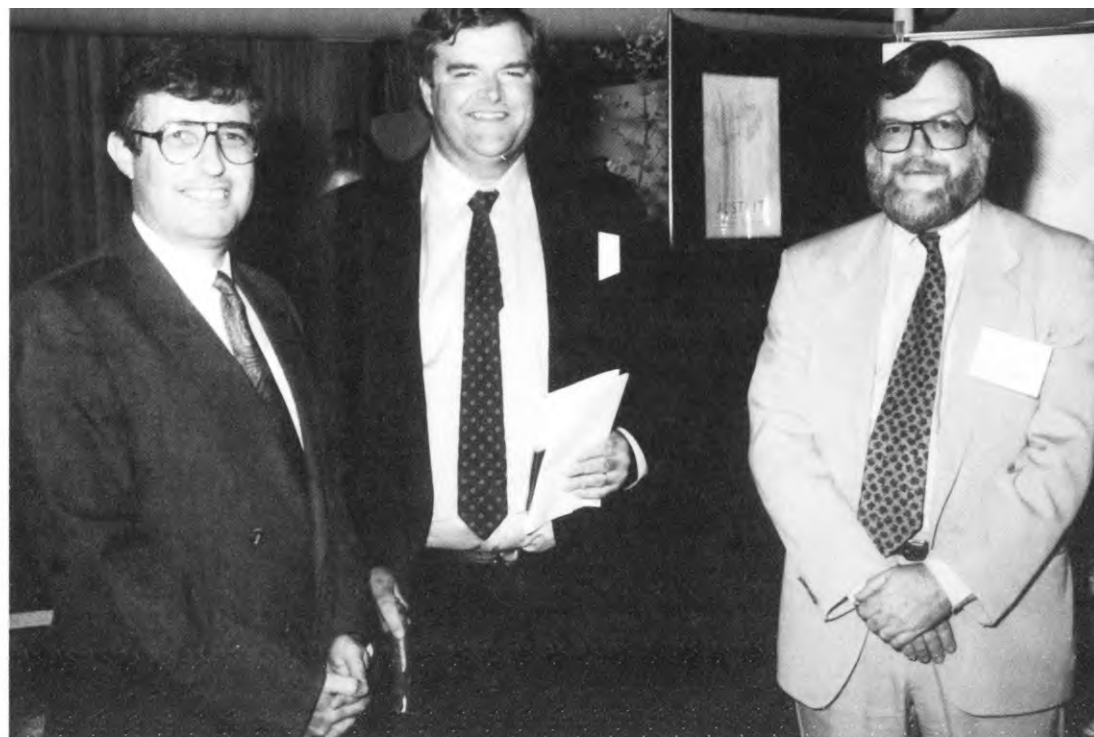


## Austlit on CD-ROM

Minister for Employment, Education and Training Kim Beazley (centre) launched this important new initiative at the Australian Defence Forces Academy recently. He is seen here with ADFA Librarian Lyn Hard (right) and RMIT Librarian Don Schauder.



## New tariffs for OZLINE

**Norm Morrison has some important news for present and potential users**

**O**ZLINE intends to introduce a new billing arrangement at the start of the 1992/93 financial year. To date OZLINE has simply billed users for time used online. This connect time charge will be retained but two new subscription options will now be available for users:

- unlimited use of OZLINE up to 30 June 1993. This option should be attractive to regular users of the network. Academic institutions with LANs accessing AARNet could find this offer of great value as there is now an AARNet gateway into the National Library.
- twelve hours use or twelve months use, whichever

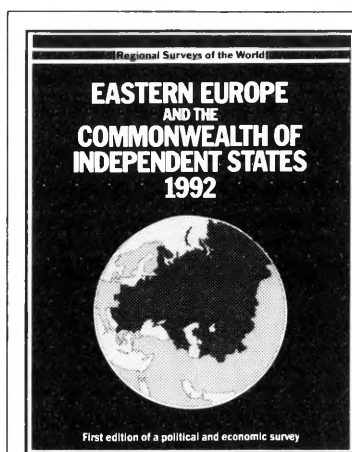
comes first. For \$660 centres using OZLINE regularly but for short online sessions may find this option attractive. The connect time charge is aimed at low use centres who use OZLINE as a backup to other systems, or who have only an occasional demand for information in the subject areas OZLINE covers.

There is an additional charging option for school libraries which can access most of the OZLINE databases for a maximum of five hours per annum for \$25 per connect hour. For more information contact OZLINE, Canberra ACT 2600 or call (008) 020002 toll free.

### And a new database on OZLINE

The HERA database, a product of the Australian Heritage Commission, has recently been added to OZLINE. HERA contains over 13 000 records dealing with material about Australia's cultural and natural heritage. Topics covered include legislation, social aspects, education, conservation management, national parks, nature reserves, landforms, Aboriginal sites and art, archaeological sites, historic buildings and settlements. Source material includes articles, theses, maps, resource kits, government reports and monographs (including the reports of the National Estate Grants Program).

Like the FAMILY database, HERA will now be available on both AUSTRALIS and OZLINE.



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