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ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS

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Foreign vehicles entering Canada on traveller's vehicle permits totalled 67,218 in March, a decrease of 6 per cent or 4,369 fewer vehicles than the same month of 1953. Cumulative entries for the first quarter are practically unchanged from last year, the decrease amounting to less than 1 per cent. Gains and losses were unevenly distributed throughout the different regions for the cumulative period.

NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS IN MARCH 1954
AND IN FIRST THREE MONTHS WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS

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Province of Entry into Canada	1952	1953	1954	Change in 1954	% Change in 1954
Newfoundland	(56	(75	(45	(- 30	(- 40.0
Nova Scotia	(56	(75	(45	(- 30	(- 40.0
New Brunswick	4,302	5,225	4,968	- 257	- 4.9
Quebec	11,141	13,113	12,591	- 522	- 4.0
Ontario	32,008	36,891	33,435	- 3,456	- 9.4
Manitoba	918	914	1,890	+ 976	+ 106.8
Saskatchewan	259	440	658	+ 218	+ 49.5
Alberta	1,222	1,078	934	- 144	- 13.4
British Columbia	12,484	13,662	12,471	- 1,191	- 8.7
Yukon Territory	125	189	226	+ 37	+ 19.6
Total	62,515	71,587	67,218	- 4,369	- 6.1

Data for Quebec estimated on incomplete returns.

F I R S T T H R E E M O N T H S

Province of Entry into Canada	1952	1953	1954	Change in 1954	% Change in 1954
Newfoundland	(151	(225	(129	(- 96	(- 42.7
Nova Scotia	(151	(225	(129	(- 96	(- 42.7
New Brunswick	10,432	12,120	12,325	+ 205	+ 1.7
Quebec	29,319	33,655	32,141	- 1,514	- 4.5
Ontario	77,692	88,954	89,764	+ 810	+ 0.9
Manitoba	2,767	2,602	5,317	+ 2,715	+ 104.3
Saskatchewan	718	1,232	1,432	+ 250	+ 20.3
Alberta	2,200	2,407	2,095	- 312	- 13.0
British Columbia	29,466	34,745	31,580	- 3,165	- 9.1
Yukon Territory	322	517	738	+ 221	+ 42.7
Total	153,067	176,457	175,571	- 886	- 0.5

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.

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