

Ecclesiastical (1896) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 9

Dated 26th Feb. 1896

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[Despatch Abstract.]

CEMETERIES AT PERIYAR.

Approving, in the peculiar circumstances of the case, the estimates for enclosing, by a wall, the English and Native Christian --, and requesting the Public Works Department to take charge of the cemeteries and to forward annually a report on their condition to the Venerable the Archdeacon.

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1. Harry Scott-Taylor.
2. Edward Cherry (infant)
3. Willmerson
4. Stephen
5. Rodgers (infant)
6. Permainey
7. Pavey, infant.
8. Taylor, do
9. Collin Weston-Taylor.
10. John Joseph
11. Johnson (infant)
12. May do

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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C. No. 27

Read the following paper:-

Endorsement of the Public Works Department dated 21st December 1895/ on letter from the Superintendent of Works No. 1 Periyar dated 2nd December 1895 No. 150 G.E., submitting two estimates for building two compound walls to the cemeteries at Periyar for sanction.

Enforcement of the Public Works Department dated 17th February 1896 No. 391 G transferring to the Ecclesiastical Department letter from the Superintendent of Works dated 25th January 1896 No. 198 G.E. respectively. The English cemetery has been consecrated and contains 23 graves in the native Christian, and 12 in the so-called "English Cemetery". The names of those buried in the graves and latter are given in the margin. All but Nos. 1 and 2, recently were Eurasians. This ground is consecrated: the native Christian ground is not.

In returning your endorsement No. 403 G dated 23rd January 1896, I have the honor to report that there are named of whom Mr. Taylor and Mr. Cherry are the only ones. The names of those buried in the graves and latter are given in the margin. All but Nos. 1 and 2, recently were Eurasians. This ground is consecrated: the native Christian ground is not.

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should be maintained by this Govt.

Order No. 9 dated 26th February 1896.

The estimates are in the peculiar circumstances of the case, approved. The Public Works Department will be requested to take charge of the cemeteries and to forward annually by the 10th of July a report on their condition to the Venerable the Archdeacon.

(True extract)

W. B. Shultz

Ag. Assistant Secretary,

for Chief Secretary.

The Public Works Department.
Venerable the Archdeacon.

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Ecclesiastical DEPARTMENT

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FOR ORDERS.

The P.W. authorities request permission to enclose ^{by} a wall the English and Native Christian cemeteries at the Periyar at a cost of Rs.1,220 & Rs.1,880 respectively. The English cemetery has been consecrated and contains 12 bodies of whom Mr. Taylor and an infant named Cherry are the only ~~two~~ Europeans. The Native Christian ground has 23 graves and is not consecrated. The graves apparently fall under class ^(b) ~~2~~ in India's letter in G.O. No.88 Poll, d/ 5th Feb: 1895, and ~~such~~ should be maintained by this Govt. As the camp ~~sites~~ are about to be returned to Travancore jurisdiction the Superintendent ~~ing~~ of Works suggests that the grave yards should be confided to the care of the Madura P.W. division with the remainder of the works as there they are likely to be neglected if left to the Travancore authorities. The Govt. does not, as a rule, provide cemeteries for Native Christians, but this is a special case in which relatives and friends of the deceased have not the opportunity of themselves caring

for the graves. It is submitted that in the peculiar circumstances of the case the estimates ~~might~~ ^{may} be approved and the P.W.D. requested to take charge of the cemeteries and to report to the Archdeacon each year as to their ~~state~~ ^{condition}.

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Es, the peculiar circumstances of the case justify the expenditure

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FOR ORDERS.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

THE HON'BLE MR. H. W. BLISS, C.I.E.

THE HON'BLE MR. J. GROSE.

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~~This~~ The Estimates are, in the peculiar circumstances of the case, approved. The Public Works Dept will be requested to take charge of the Cemeteries and to forward ~~submit~~ an Annual report ^{on} to their condition to the Venerable the Archdeacon by the 10th July.

from Orders

The P.W.D. & Quolos with Estimates returned to the Venerable the Archdeacon

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