several exceptions where, for purposes of account, certain companies have converted foreign currencies at rates other than par, particularly where the current rate differs substantially from the par rate. More than 63 p.c. of all such business in force was written in United States currency and over 21 p.c. in sterling. From another standpoint, over 31 p.c. was written in currency of British countries outside Canada, and over 68 p.c. in currencies of foreign countries.

Canadian life companies operating under Dominion registration had in force in countries outside Canada, at Dec. 31, 1948, life insurance amounting to \$4,812,137,865, and sinking fund and capital redemption insurance amounting to \$5,641,806. As shown in Table 22, insurance in force in currencies other than Canadian amounted to \$4,655,861,043. The difference between these figures is presumably the net amount of non-Canadian business transacted in Canadian currency. As against the total non-Canadian business, including annuity business, the British and foreign investments of Canadian life insurance companies as at Dec. 31, 1948, amounted to \$1,574,077,934. Since the business in force in Canada of these companies at Dec. 31, 1948, amounted to \$8,832,474,877 (including sinking fund of \$1,522,011), the total business on their books, Canadian and non-Canadian, amounted to \$13,650,254,548. Thus, over 35 p.c. of the total business in force was outside Canada.

22.—Life Insurance Effected and in Force and Liabilities of Canadian Companies (excluding Fraternal Societies) operating under Dominion Registration, in Currencies other than Canadian, by Companies, 1948.

	Insurance Effected			Insurance in Force		
Company	British Currencies	Foreign Currencies	Total	British Currencies	Foreign Currencies	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	8	\$
Alliance Nationale. Canada. Canada. Commercial. Confederation. Continental. Crown. Dominion. Dom. of Canada General. T. Eaton. Equitable. Great-West Imperial. London. Manufacturers. Maritime. Monarch. Montreal. Mutual. NothAmerican NorthAmerican NorthAmerican NorthAmer. Sauvegarde. Sun.	16, 419, 267 23, 256, 464 16, 002, 692 2, 142, 657 405, 727 12, 228, 157 37, 109, 806 229, 846 20, 000 938, 372 2, 383, 464 7, 000 103, 399, 410	7,000 23,001,102 27,514,417 45,881,601 10,217,775 — — 57,140,910 3,752,377 1,195,161 51,915,482 5,000 — 12,500 1,424,269 523,448 6,849,406 2,415,971 149,094,261	7,000 39,420,369 50,770,881 61,884,293 12,360,432 405,727 57,140,910 15,980,534 1,195,161 89,025,288 234,846 12,500 1,444,269 1,459,820 9,232,870 2,422,971 252,493,671	146,104,470 138,251,700 30,910 64,384,759 12,652,099 2,525,788 12,500 648,955 47,568,012 222,406,461 1,940,108 342,766 1,118,758 6,349,382 6,802,695 37,633 836,628,603	4,599,045 247,180,144 35,000 145,687,809 145,687,809 157,492,452 47,192,441 8,933 4,821 297,000 324,198,700 38,061,027 5,401,495 318,656,195 26,614 206,652 454,545 14,042,409 1,080,358 35,210,985 12,569,030 1,815,462,570 60,936	4,599,045 393,284,614 393,284,614 35,000 283,939,509 152,193 221,877,211 59,844,540 2,534,721 17,321 297,000 324,847,655 85,629,039 5,401,495 541,062,656 1,966,72 206,652 797,311 15,161,167 7,429,740 42,013,689 12,506,663 5,000 2,652,091,173 60,936
Totals	214,540,862	380,950,680	595, 491, 542	1,487,805,599	3,168,055,444	4,655,861,043