FORM OF PROTEST FOR NON-PAYMENT WHERE PERSON LIABLE TO PAY THE AMOUNT OF THE BILL IS PRESENT.

[Set out the document protested, with all inscriptions and endorsements thereon.]

The Instrument whereof a copy is above set forth having been duly presented for payment and the said A.B., being present and having refused to pay the same on the ground that (state reasons if known), the said instrument is hereby protested.

day of Presented to me this

STAMP. 3/-.

(Signed)

Registrar of the District Court of

PROVISIONAL POWERS.

12 OF 1919.

TO CONTINUE CERTAIN POWERS FOR A LIMITED TIME AFTER THE TERMINATION OF THE PRESENT WAR.

MALCOLM STEVENSON.

[April 25, 1919.

1. This Law may be cited as the Provisional Powers Law, 1919. Short title.

2. The High Commissioner in Council may by Order declare the Determination of war. date of the determination of the present war. $(^{1})$

3. During the period of two years from the date of the deter- Power to the mination of the present war, as declared in the preceding section, High Com-missioner in the High Commissioner in Council, notwithstanding anything to Council. the contrary contained in any other Law, may make orders(2) :---

(1.) To regulate or prohibit trade or commercial intercourse by any person resident, carrying on business, or being in Cyprus, with any person who either during or at the date of the deter-

⁽¹⁾ Midnight, 31st August, 1921. See Cyprus Gazette, 25th November, 1921.

⁽²⁾ See above-mentioned Gazette.

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mination of the present war was an enemy or the subject of an enemy State, as defined by any Proclamation or Order in reference thereto.

(2.) To regulate the prices at which animals or things may be sold.

(3.) To requisition on payment any animals or things and to

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provide for the assessment of the value or hire thereof.

(4.) Subject to the payment of rent or compensation as hereinafter provided, to requisition any land or to retain any land already requisitioned for any purpose Civil, Naval or Military whether such rent or compensation is to be borne by the public funds of Cyprus or by His Majesty's Naval or Military authorities; and to provide for the assessment and payment in due course of the amount of rent or compensation payable in respect of such requisition of such land.

Power to High Commissioner in Council. 4. During the period of three years from the date of the determination of the present war, as declared in section 2, the High Commissioner-in-Council notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any other law, may make orders:—

- (1) To regulate, permit or prohibit the exportation and importation of animals or things.
- (2.) To regulate dealing with coinage and currency notes and provide for the issue of currency notes.

(3.) To provide for the custody by a Public Custodian of property belonging to any person who either during or at the date of the conclusion of the present war was an enemy or the subject of an enemy State as defined by any Proclamation or Order in reference thereto, and for the disposal thereof.

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5. Any person contravening any order made under this law shall be liable to imprisonment for any term not exceeding five years with or without hard labour or to a fine or to both such punishments.

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