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VOL. VIII.		CARS OF REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED ON CANADIAN RAILWAYS DURING THE WEEK ENDED JANUARY 2, 1932.												No. 53	
Division	Week ended	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 in Connections	
EASTERN DIVISION	Jan. 2, 1932	1,199	347	2,567	530	633	688	1,151	403	305	7,478	5,045	20,348	16,047	
	Dec. 26, 1931	1,125	241	2,142	405	631	519	1,164	399	246	8,056	5,005	19,934	16,896	
	Dec. 19, 1931	1,812	402	2,852	592	939	800	1,598	575	364	10,617	6,435	26,986	20,392	
Compared with previous week +		74	+ 108	+ 424	+ 125	+ 2	+ 169	- 13	+ 4	+ 59	- 578	+ 40	+ 414	- 849	
WESTERN DIVISION	Jan. 2, 1932	2,132	493	1,779	58	243	19	113	609	376	2,551	1,950	10,373	942	
	Dec. 26, 1931	2,867	454	1,778	64	343	27	95	804	382	2,716	1,794	11,324	1,321	
	Dec. 19, 1931	3,849	769	2,662	94	376	30	133	1,124	555	3,506	2,552	15,650	1,247	
Compared with previous week -		685	+ 39	+ 1	- 6	- 100	- 8	+ 18	- 195	- 6	- 165	+ 156	- 951	- 379	
TOTAL FOR CANADA	Jan. 2, 1932	3,381	842	4,346	588	876	707	1,264	1,012	681	10,029	6,995	30,721	16,989	
	Dec. 26, 1931	3,992	695	3,921	469	974	546	1,259	1,203	628	10,772	6,799	31,258	18,217	
	Dec. 19, 1931	5,661	1,171	5,514	686	1,315	830	1,731	1,699	919	14,123	8,987	42,636	21,639	
Compared with previous week -		611	+ 147	+ 425	+ 119	- 98	+ 161	+ 5	- 191	+ 53	- 743	+ 196	- 537	- 1,228	

These reports are for the week ended on Saturday and consequently, with the present calendar, corresponding weeks in different years do not end on the same dates. Also, with the extra day over the fifty-two weeks (2 days in leap year), it is necessary to drop a week every five or six years to maintain comparisons. For this reason the Bureau has decided to consider the week ended January 9th, 1932, as the first week in 1932 for comparisons with the first week in previous years and to carry forward cumulative totals from that week. The data for the week ended January 2nd, 1932, will not be included in the totals of either 1931 or 1932. The loading of this fifty-third week was light due largely to Friday being a statutory holiday and Saturday also being observed as a holiday by many industries.

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Vol. VIII. No. 52 - page 1.- Fourth line from bottom reads "54 per cent" and should read "5.4 per cent."

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