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- “We Have Become ‘Vassals’ of the State: Former Deputy Prime Minister”
“The rejection of traditional values and principles has led to the embrace of big government to solve all of society’s problems, says former Deputy Prime Minister John Anderson. The former Nationals leader, who served in the Howard ministry from 1999 to 2005, said a consequence of this phenomenon is an increasing lack of confidence in democracy and for the younger generations, some of the highest rates of depression ever. “We are losing trust in the institutions of freedom,” the now-host of a popular podcast series said in an address to the Church and State conference in Brisbane on March 4. “We know that from the surveys of young Australians—and it’s replicated across the West—we think perhaps socialism would be better. We’re losing trust in the institutions such as our schools, churches, even family,” he added. “We’re losing trust in our driving ideas. That’s why it’s a ‘civilisational moment.’”
www.theepochtimes.com/we-have-become-vassals-of-the-state-former-deputy-prime-minister_5101350.html
- “The Unravelling of Australia Begins”
“The Albanese government has appointed an ambassador for Australia’s Indigenous people. Not an Australian ambassador to the United Nations, where there is a Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, but an ambassador for small groups of Australians whose interests may or may not coincide with the interests of the rest of the country. So, the unravelling of Australia begins.”
www.theepochtimes.com/the-unravelling-of-australia-begins_5110547.html
- “New Zealand’s Own Indigenous ‘Voice to Parliament’ Has Failed Maoris”
“In a warning to Australians set to vote on altering their Constitution, New Zealander Casey Costello says her country’s own Indigenous “Voice to Parliament” has not had the desired effect and has become a burden on its democracy. Costello, part-Maori and Anglo-Irish, is the founding trustee of the Hobson’s Pledge, said the Waitangi Tribunal, established in 1975 to give Maoris a greater voice in Parliament, has been unsuccessful. “[Australian Prime Minister Anthony Albanese should be able] to say ‘Look, there are no Maori unemployed anymore’ or ‘Maori have the best education outcomes of the country’ or something that you could point to to say this has been a successful model, and there isn’t any,” she told The Epoch Times.”
www.theepochtimes.com/new-zealands-own-indigenous-voice-to-parliament-has-failed-maoris-advocate_5101783.html

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