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TWO EDITORIAL QUESTIONS:

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newsletter later than April 20, please advise. THANKS!

value, we would appreciate receiving several REAL questions.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

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We are concerned over the amount of time that it takes the Post Office to deliver the newsletter in certain areas. For example, a reader recently reported that his February copy arrived a week later than his March issue - or it took almost two months to travel half way across the country. Should you receive this copy of your

As discussed with a number of our readers, we are considering adding a "Questions & Answer" section to the newsletter. The concept will be to accept

questions on any technical subject from our readers - who may, if they wish, remain

anonymous. We expect that topics might include areas like how to accomplish a particular procedure or where to find a substance. In the following issue, in

addition to publishing new "questions", we will publish answers to last month's questions - from other readers. Should you feel this activity to be of possible

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