

BERRY RICHARD J
Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BERRY RICHARD J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
UNIONBANCORP INC [UBCD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
321 W. MAIN STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/15/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

OTTAWA, IL 61350
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code V Amount (D) Price | | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
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| Derivative Security | | | (A) or (D) | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------|------------|-------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | | | (A) | (D) | | | |
| OPTIONS TO PURCHASE UNIONBANCORP, INC. STOCK | \$ 21.15 | 12/15/2005 | A | 2,500 | 12/15/2010 | 12/15/2015 | OPTIO PURC UNIONB INC. S |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BERRY RICHARD J 321 W. MAIN STREET OTTAWA, IL 61350 | | X | | |

Signatures

SUZANNE FECHTER POA FOR RICHARD J. BERRY PURSUANT TO A POWER OF ATTORNEY OF CONTINUING DURATION 12/16/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
 - ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) REPORTING PERSON ALSO HOLDS 15,879 SHARES DIRECTLY AND 11,100 SHARES IN TRUST IN WHICH THE REPORTING PERSON SERVES AS TRUSTEE.

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