WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION

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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, DC 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): October 16, 2008

WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

CALIFORNIA

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-9383 94-2156203

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

(707) 863-6000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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99.1 Press release dated October 15, 2008

Item 2.02: Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 15, 2008 Westamerica Bancorporation announced their earnings for the third quarter of 2008. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

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Signatures

Pursuant to 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.

Westamerica Bancorporation

/s/ JOHN "ROBERT" THORSON

John "Robert" Thorson Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer October 16, 2008

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION REPORTS FINANCIAL RESULTS

San Rafael, CA: Westamerica Bancorporation (NASDAQ: WABC) earned net income of \$39 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2008, representing a 13 percent annualized return on average shareholders' equity. At September 30, 2008, Westamerica maintained a reserve for loan losses equivalent to 2.08 percent of total loans and total regulatory capital of 11.3 percent. Results for the first nine months of 2008 include gains from the sale of VISA common stock and losses recognized due to the decline in value of Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ("FHLMC") and Federal National Mortgage Association ("FNMA") preferred stock.

"The strength of our underlying earnings and the high-quality of our loan portfolio allowed Westamerica to generate a 13 percent return on shareholders' equity for the first nine months of 2008, exceeding average returns in the banking industry, in spite of recognizing a decline in value of FHLMC and FNMA preferred stock. Our net interest margin remained healthy in the third quarter 2008 at 5.19 percent, compared to 5.16 percent in the prior quarter. Our credit quality remained stable with non-performing assets totaling \$13 million at September 30, 2008, unchanged from June 30, 2008. We were also successful in reducing operating expenses \$1.1 million in the third quarter 2008 compared to the prior quarter," said Chairman, President and CEO David Payne. "Our high-quality loan portfolio, ample loan loss reserve, and healthy capital levels distinguish Westamerica as a safe and sound bank during this troublesome period for our industry," added Payne.

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Westamerica generated net income of \$39 million, or diluted earnings per share ("EPS") of \$1.33 for the nine months ended September 30, 2008. Results for this period include a \$5.7 million gain on the sale of VISA common stock resulting from VISA's initial public offering ("IPO"), and \$2.3 million in reduced expenses as known litigation contingencies were satisfied as a part of the VISA IPO. EPS was increased \$0.16 due to transactions recognized as a result of the VISA IPO. Results for this period also include \$34 million in losses, net of tax, recognized as a result of the decline in value of FHLMC and FNMA preferred stock, which reduced EPS by \$1.17. At September 30, 2008, the recorded value of FHLMC and FNMA preferred stock was \$2.8 million. Also, the Company recorded a \$1.0 million reduction in its tax provision primarily due to filing its 2007 tax return and adjusting 2007 tax estimates to actual amounts included in the filed tax return, which increased EPS by \$0.03. The adjustment primarily resulted from higher than anticipated tax credits earned on limited partnership investments providing low-income housing and housing for the elderly in our Northern and Central California communities.

Westamerica recorded net income of \$44 thousand for the three months ended September 30, 2008. Results for this period include \$24 million in losses, net of tax, recognized as a result of the decline in value of FHLMC and FNMA preferred stock, which reduced EPS by \$0.81. Also, the Company recorded the \$1.0 million reduction in its tax provision primarily due to filing its 2007 tax return, which increased EPS by \$0.03.

Net interest income on a fully-taxable equivalent basis ("FTE") totaled \$48.7 million in the third quarter 2008, compared to \$49.7 million in the second quarter 2008, and \$45.6 million in the third quarter 2007. For the nine month periods ended September 30, 2008 and 2007, net interest income (FTE) totaled \$146.4 million and \$138.5 million, respectively. Net interest income has increased in 2008 compared to 2007 due to a higher net interest margin, partially offset by a smaller base of earnings assets, primarily investment

securities. Lower volumes of high-cost funding sources and lower short-term interest rates have reduced the Company's cost of funds from 1.75 percent in the nine months ended September 30, 2007 to 0.98 percent in the nine months ended September 30, 2008. The lower cost of funds has significantly improved the net interest margin (FTE) from 4.37 percent in the nine months ended September 30, 2007 to 5.04 percent in the nine months ended September 30, 2008.

The provision for credit losses was \$600 thousand for the third quarter 2008, unchanged from the previous quarter and increased from \$75 thousand for the third quarter 2007.

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Non-interest income for the first nine months of 2008 declined \$56.6 million when compared to the first nine months of 2007 due to: \$59.4 million in charges to record the decline in value of FHLMC and FNMA preferred stock, \$5.7 million gain on sale of VISA stock recognized in the first quarter 2008, \$822 thousand gain from life insurance proceeds recognized in the first quarter of 2007, and \$759 thousand lower fees on the issuance of cashiers' checks.

Non-interest expense for the first nine months of 2008 was \$74.6 million, compared to \$74.2 million for the first nine months of 2007. The \$400 thousand increase is primarily due to: \$2.3 million reversal of VISA related litigation expense in the first quarter 2008, \$1.5 million higher data processing expense, and \$894 thousand higher personnel costs. Non-interest expense for the third quarter 2008 was \$25.2 million, compared to \$26.3 million for the second quarter 2008 and \$24.9 million for the third quarter 2007. Third quarter 2008 expenses were reduced from the prior quarter primarily due to lower personnel costs, professional fees, and other expenses.

Non-performing assets as a percentage of total assets were 0.33 percent, 0.31 percent and 0.12 percent at September 30, 2008, June 30, 2008 and September 30, 2007, respectively. Annualized net loan losses as a percentage of total average loans were 0.23 percent and 0.14 percent during the nine months ended September 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

Shareholders' equity was \$399 million at September 30, 2008 compared to \$410 million at June 30, 2008. At September 30, 2008, total regulatory capital ratios for Westamerica Bancorporation and its subsidiary bank, Westamerica Bank, were 11.3 percent and 10.7 percent, respectively, exceeding the 10 percent requirement to be "well capitalized" under regulatory standards.

Westamerica Bancorporation, through its wholly owned subsidiary Westamerica Bank, operates 86 branches throughout 21 Northern and Central California counties.

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FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION:

The following appears in accordance with the Private Securities Litigation

Reform Act of 1995:

This press release may contain forward-looking statements about the Company, including descriptions of plans or objectives of its management for future operations, products or services, and forecasts of its revenues, earnings or other measures of economic performance. Forward-looking statements can be identified by the fact that they do not relate strictly to historical or current facts. They often include the words "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "plan," "estimate," or words of similar meaning, or future or conditional verbs such as "will," "would," "should," "could," or "may."

Forward-looking statements, by their nature, are subject to risks and uncertainties. A number of factors - many of which are beyond the Company's control - could cause actual conditions, events or results to differ significantly from those described in the forward-looking statements. The Company's most recent annual and quarterly reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2008, and Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2007, describe some of these factors, including certain credit, market, operational, liquidity and interest rate risks associated with the Company's business and operations. Other factors described in these reports include changes in business and economic conditions, competition, fiscal and monetary policies, disintermediation, legislation including the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act of 1999, and mergers and acquisitions.

Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made. The Company does not undertake to update forward-looking statements to reflect circumstances or events that occur after the date forward looking statements are made.

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1. Net Income Summary.

		(dollars in	thousands		-share amou		
		Q3'08	Q3'07			Q2'08 9	9/30 ' 08
1	Net Interest Income (Fully Taxable Equivalent)	\$48,693	\$45,563	6.9%	\$49,731	-2.1%	\$146,
	Provision for Credit Losses	600	75	n/m	600	0.0%	1,
3	Noninterest Income:						
4	Life Insurance Gains	0	0	n/m	0	n/m	
5	Gain on Sale of Visa Common Stock	0	0	n/m	0	n/m	5,
6	Investment Securities Losses and Impairment	(41,206)	0	n/m	(18,178)	n/m	(59,
7	Other	13,707	14,644	-6.4%	14,335	-4.4%	41,
	Total Noninterest Income Noninterest Expense:	(27,499)	14,644	n/m	(3,843)	n/m	(11,
	VISA Litigation	0	0	n/m	0	n/m	(2,
	Other	25,203			26,337		

12 Total Noninterest Expense	25 , 203	•		26,337	-4.3%	74,
13 Income Before Taxes (FTE) 14 Income Tax (Benefit) Provision (FTE)	(4,609)	35,279		18,951		58, 19,
15 Net Income	\$44	•		\$12 , 202		\$39 ,
16 Average Shares Outstanding 17 Diluted Average Shares Outstanding				28,916 29,392		28, 29,
18 Operating Ratios: 19 Basic Earnings Per Share 20 Diluted Earnings Per Share 21 Return On Assets (annualized) 22 Return On Equity (annualized) 23 Net Interest Margin (FTE)	0.00 0.00% 0.0% 5.19%	0.74 1.89% 21.7%	n/m	\$0.42 0.42 1.15% 11.9% 5.16%		\$1 1 1 5
25 Dividends Paid Per Share 26 Dividend Payout Ratio		\$0.34 46%	2.9%	\$0.35 83%	0.0%	\$1

2. Net Interest Income.

		(dollars in	thousands)				
		Q3 ' 08			Q2 ' 08	Q3'08 / Q2'08 9/30'08	
	Interest and Fee Income (FTE) Interest Expense					-3.4% \$175, -11.3% 28,	
	Net Interest Income (FTE)	\$48 , 693		 6.9%		 -2.1% \$146,	
	Average Earning Assets	\$3,745,058	\$4,198,859	-10.8%\$	3,865,110	-3.1%\$3,878,	
5	Average Interest-Bearing Liabilities	2,486,659	2,905,457	-14.4%	2,590,406	-4.0% 2,615,	
6	Yield on Earning Assets (FTE) (annualized)	5.98%	6.14%		6.03%	6	
7	Cost of Funds (annualized)	0.79%	1.80%		0.87%	0	
8	Net Interest Margin (FTE) (annualized)	5.19%	4.34%		5.16%	5	
9	Interest Expense/Interest-Bearing						
	Liabilities (annualized)	1.19%	2.60%		1.30%	1	
10	Net Interest Spread (FTE) (annualized)	4.79%	3.54%		4.73%	4	

^{3.} Loans & Other Earning Assets.

		(average vo	03'08 /				
		Q3'08	Q3 ' 07			-	9/30 ' 08
1	Total Assets	\$4,137,232	\$4 628 728	_10 684	\$4,257,325	_2 89	\$4,275,
		3,745,058			3,865,110		3,878,
	Total Loans						2,443,
4		597 , 176					607,
5	Commercial Real Estate Loans	830,001	871 , 225	-4.7%	843 , 793	-1.6%	841,
6	Consumer Loans	987,140	1,017,970	-3.0%	986 , 187	0.1%	994,
7	Total Investment Securities	1,330,741	1,684,174	-21.0%	1,426,048	-6.7%	1,435,
8	Available For Sale (Market Value)	359 , 220	590,749	-39.2%	433,190	-17.1%	436,
9	Held To Maturity	971 , 521	1,093,425	-11.1%	992 , 858	-2.1%	998,
10	HTM Unrealized Loss at Period-End	(15,042)	(4,974)	n/m	(3,052)	n/m	(15,
11	Loans / Deposits	76.5%	74.9%		76.6%		7

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4. Deposits & Other Interest-Bearing Liabilities.

	(average vo	(average volume, dollars in thousands) Q3'08 / Q3'08 Q3'07 Q3'07 Q2'08				
	Q3'08	Q3'07	Q3 ' 07	Q2 ' 08	Q2'08	9/30 ' 08
1 Total Deposits	\$3.154.340	\$3,358,163	-6.1%\$	\$3.183 . 812	-0.9%	s\$3 , 183,
2 Noninterest Demand		1,254,530	·	1,186,921		1,186,
3 Interest-Bearing Transaction		566,556		547,574		
4 Savings	•	810,213		763,575		
5 Time greater than \$100K	484,396	519,488	-6.8%	492,932	-1.7%	•
6 Time less than \$100K	193,170	207,376	-6.9%	192,810	0.2%	194,
7 Total Short-Term Borrowings	470,109	764,992	-38.5%	556 , 794	-15.6%	582,
8 Fed Funds Purchased	342,338	621,165	-44.9%	414,632	-17.4%	440,
9 Other Short-Term Funds	127,771	143,827	-11.2%			142,
10 Long-Term Debt	35,163	36,832	-4.5%	36,721	-4.2%	36,
11 Shareholders' Equity	412,133	402,016	2.5%	412,263	-0.0%	406,
12 Demand Deposits / Total Deposit	ts 37.2 ⁵	% 37.4%	į	37.3%	,	3
13 Transaction & Savings Deposits Total Deposits	/ 78.5%	% 78.4%		78.5%		7

^{5.} Interest Yields Earned & Rates Paid.

(dollars in thousands) Q3**'**08 Q3**'**07

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		Average	Income/	Yield */	Yield*/ Rate	Average Volume	Incom	
1	Interest & Fees Income Earned							
2	Total Earning Assets (FTE)	\$3,745,058	\$56,131	5.98%	6.03%	\$4,198,859	\$64,	
3		2,414,317				2,514,685	42,	
4	Commercial Loans (FTE)					625,490	•	
5	Commercial Real Estate Loans					871 , 225	15,	
6		987 , 140				1,017,970	13,	
7	Total Investment Securities (FTE)	1,330,741	18,278	5.49%	5.51%	1,684,174	22,	
8	Interest Expense Paid							
9	Total Earning Assets	3,745,058	7,438	0.79%	0.87%	4,198,859	19,	
10	Total Interest-Bearing Liabilities	2,486,659	7,438	1.19%	1.30%	2,905,457	19,	
11	Total Interest-Bearing Deposits	1,981,387	4,960	1.00%	1.07%	2,103,633	9,	
12	Interest-Bearing Transaction	539 , 286	346	0.26%	0.25%	566,556		
13	Savings	764 , 535	1,048	0.55%	0.58%	810,213	1,	
14	Time less than \$100K	193 , 170	1,201	2.47%	2.82%	207,376	1,	
15	Time greater than \$100K	484,396	2,365	1.94%	2.06%	519 , 488	6,	
16	Total Short-Term Borrowings	470,109	1,954	1.63%	1.77%	764 , 992	8,	
17	Fed Funds Purchased	342,338	1,708	1.95%	2.12%	621,165	8,	
18	Other Short-Term Funds	127,771	246	0.77%	0.74%	143,827		
19	Long-Term Debt	35 , 163	524	5.96%	6.30%	36,832		
20	Net Interest Income and Margin (F: * Annualized	ΓE)	\$48,693	5.19%	5.16%		\$45 ,	

^{6.} Noninterest Income.

		(dollars in	thousands		share amou		
		Q3'08	Q3 ' 07		Q2 ' 08		9/30 ' 08
1	Service Charges on Deposit Accounts	\$7 , 555	\$7 , 569	-0.2%	\$7 , 529	0.3%	\$22,
2	Merchant Credit Card Income	2,611	2,808	-7.0%	2,712	-3.7%	7,
3	ATM Fees & Interchange	756	723	4.6%	763	-0.9%	2,
4	Debit Card Fees	970	969	0.0%	978	-0.9%	2,
5	Financial Services Commissions	186	383	-51.4%	274	-31.9%	i
6	Mortgage Banking Income	39	29	31.5%	27	43.4%	i
7	Trust Fees	293	337	-13.2%	377	-22.4%	i
8	Other Income	1,297	1,826	-28.9%	1,675	-22.5%	4,
9	Sub-total	13,707	14,644	-6.4%	14 , 335	-4.4%	41,
10	Life Insurance Gains	0	0	n/m	0	n/m	
11	Gain on Sale of Visa Common Stock	0	0	n/m	0	n/m	5,
12	Investment Securities Losses and Impairment	(41,206)	0	n/m 	(18 , 178)	n/m	(59 ,
13	Total Noninterest Income	(\$27,499)	\$14,644	n/m	(\$3,843)	n/m	(\$11,

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14	Operating Ratios:						
15	Total Revenue (FTE)	\$21,194	\$60,207	-64.8%	\$45 , 888	-53.8%	\$134,
16	Noninterest Income / Revenue (FTE)	n/m	24.3%		n/m		r
17	Service Charges / Deposits (annualized)	0.95%	0.89%		0.95%		C
18	Total Revenue Per Share (annualized)	\$2.92	\$8.09	-63.9%	\$6.38	-54.3%	\$6

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FTE Revenues

7. Noninterest Expense.

	1	(dollars in	thousands)				
		Q3 ' 08	Q3 ' 07	Q3 ' 07		Q2 ' 08	
	_						
1 Salaries & Benefits		\$12 , 621	\$12 , 587	0.3%	\$13 , 065	-3.4%	\$38,
2 Occupancy		3,465 903 2,098	3,327	4.1%	3,443	0.6%	10,
3 Equipment		903	1,083	-16.6%	1,001	-9.8%	2,
4 Data Processing		2,098	1,800	16.5%	2,105	-0.3%	6,
5 Courier		835	854	-2.3%	824	1.2%	2,
6 Postage		369	404	-8.8%	390	-5.4%	1,
7 Telephone		342	342	0.1%	346	-1.1%	1,
8 Professional Fees						-29.0%	
9 Stationery & Supplies		272	323	-15.8%	285	-4.7%	
10 Loan Expense		246	217	13.8%	233	5.9%	
11 Operational Losses		113					
12 Amortization of Identi Intangibles		788					
13 Other Operating		2,666 	2,344	13.7%	2,978	-10.5%	8,
14 Sub-total							
15 VISA Litigation		0	0	n/m	0	-4.3% n/m -	(2,
16 Total Noninterest Expe	ense =	\$25 , 203	\$24,853	1.4%	\$26 , 337	-4.3%	\$74 ,
17 Full Time Equivalent S	Staff	899	876	2.6%	892	0.8%	
18 Average Assets / Full Equivalent Staff	. Time	\$4 , 602	\$5 , 284	-12.9%	\$4 , 773	-3.6%	\$4,
19 Operating Ratios:							
20 FTE Revenue / Full Staff (annualize	ed)				\$207	-54.7%	\$
21 Noninterest Expense Assets (annualiz		2.68%	2.35%		2.74%		2
22 Noninterest Expense	e /	118.9%	41.3%		57.4%		5

8. Provision for Credit Losses.

	(dollars in	thousands)				
			Q3'08 /		Q3'08 /	
	Q3'08	Q3 ' 07	Q3 ' 07	Q2 ' 08	Q2'08	9/30 ' 08
1 Provision for Credit Losses	\$600	\$75	n/m	\$600	0.0%	\$1 ,
2 Gross Loan Losses	1,786	1,031	73.3%	2,208	-19.1%	5,
3 Net Loan Losses	1,467	610	140.5%	1,870	-21.5%	4,
4 Recoveries / Gross Loan Losses	18%	41%		15%		
5 Average Total Loans	\$2,414,317 \$	2,514,685	-4.0%\$2	2,439,062	-1.0%	\$2,443,
6 Net Loan Losses / Loans (annualized)	0.24%	0.10%		0.31%		C
7 Provision for Credit Losses / Loans (annualized)	0.10%	0.01%		0.10%		C
8 Provision for Credit Losses / Net Loan Losses	40.9%	12.3%		32.1%		4

9. Credit Quality.

19 Classified Loans /

		(dollars in					
				9/30/08 /		9/30/08 /	
			9/30/07	9/30/07	6/30/08	6/30/08	3/31/
1	Nonperforming Nonaccrual Loans	\$12,132	\$3,132	287.4%	\$11.713	3.6%	\$3.
2	Performing Nonaccrual Loans	73	1,695	-95.7%	28	160.5%	1,
3	Total Monaccrual Loans	12 205	1 827	152 8%	11 7/11	3 08	 5,
4	Accruing Loans 90+ Days Past Due	363	251	44.6%	254	42.9%	
	Total Nonperforming Loans	12,568	5,078	147.5%	11,995	4.8%	5,
	Repossessed Collateral					-11.5%	
	Total Nonperforming Loans &						
8	Repossessed Collateral	\$13,382 =======	\$5 , 691	135.1%	\$12 , 915	3.6%	\$6,
9	Classified Loans	\$38,070	\$21,403	77.9%	\$33,546	13.5%	\$33,
1 0	Allowance for Loan Losses	\$50 097	\$52 938	-5 12	\$50 964	_1 7%	\$52
11	Total Loans Outstanding	2 - 408 - 704	2.511.374	-4 1%	2.431.011	-0 9%	2.448.
		4,089,482					
13	Allowance for Loan Losses / Total Loans	2.08%	2.11%	5	2.10%		2
	Nonperforming Loans / Total Loans Nonperforming Loans & Repossessed		0.20%	5	0.49%		0
	Collateral/Total Assets		0 129	÷	0 31%		0
	Allowance/Nonperforming Loans				425%		O
	Allowance for Loan Losses /				152%		
	Classified Loans						

20 (Equity + Allowance for Loan Losses)

8.5% 4.7%

7.3%

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10.Capital.

		(dollars in			er-share amo		
		9/30/08			6/30/08		3/31/
	Shareholders' Equity	\$399,128			\$410,445		
	Tier I Regulatory Capital						
3	Total Regulatory Capital	314,023	322 , 598	-2.7%	327,631	-4.2%	321,
4	Total Assets	4,089,482	4,657,016	-12.2%	4,188,868	-2.4%	4,342,
5	Risk-Adjusted Assets	2,790,304	3,017,668	-7.5%	2,845,553	-1.9%	2,914,
6	Shareholders' Equity / Total Assets	9.76%	8.67%		9.80%		9
7	Shareholders' Equity / Total Loans	16.57%	16.07%		16.88%		16
8	Tier I Capital /Total Assets	6.80%	6.08%		6.94%		6
9	Tier I Capital /	9.97%	9.38%		10.22%		9
	tal / Risk-Adjusted Assets						
10	Total Capital / Risk-Adjusted Assets	11.25%	10.69%		11.51%		11
1 1		6.62%	5 82%		6 71%		6
		28,895					28,
		\$13.81			•		
		•					
⊥4	Market Value Per Share	\$57.53	\$49.81	15.5%	\$52.59	9.4%	\$52

¹⁵ Share Repurchase Programs

	(shares in the	housands)				,
	Q3 ' 08	Q3 ' 07	Q3'08 / Q3'07	Q2 ' 08	Q3'08 / Q2'08 9	9/30'08
16 Total Shares Repurchased / Canceled	108	492	-78.1%	172	-37.3%	
17 Average Repurchase Price 18 Net Shares (Issued) Repurchased	\$50.10 (6)	\$43.90 354	14.1% n/m	\$54.89 (117)	-8.7% n/m	\$49

11.Period-End Balance Sheets.

		(unaudited,	dollars in thousands)				
		9/30/08				9/30/08 / 6/30/08	3/31/
1	Assets:						
2		\$142 , 678	\$219,960	-35.1%	\$134,432	6.1%	\$139 ,
3	Investment Securities Available For Sale	304,871	570,086	-46.5%	391,028	-22.0%	477,
4	Investment Securities Held to Maturity						
5	Loans, gross	2,408,704	2,511,374	-4.1%	2,431,011	-0.9%	2,448,
6	Allowance For Loan Losses	2,408,704 (50,097)	(52,938)	-5.4%	(50,964)	-1.7%	(52,
7	Loans, net	2,358,607	2,458,436	-4.1%	2,380,047	-0.9%	
0	D	26 700	20 (((C F 9	27 460	2 40	2.0
8		26,789	28,666	-6.56 17 29	27,460 16 701	-2.4%	28 ,
9	Goodwill	15,990 121 702	19 , 344	-1/.2s	16,784 121 719	-4.7% -0.0%	17 ,
11							
11							
12		\$4,089,482					\$4,342,
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13 14	Liabilities and Shareholders' Equi- Deposits:	ty:					
15	-	\$1.173.852	\$1,251,572	-6.2%	\$1.195,004	-1.8%	\$1.202.
16		518,944	549,263	-5.5%	527,109	-1.5%	542,
17						-0.4%	
18				-6.4%		-0.2%	
19	Total Deposits	3,129,788	3,340,214	-6.3%		-1.1%	3,194,
2.0	Classic March December Brands	407 072	015 101				C2F
20 21		481,913	36 800 812 , 101	-4U.16	34,131 36 699	-3.16 -27 3%	635 , 36 ,
22	Debt financing and notes rayable	45.928	50 , 60 <i>-</i> 61 - 241	-27.0°	50,099 64.101	-27.5° -28.4%	36, 76,
44	and Other	40,920	01,271	-23.00	04,101	-20.40	, o ,
23	Total Liabilities	3,690,354	4,253,365		3,778,423		3,943,
24	Shareholders' Equity:		· 	- -		_	
25	Paid-In Capital	\$354 , 537	\$337 , 627	5.0%	\$351 , 157	1.0%	\$339,
26	Accumulated Other Comprehensive						
27	Income (Loss)	551	(412)	n/m	1,074	-48.7%	(3,
28	Retained Earnings	44,040	66,436		58 , 214		63 ,
29	Total Shareholders' Equity	399 , 128	403,651	-1.1%		-2.8%	399,
30		\$4,089,482		-12.2%	\$4,188,868	-2.4%	\$4,342,
	Shareholders' Equity			== =		= :	

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12. Income Statements.

September 30, 2008

			dollars in Q3'07				
	Interest and Fee Income:						!
2	Loans	\$36 , 710	\$41 , 134 2	-10.8%	\$37 , 274	-1.5%	; \$112 ,
3	Money Market Assets and	1	2	n/m	1	n/m	
	Funds Sold	4 241	6 710	22.00		12.00	2.4
4		4,041	6,713	-39.8%	4,942	-18.2%	, 14,
E	Available For Sale	10 000	11 440	10 70	10 420	2 10	. 21
5	Investment Securities	10,223	11,448	-IU./8	10,438	-2.18	. J⊥,
	Held to Maturity					-	
6 '	Total Interest Income	50 , 975	59 , 297	-14.0%	52,655	-3.2%	159 ,
7	Interest Expense:						
8	Transaction Deposits	346	526	-34.2%	347	-0.3%	
9	Savings Deposits	1,048	1,649	-36.5%	1,105	-5.2%	3,
10			7,791				
11	Short-Term Borrowed Funds						
12	Debt Financing and Notes Payable	524	578	-9.4%	578	-9.4%	
13	Total Interest Expense	7,438	19,145	61.2%	 8 , 386	- -11.3%	 28,
14			40,152				 130,
15		600	75	n/m		0.0%	 8 1,
16	Noninterest Income:			_		-	
17	Service Charges on Deposit Accounts	7 , 555	7,569	-0.2%	7,529	0.3%	g 22,
18	Merchant Credit Card	2,611	2,808	-7.0%	2,712	-3.7%	7,
19	ATM Fees & Interchange	756	723	4.6%	763	-0.9%	è 2,
20	Debit Card Fees						
21	Financial Services Commissions	186	383	-51.4%	274	-31.9%	ò
22	Mortgage Banking	39	29	31.5% -13.2%	27	43.4%	5
23	Trust Fees	293	337	-13.2%	377		
24	Life Insurance Gains	0	0	n/m	0	n/m	
25	Gain on Sale of Visa Common Stock	0		n/m	0	n/m	5,
26	Investment Securities Losses and Impairment	(41,206)	0	n/m	(18,178)	n/m	(59,
27	Other	1,297	1,826	-28.9%	1,675	-22.5%	8 4,
28	Total Noninterest Income	(27, 499)	14,644	n/m	(3,843)	_ n/m	(11,
29 I 30	Noninterest Expense: Salaries and Related Benefits	12,621	12,587	0.3%	13,065	- -3.4%	 à 38,

31 Occupancy	3,465	3.327	4.1%	3,443	0.6%	10,
32 Equipment	903	1,083		•		2,
33 Data Processing		•		2,105		-
34 Professional Fees	485	451		683		1,
35 VISA Litigation	0	0		0	n/m	(2,
36 Other				6,040		17,
37 Total Noninterest Expense	25 , 203	24,853	1.4%	26,337	-4.3%	74,
38 Income Before Income Taxes	(9 , 765)	29 , 868	n/m	13,489	n/m	42 ,
39 Income Tax (Benefit) Provision	(9 , 809)	7,846	n/m	1,287	n/m	2,
40 Net Income		\$22 , 022		\$12 , 202	n/m ==	\$39 ,
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41 Average Shares Outstanding 42 Diluted Average Shares Outstanding		•		28,916 29,392		28, 29,
43 Per Share Data:						
44 Basic Earnings	\$0.00	\$0.75	n/m	\$0.42	n/m	\$1
45 Diluted Earnings	0.00	0.74	n/m	0.42	n/m	1
46 Dividends Paid	0.35	0.34	2.9%	0.35	0.0%	1