, Michael Delacorte, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Davis, and Robert F. Sayre, Department of English, University of Iowa, will lead the seminar. Although the topic itself promises to excite, there is an even more compelling reason to pay special attention to this year’s Deep Springs program. On June 26, 15 high school women will join 5 high school men and the Deep Springs first year entering class for the first co-educational Deep Springs TASP. This marks the beginning of a new TASP era for Deep Springs and hopefully, a renewed spirit of cooperation between Telluride Association and her sister institution.

The 1987 convention directed TASP board to work with Deep Springs on a proposal for a co-ed summer program acceptable to both institutions. Terry Pell and Warren Rosenblum visited Deep Springs in October to begin discussions, and from those negotiations they and the Deep Springs students formulated a TASP proposal which is very similar to the other summer programs of the Association. The major differences are the existence of the labor program, necessary to the survival of the ranch, and the inclusion of the first year students in the program, necessary because of the structure of the academic year at Deep Springs. For the purposes of the summer program, the first year students have the same status as TASPers.

A committee of Deep Springs students wrote up the proposal and submitted it first to the Deep Springs Trustees for approval, then to TASP board. TASP board provisionally approved the proposal at its fall meeting in November. In February, Fred Maus, Chris Black, Varun Gauri and Joe Schwartz visited Deep Springs to work out the details and finalize arrangements.

Only the TASPers, first year students, and factota will participate in the seminar, unlike previous years when second years students also participated. David Porter and Becky Pinnick from CBTA, and Mike Armstrong and Mishka Terplan from Deep Springs, will serve as factota for the program. Four second year students will serve as “labor factota,” providing the expertise and leadership necessary to the success of the labor program, and directing the students in this aspect of the TASP.

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The Arrival

Eric Lerner has arrived as the new Administrative Director of Telluride House, bringing new life to the Association. With Nan as the previous Director, the House has been managed with efficiency and a strong sense of purpose. As the new Director, Eric brings fresh perspectives and energy to the role. His appointment is a symbol of the House's commitment to excellence and innovation.

In his capacity as Director, Eric will focus on several key areas. He will work closely with the Board of Directors to ensure the House's strategic direction aligns with the Association's goals. He will also oversee the House's operations, ensuring that all aspects of the community's experience are well-supported and well-managed.

Eric's appointment comes after a number of successful years with Nan, who has been instrumental in building the House's reputation and ensuring its continued success. The House is grateful for Nan's leadership and is confident that Eric will bring the same level of dedication and commitment to the role.

Eric's background in both community and academic settings makes him an ideal candidate for the position. His experience in administration, coupled with his passion for the House, makes him a strong fit for the role. The House looks forward to working with Eric and supporting him as he takes on this new challenge.

Eric Lerner
Telluride House

Outgoing Administrative Director Nan Stahnaker is on her way to Boston.

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News From Alumni and Friends

I Brad Edmondson, DS76 CB80, reports the birth of his and Kathy's second child, a daughter named Emma Katherine, on January 28, 1988.

Michael Greene, CB82 TA83, has taken a new job at the Washington Legal Foundation as a Resident Scholar, and will hold the newly established Alexander Hamilton Chair of Law and Public Policy. Michael also writes that on April 23 his wife Diana gave birth to their first child, "a healthy young boy by the name of Alexander Wyatt. Mother and child are doing well. Father is kept up at night, and feels zonked out in the morning."

Park Honan, DS46, has published a biography, Jane Austen: Her Life. (St. Martin's Press, February 1988), based on new information released by Austen family descendants. British reviews have called it "the finest" and "undoubtedly the best" life of the author of Pride and Prejudice. It was also reviewed in The New York Times Book Review on February 27, 1988.

Cam Jones, SP94 CB85 TA86, took first place in Impromptu Speaking in the American Forensics Association national tournament April 11. A week later he topped that by taking first place in Impromptus in the National Forensics Association national tournament, as well as third in Extemporaneous Speaking. I'm told this is the first time ever that a single student has taken first in the same event in both national championships.

From the President

Despite some bad moments with the trust fund in October, the Association is still in the novel position of having more income than it urgently needs to spend. Just as the House needs a fairly massive renovation every few decades, this "infusion" gives us the opportunity to carry out a long-needed renovation of the intangible Telluride. Last year's Convention made a start with a variety of human-capital innovations, including up-or-out membership and retraining outside Convention. Their full impact will not be felt for years, but by June we should have a first look at the effect they will have on recruitment and membership. It's already clear that we did not think all those procedural changes through very carefully, but there is more to be done than simple nuts-and-bolts adjustments to TARP. We did not have time to explore many other important and neglected topics in any detail — for example, how to make the House a more attractive place to live, and how to deal with our employees.

Indications are that we may have an unusual influx of new members this year, but for the moment one problem that has not gone away is our perennial difficulty in finding a quorum. I hope that many of you will find the prospect of rethinking our operations to prepare for the 1990s more appealing than the penny-pinching and preference that has traditionally taken up so much of our time. More than ever, we need the collective wisdom dispersed among you. I urge you all to mark your calendars now and plan on coming to Ithaca this June.

—Martin Van, President, TA

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"Mom and Dad are in the infamous newborn fog. Day is the arrival of David Handelsman Christie, born March 25, 1988. April and painful a completely normal delivery is. How much fun a


Japanese Language Series, recently opened a small Tokyo office. Carl was recently quoted on the subject of the value of

Row in 1987. David and Lori have a daughter, Diana Damrosch, SP76 has bought a home in Seattle and

SP70 and Drew Christie report the

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SP69 is associate professor of law

TASPers. The Nigerian Experience” published in

Mayer, Brown

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Sanjay Levine, India

Jennifer Dr. Levine, San Francisco, CA

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The Journal

The Great Transformation: The Making of


Kristen Anskiewicz, Lynn, MA

Shana J. Brown, Glasgow, CT

Eve Brunt, Charles, MO

Cathy Carlson, Vinton, IA

Robert Arnold, Pipestone, MN

In 1988 TASP SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

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Anns Alice-Davies, Pasadena, CA

Atul Alladi, Kenilworth, IL

Juan Acha, París, France

Chaya Blauwenswar, Flushing, NY

Andrea Burrows, Swarthmore, PA

Jessica Bay, Berkeley, CA

Suresh Chandra, N. Bellmore, NY

Debra Chou, St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada

Amanda Claybaugh, Millville, MD

Kia Golshoof, Brooklyn, NY

Stacey Halpern, Eugene, OR

David Kessler, Granville, OH

Renata Kobitis, Jamaica, NY

Jennifer Langan, Kodok, AK

Trudy Marsh, Indian Head, MD

Gwen Parker, Rutland, VT

Jerry Putnam, San Antonio, TX

Eric Santiestevan, La Canada, CA

Dawn G. Shapiro, Pomont Junction, NJ

Tama Shapiro, Urbana, IL

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Michael R. Booth, Laramie, WY

Christopher Dacko, Winston-Salem, NC

Libers Della Piana, Salt Lake City, UT

Tamara Duncan, Flint, MI

Mark Gimen, Jackson Heights, NY

Saraswati Subramanian, Salt Lake City, UT

Anna Meshack, Poway, CA

Sandhya Subramanian, Shenectady, NY

Seau Willford, Knoxville, TN

Monica Youn, Houston, TX

Rachel Young, Post Falls, ID

Ethan Zuckerman, Pound Ridge, NY

Alternates

Eleanor Chin, Ann Arbor, MI

Andrew Sullivan, Ann Arbor, MI

Quinn Eastman, Pacific Palisades, CA

Kyla Dunn, Oakland, CA

Jiro Nakamura, Tokyo, Japan

Steven Beart, Cedar Rapids, IA

Jaquetta Busting, Wolcott, CT

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