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At this meeting of high church officials in AD 897, Pope Stephen VII accused his predecessor, Pope Formosus, of illegally occupying the papal throne. Formosus had died nine months earlier, so he had to be removed from his grave and propped up during the trial. Remarkably, he was convicted during the Cadaver Council."

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"Mamluks

A regime controlled by slave soldiers that governed Egypt, Syria, southeastern Asia Minor and western Arabia from 1250-1517.

It flourished as the undisputed military power of the central Muslim world. The Mamluk sultan Baybars (r. 1260-77) spent much of his reign battling the Crusader states in Syria-Palestine. Until 1340 when the Black Death decimated the population of Egypt and Syria the regime enjoyed a prosperous reign" p. 190

**Culture and Social Sciences**


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"NETWORK

A national Roman Catholic social justice lobby that educates, lobbies and organises to influence the passage of federal laws to promote economic and social justice. NETWORK was founded in 1971 by 47 Catholic sisters who shared a vision of working collectively through government to seek justice for the poor and marginalised. Through the years NETWORK has grown to more than 11,000 members" p. 304


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"Christingle

In British and Irish Moravian churches a lighted Christingle is given to children in the Christingle service on the Sunday before Christmas. ......

The Christingle is an orange with a hole bored in the top. A cleaned goose quill, with feathers removed, is wrapped in red or white paper and inserted in the hole. The end of the quill is cut into several sharp points to which are affixed almonds, raisins and small jellied sweets of different colours. A small candle is pushed down into the heart of the quill. The orange symbolises the world and the candle Christ, the light of the world" p. 112
AUSTRALASIAN RELIGION INDEX

Following a report submitted to them by the ARI Management Committee, a decision has been reached by the Board of ANZTLA to adopt ARI-IN, one of the software packages trialled by the ARI Management Committee in the second half of this year.

Three indexing programmes were trialled by seven ARI indexers who put an enormous amount of work and thought into the process and showed patience and insight in their responses. We are enormously grateful to them for their willingness to participate in the trial. The three programmes trialled have all had the involvement of ANZTLA members in their development. We wish to acknowledge the valuable and valued contribution by all involved in helping ANZTLA advance its objective of producing ARI itself.

On a practical level, this means that for indexers, paper indexing is a thing of the past. In 2004, the ARI Management Committee will finalise work on distributing the new software and work with the Editorial Committee on establishing a new work scheme for indexers.

ARI 14 is ready to go to the printers and should be available for distribution early in 2004. Again, our grateful thanks go to the indexers and the editorial team for preparing the data and to Tony McCumstie and Philip Harvey for their data input and proofreading skills.

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ARI Management Committee