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Alternate title: The 'Tower of Silence', on which the dead bodies are consumed by vultures. India.

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[Themes]: environment: botany: forest

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[Themes]: environment: botany: palm
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a. Liga worship, b. Snake-worship, c. Demon worship, e. Siva worship, f.
Vishnu worship, g. worship of Buddha, h. Islam, i. Parsees, k. Jains. [There
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