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and Tombs in the Kurnool District for 1880-81.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.  
ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

9th July 1881, No. 109.

Cemeteries.

Read the following paper:—

*From W. H. GLENNY, Esq., Collector and Magistrate of Kurnool, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated 1st July 1881, No. 297 [Current No. 157].*

I have the honor to submit my report on the state of the Christian Burial-grounds and Tombs in this district for 1880-81.

2. Both the old and new cemeteries at Kurnool, which are in charge of the Minister of Christ Church, Kurnool, are in good order. A Tamil Christian cemetery and one used by Her Majesty's 84th Regiment in 1816, not in the Chaplain's charge, are not at this moment in good condition, but I have taken steps to put them into decent order.

The cemetery at Cumbum, which was hitherto under the charge of the First-Class Hospital Assistant Nizamudin, was transferred to the care of the Tahsildar-Magistrate of Cumbum in November last, as Nizamudin wished to be relieved of the charge. I inspected it last February. It was not in bad order, but the enclosure needed a few repairs. As no provision is made in the current year's budget in the Revenue Department for such repairs, the Public Works Department have been addressed on the subject. No plans or books are maintained for any of these five cemeteries. The Chaplain of Kurnool says that he has applied to the Public Works Department for the necessary plans and books for the two cemeteries in his charge. The attention of the Deputy Collector of Cumbum will be again drawn to Rule 10 of the rules embodied in G.O., No. 286, dated 27th December 1877.

3. The isolated tombs in the district are in good condition except the following ones. The tomb at Chagulmarry in the Sirvel Taluk, belonging to a daughter of an ayah in the service of Mrs. Lushington, is in ruins as stated in last year's report, and it has not been thought necessary to repair it (*vide* this office letter, No. 445, dated 19th October 1880). The repairs to the two tombs at Yerraguntla in the same taluk, which were sanctioned in G.O., No. 222, dated 8th November 1880, were not executed by the end of the year under report. Notice has been taken of the Tahsildar's delay, and he has promised to have the work done as early as possible.

There are three tombs in the Rámallakót Taluk requiring repairs. One is at Dhone; it is the tomb of a child of Francis Tower (?); its date is 1850. I shall pay personal attention to it at the earliest opportunity. Two are at Sunkesula without inscriptions. These also I shall look to. A sum of Rs. 6 has been sanctioned for the repairs of the tomb at Dhone, and Rs. 1-8-0 for those at Sunkesula.

ORDER THEREON, 9th July 1881, No. 109.

Communicated to the Venerable the Archdeacon.

2. The necessary repairs should be executed from the current year's allotment of Rs. 110 for the Kurnool burial-grounds—G.O., No. 293, dated 21st February 1881, Financial Department.

(True Extract.)

C. G. MASTER,  
*Offg. Chief Secretary.*

To the Venerable the Archdeacon.  
" Collector of Kurnool.  
" Public Works Department.  
Exd. T. O'Connor.