

Herget Bank, N.A.

Est. 1905

In 1905, George Herget converted an 1870 wholesale grocery and liquor store and opened a new bank which he called George Herget and Sons. The bank, located at the corner of Fourth and Court in Pekin, was operated by George Herget, along with sons William and Henry, as a privately owned bank facility.

In 1910, the bank received a national charter and became the Herget National Bank of Pekin. Many changes over the years included extensive remodeling of the original bank building and, in 1958, the construction of a brand new bank building at the corner of Fourth and St. Mary streets. The main bank building is still there, although branch offices have been opened at two additional locations in the city, and additional remodeling of the downtown facility was completed in 2000.

Proud of its local ownership and long, independent tradition, Herget Bank believes their customers are a part of the "Herget Family" and are committed to serving the community and helping their customers achieve their financial goals.

The Herget banking family believes in the motto on their website: Herget Bank is "all you need to achieve."

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