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CAR LOADINGS

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(Forty-first Week ended Oct. 14th, 1933.)

Car loadings for the week ended October 14th were affected by the holiday on October 9th and decreased from 53,198 cars for the previous week to 50,303 cars, but the index number rose from 69.17 to 72.44. Also the total was 3,529 cars greater than for the corresponding week in 1932. Grain, livestock, coke and merchandise were lighter than in 1932 but all other commodities showed substantial increases, miscellaneous freight increasing by 1,245 cars, coal by 1,384 cars, pulpwood by 627 cars, ore by 482 cars, pulp and paper by 450 cars, lumber by 323 cars and other forest products by 251 cars.

Total loadings in the eastern division amounted to 29,328 cars, or 3,134 cars more than in 1932. Coal was heavier by 2,136 cars, miscellaneous freight increased 721 cars and pulpwood 580 cars.

Grain loading in the western division was lighter than for the previous week by 689 cars, but was heavier than last year by 301 cars. Miscellaneous freight increased by 524 cars, ore by 172 cars, other forest products by 303 cars and lumber by 175 cars, but coal decreased by 752 cars and merchandise by 287 cars. The total of 20,975 cars was an increase over last year of 395 cars.

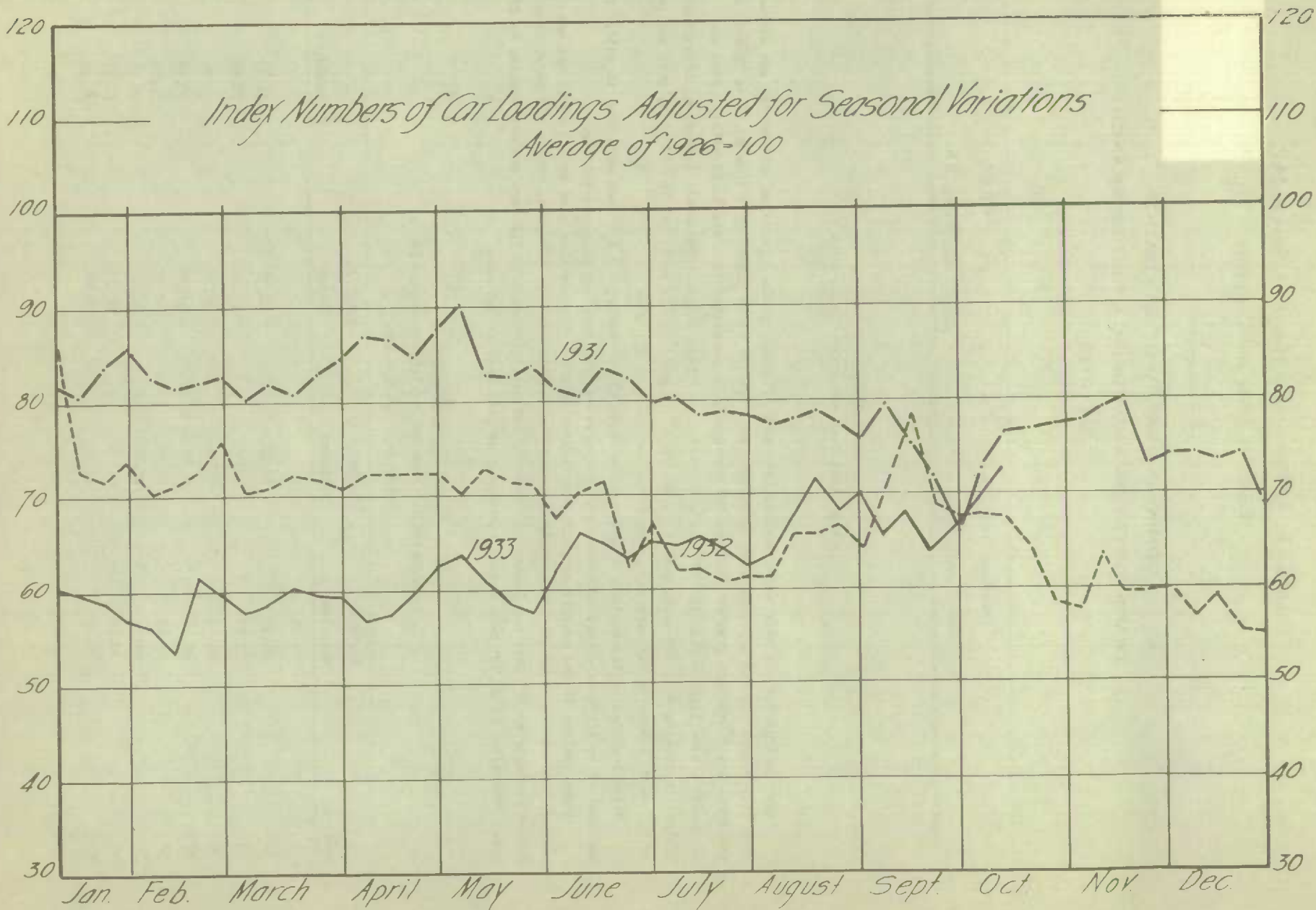
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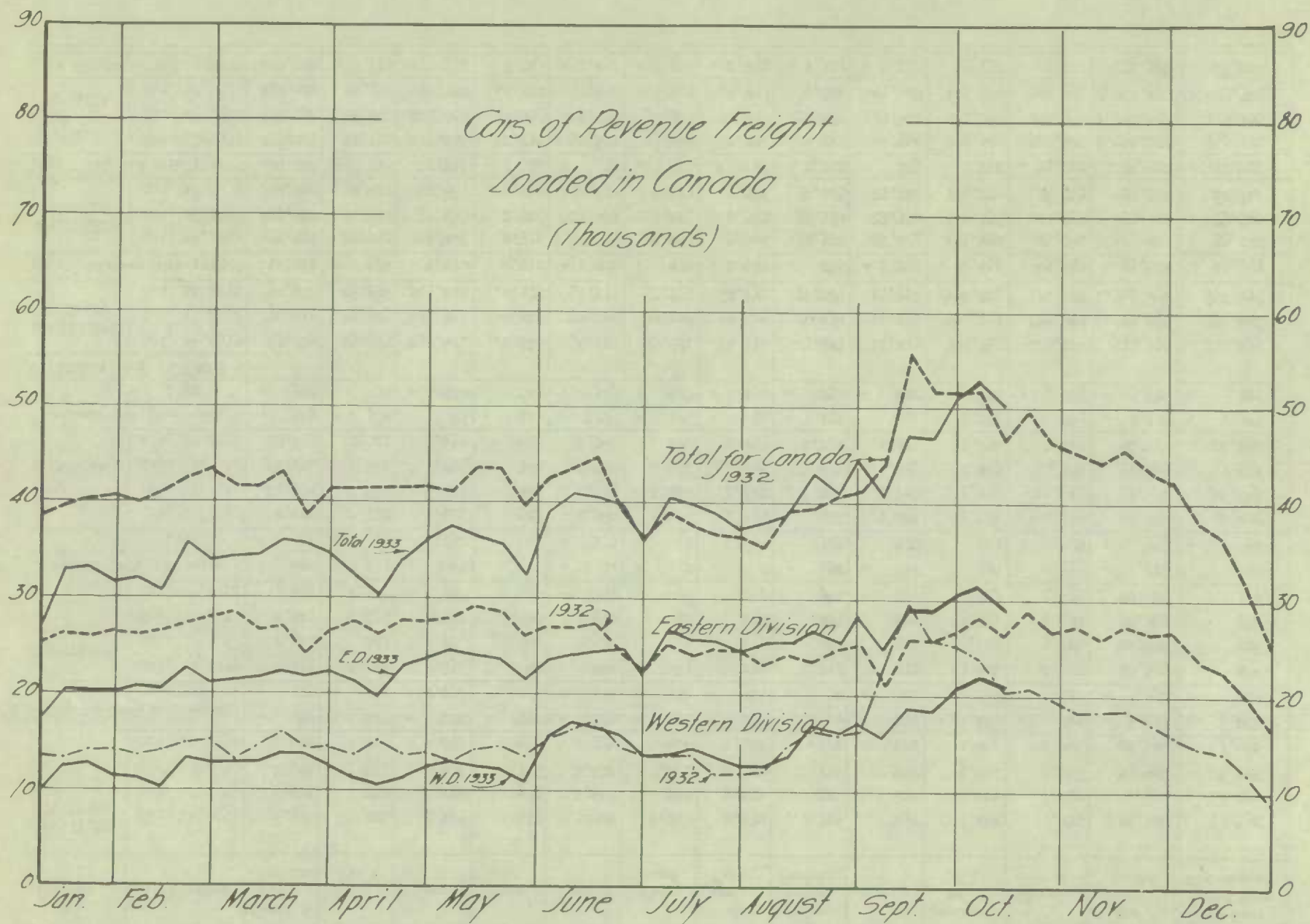
(Adjusted for seasonal variations and holidays)

Average, 1926 = 100

Week	Western Division	Eastern Division	Total for Canada	Merchandise
34	84.87	60.86	68.32	71.33
35	78.47	65.99	70.20	72.06
36	65.47	65.10	65.19	70.29
37	69.16	66.35	67.38	70.98
38	59.63	65.34	62.93	71.83
39	65.41	67.58	66.60	72.98
40	70.19	68.60	69.17	74.41
41	74.09	71.44	72.44	74.32

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Division	Week ended	Grain & Grain Products	Live Stock	Coal	Coke	Lumber	Pulp-wood	Pulp and Paper	Other Forest Products	Ore	Merchandise, L.C.L.	Miscellaneous	Total Cars Loaded	Total Cars Rec'd from Connections
EASTERN DIVISION	Oct. 14, 1933	1,544	886	6,383	477	882	1,044	1,578	719	498	7,842	7,475	29,328	17,538
	Oct. 7, "	1,568	759	6,155	807	1,047	947	1,429	725	607	9,449	7,703	31,196	18,819
	Sept. 30, "	1,564	843	5,408	706	1,108	1,119	1,590	748	542	9,216	7,616	30,460	18,998
	Oct. 15, 1932	2,439	843	4,247	551	734	464	1,162	771	188	8,041	6,754	26,194	17,369
Compared with prev. week		- 24	+ 127	+ 228	- 330	- 165	+ 97	+ 149	- 6	- 109	- 1,607	- 228	- 1,868	- 1,281
1932		- 895	+ 43	+ 2,136	- 74	+ 148	+ 580	+ 416	- 52	+ 310	- 199	+ 721	+ 3,134	+ 169
WESTERN DIVISION	Oct. 14, 1933	8,277	1,126	2,638	51	482	63	175	1,247	591	3,326	2,999	20,975	864
	Oct. 7, "	8,966	889	2,781	40	526	55	173	1,089	543	3,606	3,334	22,002	926
	Sept. 30, "	8,627	818	2,487	40	500	32	156	893	623	3,609	2,984	20,769	960
	Oct. 15, 1932	7,976	1,179	3,390	120	307	16	141	944	419	3,613	2,475	20,580	774
Compared with prev. week		- 689	+ 237	- 143	+ 11	- 44	+ 8	+ 2	+ 158	+ 48	- 280	- 335	- 1,027	- 62
1932		+ 301	- 53	- 752	- 69	+ 175	+ 47	+ 34	+ 303	+ 172	- 287	+ 524	+ 395	+ 90
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Oct. 14, 1933	9,821	2,012	9,021	528	1,364	1,107	1,753	1,966	1,089	11,168	10,474	50,303	18,402
	Oct. 7, "	10,534	1,648	8,936	847	1,573	1,002	1,602	1,814	1,150	13,055	11,037	53,198	19,745
	Sept. 30, "	10,191	1,661	7,895	746	1,608	1,151	1,746	1,641	1,165	12,825	10,600	51,229	19,958
	Oct. 15, 1932	10,415	2,022	7,637	671	1,041	480	1,303	1,715	607	11,654	9,229	46,774	18,143
Compared with prev. week		- 713	+ 364	+ 85	- 319	- 209	+ 105	+ 151	+ 152	- 61	- 1,887	- 563	- 2,895	- 1,343
1932		- 594	- 10	+ 1,384	- 143	+ 323	+ 627	+ 450	+ 251	+ 482	- 486	+ 1,245	+ 3,529	+ 259
CUMULATIVE TOTALS														
EASTERN DIVISION	Oct. 14, 1933	63,026	23,229	132,481	18,866	36,115	35,581	54,638	23,989	11,833	347,857	229,584	977,199	720,893
	Oct. 15, 1932	74,338	22,705	127,511	16,348	34,309	35,106	52,129	24,834	10,031	400,313	275,383	1,073,007	734,466
	Oct. 10, 1931	90,942	26,946	145,113	16,375	55,177	57,753	68,171	31,024	19,252	460,015	372,928	1,343,696	982,697
1933 Compared with 1932		-11,312	+ 524	+ 4,970	+ 2,518	+ 1,806	+ 475	+ 2,509	- 845	+ 1,802	- 52,456	- 45,799	- 95,808	- 13,573
WESTERN DIVISION	Oct. 14, 1933	195,988	31,582	53,405	2,370	15,494	1,868	5,696	36,328	22,685	131,452	81,041	577,909	33,078
	Oct. 15, 1932	227,012	31,336	59,146	2,305	15,463	1,283	5,543	33,970	23,370	142,734	114,259	653,421	45,529
	Oct. 10, 1931	182,040	32,402	49,667	2,145	22,275	6,475	7,366	39,605	25,728	155,235	136,563	659,501	62,618
1933 Compared with 1932		-28,024	+ 246	- 5,741	+ 65	+ 31	+ 585	+ 153	+ 2,358	- 685	- 11,282	- 33,218	- 75,512	- 12,451
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Oct. 14, 1933	259,014	54,811	185,886	21,236	51,609	37,449	60,334	60,317	34,518	479,309	310,625	1,555,108	753,971
	Oct. 15, 1932	298,350	54,041	186,657	18,653	49,772	36,389	57,672	58,804	33,401	543,047	389,642	1,726,428	779,995
	Oct. 10, 1931	272,982	59,348	194,780	18,520	77,452	64,228	75,537	70,629	44,980	615,250	509,491	2,003,197	1,045,315
1933 Compared with 1932		-39,336	+ 770	- 771	+ 2,583	+ 1,837	+ 1,060	+ 2,662	+ 1,513	+ 1,117	- 63,738	- 79,017	-171,320	- 26,024