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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
from 13th to 19th August 1859.*

No. 23. Read the following letter from J. N. RAYNE, Esq.; to His Excellency the Governor of Madras; dated Trichinopoly, 11th August 1859.

I take the liberty of requesting your Excellency to cause me to be informed on what terms land may be obtained in the hill countries of Southern India (Wynaad, Neilgherries, Palneys or others) by Englishmen who are desirous of settling in this country as planters of Coffee, Indigo, &c.; also whether land can be obtained in the plains for Cotton cultivation. I make the enquiry on behalf of a brother in England who is desirous of embarking in the above named undertakings, and beg to be pardoned for the liberty I have taken in addressing your Excellency directly, no knowing who is especially charged with such matters.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 16th August 1859, No. 1096.

Referred to the Board of Revenue who will be pleased to furnish Mr. Rayne with the information he asks for respecting the terms on which land may be obtained for coffee planting or cotton culture.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

India Office.
Aug 11 1854.
Sir, I have the honor of receiving your
letter of the 10th inst. and am
pleased to cause me to be informed
on what terms land can be obtained
in the District of Southern Mahratta
(Wynad. Kullikernis. Pullung. &c.)
by Englishmen who are desirous of settling
in this country as planters of Coffee, Indigo,
&c. Also whether land can be obtained
in the plains for Cotton Cultivation -
I make the enquiry on behalf of a
brother in England who is desirous of
embarking in the above named under-
taking.

Rev. 1859 Sept
Proc of Govt. 19th inst.

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Thos J. N. Payne Esq

Dated 11th Aug^r 1859
Recd 15th

Requests to be in-
formed on what terms
land may be obtained
in the Hill countries of
Southern India for
Coffee plantings & Cotton
Cultivation.

N^o 1096. 16th August 59
With an Order.

N^o 1096

Reference to the Board of Revenue
who will be pleased to furnish the requisite writs
the information be sent for respecting the terms
on which land may be obtained for coffee plantings
or cotton culture.

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Sent to Secy. 13th of Revenue. 6th of June - Aug 12/16

16th Aug^r 1859 J. N. Payne Esq & Secretary to

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