Argus, 5 December 1934, p. 10, Conditions of Aborigines, William Cooper, Honorary Secretary, Australian Aborigines' League, Letter to the Editor

By permission of the Aborigines Protection Board a petition has been circulated among and signed by the aborigines under its care for presentation to His Majesty the King. Signatures of aborigines in support of the petition now to hand number 3,000, and signatures are still coming freely from all States. It is hoped that the petition will be completed about the end of January. The petition seeks for more amelioration and better conditions than that of past years, or the present, for that matter. We have applied to the Commonwealth Government for permission to present a deputation on behalf of the aboriginal population by aborigines' representatives, who will seek the support of the Government for the petition.