alterations are set out in the Third Schedule to the Order shall subject to such adaptations and alterations apply to the Elections of Aldermen and Councillors of County Boroughs in Northern Ireland:

And whereas Section 24 of the Ballot Act 1872 as set out with adaptations and alterations in the Third Schedule to the Order applies with respect to personation at Elections of Aldermen and Councillors of County Boroughs in Northern Ireland:

And whereas it appears expedient to the Ministry that the said Section 24 of the Ballot Act 1872 as so set out for the purpose of Elections of Aldermen and Councillors of County Boroughs should cease to have effect:

Now, therefore, The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland in exercise of every power in this behalf enabling the Ministry hereby orders and directs as follows:

1. So much of the Third Schedule to the Order as sets out Section 24 of the Ballot Act 1872 with adaptations and alterations for the purpose of Elections of Aldermen and Councillors of County Boroughs is hereby revoked.

2. This Order may be cited as the Aldermen and Councillors of County Boroughs (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1930, and shall be construed as one with the Order.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 17th day of June, 1930.

(L.S.) *D. L. Clarke,*
Assistant Secretary.

Elections: County and Rural Districts.

1930. No. 81.

To the Council of every Administrative County in Northern Ireland; and to the Secretary of every such Council:

To the District Council of every Rural and Urban District in Northern Ireland; and to the Clerk of every such Council; And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Government Acts (Northern Ireland) 1898 to 1923, the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland by an Order under Seal entitled The County and Rural District Councillors (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1924, (hereinafter referred to as "the Order"), did order and direct that, subject to any directions that might be given by the said Ministry or until the Ministry

should otherwise order, the rules contained in the said Order should be observed in connection with the election of county and rural district councillors in Northern Ireland :

And whereas it is provided by Article 25 of the Order that the provisions of the Ballot Act, 1872, which with adaptations and alterations are set out in the third schedule to the Order shall subject to such adaptations and alterations, apply to the elections therein specified :

And whereas Section 24 of the Ballot Act 1872 as set out with adaptations and alterations in the third schedule to the Order applies with respect to personation at elections of County and Rural District Councillors :

And whereas it appears expedient to the Ministry that the said Section 24 of the Ballot Act 1872 as so set out for the purpose of elections of County and rural district councillors should cease to have effect, and that Article 25 of the Order should be amended in manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland in exercise of every power in this behalf enabling the Ministry hereby orders and directs as follows :

1. So much of the Third Schedule to the Order as sets out Section 24 of the Ballot Act 1872 with adaptations and alterations for the purpose of elections of County and Rural District Councillors is hereby revoked.

2. Article 25 of the Order shall be read and have effect as if after the words " County Councillors " at the end of the first paragraph the following words were added " and Rural District Councillors."

3. This Order may be cited as the County and Rural District councillors (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1930, and shall be construed as one with the Order.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireand this 17th day of June, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty.

(L.S.) *D. L. Clarke,*
Assistant Secretary.