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CAR LOADINGS
 (Forty-second week ended Oct. 21st, 1933)

No. 42

Car loadings for the week ended October 21st amounted to 51,705 cars. This was an increase of 1,402 cars over the previous week which contained a holiday and an increase of 1,830 cars over the corresponding week last year.

Light grain loading in the western division and decreases in coal, coke, pulp and paper and merchandise more than offset increases of 343 cars of miscellaneous freight, 275 cars of ore, 436 cars of other forest products, 177 cars of lumber and 207 cars of livestock, and the total of 20,708 cars was 231 cars less than in 1932.

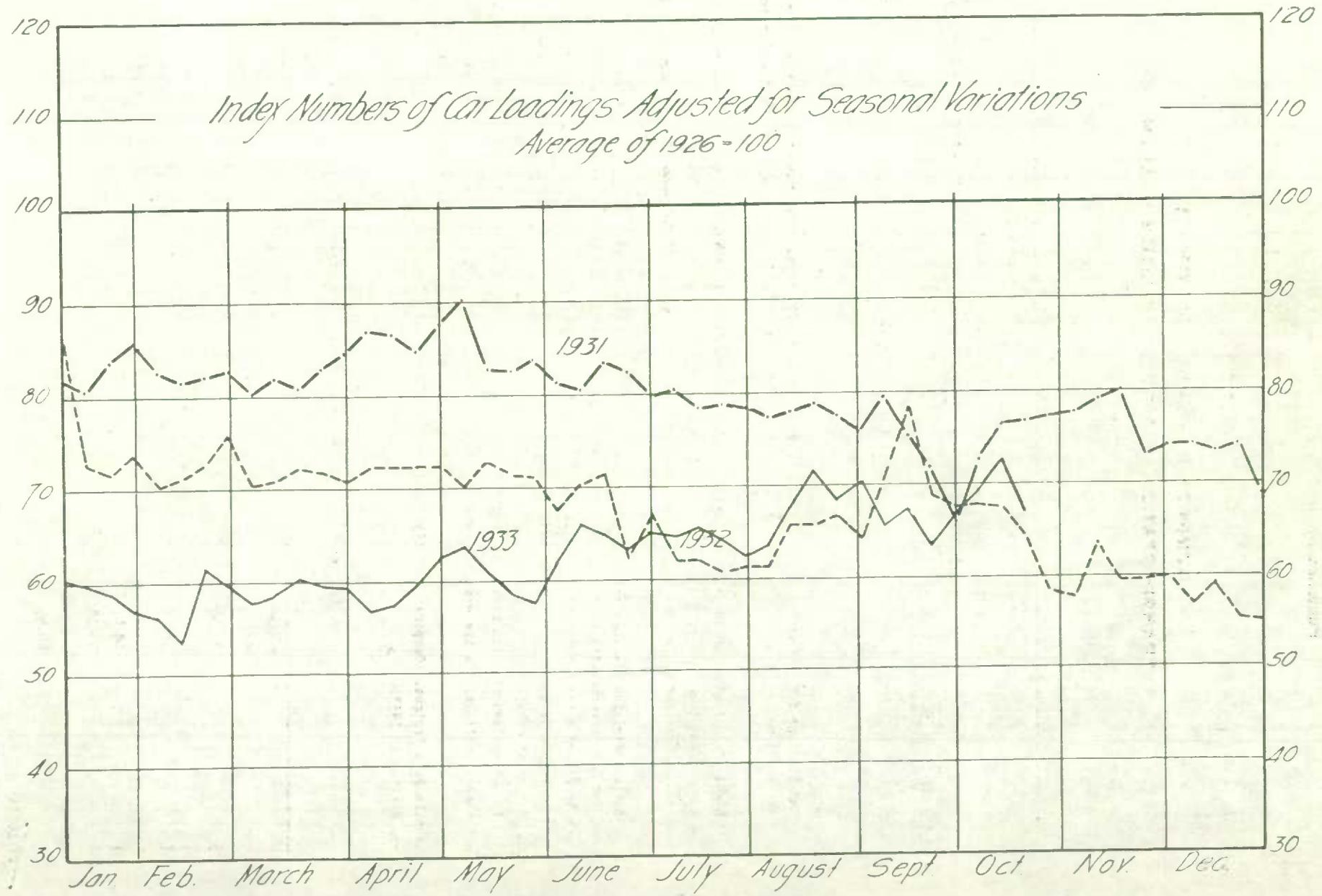
Eastern division loadings continued above last year's, the total of 30,997 cars being 2,061 over the total for the corresponding week in 1932. Although grain declined by 560 cars, merchandise by 559 cars, livestock by 232 cars and other forest products by 29 cars, these were more than offset by increases of 353 cars of miscellaneous freight, 390 cars of ore, 354 cars of pulp and paper, 207 cars of lumber, 2,022 cars of coal and 34 cars of coke.

In the eastern division seven of the eleven commodities listed show increases for the 42nd week over last year's loadings. In the western division livestock, lumber, pulpwood, pulp and paper and other forest products have passed last year's records, but large decreases are shown for grain, merchandise and miscellaneous freight. Compared with 1931 loadings for the 42 weeks, coke is the only commodity which has been heavier in 1933.

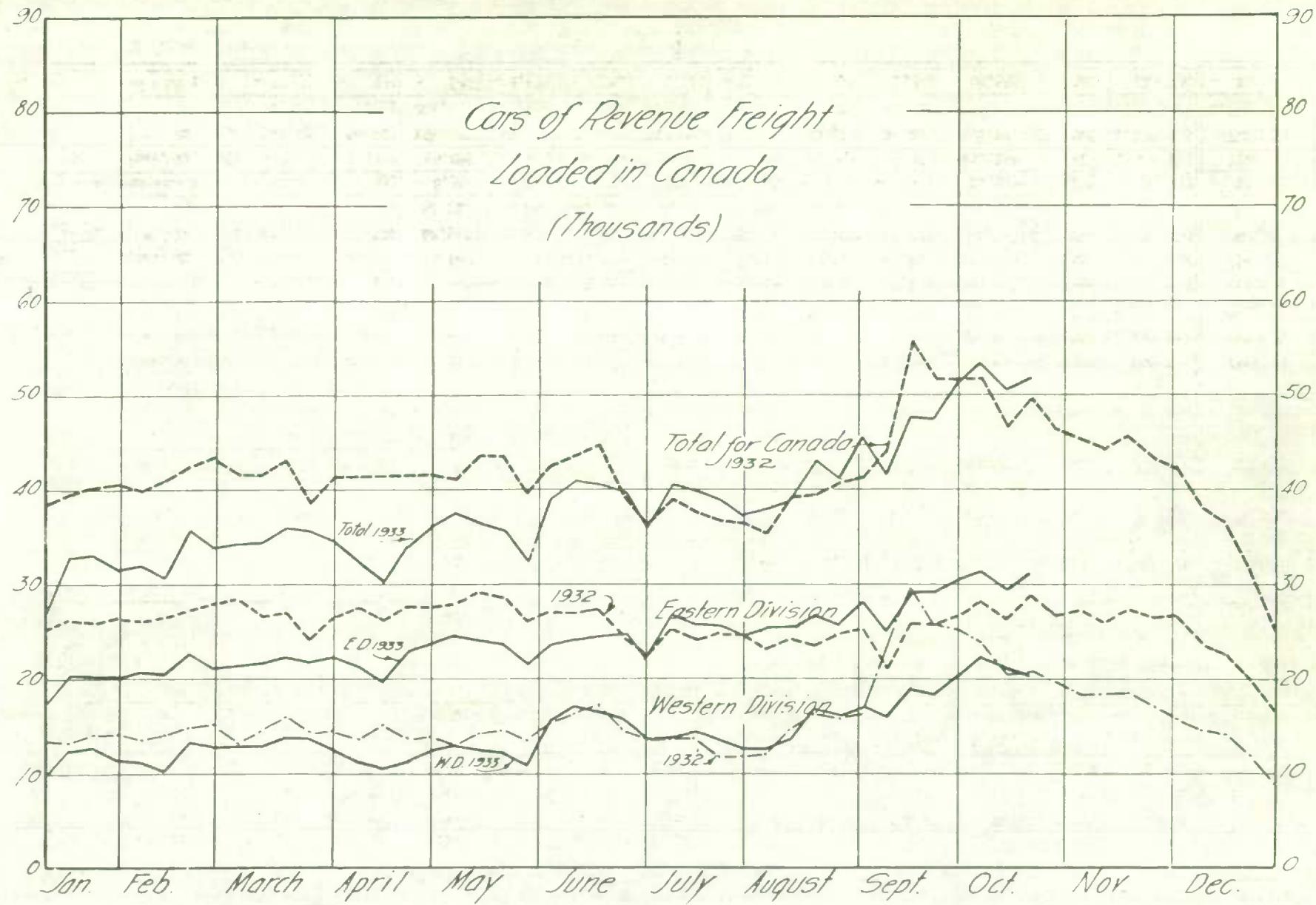
Index Numbers
 (Adjusted for seasonal variations and holidays)
 Average, 1926 = 100

Week	Western Division	Eastern Division	Total for Canada	Merchandise
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
42	66.99	66.40	66.57	72.34

27/10/33



*Cars of Revenue Freight
loaded in Canada
(Thousands)*



CARS OF REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED ON CANADIAN RAILWAYS DURING THE WEEK ENDED OCT. 21, 1933

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. 21, 1933	1,746	784	6,146	574	992	872	1,577	600	633	9,123	7,750	30,997	17,903
	" 14, "	1,544	886	6,383	477	882	1,044	1,578	719	498	7,842	7,475	29,328	17,538
	" 7, "	1,568	759	6,155	807	1,047	947	1,429	725	607	9,449	7,703	31,196	18,819
	" 22, 1932	2,306	1,016	4,124	540	785	791	1,223	829	243	9,682	7,397	28,936	18,139
Compared with prev. week 1932		+ 202	- 102	- 237	+ 97	+ 110	- 172	- 1	+ 81	+ 135	+ 1,281	+ 275	+ 1,669	+ 365
- 560		- 232	+ 2,022	+ 34	+ 207	+ 81	+ 354	- 29	+ 390	- 559	+ 353	+ 2,061	- 236	
WESTERN DIVISION	Oct. 21, 1933	6,894	1,173	3,237	65	511	34	161	1,321	730	3,672	2,910	20,708	970
	" 14, "	8,277	1,126	2,638	51	482	63	175	1,247	591	3,326	2,999	20,975	864
	" 7, "	8,966	889	2,781	40	526	55	173	1,089	543	3,606	3,334	22,002	926
	" 22, 1932	7,536	966	3,852	133	334	14	225	885	455	3,972	2,567	20,939	796
Compared with prev. week 1932		- 1,383	+ 47	+ 599	+ 14	+ 29	- 29	- 14	+ 74	+ 139	+ 346	- 89	- 267	+ 106
- 642		+ 207	- 615	- 68	+ 177	+ 20	- 64	+ 436	+ 275	- 300	+ 343	- 231	+ 174	
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Oct. 21, 1933	8,640	1,957	9,383	639	1,503	906	1,738	2,121	1,363	12,795	10,660	51,705	18,873
	" 14, "	9,821	2,012	9,021	528	1,384	1,107	1,753	1,966	1,089	11,168	10,474	50,303	18,402
	" 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
	" 22, 1932	9,842	1,982	7,976	673	1,119	805	1,448	1,714	698	13,654	9,964	49,875	18,935
Compared with prev. week 1932		- 1,181	- 55	+ 362	+ 111	+ 139	- 201	- 15	+ 155	+ 274	+ 1,627	+ 186	+ 1,402	+ 471
- 1,202		- 25	+ 1,407	- 34	+ 384	+ 101	+ 290	+ 407	+ 665	- 859	+ 696	+ 1,830	- 62	
CUMULATIVE TOTALS														
EASTERN DIVISION	Oct. 21, 1933	84,772	24,013	138,627	19,440	37,107	36,453	56,215	24,789	12,466	356,980	237,334	1,008,196	738,796
	" 22, 1932	76,844	23,721	131,635	16,888	35,094	35,897	53,352	25,663	10,274	409,995	282,780	1,101,943	752,605
	" 17, 1931	92,866	27,915	148,934	17,093	56,495	58,594	69,737	31,849	19,735	469,655	382,859	1,375,732	1,003,891
1933 Compared with 1932		- 11,872	+ 292	+ 6,992	+ 2,552	+ 2,013	+ 556	+ 2,863	- 874	+ 2,192	- 53,015	- 45,446	- 93,747	- 13,809
WESTERN DIVISION	Oct. 21, 1933	202,882	32,755	56,842	2,435	16,005	1,902	5,857	37,649	23,415	135,124	83,951	598,617	34,048
	" 22, 1932	231,548	32,302	62,998	2,438	15,797	1,297	5,768	34,555	23,825	146,706	116,826	674,360	46,325
	" 17, 1931	192,256	33,880	52,111	2,246	22,713	6,577	7,508	40,480	26,277	158,669	140,877	683,594	63,955
1933 Compared with 1932		- 28,666	+ 453	- 6,356	- 3	+ 208	+ 605	+ 89	+ 2,794	- 410	- 11,582	- 32,875	- 75,743	- 12,277
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Oct. 21, 1933	267,654	56,768	195,269	21,875	53,112	38,355	62,072	62,438	35,851	492,104	321,285	1,606,813	772,844
	" 22, 1932	308,192	56,023	194,633	19,326	50,891	37,194	59,120	60,518	34,099	556,701	399,606	1,776,303	798,930
	" 17, 1931	285,122	61,795	201,045	19,339	79,208	65,171	77,245	72,329	46,012	628,324	523,736	2,059,326	1,067,846
1933 Compared with 1932		- 40,538	+ 745	+ 636	+ 2,549	+ 2,221	+ 1,161	+ 2,952	+ 1,920	+ 1,782	- 64,597	- 78,321	- 169,490	- 26,086