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Foreign vehicles entering Canada on travellers' vehicle permits in February totalled 59,977, an increase of 7,385 or approximately 14 per cent. Data adjusted for the change of procedure at certain New Brunswick ports are estimated at an increase of around 1,100 or some 2 per cent. Cumulative data for two months adjusted for change of procedure would indicate a decline of nearly 7 per cent instead of a gain of 4.4 per cent.

NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS IN FEBRUARY 1959  
AND IN THE FIRST TWO MONTHS WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS

Province of Entry into Canada	1957	1958	1959	Change in 1959	% Change in 1959
<u>FEBRUARY</u>					
Newfoundland)	124	69	42	- 27	- 39.1
Nova Scotia )					
New Brunswick	4,735	3,964	10,161	+ 6,197	+ 156.3
Quebec	13,672	10,058	10,747	+ 689	+ 6.9
Ontario	29,585	23,215	24,692	+ 1,477	+ 6.4
Manitoba	1,871	2,188	2,100	- 88	- 4.0
Saskatchewan	509	554	401	- 153	- 27.6
Alberta	600	770	650	- 120	- 15.6
British Columbia	9,682	11,513	10,941	- 572	- 5.0
Yukon Territory	240	261	243	- 18	- 6.9
TOTAL	61,018	52,592	59,977	+ 7,385	+ 14.0
<u>FIRST TWO MONTHS</u>					
Newfoundland)	249	177	109	- 68	- 38.4
Nova Scotia )					
New Brunswick	9,123	8,180	20,203	+ 12,023	+ 147.0
Quebec	23,858	21,966	21,204	- 762	- 3.5
Ontario	53,840	52,281	48,485	- 3,796	- 7.3
Manitoba	3,423	4,160	3,857	- 303	- 7.3
Saskatchewan	979	1,290	854	- 436	- 33.8
Alberta	1,187	1,486	1,302	- 184	- 12.4
British Columbia	16,231	21,498	19,973	- 1,525	- 7.1
Yukon Territory	464	571	509	- 62	- 10.9
TOTAL	109,354	111,609	116,496	+ 4,887	+ 4.4

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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