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# ABBREVIATIONS

ABU	Ahmadu Bello University
CAN	Christian Association of Nigeria
CC	<i>Christian Courier</i>
COCIN	Church of Christ in Nigeria
CRK	Christian Religious Knowledge (a school subject)
ECWA	Evangelical Churches of West Africa
EYN	Ekklesiyar ‘Yan’uwan Nijeriya (Church of the Brethren of Nigeria)
JETS	Jos Ecwa Theological Seminary
JNI	Jama’atul Nasril Islam (Muslim umbrella organization)
MM	<i>Missionary Monthly</i>
MSS	Muslim Student Society
N	Naira, the Nigerian currency
NIPSS	National Institute for Policy and Strategic Studies
NN	<i>New Nigerian</i>
NS	<i>Nigeria Standard</i>
TC	<i>Today’s Challenge</i>

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