HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP Form 8-K March 30, 2005

UNITED STATES 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

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): March 24, 2005

Heritage Commerce Corp

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California

000-23877

77-0469558

(State of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

150 Almaden Boulevard San Jose, California 95113

(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

(408) 947-6900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former Address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On March 24, 2005 Anneke Dury, Kirk Rossmann and Richard L. Conniff resigned from the Board of Directors. These resignations along with the resignation of Roy E. Lave on March 17, 2005, were in connection with the Board's decision in February 2005, to reduce the size of the Board to 11 persons. Mr. Conniff continues as the Company's Chief Operating Officer.

SIGNATURES

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 30, 2005 Heritage Commerce Corp

By: <u>/s/ Lawrence D. McGovern</u> Name: Lawrence D. McGovern

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer