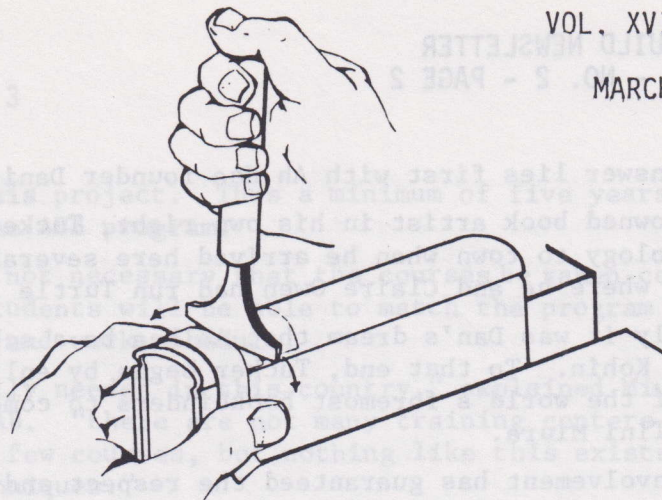




BOOKBINDING SCHOOLS. We were getting confused about the Ah Haa School for the Arts, and received the following clarifications from Margaret Johnson:

"As Tom Conroy has probably already told you, Ulli Rotzscher's bindery in San Francisco is called Bookmaking Needs. However, he has bought out a bindery in Berkeley where he does most of the work now. I have not heard its name but I'll try to get it. The San Francisco space is now mainly used for a sales room - afternoons only. But it is virtually the only place here where you can go and see and buy bookbinding materials, aside from art stores.

Also - the Ah Haa School in Telluride has changed its name to the American Academy of Bookbinding, see enclosed - same address."

The article Margaret sent is from the *TELLURIDE TIMES-JOURNAL* of June 23, 1994 and here are some excerpts from it:

"Local Bookbinding Academy is Unique in America by Art Goodtimes

After several years of offering bookbinding courses, the Ah Haa School for the Arts has upped the ante and spawned a new subsidiary: the American Academy of Bookbinding.

"We wanted a more professional image," explained Ah Haa Executive Director Judy Kohin. "The name Ah Haa just didn't ring with bookbinders."

But the upgrade involves far more than just a name change.

The new Academy will offer American bookbinders the chance to earn a Master of Bookbinding degree without leaving the country and studying overseas for a year or more.

Currently the AAB program is the only one of its kind in the U.S.

"No one else in the country is offering this," said Kohin. "There are a few classes here and there, but this specific course of instruction is not being offered anywhere else."

How, you might ask, would a small resort town like Telluride set deep in the relatively inaccessible San Juan Mountains of Colorado come to offer such a nationally unique program?