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MOTTO FOR THE YEAR.

“Lord what wilt thou have me to do.”

PRAYER TOPIO.

“Pray that we may be able to send out four Missionaries this autumn, two male Missionaries and two single ladies.”

Superstitious Worship in India.

THREE miles from Ramapatam, one of the stations of the Telugu mission, and on the high road leading from Nellore to Ongole, is a small village called Tettoo. Here we have a chapel where a school and regular Sunday services are maintained.

In the early part of last year, cholera was very prevalent in all that region. Many people died of it in the villages, and also travellers by the road and the canal. A woman travelling to Mas was attacked by it and died at Tettoo, under a mango-tree, just opposite our chapel. As she had died of cholera the people would not allow her to be buried in the village, but cast her body out among the cactus and thorn bushes near the jungle, and threw some earth over it.