

Despatch
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DATED 23-4-97

[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting to be favoured with an early
reply to para 1 of Despatch No. $\frac{3}{245}$ Marine dated
8th April 1896 on the subject of the best means
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No. 3, MARINE, 23RD APRIL 1897.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

LETTER—to

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA.

MY LORD,

We have the honour to request that your Lordship will be good enough to favour us with an early reply to paragraph 1 of our despatch No. $\frac{3}{245}$, Marine, dated 8th April 1896, on the subject of the best means of protecting buildings from lightning. We have deemed it advisable, until we receive the information asked for, not to permit the erection of any new lightning conductors for public buildings, and the matter is thus one of some urgency.

We have the honour to be,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient, humble servants,

(Signed) A. E. HAVELOCK.

(„) H. W. BLISS.

(„) J. GROSE.

OOTACAMUND,
23rd April 1897.

Exd T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

To the Rt. Hon. the Secy.
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