

Since its formation early in 1980, The Phasmid Study Group has expanded to more than 350 members in 30 countries, including people of all ages and ranging from beginners to professional entomologists. The purpose of the Group is to encourage studies of all aspects of Phasmids (stick and leaf insects). Since phasmids have received little attention until recently, there is scope for anyone to provide further information.

Newsletter - is issued quarterly and contains new items, livestock information, details of exhibitions and meetings, and a variety of short articles on all aspects of phasmids.

Phasmid Studies - is available online It contains longer articles on all aspects of phasmids with emphasis on natural history, captive breeding and behavioural studies. Abstracts and occasionally reprints from other publications may also be included.

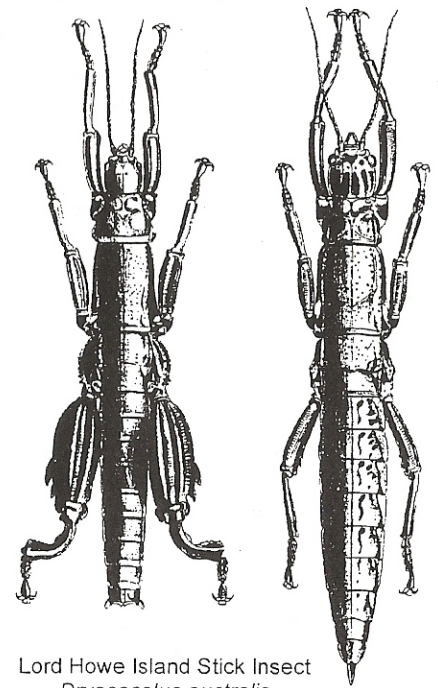
Livestock distribution - There are now many species being kept by members, and new ones are continually added - many of the Group's species are not available commercially. The Livestock Co-ordinator helps to distribute surplus stock to members who want them. Members are not permitted to sell any livestock they obtain through the Group.

Meetings - are held twice a year, usually at The Natural History Museum, London. Here members can talk with fellow enthusiasts and give and receive livestock. The Group also provided displays at several entomological exhibitions.

New members - will receive Newsletters and ~~Phasmid Studies~~ issued in that year. To ease administration, membership information is stored on computer and subject to the restriction of the Data Protection Act.

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Lord Howe Island Stick Insect
Dryococelus australis

Membership Application Form

The subscription for the year 2009 is £12 (UK); £14 (Europe); £15 (Overseas)

Please make your remittance payable to **The Phasmid Study Group** and send to the Membership Secretary.

Full Name:

Address:.....
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Postcode:..... **Country:**.....

Home Telephone Number:.....

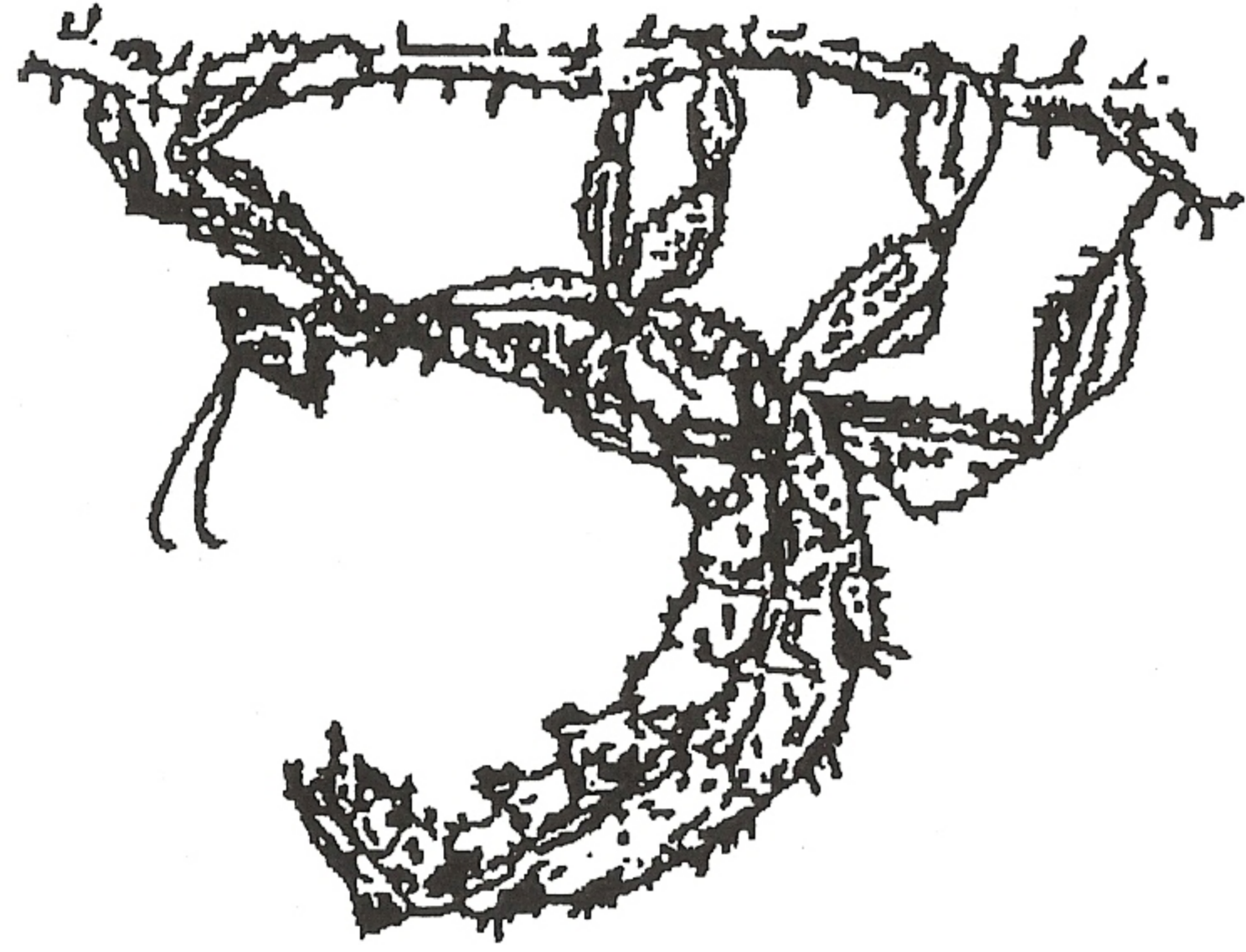
Species kept:.....
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Particular interest in phasmids:
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Where did you hear about the Group:
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Payment should be made by one of the following methods:
i) Sterling cheque drawn on a UK Bank for £12 (UK), £14 (Europe) or £15 (Overseas)
ii) If you wish you can send bank notes in your own currency to the equivalent value *at your own risk*, but please add £3 to cover exchange costs. There is a risk bank notes may be lost in the post, so you are advised to use registered post or equivalent.

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