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PEOPLES BANCORP INC Form 8-K February 11, 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): February 10, 2005							
PEOPLES BANCORP INC.							
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)							
Ohio		0-16772	31-0987416				
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)		(Commission File					
	138 Putnam Street, 1 Marietta, 0	45750-0738					
(Add	dress of principal ex	ecutive offices)	(Zip Code)				
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (740) 373-3155							
Not applicable							
	(Former name or form	er address, if changed	since last report)				
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Section 8 - Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events

On February 10, 2005 Peoples Bancorp's Board of Directors issued a news release declaring a cash dividend to shareholders of record. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- a) Financial statements of businesses acquired No response required.
- b) Pro forma financial information No response required.
- c) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description			
99	News Release issued by Peoples Bancorp Inc. on February 10, 2005			

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 hereunto duly authorized.

PEOPLES BANCORP INC.

Date:	February 11,	2005	By: /s/	MARK F. BRADLEY
				Mark F. Bradley
				President and Chief Operating Officer

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