

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 \*  
Stinnett Thomas C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3814 ROCK BAY DRIVE  
(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40245

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/21/2017

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)  
Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					399	I	By Spouse
Common Stock					10,510	I	KSOP - fbo Thomas Stinnett
Common Stock					20,134 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

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
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 40	03/21/2017		A		3,606		03/21/2018	03/21/2027	Common Stock	3,606
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 25.76							03/15/2017	03/15/2026	Common Stock	6,875
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 14.76							02/17/2010	02/17/2019	Common Stock	3,000
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 14.02							02/16/2011	02/16/2020	Common Stock	3,000
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 15.84							03/15/2012	03/15/2021	Common Stock	4,230
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 15.24							02/20/2013	02/20/2022	Common Stock	7,750
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 15.26							02/19/2014	02/19/2023	Common Stock	11,500
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 19.37							02/18/2015	02/18/2024	Common Stock	6,860
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.96							03/17/2016	03/17/2025	Common Stock	5,480

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stinnett Thomas C 3814 ROCK BAY DRIVE LOUISVILLE, KY 40245			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas C.  
Stinnett

03/23/2017

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Includes shares acquired through automatic dividend reinvestment.

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