- (3.) Section one of the Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act 1937 is amended by omitting sub-section (3.).
- (4.) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act 1920-1937.
- 2. Section twenty of the Principal Act is amended by adding at Commissioners

the end thereof the following sub-section:—

"(2.) Where an officer appointed under section twenty-one of this Commonwealth Public Service Act is appointed as Commissioner or member of a Board he shall retain all his existing and accruing rights and shall be eligible for any additional rights conferred on officers appointed under that section as if his service as Commissioner or member were a continuation of his service as such an officer.".

and members

3. Section twenty-one of the Principal Act is amended by inserting Appointment of officers. after sub-section (3.) the following sub-sections:—

- "(3A.) Where the Minister, on the recommendation of the Commission, directs by notice published in the Gazette that an officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be an 'employee' within the meaning of section four of the Superannuation Act 1922-1934, that officer shall be deemed to be an 'employee' within the meaning of that section as from the date of the publication of the notice.
- "(3B.) The last preceding sub-section shall apply to a Commissioner or member of a Board who was, immediately prior to his appointment as Commissioner or member, an officer employed under this Act as if he had remained such an officer.".

## WAR SERVICE HOMES.

## No. 25 of 1937.

An Act to amend sections nine and fifteen of the War Service Homes Act 1918-1935.

[Assented to 16th September, 1937.]

E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the War Service Homes Act Short title

(2.) The War Service Homes Act 1918-1935,\* as amended by this Act, may be cited as the War Service Homes Act 1918-1937.

Act No. 43, 1918, as amended by No. 28, 1919; No. 35, 1920; No. 18, 1923; No. 26, 1925;
No. 47, 1926; No. 17, 1927; No. 13, 1929; No. 6, 1932; No. 68, 1932; No. 63, 1934; and No. 54, 1935.

Commissioner not subject to Commonwealth Public Service Act.

- 2. Section nine of the War Service Homes Act 1918-1935 is amended by adding at the end thereof the following sub-section:—
- "(2.) When an officer appointed under section fifteen of this Act is appointed as Commissioner he shall retain all his existing and accruing rights and shall be eligible for any additional rights conferred on officers appointed under that section as if his service as Commissioner were a continuation of his service as such an officer.".

Staff of Commissioner.

- 3. Section fifteen of the War Service Homes Act 1918-1935 is amended—
  - (a) by omitting from sub-section (2.) the words "and shall hold office during pleasure only" and inserting in their stead the words "but shall be engaged for such periods and shall be subject to such conditions as are prescribed."; and
  - (b) by inserting after sub-section (2.) the following sub-sections:—
    - "(2a.) Where the Minister, on the recommendation of the Commissioner, directs by notice published in the Gazette that an officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be an 'employee' within the meaning of section four of the Superannuation Act 1922–1934, that officer shall be deemed to be an 'employee' within the meaning of that section as from the date of the publication of the notice.
    - "(2B.) The last preceding sub-section shall apply to a Commissioner who was, immediately prior to his appointment as Commissioner, an officer employed under this Act as if he had remained such an officer.".

## HIGH COMMISSIONER.

## No. 26 of 1937.

An Act to repeal section eight and amend section nine of the *High Commissioner Act* 1909.

[Assented to 16th September, 1937.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

Short title and citation.

- 1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the High Commissioner Act 1937.
- (2.) The High Commissioner Act 1909\*, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the High Commissioner Act 1909-1937.
  - 2. Section eight of the High Commissioner Act 1909 is repealed.

Repeal.