

Stock Yards Bancorp, Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HEINTZMAN DAVID P**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3019 POPPY WAY

(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40206

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Stock Yards Bancorp, Inc. [SYBT]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**03/26/2015**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman & CEO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V Amount (A) or (D) Price   |   |  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 03/26/2015                           |  | A                              | 8,777 A \$ 33.94  | 106,378   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 03/26/2015                           |  | F                              | 3,121 D \$ 33.94  | 103,257   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 03/27/2015                           |  | G                              | V 150 D <u>1</u>  | 103,107   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 23,850 <sup>(2)</sup>   | I  | By 401k/ESOP - fbo David Heintman                     |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 4,041   | I  | By Spouse   |

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Common  
Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable      Expiration Date                    | Title      Amount or Number of Shares                         |
| Option (Right to Buy)                      | \$ 24.0667   |                                      |  |                                |   | 07/17/2006      01/17/2016                               | Common Stock      7,000                                       |
| Option (Right to Buy)                      | \$ 26.83   |                                      |  |                                |   | 08/20/2007      02/20/2017                               | Common Stock      22,000                                      |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 23.37   |                                      |  |                                |   | 08/19/2008      02/19/2018                               | Common Stock      13,500                                      |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 22.14   |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/17/2010      02/17/2019                               | Common Stock      12,300                                      |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 21.03   |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/16/2011      02/16/2020                               | Common Stock      17,550                                      |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 23.76   |                                      |  |                                |   | 03/15/2012      03/15/2021                               | Common Stock      14,382                                      |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 22.86   |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/20/2013      02/20/2022                               | Common Stock      24,274                                      |

|                                |          |            |            |                 |        |
|--------------------------------|----------|------------|------------|-----------------|--------|
| Stock<br>Appreciation<br>Right | \$ 22.89 | 02/19/2014 | 02/19/2023 | Common<br>Stock | 16,677 |
| Stock<br>Appreciation<br>Right | \$ 29.05 | 02/18/2015 | 02/18/2024 | Common<br>Stock | 19,326 |
| Stock<br>Appreciation<br>Right | \$ 34.43 | 03/17/2016 | 03/17/2025 | Common<br>Stock | 14,495 |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                              | Relationships |           |                |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer        | Other |
| HEINTZMAN DAVID P<br>3019 POPPY WAY<br>LOUISVILLE, KY 40206 | X             |           | Chairman & CEO |       |

## Signatures

//David P.  
Heintzman                      03/30/2015

           \*\*Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

- (1) Gifted shares to charitable organization.
- (2) Includes employer annual contribution.

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