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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT UNDER SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For Quarter Ended March 31, 2009

Commission File Number 0-6253

SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Arkansas (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

501 Main Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas (Address of principal executive offices)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

71-0407808

71601

(Zip Code)

870-541-1000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. S Yes £ No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

£ Large accelerated filer	S Accelerated filer	£ Non-accelerated
filer		

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act.). £ Yes S No

The number of shares outstanding of the Registrant's Common Stock as of April 23, 2009, was 14,015,081.

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Part I: Financial Information

Item 1. Financial Statements

Simmons First National Corporation Consolidated Balance Sheets March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008

ASSETS

	March 31,	December 31,
(In thousands, except share data)	2009	2008
	(Unaudited)	
Cash and non-interest bearing balances due from banks	\$ 53,707	\$ 71,801
Interest bearing balances due from banks	43,219	61,085
Federal funds sold	1,000	6,650
Cash and cash equivalents	97,926	139,536
Investment securities	722,792	646,134
Mortgage loans held for sale	9,695	10,336
Assets held in trading accounts	7,510	5,754
Loans	1,917,332	1,933,074
Allowance for loan losses	(24,508)	(25,841)
Net loans	1,892,824	1,907,233
Premises and equipment	78,632	78,904
Foreclosed assets held for sale, net	3,704	2,995
Interest receivable	19,071	20,930
Bank owned life insurance	39,995	39,617
Goodwill	60,605	60,605
Core deposit premiums	2,373	2,575
Other assets	8,452	8,490
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 2,943,579	\$ 2,923,109

See Condensed Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

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Simmons First National Corporation **Consolidated Balance Sheets** March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

		December
(In thousands, except share data)	March 31, 2009	31, 2008
(in thousands, except share data)	(Unaudited)	2008
LIABILITIES	· · · · · ·	
Non-interest bearing transaction accounts	\$ 330,656	\$ 334,998
Interest bearing transaction accounts and savings deposits	1,078,324	1,026,824
Time deposits	960,522	974,511
Total deposits	2,369,502	2,336,333
Federal funds purchased and securities sold		
under agreements to repurchase	98,680	115,449
Short-term debt	1,456	1,112
Long-term debt	160,423	158,671
Accrued interest and other liabilities	21,348	22,752
Total liabilities	2,651,409	2,634,317
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value; 40,040,000 shares authorized		
and unissued at 2009; no shares authorized at 2008		
Common stock, Class A, \$0.01 par value; 60,000,000 shares authorized;		
14,013,839 and 13,960,680 shares issued and outstanding		
at March 31, 2009, and December 31, 2008, respectively	140	140
Surplus	41,901	40,807
Undivided profits	247,228	244,655
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Unrealized appreciation on available-for-sale securities,		
net of income taxes of \$1,740 at 2009 and \$1,913 at 2008	2,901	3,190
Total stockholders' equity	292,170	288,792
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$ 2,943,579	\$ 2,923,109

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Consolidated Statements of Income Three Months Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008

	Three Month March 31,	S Ended 2008 (Unaudited)	
(In thousands, except per share data)	2009		
INTEREST INCOME		(0114441104)	
Loans	\$ 28,234	\$ 33,106	
Federal funds sold	1	256	
Investment securities	6,417	6,569	
Mortgage loans held for sale	158	112	
Assets held in trading accounts	5	1	
Interest bearing balances due from banks	78	388	
TOTAL INTEREST INCOME	34,893	40,432	
INTEREST EXPENSE			
Deposits	9,503	15,188	
Federal funds purchased and securities sold			
under agreements to repurchase	243	921	
Short-term debt	6	20	
Long-term debt	1,748	1,511	
TOTAL INTEREST EXPENSE	11,500	17,640	
NET INTEREST INCOME	23,393	22,792	
Provision for loan losses	2,138	1,467	
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER PROVISION			
FOR LOAN LOSSES	21,255	21,325	
NON-INTEREST INCOME			
Trust income	1,326	1,648	
Service charges on deposit accounts	3,727	3,434	
Other service charges and fees	746	753	
Income on sale of mortgage loans, net of commissions	1,039	733	
Income on investment banking, net of commissions	411	449	
Credit card fees	3,153	3,173	
Premiums on sale of student loans		624	
Bank owned life insurance income	378	361	
Gain on mandatory partial redemption of Visa shares	570	2,973	
Other income	679	856	
TOTAL NON-INTEREST INCOME	11,459	14,992	
NON-INTEREST EXPENSE	14 592	14 000	
Salaries and employee benefits	14,583	14,208	
Occupancy expense, net	1,889	1,810	
Furniture and equipment expense	1,543	1,490	
Loss on foreclosed assets	70	42	
Deposit insurance Other operating expenses	533	88	
Other operating expenses	7,040	5,492	

TOTAL NON-INTEREST EXPENSE	25,658	23,130
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	7,056	13,187
Provision for income taxes	1,820	4,371
NET INCOME	\$ 5,236	\$ 8,816
BASIC EARNINGS PER SHARE	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.63
DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.63

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Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows Three Months Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008

(In thousands) OPERATING ACTIVITIES		2009	March 31, 2009 (Unaudited)		March 31, 2008	
OF ERATING AC	Net income	\$	5,236	\$	8,816	
	Items not requiring (providing) cash	Ψ	5,250	Ψ	0,010	
	Depreciation and amortization		1,471		1,384	
	Provision for loan losses		2,138		1,467	
	Gain on mandatory partial redemption of Visa		_,		_,	
	shares				(2,973)	
	Net accretion of investment securities		(165)		(150)	
	Stock-based compensation expense		104		60	
	Deferred income taxes		774		189	
	Bank owned life insurance income		(378)		(361)	
	Changes in					
	Interest receivable		1,859		1,649	
	Mortgage loans held for sale		641		3,362	
	Assets held in trading accounts		(1,756)		(148)	
	Other assets		(20)		(1,464)	
	Accrued interest and other liabilities		(3,255)		37	
	Income taxes payable		1,077		4,182	
	Net cash provided by operating activities		7,726		16,050	
INVESTING ACT	TVITIES					
	Net collections of loans		10,456		5,431	
	Purchases of premises and equipment, net		(997)		(2,990)	
	Proceeds from sale of foreclosed assets		1,106		580	
	Proceeds from mandatory partial redemption of					
	Visa shares				2,973	
	Proceeds from maturities of available-for-sale					
	securities		1,271,709		164,335	
	Purchases of available-for-sale securities	(1	1,318,334)		(208,994)	
	Proceeds from maturities of held-to-maturity					
	securities		38,993		15,023	
	Purchases of held-to-maturity securities		(69,150)		(6,940)	
	Net cash used in investing activities		(66,217)		(30,582)	
FINANCING ACT	TIVITIES					
	Net increase in deposits		33,169		113,994	
	Net change in short-term debt		344		(1,187)	
	Dividends paid		(2,663)		(2,647)	
	Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt		3,300		63,662	
	Repayment of long-term debt		(1,548)		(6,208)	
	Net change in federal funds purchased and		(,)		(-,=~~)	
	securities sold under agreements to repurchase		(16,769)		(14,915)	
	Shares issued (exchanged) under stock		(),)		× /· -/	
	compensation plans, net		1,048		225	
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Repurchase of common stock		(624)
Net cash provided by financing activities	16,881	152,300
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(41,610)	137,768
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	139,536	110,230
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 97,926	\$ 247,998

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Simmons First National Corporation Consolidated Statements of Stockholders' Equity Three Months Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008

(In thousands, except share data)	Comm Stock	on	Surp	blus	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (loss)	Undivided Profits	Total	
Balance, December 31, 2007	\$	139	\$	41,019	\$ 1,728	\$ 229,520	\$ 272	,406
Cumulative effect of adoption of a new						· ·		
accounting principle on January 1, 2008								
(Note 12)						(1,174)	(1	,174)
Comprehensive income								
Net income						8,816	8	,816
Change in unrealized appreciation on								
available-for-sale securities, net of								
income taxes of \$2,251					3,752		3	,752
Comprehensive income							12	,568
Stock issued for employee stock								
purchase plan $-5,359$ shares				135				135
Exercise of stock options – 66,830 shares		1		827				828
Stock granted under								
stock-based compensation plans				35				35
Securities exchanged under stock option								
plan		(1)		(737)				(738)
Repurchase of common stock – 23,48	0			. ,				
shares				(624)				(624)
Dividends paid – \$0.19 per share						(2,647)	(2	,647)
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Balance, March 31, 2008 (Unaudited)		139		40,655	5,480	234,515	280	,789
Comprehensive income								
Net income						18,094	18	,094
Change in unrealized appreciation on								
available-for-sale securities, net of								
income tax credits of \$1,374					(2,290))	(2	,290)
Comprehensive income							15	,804
Stock issued as bonus shares - 17,49	0							
shares				530				530
Exercise of stock options – 30,667 shares				380				380
Stock granted under								
stock-based compensation plans				134				134
Securities exchanged under stock option								
plan		1		(236)				(235)
Repurchase of common stock – 21,70	0							
shares								