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CAR LOADINGS

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Sixth Week ended February 10th, 1934

Car loadings for the week ended February 10th showed an increase over the previous week of 1,052 cars, or from 39,543 cars to 40,595 cars, and the index number rose from 69.31 to 70.40. This was also an increase over last year's loadings of 9,904 cars, or 32 per cent. The eastern division was up by 6,648 cars, or 32.6 per cent, and the western division was up by 3,256 cars, or 31.6 per cent. Total coal and coke loadings were lighter than in 1933, but all other commodities were heavier. Miscellaneous freight increased by 2,879 cars, or 56 per cent, grain was heavier by 1,981 cars, merchandise by 1,466 cars, pulpwood by 1,239 cars, other forest products by 843 cars and lumber by 765 cars. The six weeks' loadings of grain, live stock, coke, lumber, pulpwood, pulp and paper, other forest products and ore were all heavier than in both 1933 and 1932.

Index Numbers

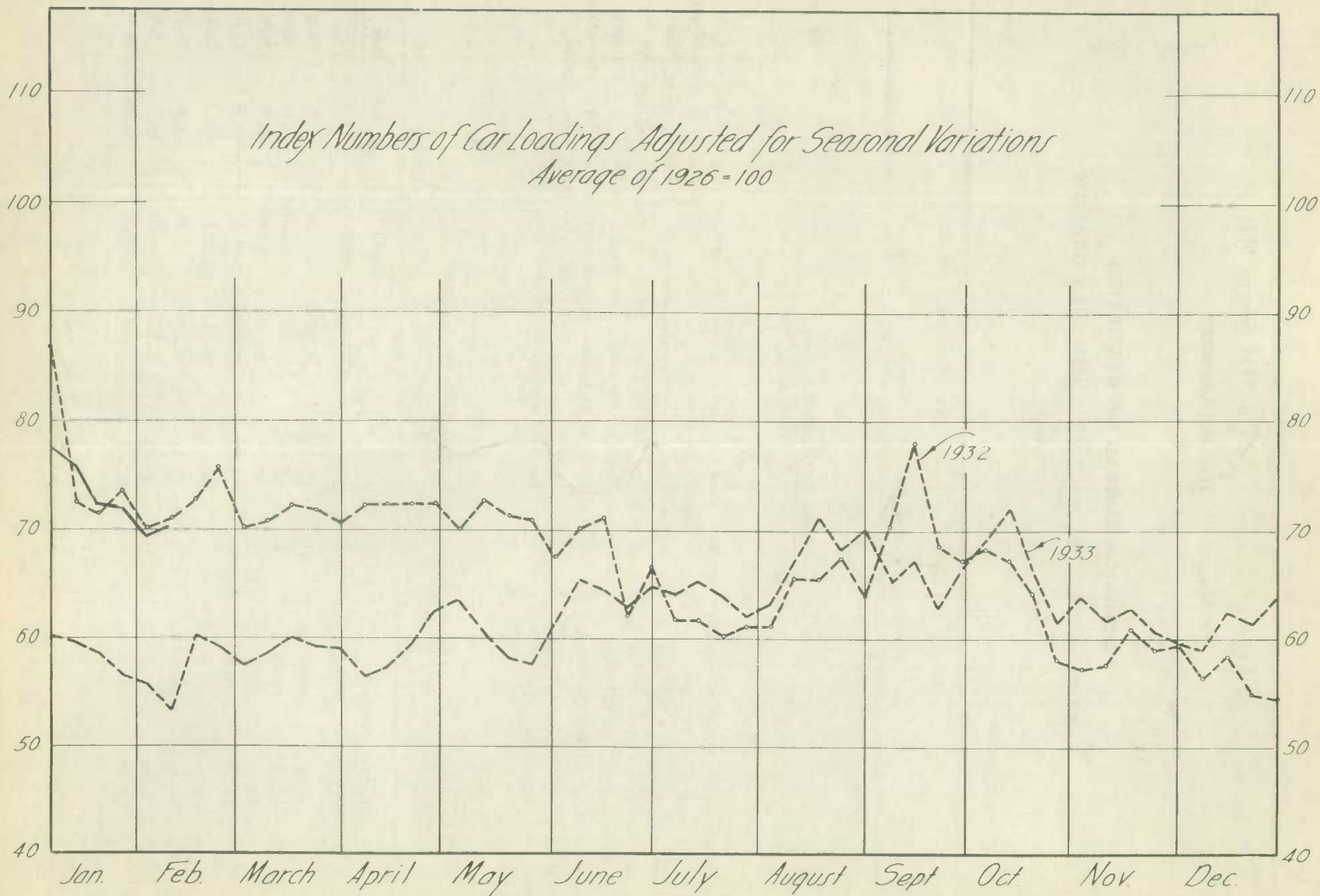
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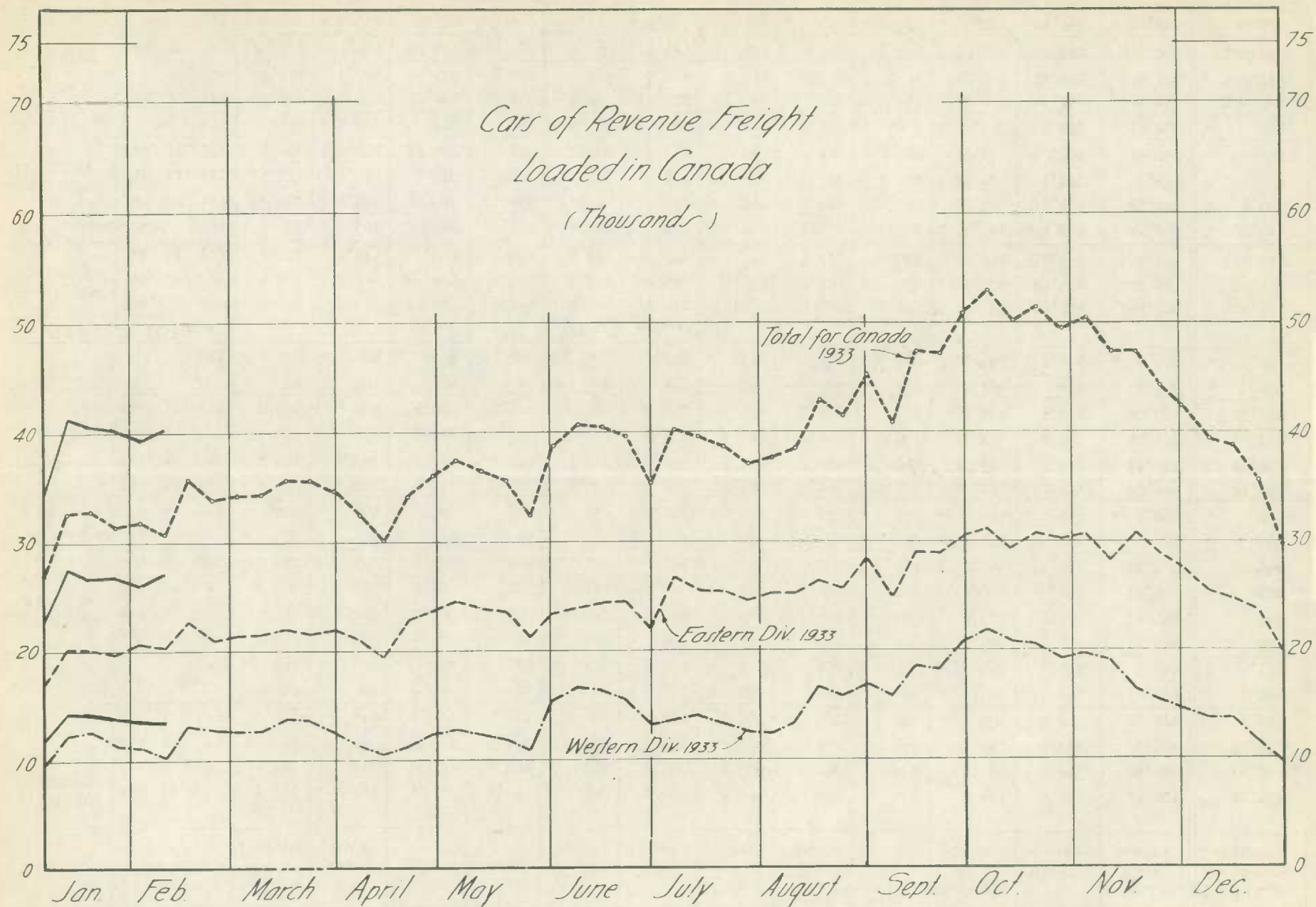
Average, 1926 = 100

Week	Western Division		Eastern Division		Total for Canada		Merchandise	
	1933-34	1932-33	1933-34	1932-33	1933-34	1932-33	1933-34	1932-33
51	54.98	54.88	65.94	55.24	61.77	55.08	68.77	70.99
52	57.92	50.20	67.76	57.42	64.04	54.68	69.11	71.04
1	72.63	59.00	79.77	60.77	77.10	60.10	80.74	74.49
2	68.63	59.66	80.20	59.83	75.77	59.73	85.65	77.63
3	69.76	63.03	74.04	56.07	72.49	58.57	82.18	76.51
4	70.55	59.47	73.26	55.07	72.33	56.60	82.30	76.29
5	70.08	57.96	68.89	54.87	69.31	55.93	79.58	72.47
6	69.47	52.80	70.84	53.41	70.40	53.22	79.86	70.00

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Index Numbers of Car Loadings Adjusted for Seasonal Variations
Average of 1926 = 100





Division	Week ended	Grain & Grain Products	Live Stock	Coal	Coke	Lumber	Pulp-wood	Pulp and Paper	Other Forest Products	Ore	Merchandise, L.C.L.	Miscellaneous	Total Cars Loaded	Total Cars Rec'd from Connections
EASTERN DIVISION	Feb. 10, 1934	1,768	554	2,735	1,047	980	1,960	1,801	907	455	8,797	6,021	27,025	20,762
	Feb. 3, "	1,865	472	3,000	1,029	868	1,647	1,564	708	410	8,679	5,756	25,998	19,663
	Jan. 27, "	1,678	458	2,933	890	830	1,987	1,700	712	368	8,857	6,151	26,564	20,331
	Feb. 11, 1933	1,087	433	2,283	1,167	458	905	1,308	631	101	7,965	4,039	20,377	15,626
Compared with prev. week		- 97	+ 82	- 265	+ 18	+ 112	+ 313	+ 237	+ 199	+ 45	+ 118	+ 265	+ 1,027	+ 1,099
1933		+ 681	+ 121	+ 452	- 120	+ 522	+ 1,055	+ 493	+ 276	+ 354	+ 832	+ 1,982	+ 6,648	+ 5,136
WESTERN DIVISION	Feb. 10, 1934	2,832	954	1,926	81	360	207	159	1,229	772	3,080	1,970	13,570	801
	Feb. 3, "	2,732	1,012	2,200	145	380	149	140	1,319	580	2,972	1,916	13,545	997
	Jan. 27, "	2,789	826	2,155	101	380	181	142	1,340	785	3,017	1,891	13,607	818
	Feb. 11, 1933	1,532	386	3,224	222	117	23	117	662	512	2,446	1,073	10,314	542
Compared with prev. week		+ 100	- 58	- 274	- 64	- 20	+ 58	+ 19	- 90	+ 192	+ 108	+ 54	+ 25	- 196
1933		+ 1,300	+ 568	- 1,298	- 141	+ 243	+ 184	+ 42	+ 567	+ 260	+ 634	+ 897	+ 3,256	+ 259
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Feb. 10, 1934	4,600	1,508	4,661	1,128	1,340	2,167	1,960	2,136	1,227	11,877	7,991	40,595	21,563
	Feb. 3, "	4,597	1,484	5,200	1,174	1,248	1,796	1,704	2,027	990	11,651	7,672	39,543	20,660
	Jan. 27, "	4,467	1,284	5,088	991	1,210	2,168	1,842	2,052	1,153	11,874	8,042	40,171	21,149
	Feb. 11, 1933	2,619	819	5,507	1,389	575	928	1,425	1,293	613	10,411	5,112	30,691	16,168
Compared with prev. week		+ 3	+ 24	- 539	- 46	+ 92	+ 371	+ 256	+ 109	+ 237	+ 226	+ 319	+ 1,052	+ 903
1933		+ 1,981	+ 689	- 846	- 261	+ 765	+ 1,239	+ 535	+ 843	+ 614	+ 1,466	+ 2,879	+ 9,904	+ 5,395
CUMULATIVE TOTALS														
EASTERN DIVISION	Feb. 10, 1934	10,325	3,001	18,023	6,244	4,780	10,015	10,536	4,404	2,325	50,749	35,388	155,790	118,577
	Feb. 11, 1933	7,413	2,900	13,495	4,467	2,285	4,646	7,368	3,370	661	46,428	25,520	118,553	96,559
	Feb. 13, 1932	9,521	3,019	17,142	4,154	4,779	8,274	9,736	3,819	2,027	59,232	36,491	158,194	116,113
1934 Compared with 1933		+ 2,912	+ 101	+ 4,528	+ 1,777	+ 2,495	+ 5,369	+ 3,168	+ 1,034	+ 1,664	+ 4,321	+ 9,868	+ 37,237	+ 22,018
WESTERN DIVISION	Feb. 10, 1934	16,617	5,495	14,681	566	1,990	977	907	7,427	3,877	17,605	10,903	81,045	5,064
	Feb. 11, 1933	15,121	3,985	15,470	891	751	307	682	4,832	2,869	15,915	7,021	67,844	4,169
	Feb. 13, 1932	16,996	4,729	18,687	804	1,911	197	833	5,439	3,904	17,968	12,399	83,867	6,797
1934 Compared with 1933		+ 1,496	+ 1,510	- 789	- 325	+ 1,239	+ 670	+ 225	+ 2,595	+ 1,008	+ 1,690	+ 3,882	+ 13,201	+ 895
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Feb. 10, 1934	26,942	8,496	32,704	6,810	6,770	11,002	11,443	11,831	6,202	68,354	46,291	236,845	123,641
	Feb. 11, 1933	22,534	6,885	28,965	5,358	3,036	4,953	8,050	8,202	3,530	62,343	32,541	186,397	100,728
	Feb. 13, 1932	26,517	7,748	35,829	4,958	6,690	8,471	10,569	9,258	5,931	77,200	48,890	242,061	122,910
1934 Compared with 1933		+ 4,408	+ 1,611	+ 3,739	+ 1,452	+ 3,734	+ 6,049	+ 3,393	+ 3,629	+ 2,672	+ 6,011	+ 13,750	+ 50,448	+ 22,913

