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VOLUME OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS JULY 1958

The number of foreign vehicles entering Canada on travellers' vehicle permits in July declined 3 per cent when compared with the same month of last year. Cumulative entries for the first seven months were between 1 and 2 per cent lower than the same period of 1957. Manitoba, Saskatchewan, British Columbia and the Yukon Territory were the only provinces recording gains for the cumulative period.

NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLES PERMITS IN JULY, 1958 AND IN FIRST SEVEN MONTHS WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS

JULY					
Province of Entry into Canada	1956	1957	1958	Change in 1958	% Change in 1958
Newfoundland)	3,588	3,768	3,896	+ 128	+ 3.4
Nova Scotia)					
New Brunswick	33,949	33,530	33,849	+ 319	+ 1.0
Quebec	85,443	81,226	76,756	- 4,470	- 5.5
Ontario	335,475	342,334	329,680	- 12,654	- 3.7
Manitoba	9,546	9,723	9,909	+ 186	+ 1.9
Saskatchewan	4,082	4,210	4,528	+ 318	+ 7.6
Alberta	15,048	15,585	14,450	- 1,135	- 7.3
British Columbia	52,935	51,779	52,985	+ 1,206	+ 2.3
Yukon Territory	1,549	1,840	1,755	- 85	- 4.6
Total	541,715	543,995	527,808	- 16,187	- 3.0

FIRST SEVEN MONTHS					
Province of Entry into Canada	1956	1957	1958	Change in 1958	% Change in 1958
Newfoundland)	6,053	6,004	5,982	- 22	- 0.4
Nova Scotia)					
New Brunswick	83,802	90,108	88,406	- 1,702	- 1.9
Quebec	212,490	223,406	210,198	- 13,208	- 5.9
Ontario	794,331	826,495	806,515	- 19,980	- 2.4
Manitoba	25,400	28,168	30,734	+ 2,566	+ 9.1
Saskatchewan	10,935	12,526	13,360	+ 834	+ 6.7
Alberta	27,003	28,040	27,052	- 988	- 3.5
British Columbia	153,415	152,698	162,998	+ 10,300	+ 6.7
Yukon Territory	3,770	4,523	4,649	+ 126	+ 2.8
Total	1,317,199	1,371,968	1,349,894	- 22,074	- 1.6

NOTE: Travellers' vehicle permits are issued to foreign vehicles which remain in Canada longer than 48 hours or which travel beyond the jurisdiction of the port of entry. (Thus a motorist who intends to leave the country at a point other than that of entry must apply for a traveller's vehicle permit.) Figures shown above refer almost exclusively to automobiles. They include a small number of taxis, motorcycles and bicycles, but exclude buses, trucks and other commercial vehicles. Data for current month are subject to revision. Entries into Canada via Newfoundland and Nova Scotia are by vessel.

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