Herald (Melbourne), 17 March 1939, p. 4, New Half Caste Schools Approved

Approval of the Federal Government's plan to establish near Alice Springs two training centres for aborigine half-caste boys and girls was expressed today by executives of inland missions and societies interested in the welfare of aborigines.

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The president of the Australian Aborigines' League (Mr A. P. A. Burdeu) said that his league was pleased with the scheme. They objected, however, to the two institutions being earmarked for half-castes to the exclusion of suitable full-blooded aborigines. The same opportunities should be available to both.