

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following letter *from the*
Venerable the Archdeacon, Madras, No 74,
dated 30 October 1879. —

I beg to make a few remarks by way of explanation in reference to para 2, G.O. 23^d October 1879 No 227, in which His Grace in Council expresses surprise at my not having referred to the new Cemetery near the Barracks at Bellary, recently provided by Government for the use, more particularly, of the Military.

I wrote to Government from the letters of the Rev. W. Wace, Chaplain of Bellary, and the papers he enclosed as my guide. I have not those papers now with me to refer to, because I forwarded them to Govt. with my letters, but I think Mr. Wace did speak of the Cemetery which he was asking might be enlarged, as "the old Cemetery," which would naturally suggest that there was a new Cemetery already provided.

Mr. Wace, however, did not mention particularly the new Cemetery, because he was under the impression that it was especially provided for the Military, and
was

was not intended for the interment of members of the Civil Community for whom the old Cemetery has been used, and is now still in use, but very nearly full.

In the correspondence published with G.O. 4th Sept: 1874 No 209, it seems to have been contemplated that the old Cemetery would suffice for awhile for the use of the Civil Community, if a Cemetery for the Military was provided elsewhere. (Vide letter from J. H. Master Esq^r, Collector Bellary 26th Augt 1874 No 97 and Dr. Cornish's letter of 26th Augt 1874 No 11). Five years have elapsed since this correspondence took place; - the old cemetery to which it referred, is nearly filled, and, assuming that the new Cemetery near the Barracks was intended for the use of the Military, it was not unreasonable, I submit, to ask Govt to enlarge the old Cemetery for the use of the Civil Community who reside in its immediate neighbourhood.

I am sorry that I did not enter more fully into particulars when I wrote to Govt & I quite recognize my obligation to give them always the fullest information regarding any subject I may have to bring before them. I think I have never

failed

failed to do so in all previous correspondence. I will be careful to furnish full particulars in future.

Order thereon. 26th November 1879 No 249

Under the explanation afforded by the Venerable the Archdeacon, His Grace the Governor in Council withdraws the sanction of the Order in the Ecclesiastical and Public Works Dept's No 215 dated 22nd Sept: 1879 & No 2553 W. dated 9th October 1879 and directs that they be carried out.

2. It is presumed that non-conformists are satisfied with the one-sixth proportion to be left for their use. (Encl. track)

Master
Agent Secretary

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The Public Works Department.

* G.O. 23rd Oct: 1879
No 227.

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No. 3079 of 2 Decr/79

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Under date the 2 Decr/79

Read the following

Pro. Ecclesiastical Dept. (H.C. No. 249 of 26 Nov 79)

Communicated to
the officers concerned
in continuation of
H.C. No. 2433 A-H, dated
30th October 1879.

2. The sum of Rs 484
(being the balance of the
original appropriation) which
was recredited to the
Provincial Reserve
in H.C. No. 2854 H
dated 12th November
1879, will now be

Supergr. 2nd circle reappropriated.
Exr. P.H. Accto. ✓

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Miss N. 3079 N 72^d Dec 1799