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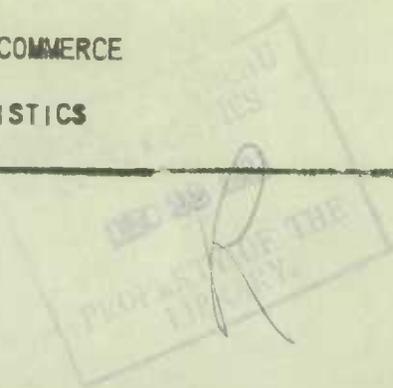
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**AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS FOR CANADA**  
**NOVEMBER 1931**

Production of motor vehicles in Canada during November numbered 1,247 units. When compared with the figures of the preceding month this output showed a slight advance in the number of passenger cars to 812 from 761, but this gain was more than offset by a drop in the number of trucks to 435 from 679. In November, 1930, a total of 5,407 cars were produced.

Customs' records for the month under review showed that 84 cars were imported into Canada and that 480 cars were exported during the period. Figures for the first eleven months of this year showed total imports at 8,688 cars and exports at 14,236 cars as compared with imports of 22,355 cars and exports of 41,653 cars during the corresponding period of last year.

Of the total output during November, 886 cars were made for sale in Canada and the balance of 361 were intended for export. The apparent consumption of automobiles during the month as determined by adding the 886 cars made for sale in Canada to the 84 cars imported, amounted to 970 cars. The number of new cars made available for use in this country during the eleven months ending November 30, 1931, totalled 76,652 cars as compared with 130,382 cars in the first eleven months of 1930.

Table 1.- Number of Automobiles Produced in Canada during NOVEMBER 1931, and the ELEVEN months ending NOVEMBER, 1930 and 1931.

Class	NOVEMBER 1931			ELEVEN months ending NOVEMBER	
	For Sale in Canada	For Export	TOTAL	1930	1931
<b>Passenger cars:</b>					
(a) Open - 2 to 3 passenger	4	57	61	6,364	3,387
4 to 5 passenger	4	44	48	12,114	4,409
7 passenger	-	-	-	28	6
Total Open	8	101	109	18,506	7,802
(b) Closed - 2 to 3 passenger	36	2	38	15,314	7,157
4 to 5 passenger	585	60	645	77,701	47,023
7 passenger	17	-	17	289	578
Total Closed	638	62	700	93,304	54,758
(c) Chassis (passenger)	1	2	3	9,407	509
TOTAL PASSENGER	647	165	812	121,217	63,069
<b>Commercial Cars and Trucks: (Including truck chassis, taxicabs and buses)</b>					
(a) Under 1 ton	79	98	177	xx	5,761
(b) 1 to 1½ tons, inclusive	135	98	233	xx	10,256
(c) Over 1½ to 2½ tons, inclusive	20	-	20	xx	701
(d) Over 2½ tons to under 5 tons	4	-	4	xx	251
(e) 5 tons and over	-	-	-	xx	45
(f) Bus chassis	1	-	1	xx	99
Total Trucks and Chassis	239	196	435	27,353	17,113
TOTAL	886	361	1,247	148,570	80,182

xx Due to change in classification for 1931, corresponding data for 1930 are not available.

Table 2.- Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Automobiles, by months, 1930 and 1931.

Month		Production			Customs' Records	
		For Sale in Canada	For Export	TOTAL	Imports	Exports
January	1930	6,267	4,121	10,388	1,290	2,997
	1931	4,122	2,374	6,496	915	3,095
February	1930	10,388	5,160	15,548	1,893	4,280
	1931	7,748	2,116	9,864	1,255	1,596
March	1930	16,244	4,486	20,730	3,805	6,360
	1931	11,781	1,212	12,993	1,630	1,898
April	1930	21,293	2,964	24,257	3,432	3,321
	1931	15,837	1,322	17,159	1,421	1,209
May	1930	21,479	3,193	24,672	3,976	3,091
	1931	11,575	1,163	12,738	1,690	1,569
June	1930	10,794	4,296	15,090	2,148	3,746
	1931	5,720	1,115	6,835	647	1,084
July	1930	7,191	2,997	10,188	1,476	3,588
	1931	3,626	594	4,220	383	1,009
August	1930	5,225	4,567	9,792	1,136	4,007
	1931	3,872	672	4,544	268	797
September	1930	3,910	4,047	7,957	1,458	4,662
	1931	2,054	592	2,646	245	787
October	1930	2,662	1,879	4,541	1,059	2,938
	1931	743	697	1,440	150	712
November	1930	2,574	2,833	5,407	682	2,663
	1931	886	361	1,247	84	480
December						
TOTAL	1930	108,027	40,543	148,570	22,355	41,653
	1931	67,964	12,218	80,182	8,688	14,236

