

INTERNATIONAL TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.

TABLE 2 (continued), showing the Traffic of the various Colonies for the following Years.

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	WESTERN AUSTRALIA.			GRAND TOTAL.		
	Messages.	Words.	Value.	Messages.	Words.	Value.
			£			£
1889.....	1264	10,018	4126	62,909	793,917	324,636
1890.....	1474	11,775	4999	67,066	827,278	331,468
1891.....	2388	22,884	5764	79,478	1,110,869	285,516
1892.....	2595	28,406	5571	88,130	1,321,412	261,796
1893.....	2574	24,722	5520	91,100	1,401,293	316,650
1894.....	4208	54,110	12,707	90,383	1,325,241	301,507
1895.....	21,874	433,038	101,396	120,394	1,948,639	453,303
1896.....	37,942	672,323	161,273	151,206	2,326,984	562,817
1897.....	34,806	511,926	115,282	152,075	2,122,216	498,476

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TABLE 3, showing the Number of Words in Government, Press, and Ordinary Traffic for the following Years.

Year.	Government Traffic.	Press Traffic.	American Traffic.	All other Traffic.	TOTAL.
1889	26,387	124,829	...	642,701	793,917
1890	27,008	160,051	...	640,219	827,278
1891	33,164	194,367	55,058	828,280	1,110,869
1892	28,360	263,591	54,104	975,357	1,321,412
1893	35,264	210,119	45,955	1,109,955	1,401,293
1894	31,671	189,205	49,014	1,053,351	1,323,241
1895	36,901	186,748	61,404	1,663,586	1,948,639
1896	34,428	124,949	77,145	2,090,462	2,326,984
1897	45,956	135,655	87,083	1,853,572	2,122,216

South Africa business under 1500 words monthly.