

compounded half-yearly, is paid on accounts and deposits are repayable on demand. Total deposits as at December 31, 1972 were \$167 million and the number of depositors was approximately 67,500; 21 branches are in operation throughout the province.

Province of Alberta Treasury branches. Deposits are accepted at 74 branches and 78 agencies throughout the province. As at March 31, 1972, deposits totalled \$292.8 million, consisting of demand savings, on which cash orders can be drawn and on which interest is paid at 3½% per annum, \$41.4 million; super savings, permitting personal withdrawals and on which interest is paid at 5% per annum, \$59.4 million; term deposits, for terms ranging from 30 days to five years, bearing interest at rates comparable with those paid on the open market, \$92.1 million; and current accounts, on which no interest is paid, \$99.9 million. Total loans as at March 31, 1971 were \$151.5 million.