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VOLUME OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ENTERING CANADA
ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS
NOVEMBER, 1949

Foreign vehicles entering Canada on traveller's vehicle permits in November totalled 76,700, an increase of 2 per cent over the same month last year. Early snow resulted in lighter traffic in Quebec and Ontario but volume was maintained in the Maritimes and was considerably heavier than in the previous year in the Western provinces. Eleven month totals were up 9 per cent. The comparable advance in 1948 over 1947 was also 9 per cent.

TABLE 1 - NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS IN NOVEMBER AND IN FIRST ELEVEN MONTHS, 1949, WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS.

Province of Entry	NOVEMBER				FIRST ELEVEN MONTHS			
	1947	1948	1949	% Change	1947	1948	1949	% Change
N.S. ...	4	26	11	-57.7	2,118	2,152	1,951	- 9.3
N.B. ...	5,580	5,614	7,614	+35.6	88,959	99,369	123,525	+24.3
Que. ...	13,983	16,605	15,806	- 4.8	293,588	324,047	349,255	+ 7.8
Ont. ...	35,675	40,015	38,284	- 4.3	986,891	1,102,124	1,174,223	+ 6.5
Man. ...	856	1,024	1,579	+54.2	23,957	24,044	30,394	+26.4
Sask. ...	309	377	598	+58.6	9,568	11,567	13,948	+20.6
Alta. ...	303	637	712	+11.8	23,179	27,224	34,112	+25.3
B.C. ...	11,257	10,497	11,996	+14.3	196,425	183,723	206,269	+12.3
Y.T. ...	317	172	99	-42.4	1,383	2,272	1,650	-27.4
TOTAL ..	68,284	74,967	76,699	+ 2.3	1,626,068	1,776,522	1,935,328	+ 8.9

Data for Quebec, Manitoba and British Columbia based on incomplete returns.

TABLE 2 - NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS IN NOVEMBER 1949, AT PRINCIPAL PORTS OF ENTRY IN EACH PROVINCE.

<u>New Brunswick:</u>		<u>Quebec:</u>		<u>Ontario:</u>	
Clair	988	Iacolle	4,414	Fort Erie	9,310
St. Leonard	1,189	Philipsburg	3,626	Niagara Falls	6,917
St. Stephen	1,391	Rock Island	1,736	Windsor	13,617
<u>Manitoba:</u>		<u>Saskatchewan:</u>		<u>Alberta:</u>	
Boissevain	143	North Portal	175	Carway	72
Emerson	887	Oungre	67	Coutts	569
Goodlands	79	Regway	102	Del Bonita	56
<u>British Columbia:</u>					
Huntingdon	1,363	Osoyoos	612	Pacific Highway	8,091

NOTE: Traveller's vehicle permits are issued to foreign vehicles which remain in Canada longer than 48 hours or which leave at a point other than that of entry. 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. No data is shown for Newfoundland.

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