FROM THE EDITOR

The pilot scheme for the ANZTLA Australasian Religion Index is now in progress. Those librarians invited to index a number of Australian journals have begun to submit their worksheets to the Centre for Library Studies, Wagga Wagga. Our feature article this issue outlines the proposed scheme fully.

We trust that by now each of the ANZTLA chapters has met to discuss the paper, ANZTLA Standards in Theological Libraries, and prepared their submissions for the executive. It was agreed at the AGM in August last that our contributions be submitted by May 1988 in order to allow time for preparations for the next Conference in September.

The organising committee for the Canberra conference in September is currently preparing brochures. You should receive information very soon. Hope you are able to join us there.

In our last issue, the President's report referred to provision being made via the Newsletter, for change of duplicate periodical listings. If you wish to take advantage of this facility, you will need either (i) to send one copy of the list together with \$10 for each 100 copies per page (cheques payable to ANZTLA, or (ii) to send 100 copies of the list ready for inclusion with the Newsletter mailing.

Have you read the LIBRARY PROFILE page? We invite you to prepare an interesting account of your library and institution. Include all the information indicated on the profile form inserted in this issue. If you supply only basic information, we will edit it, but we would prefer you to prepare the completed article.

Did you know that this may be the last issue of the Newsletter your library will receive? Why? Because many individuals/institutions have not yet paid their 1988 subscriptions. ANZTLA is now structurally and financially independent of the Australian and New Zealand Association of Theological Schools. This means that the subscription your institution pays to ANZATS does not cover membership of ANZTLA. Separate subscriptions must be paid. Thus, a red sticker on the membership page of this issue indicates the 1988 subscription has not been received by our Treasurer. Hans would be very pleased to receive your payments. Ensure that you receive Newsletter No. 5!