EDITORIAL

Practicalities: the theme of this year's conference promises to be both interesting and useful for our ongoing task of providing the information services required by our clientele. I am very sorry to be missing out on the great line-up of speakers who will surely stimulate our thoughts and keep us ever mindful of the need to be practical as well as professional in the execution of our duties as theological librarians.

From time to time I have received expressions of response to items published in the Newsletter. These are always appreciated and encouraging. Perhaps you would like sometimes to have your ideas or reactions published. Please feel free to put your thoughts into print and contribute them to the Newsletter. You will note that Philip Harvey has done just that in his *Pettee Reactions*.

Yet again Trevor Zweck has been hard at work, to share with us his experiences of preparing for automation. While we always welcome his contributions, and those of other (almost as) regular contributors, we would be pleased to receive articles from other ANZTLA members also, on any topic which would be of general interest to our members. We are sometimes wondering to the last moment just how we will fill our pages.

I shall think of you as I am travelling in Europe. Have a great conference!