

News and Views

Volume 11, no. 2 of our newsletter, *News and Views*, was distributed to those attending the annual meeting of CSE at Daytona Beach, Florida. It contained the program for the meeting, information about the Center, and the order form for Memoir No. 1, The lady beetles of far eastern Russia. (The order form is also printed on page 352 of this issue of *Insecta Mundi*). Copies of the symposium issue of the newsletter may be obtained in hard copy on request to the editor. However, for those connected to the internet, it is also reproduced on our web page. Volume 11, nos. 3 & 4 was distributed by mail to all members, all Research Associates of the Florida State Collection of Arthropods, and to a selection of other systematic entomologists. These latter, the non-members receiving copies, are urged to join the society. These newsletters are posted on our web pages at the following web address:

<http://gmv.ifas.edu/~entweb/cse.htm>

The Web

Those of you who have gotten these issues of the newsletter know that we asked you to return a form that was enclosed. This was to supply us with an e-mail address, as well as other information for our records. If you have not returned the form, please

do so when you read this. We want all interested entomologists to receive the newsletter, but our biggest expense is postage. We hope that we can cut down on this by using e-mail wherever possible. All members of the CSE will continue to receive hard copy if so requested. Non-members will be added to the mailing list (at no cost) as long as they wish to have it sent, on request, and as long as funds are available for this. Obviously, we hope you will find this, and *Insecta Mundi* worth the expense of membership, only \$35.00 per year.

We are adopting the publication procedure used by the Entomological Society of America for their newsletter. We are publishing a four to eight page "hard copy" edition which will be mailed by first class postage to the United State, Canada, and Mexico. For future issues, for other countries, we will use the printed matter, surface rate.

The electronic edition (*i.e.*, the web edition) will contain more pages, especially when there are lists, reviews, etc. Each article in the hard copy of the newsletter contains a notice at the end indicating that more information is to be found in the electronic edition.

Please return forms enclosed with last newsletter.

Send news, information, etc. for the next issue.