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Foreign vehicles entering Canada on traveller's vehicle permits in February totalled 57,600, an increase of 10 per cent over the previous year and a new record for the month. The total for January and February was 16 per cent higher than in the year before. It should be noted, however, that each of these months normally accounts for only about 2 per cent of the annual total.

NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS IN FEBRUARY

1953 AND IN FIRST TWO MONTHS WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS

F E B R U A R Y

Province of Entry into Canada	1951	1952	1953	Change in 1953		% Change in 1953	
Newfoundland Nova Scotia	(33	(26	(80	(+	54	(+	207.7
New Brunswick	2,785	2,938	3,399	+	461	+	15.7
Quebec	7,710	9,930	11,427	+	1,497	+	15.1
Ontario	18,687	25,862	28,579	+	2,717	+	10.5
Manitoba	623	1,103	935	-	168	-	15.2
Saskatchewan	128	244	370	+	126	+	51.6
Alberta	585	596	664	+	68	+	11.4
British Columbia	8,310	11,620	11,996	+	376	+	3.2
Yukon Territory	74	120	149	+	29	+	24.2
Total	38,935	52,439	57,599	+	5,160	+	9.8

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Province of Entry into Canada	1951 1952		1953	Change in 1953	% Change in 1953	
Newfoundland Nova Scotia	(82	(95	(150	(+ 55	(+	57.9
New Brunswick	5,893	6,130	6,896	+ 766	+	12.5
Quebec	16,407	18,178	20,687	+ 2,509	+	13.8
Ontario	39,608	45,684	52,063	+ 6,379	+	14.0
Manitoba	1,212	1,849	1,688	- 161	-	8.7
Saskatchewan	310	459	792	+ 333	+	72.5
Alberta	1,123	978	1,329	+ 351	+	35.9
British Columbia	15,113	16,982	21,083	+ 4,101	+	24,1
Yukon Territory	128	197	328	+ 131	+	66.5
Total	79,876	90,552	105,016	+ 14,464	+	16.0

NOTE: Traveller's 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 ship.

