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## VOLUME OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS JUNE, 1955

Foreign vehicles entering Canada on traveller's vehicle permits in June totalled 289,577, an increase of 14,423 or 5% over the corresponding month of last year. This figure is below the record year of 1953, but the decline experienced last year has definitely been reversed. Cumulative entries for the first six months show a gain of 33,456 vehicles or 4% with nearly all the provinces contributing to the increase.

## NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS IN JUNE 1955 AND IN FIRST SIX MONTHS WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS

Province of Entry				Change in	% Change in
into Canada	1953	1954	1955	1955	1955
Newfoundland Nova Scotia	( 321	( 279	( 82	( - 197	( - 70.6
New Brunswick	17,989	16,185	16,922	+ 737	+ 4.6
Quebec	43,162	37,227	38,671	+ 1,444	+ 3.9
Ontario	189,358	175,207	183,706	+ 8,499	+ 4.9
Manitoba	5,851	6,006	6,764	+ 758	+ 12,6
Saskatchewan	3,011	2,997	2,815	- 182	- 6.1
Alberta	5,871	6,045	6,147	+ 102	+ 1,7
British Columbia	31,423	30,422	33,685	+ 3,263	* 10.7
Yukon Territory	630	786	785	- Ju 21	- C.
Total	297,616	275,154	289,577	+ 14,423	COF TH5.2
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Province of Entry				Change in	% Change in
into Canada	1953	1954	1955	1955	1.955
Newfoundland Nova Scotia	(662	( 513	( 364	( - 149	( - 29.0
New Brunswick	49,553	47,392	49,523	+ 2,131	+ 4.5
Quebes	125,129	119,061	122,683	+ 3,622	+ 3.0
Ontario	451,272	447,396	472,239	+ 24,843	+ 5.6
Manitoba	13,481	16,492	17,824	+ 1,332	⊕ 8.1
Saskatchewan	6,848	7,376	5,999	- 1,377	- 18.7
Alberta	11,610	11,347	11,562	+ 215	+ 1.9
British Columbia	103,752	100,595	103,545	+ 2,950	+ 2.9
Yukon Territory	1,984	2,260	2,149	- 111	- 4.9
Total	764,291	752,432	785,888	+ 33,456	+ 4.4

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.

