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SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

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Madras,

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...suffering distress. Rice
 as sold at the rate of 10.3 seers for
 rupee against 11.8 in 1891 and 13.8
 the average for the last 5 years.
 Similarly the prices of Raggi and
 Cholam also ruled high as per table
 below.

	1892	1891	Average for the the last 5 years.
Raggi	17.3.	22.4.	27.1.
Cholam	16.1.	21.1.	24.6.

I have the honor to be,
 Sir,
 your most obedient servant.

W. H. Blackwood S.M. Genl.
 Surgeon General
 with the Govt. of Madras

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SURGEON MAJOR-GENERAL W. F. DEFABECK, M.D.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Madras,

To

THE Honble the Chief Secy. to Government
Public Department,

SIR,

In reference to the observations of Government in their order dated 2^d August 1893 No. 592 Public reviewing the Civil Hospitals and Dispensaries Returns for 1892, I have the honor to state that the increase under "Establishment" was, as explained in previous years, due mainly to the increased number of Institutions at work and also to the several Medical Agents having attained to higher rates of pay during the year by promotions to a higher grade.

2. As regards the increase in expenditure under "Diet" it is the direct result of increase in the daily average strength among in-patients. The year moreover was one of general unhealthiness.