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

FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED MARCH 31, 2004

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-13805

HARRIS PREFERRED CAPITAL CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

111 WEST MONROE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS (Address of principal executive offices)

60603 (Zip Code)

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE: (312) 461-2121

SECURITIES REGISTERED PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OF THE ACT:

TITLE OF EACH CLASS

NAME OF EACH EXCHANGE ON WHICH REGISTERED

7 3/8% Noncumulative Exchangeable Preferred Stock, Series A, par value \$1.00 per share

New York Stock Exchange

SECURITIES REGISTERED PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(g) OF THE ACT: None

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.

Yes [X] No []

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an accelerated filer (as

defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act)
 Yes [] No [X]

The number of shares of Common Stock, \$1.00 par value, outstanding on May 13, 2004 was 1,000.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

HARRIS PREFERRED CAPITAL CORPORATION

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	MARCH 2004	,	DECI	EMBER 31 2003	1, MARCH 2003
	(UNAUD)	ITED)	(AI	UDITED)	(UNAUDI
	(IN	THOUS	ANDS,	EXCEPT	SHARE DATA)
ASSETS					
Cash on deposit with Harris Trust and Savings Bank	\$	562	\$	926	\$
Securities purchased from Harris Trust and Savings Bank					
under agreement to resell	15	,000		11,500	22,
Notes receivable from Harris Trust and Savings Bank	15	,184		16,547	27,
Securities available-for-sale:					

Mortgage-backed	212,427 249,434	233,857 229,995	325, 149,
Savings Bank	603 962	414 1,079	1,
TOTAL ASSETS	\$494 , 172	\$494 , 318	 \$527, =====
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EOUITY			
Broker payable due to securities purchase	\$	\$	\$ 25,
Accrued expenses	97	84	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	97 	84 	25,
7 3/8% Noncumulative Exchangeable Preferred Stock, Series A (\$1 par value); liquidation value of \$250,000,000 and 20,000,000 shares authorized, 10,000,000 shares issued			
and outstanding	250,000	250,000	250 ,
issued and outstanding	1	1	
Additional paid-in capital	240,733	240,733	240,
Earnings in excess of distributions	265	1,230	3,
gains/(losses) on available-for-sale securities	3,076	2,270	8,
TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	494 , 075	494,234	502 ,
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$494 , 172	\$494,318 ======	\$527 ,

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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HARRIS PREFERRED CAPITAL CORPORATION

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)

	QUARTER ENDED MARCH			RCH 31
	2004		2	003
	(II		USAND SHARE	•
INTEREST INCOME:				
Securities purchased from Harris Trust and Savings Bank under agreement to resell		71 58	\$	247 472
Mortgage-backed	2,6	30 24		4,526 48
Total interest income	3,3	 83		 5 , 293

Gain on sale of securities		2,463
OPERATING EXPENSES: Loan servicing fees paid to Harris Trust and Savings		
Bank	12	22
Advisory fees paid to Harris Trust and Savings Bank	29	10
General and administrative	96	98
Total operating expenses		130
Net income Preferred dividends		
NET INCOME (LOSS) AVAILABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDER	\$ (965)	\$ 3,017
Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per common share		\$3,017.00
Net income Other comprehensive income (loss) net unrealized	\$ 3,644	\$ 7,626
gains/(losses) on available-for-sale securities	806	(2,233)
Comprehensive income	\$ 4,450	\$ 5,393

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HARRIS PREFERRED CAPITAL CORPORATION

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (UNAUDITED)

	QUARTER EN	DED MARCH 31
	2004	2003
	•	OUSANDS, SHARE DATA)
Balance at January 1 Net income Other comprehensive income (loss) Dividends (preferred stock \$0.4609 per share)	\$494,234 3,644 806 (4,609)	\$501,946 7,626 (2,233) (4,609)
Balance at March 31	\$494,075 ======	\$502 , 730

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	~	ED MARCH 31
	2004	2003
		USANDS)
OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Net Income	\$ 3,644	\$ 7,626
Gain on sale of securities	(398) 117 13	360 (13)
Net cash provided by operating activities		5,510
INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Net decrease in securities purchased from Harris Trust and Savings Bank under agreement to resell		(2,000)
Savings Bank	1,363 (189) (250,000) 253,195	1,939 (149,929)
	869	
FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Cash dividends paid on preferred stock	(4,609)	
Net decrease in cash on deposit with Harris Trust and Savings Bank Cash on deposit with Harris Trust and Savings Bank at	(364)	
beginning of period	926	728
Cash on deposit with Harris Trust and Savings Bank at end of period	\$ 562 ======	
NON CASH TRANSACTION Unsettled security purchase	\$ 	\$ 25,066 ======

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Harris Preferred Capital Corporation (the "Company") is a Maryland corporation whose principal business objective is to acquire, hold, finance and manage qualifying real estate investment trust ("REIT") assets (the "Mortgage")

Assets"), consisting of a limited recourse note or notes (the "Notes") issued by Harris Trust and Savings Bank (the "Bank") secured by real estate mortgage assets (the "Securing Mortgage Loans") and other obligations secured by real property, as well as certain other qualifying REIT assets, primarily U.S. Treasury securities and securities collateralized with real estate mortgages. The Company holds its assets through a Maryland real estate investment trust subsidiary, Harris Preferred Capital Trust. Harris Capital Holdings, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank, owns 100% of the Company's common stock.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared by management from the books and records of the Company. These statements reflect all adjustments and disclosures which are, in the opinion of management, necessary for a fair statement of the results for the interim periods presented and should be read in conjunction with the notes to financial statements included in the Company's 2003 Form 10-K. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, have been condensed or omitted pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

2. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Legal proceedings in which the Company is a defendant may arise in the normal course of business. There is no pending litigation against the Company.

ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION

The statements contained in this Report on Form 10-0 that are not purely historical are forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, including statements regarding the Company's expectation, intentions, beliefs or strategies regarding the future. Forward-looking statements include the Company's statements regarding tax treatment as a real estate investment trust, liquidity, provision for loan losses, capital resources and investment activities. In addition, in those and other portions of this document, the words "anticipate," "believe," "estimate," "expect," "intend" and other similar expressions, as they relate to the Company or the Company's management, are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Such statements reflect the current views of the Company with respect to future events and are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions. It is important to note that the Company's actual results could differ materially from those described herein as anticipated, believed, estimated or expected. Among the factors that could cause the results to differ materially are the risks discussed in the "Risk Factors" section included in the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-11 (File No. 333-40257), with respect to the Preferred Shares declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission on February 5, 1998. The Company assumes no obligation to update any such forward-looking statement.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

FIRST QUARTER 2004 COMPARED WITH FIRST QUARTER 2003

The Company's net income for the first quarter of 2004 was \$3.6 million. This represented a \$4.0 million or 52% decrease from first quarter 2003 earnings of \$7.6 million. Earnings decreased primarily because of a \$2.5 million gain on sale of securities in 2003 compared to a \$398 thousand gain realized in 2004.

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First quarter 2004 interest income on the Notes totaled \$258 thousand and yielded 6.4% on \$16.1 million of average principal outstanding for the quarter compared to \$472 thousand and a 6.4% yield on \$29.7 million average principal outstanding for first quarter 2003. The decrease in income was attributable to a reduction in the Notes balance because of principal paydowns by customers in the Securing Mortgage Loans. The average outstanding balance of the Securing Mortgage Loans for first quarter 2004 and 2003 was \$20 million and \$36 million, respectively. Interest income on securities available-for-sale for the current quarter was \$2.7 million resulting in a yield of 4.4% on an average balance of \$243 million, compared to \$4.6 million with a yield of 5.0% on an average balance of \$368 million for the same period a year ago. The decrease in interest income is primarily attributable to the reduction in the investment portfolio of mortgage-backed securities.

There were no Company borrowings during first quarter 2004 or 2003.

First quarter 2004 operating expenses totaled \$137 thousand, an increase of \$7 thousand or 5% from the first quarter of 2003. Loan servicing expenses totaled \$12 thousand, a decrease of \$10 thousand or 45% from a year ago. This decrease is attributable to the reduction in the principal balance of the Notes, thereby reducing servicing fees payable to the Bank. Advisory fees for the first quarter 2004 were \$29 thousand compared to \$10 thousand a year earlier, due to increased costs for processing, recordkeeping and administration. General and administrative expenses totaled \$96 thousand, a decrease of \$2 thousand over the same period in 2003.

At March 31, 2004 and 2003, there were no Securing Mortgage Loans on nonaccrual status.

LIQUIDITY RISK MANAGEMENT

The objective of liquidity management is to ensure the availability of sufficient cash flows to meet all of the Company's financial commitments. In managing liquidity, the Company takes into account various legal limitations placed on a REIT.

The Company's principal asset management requirements are to maintain the current earning asset portfolio size through the acquisition of additional Notes or other qualifying assets in order to pay dividends to its stockholders after satisfying obligations to creditors. The acquisition of additional Notes or other qualifying assets is funded with the proceeds obtained as a result of repayment of principal balances of individual Securing Mortgage Loans or maturities or sales of securities. The payment of dividends on the Preferred Shares is made from legally available funds, arising from operating activities of the Company. The Company's cash flows from operating activities principally consist of the collection of interest on the Notes, mortgage-backed securities and other earning assets. The Company does not have and does not anticipate having any material capital expenditures.

In order to remain qualified as a REIT, the Company must distribute annually at least 90% of its adjusted REIT ordinary taxable income, as provided for under the Internal Revenue Code, to its common and preferred stockholders. The Company currently expects to distribute dividends annually equal to 90% or more of its adjusted REIT ordinary taxable income.

The Company anticipates that cash and cash equivalents on hand and the cash flow from the Notes and mortgage-backed securities will provide adequate liquidity for its operating, investing and financing needs including the capacity to continue preferred dividend payments on an uninterrupted basis.

As presented in the accompanying Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, the primary sources of funds in addition to \$3.4 million provided from operations during the three months ended March 31, 2004 were \$1.4 million provided by principal repayments on the Notes and \$253.2 million from the maturities and sales of securities available-for-sale. In the prior period ended March 31, 2003, the primary sources of funds other than \$5.5 million from operations were \$3.8 million provided by principal repayments on the Notes and \$144.8 million from the maturities and sales of securities available-for-sale. The primary uses of funds for the three months ended March 31, 2004 were \$250 million for purchases of securities available-for-sale and \$4.6 million in preferred stock dividends paid. For the prior year's quarter ended March 31, 2003, the primary

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uses of funds were \$149.9 million for purchases of securities available-for-sale and \$4.6 million in preferred stock dividends paid.

MARKET RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company's market risk is composed primarily of interest rate risk. There have been no material changes in market risk or the manner in which the Company manages market risk since December 31, 2003.

OTHER MATTERS

As of March 31, 2004, the Company believes that it is in full compliance with the REIT tax rules, and expects to qualify as a REIT under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code. The Company expects to meet all REIT requirements regarding the ownership of its stock and anticipates meeting the annual distribution requirements.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK

The following unaudited financial information for the Bank is included because the Company's preferred shares are automatically exchangeable for a new series of preferred stock of the Bank upon the occurrence of certain events.

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HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CONDITION

	Mž	ARCH 31 2004		CEMBER 31 2003	1	MARCH 31 2003
	(UI	NAUDITED) (IN THOUS	,	AUDITED) EXCEPT SHA	•	JNAUDITED) DATA)
ASSETS Cash and demand balances due from banks Money market assets:	\$	901 , 871	\$	823,615	\$	1,244,415
Interest-bearing deposits at banks		515,190		424,459		321,090

Federal funds sold	499 , 744	409,425	467,875
agreements at March 31, 2004, December 31, 2003 and			
March 31, 2003, respectively)	7,111,503	6,624,280	6,183,136
Trading account assets	49,411	59,467	34,541
Loans	10,187,982	9,573,452	9,767,905
Allowance for possible loan losses	(242,807)	(234,798)	(208,281)
Net loans	9,945,175	9,338,654	9,559,624
Premises and equipment	301,642	302 , 975	298,711
Customers' liability on acceptances	8,048	44,234	23,125
Bank-owned insurance	1,044,956	1,035,239	1,005,261
Loans held for sale	119,126	168,904	197 , 653
Goodwill and other valuation intangibles	163,383	165,978	171,574
Other assets	595 , 399	522,260	536,712
TOTAL ASSETS	\$21,255,448	\$19,919,490	\$20,043,717
LIABILITIES			========
Deposits in domestic offices noninterest-bearing	\$ 4,315,799	\$ 4,231,540	\$ 3,521,252
interest-bearing	8,512,519	7,844,596	7,051,440
Deposits in foreign offices noninterest-bearing	4,413	49,016	39,021
interest-bearing	1,055,539	616,889	906,958
Total deposits	13,888,270	12,742,041	11,518,671
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under	13,000,270	12,742,041	11,510,071
agreement to repurchase	4,312,135	4,643,406	5,250,145
Short-term borrowings	101,617	10,841	200,649
Short-term senior notes	200,000	10,041	350,000
Acceptances outstanding	8,048	44,234	23,125
Accrued interest, taxes and other expenses	159,556	171,422	141,359
Other liabilities	492,651	230,917	495,790
Minority interest preferred stock of subsidiary	250,000	250,917	250,000
Preferred stock issued to Harris Bankcorp, Inc	5,000	5,000	5,000
		225,000	225,000
Long-term notes subordinated	225 , 000		
TOTAL LIABILITIES	19,642,277	18,322,861	18,459,739
STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY			
Common stock (\$10 par value); 10,000,000 shares			
authorized, issued and outstanding	100,000	100,000	100,000
Surplus	637 , 933	634,944	629,381
Retained earnings	878 , 364	860 , 674	816,552
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income	(3,126)	1,011	38,045
TOTAL STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	1,613,171	1,596,629	1,583,978
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	\$21,255,448	\$19,919,490	\$20,043,717
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The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these statements.

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HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(UNAUDITED)

	QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31		
	2004	2003	
	(IN THOUS	ANDS EXCEPT DATA)	
INTEREST INCOME	¢120 470	¢117 400	
Loans, including fees Money market assets:	\$120,479	\$117 , 492	
Deposits at banks Federal funds sold and securities purchased under	877	993	
agreement to resell	1,427	695	
Trading account Securities available-for-sale:	372	453	
U.S. Treasury and Federal agency	33,393	42,509	
State and municipal	279	5	
Other	683	1 , 121	
Total interest income		163,268	
INTEREST EXPENSE			
Deposits	34,679	30,319	
Short-term borrowings	9,896		
Senior notes Minority interest-dividends on preferred stock of	126	895	
subsidiary	4,609	4,609	
Long-term notes	2,578	2 , 677	
Total interest expense	51 , 888	52 , 720	
NET INTEREST INCOME	105,622	110,548	
Provision for loan losses	17,325	17,618	
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER PROVISION FOR LOAN LOSSES	88 , 297	92,930	
NONINTEREST INCOME			
Trust and investment management fees	23,052	19,738	
Money market and bond trading	2,113	3,125	
Foreign exchange	1,725	976	
Service fees and charges	25 , 058	27,724	
Securities gains	11,281	2,463	
Bank-owned insurance	10,388	10,796	
Foreign feesOther	6,150 52,351	6,218 50,268	
Other	JZ , JJ1	JU, 200	
Total noninterest income	132,118	121,308	
NONINTEREST EXPENSES			
Salaries and other compensation	74,116	78 , 768	
Pension, profit sharing and other employee benefits	20,666	18,123	
Net occupancy	11,912	9,808	
Equipment	13,116	13,069	
Marketing	8,285	7,215	
Communication and delivery	5,602 5,596	5,598 6,214	
Contract programming	8,291	6,343	

Other	21,550	20,525
Goodwill and other valuation intangibles	169,134 2,596	165,663 2,538
Total noninterest expenses	171 , 730	168,201
Income before income taxes	48,685 13,887	46,037 12,615
NET INCOME	\$ 34,798 ======	\$ 33,422 ======
EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE (based on 10,000,000 average shares outstanding)		
Net Income	\$ 3.48 ======	\$ 3.34 ======

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these statements.

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HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)

	QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31		
	2004		
	(IN THOU		
NET INCOME.	\$34,798	\$33 , 422	
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME: Minimum pension liability adjustment net of tax benefit of \$158 in 2004 and zero in 2003			
Unrealized holding gains (losses) arising during the period, net of tax expense (benefit) of \$2,418 in 2004 and (\$5,453) in 2003	3,015	(8,216)	
included in income statement, net of tax expense of \$4,388 in 2004 and \$958 in 2003	(6,893)	(1,505)	
Other comprehensive loss	(4,137)	(9 , 721)	
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME			
		======	

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY (UNAUDITED)

	2004	2003
	(IN THOUSANDS)	
BALANCE AT JANUARY 1	\$1,596,629	\$1,577,654
Net income	34,798	33,422
Contributions to capital	2,989	2,741
Dividends preferred stock	(108)	(119)
Dividends common stock	(17,000)	(20,000)
Other comprehensive loss	(4,137)	(9,720)
BALANCE AT MARCH 31	\$1,613,171	\$1,583,978
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HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	~	QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31		
		2004		2003
		(IN THOU		
OPERATING ACTIVITIES:				
Net Income	\$	34,798	\$	33,422
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Provision for loan losses		17,325		17,617
Depreciation and amortization, including intangibles		16,858		16,477
Deferred tax benefit		(2,416)		(1,411)
Gain on sales of securities		(11, 281)		(2,463)
Increase in bank-owned insurance		(10, 126)		(11,076)
Trading account net cash sales		31,543		38 , 689
Net increase in interest receivable		(2, 195)		(1,057)
Net (decrease) increase in interest payable		(4,387)		4,722
Net decrease (increase) in loans held for sale		49,778		(48,342)
Other, net		(25,978)		
Net cash provided by operating activities				
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:				
Net (increase) decrease in interest-bearing deposits at				
banks		(90,731)		96,116

CASH AND DEMAND BALANCES DUE FROM BANKS AT MARCH 31	\$	901,871	\$ 1	L,244,415
CASH AND DEMAND BALANCES DUE FROM BANKS AT JANUARY 1		823,615	-	L,057,254
BANKS		78 , 256		187,161
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND DEMAND BALANCES DUE FROM				
Net cash provided by financing activities		1,068,240		699,703
Cash dividends paid on common stock		(17,000)		
Repayment of senior notes				(600,000)
Proceeds from issuance of senior notes		200,000		750,000
Net increase (decrease) in other short-term borrowings		90 , 776		(100,045)
securities sold under agreement to repurchase		(331,271)		189,361
Net increase in deposits Net (decrease) increase in Federal funds purchased and		1,125,735		480,387
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:				
Net cash used by investing activities	((1,083,903)		(570,099)
Other, net		409		
Purchases of premises and equipment		(10,898)		(12,624)
Net increase in loans		(628 , 560)		• • •
Purchases of securities available-for-sale	((1,990,549)		L,466,830)
available-for-sale		927,078	-	L,180,838
Proceeds from maturities of securities		,		•
Proceeds from sales of securities available-for-sale		799,667		44,761
Net increase in Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreement to resell		(90 319)		(229,925)

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HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK AND SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Harris Trust and Savings Bank (the "Bank") is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Harris Bankcorp, Inc. ("Bankcorp"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Harris Financial Corp. (formerly known as Bankmont Financial Corp.), (a wholly-owned subsidiary of Bank of Montreal). The consolidated financial statements of the Bank include the accounts of the Bank and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. Significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated. Certain reclassifications were made to conform prior year's financial statements to the current year's presentation.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared by management from the books and records of the Bank, without audit by independent certified public accountants. However, these statements reflect all adjustments and disclosures which are, in the opinion of management, necessary for a fair presentation of the results for the interim periods presented.

Because the results of operations are so closely related to and responsive to changes in economic conditions, the results for any interim period are not necessarily indicative of the results that can be expected for the entire year.

2. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

The Bank and certain of its subsidiaries are defendants in various legal proceedings arising in the normal course of business. In the opinion of management, based on the advice of legal counsel, the ultimate resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the Bank's consolidated financial position.

3. CASH FLOWS

For purposes of the Bank's Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, cash and cash equivalents is defined to include cash and demand balances due from banks. Cash interest payments for the three months ended March 31 totaled \$56.3 million and \$48.0 million in 2004 and 2003, respectively. Cash income tax payments over the same periods totaled \$0.5 million and \$0.1 million, respectively.

4. GOODWILL AND OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS

The Bank records goodwill and other intangible assets in connection with the acquisition of assets from unrelated parties or the acquisition of new subsidiaries. Goodwill and other intangible assets that have indefinite useful lives are not subject to amortization while intangible assets with finite lives are amortized. Goodwill is periodically assessed for impairment, at least annually. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortized on either an accelerated or straight-line basis depending on the character of the acquired asset. Intangible assets with finite lives are reviewed for impairment when events or future assessments of profitability indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

The carrying value of the Bank's goodwill as of March 31, 2004 was \$89.3 million. No impairment was recorded during the quarter ended March 31, 2004.

The Bank did not have any intangible assets not subject to amortization as of March 31, 2004.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS -- (CONTINUED)

As of March 31, 2004, the gross carrying amount and accumulated amortization of the Bank's amortizable intangible assets are included in the following table.

	GROSS CARRYING AMOUNT	ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION	NET CAR VALU
		(IN THOUSANDS)	
Branch network	\$145,000 5,724	\$ (74,917) (1,748)	\$70 , 0 3 , 9
Total finite life intangibles	\$150,724	\$ (76,665)	 \$74 , 0
	=======	=======	

Total amortization expense for the Bank's intangible assets was \$2.6 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2004.

Estimated intangible asset amortization expense for the years ending December 31, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008 is \$10.4 million per year.

FIRST QUARTER 2004 COMPARED WITH FIRST QUARTER 2003

SUMMARY

The Bank had first quarter 2004 net income of \$34.8 million, an increase of \$1.4 million or 4 percent from first quarter 2003.

Cash ROE was 10.13 percent in the current quarter and 10.38 percent in first quarter 2003. Excluding unrealized gains and losses on the securities portfolio recorded directly to equity, cash ROE was 10.34 percent for the current year's first quarter, compared to 10.71 percent a year ago.

First quarter net interest income on a fully taxable equivalent basis was \$108.0 million, down \$5.6 million or 5 percent from \$113.6 million in 2003's first quarter. Average earning assets increased 9 percent to \$17.23 billion from \$15.85 billion in 2003. Average securities available-for-sale increased \$813 million. Net interest margin decreased to 2.52 percent from 2.90 percent in the same quarter last year.

The first quarter 2004 provision for loan losses of \$17.3 million was down slightly from \$17.6 million in the first quarter of 2003. Net charge-offs were \$9.3 million compared to \$16.3 million in the prior year's quarter. The decrease is attributable to lower charge-offs and greater recoveries in the commercial loan portfolio.

First quarter 2004 noninterest income of \$132.1 million increased \$10.8 million from the same quarter last year. Most of the increase was the result of an \$8.8 million increase in net gains from securities sales compared to a year ago quarter. Trust revenue and foreign exchange income increased from first quarter 2003. The Bank also experienced a \$7.1 million gain on the sale of assets received in an earlier troubled debt restructuring and a gain on the termination of a swap.

First quarter 2004 noninterest expenses of \$171.7 million increased \$3.5 million or 2 percent from the year-ago quarter.

Nonperforming assets at March 31, 2004 were \$159 million or 1.56 percent of total loans, compared to \$172 million or 1.79 percent at December 31, 2003 and \$175 million or 1.79 percent a year ago. At March 31, 2004, the allowance for possible loan losses was \$243 million, equal to 2.38 percent of loans outstanding, compared to \$208 million or 2.13 percent at the end of first quarter 2003. As a result, the ratio of the allowance for possible loan losses to nonperforming assets was 152 percent at March 31, 2004 compared to 119 percent at March 31, 2003.

At March 31, 2004, Tier 1 capital of the Bank amounted to \$1.68 billion, up from \$1.59 billion one year earlier. The regulatory leverage capital ratio was 8.51 percent for the first quarter of 2004 compared to 8.70 percent in the same quarter of 2003. The Bank's capital ratio exceeds the prescribed regulatory minimum for banks. The Bank's March 31, 2004 Tier 1 and total risk-based capital ratios were 9.86 percent and 11.81 percent compared to respective ratios of 9.92 percent and 12.12 percent at March 31, 2003.

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ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

See "Liquidity Risk Management" and "Market Risk Management" under

Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations beginning on page 6.

ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

As of March 31, 2004, Paul R. Skubic, the Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer and President of the Company, and Janine Mulhall, the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, evaluated the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures of the Company and concluded that these disclosure controls and procedures are effective to ensure that material information required to be included in this Report has been made known to them in a timely fashion. There was no change in the Company's internal controls over financial reporting identified in connection with such evaluations that occurred during the quarter ended March 31, 2004 that has materially affected or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

ITEMS 1, 2, 3, 4 AND 5 ARE BEING OMITTED FROM THIS REPORT BECAUSE SUCH ITEMS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO THE REPORTING PERIOD.

ITEM 6. (A) EXHIBITS

- 31.1 CERTIFICATION OF JANINE MULHALL PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002
- 31.2 CERTIFICATION OF PAUL R. SKUBIC PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002
- 32.1 CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002
- (b) REPORTS ON FORM 8-K:

FORM 8-K WAS FILED ON JANUARY 30, 2004, REPORTING ITEM 4, "CHANGES IN REGISTRANT'S CERTIFYING ACCOUNTANT."

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Harris Preferred Capital Corporation has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized on the 13th day of May 2004.

> /s/ PAUL R. SKUBIC Paul R. Skubic Chairman of the Board and President

> /s/ JANINE MULHALL _____ Janine Mulhall

Chief Financial Officer