

generated by computer. There are numerous misspelled words, particularly in the first two sections. The glossary has no justifiable purpose, as most of the defined terms are not encountered in the text. Some of the terms are imprecisely or incorrectly defined, for example, 'Anatomy. The science of internal morphology' and 'Anopheline. Subfamily of the Culicidae'.

I was disturbed to see my friend and colleague R.A. Ward acknowledged as the sole reviewer of this book. Hence I made an inquiry and learned, as I expected, that he had reviewed only 'certain parts of the first draft (very rough) and sent them [the authors] hundreds of corrections to many of the tables.' He added that 'due to a situation beyond my control, I was unable to devote the *hundreds* of hours necessary to review the text.' The book obviously was not reviewed by experts during the latter part of its development.

Indian anophelines contributes little if anything to the advancement of mosquito taxonomy and biology and its usefulness is severely limited by its shortcomings. I honestly

cannot recommend this book to colleagues or researchers, and it will not benefit students.

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Erratum (Vol. 85(2), 175–179)

Byrne, F.J., Bedford, I.D., Devonshire, A.L. & Markham, P.G. Esterase variation and squash induction in B-type *Bemisia tabaci* (Homoptera: Aleyrodidae)

Due to an editorial oversight, the following errors to the above paper occurred at proof stage. The Editor wishes to make it clear that the authors were in no way responsible for these errors and apologise for any embarrassment which may have been caused.

Title of paper to read

Esterase variation and squash *silverleaf* induction in B-type *Bemisia tabaci* (Homoptera: Aleyrodidae)

Page 176, figure 1 caption

FOR: 'After separation of polyacrylamide ...'

READ: 'After separation *on* polyacrylamide ...'

Page 177, line 9, column 1

FOR: '... (Byrne & Devonshire ...'

READ: '... (*Byrne* & Devonshire ...'

Page 179, references, line 16, column 1

FOR: '... acetylcholinesterase ...'

READ: '... *acetylcholinesterase* ...'

Page 179, references, line 10, column 2

FOR: '... poinsettia ...'

READ: '... *poinsettia* ...'