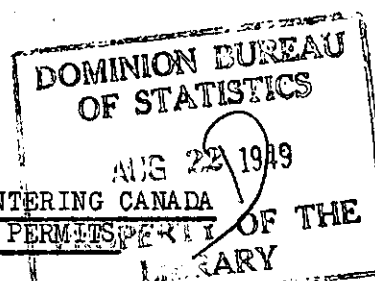


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VOLUME OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ENTERING CANADA
ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS

Foreign vehicles entering Canada on traveller's vehicle permits in July totalled 453,400, an increase of 11 per cent over the same month last year. Practically all provinces shared in the increase over the corresponding month of 1948, with the greatest proportionate gain being in the Western Provinces and the Maritimes where traffic showed a gain of 25 per cent and 20 per cent respectively.

The number of entries during the first seven months was 13 per cent heavier than in 1948 the result of an increase each month.

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

Province of Entry	J U L Y			FIRST SEVEN MONTHS		
	1947	1948	1949	1947	1948	1949
Nova Scotia	635	699	676	1,053	1,084	969
New Brunswick	18,600	21,924	26,595(1)	43,979	51,105	60,961(1)
Quebec	62,248	71,391	76,193	143,541	160,737	177,124
Ontario	227,395	262,791	285,494	493,699	564,812	628,270
Manitoba	5,426	5,126	7,089(1)	12,588	11,902	16,027(1)
Saskatchewan	2,374	2,815	3,270(1)	5,282	6,190	7,924(1)
Alberta	7,876	8,248	10,977	12,805	14,643	19,237
British Columbia ..	37,856	34,516	42,593(1)	109,946	100,586	115,062(1)
Yukon Territory ...	228	374	360	413	785	749
TOTAL	362,638	407,884	453,247(1)	823,306	911,844	1,026,323(1)
% change from preceding year		+12.5	+11.1		+10.8	+12.6

(1) Based on incomplete returns.

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

<u>New Brunswick:</u>		<u>Quebec:</u>		<u>Ontario:</u>	
Edmundston	2,859	Lacolle	26,292	Fort Erie	65,535
St. Leonard	2,761	Phillipsburg	12,594	Niagara Falls	66,932
St. Stephen	12,006	Rock Island	11,424	Windsor	66,142
<u>Manitoba:</u>		<u>Saskatchewan:</u>		<u>Alberta:</u>	
Boissevain	808	Northgate	666	Carway	2,948
Emerson	4,905	North Portal	987	Chief Mountain	5,153
Lena	262	Regway	566	Coutts	2,772
		<u>British Columbia:</u>			
Kingsgate	3,947	Pacific Highway	20,368	Victoria	6,837

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 are shown for Newfoundland.

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