collected since 1915 by the Department of Insurance. Table 10 summarizes the volume of business transacted by Canadian, British and foreign life companies and fraternal societies, whether registered by the Dominion or licensed by the provinces.

10.—Dominion and Provincial Life Insurance in Canada, by Class of Licensee and by Type of Company, 1944

Item	New Policies Effected (net)	Net Insurance in Force, Dec. 31	Net Premiums Received	Net Claims Paid
CLASS OF LICENSEE	\$	\$	\$	\$
Dominion Licensees— Life companies. Fraternals.	900, 501, 491 27, 422, 894	9, 139, 484, 231 225, 805, 475	244, 426, 883 4, 397, 024	92, 566, 959 3, 998, 581
Totals, Dominion Licensees	927,924,385	9,365,289,706	248,823,907	96,565,540
Provincial Licensees— Provincial companies within province by which they are incorporated— Life companies. Fraternals. Provincial companies in provinces other than those by which they are incorporated— Life companies. Fraternals.  Totals, Provincial Licensees.  Grand Totals.	33, 852, 212 7, 483, 526 4, 348, 147 4, 572, 050 59, 255, 935	51,099,086 21,035,339 41,932,062 264,533,974	4, 003, 021 1, 746, 712 546, 720 755, 996 <b>7,652, 449</b> 255, 87 <b>6</b> , 35 <b>6</b>	871, 899 1, 184, 693 226, 835 755, 186 3, 638, 613
TYPE OF COMPANY  Canadian Life— Dominion	601, 896, 540 38, 200, 359	6,001,984,634 171,502,826	155, 626, 868 4, 549, 741	57,050,240 1,098,734
Canadian Fraternal— Dominion. Provincial British life. Foreign life. Foreign fraternal	15, 282, 835 12, 055, 576 15, 944, 248 282, 660, 703 12, 140, 059	136,047,105	2,328,080 2,502,708 4,654,059 84,145,956 2,068,944	2,818,653 1,939,879 2,576,808 32,939,911 1,179,928

## Subsection 2.—Historical and Operational Statistics of Dominion Registered Life Insurance Companies

Historical Statistics of Life Insurance.—The net life insurance of all companies registered by the Dominion in 1869 was only \$35,680,082, while in 1945 it was \$9,751,040,835.\* The amount per head of the estimated population of Canada has more than doubled since 1923—an evidence of the general recognition of the value of life insurance for the adequate protection of dependents against misfortune. Notable also is the fact that in this field British companies, the leaders in 1869, have fallen far behind the Canadian and the foreign companies.

<sup>\*</sup> This total does not include fraternal insurance.