

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP

Form 8-K

December 26, 2007

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

December 21, 2007

(Date of earliest event reported)

Farmers & Merchants Bancorp  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000 – 26099  
(Commission File Number)

94-3327828  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

111 West Pine Street, Lodi, California 95240  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(209) 367-2300  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changes since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(C))
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Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 21, 2007, Farmers & Merchants Bancorp mailed a shareholder newsletter to all current shareholders of record. Articles from this newsletter are included as Exhibit 99 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

99 Articles from shareholder newsletter mailed on December 21, 2007.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANCORP

By /s/ Stephen W. Haley

Stephen W. Haley  
Executive Vice President  
& Chief Financial Officer

Date: December 20, 2007

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