VOYLES MICHAEL J

Form 4

January 21, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

VOYLES MICHAEL J S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GERMAN AMERICAN BANCORP [GABC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 624 SOUTH	(First) (M	iddle) 3. Date of (Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2005				X Director Officer (give tit low)		Owner (specify	
			nth/Day/Year) A			A _I _X	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curities .	Acquir	ed, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie or Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or		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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	01/15/2005	01/20/2005	Code V	Amount 62.6174	A	Price \$ 15.97	58,729.4322	D (1)		

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
	Derivative Security				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne Follo
					(A) or Disposed						Repo Trans
					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

VOYLES MICHAEL J 624 SOUTH HICKORY LANE X PETERSBURG, IN 47567

Signatures

Mark A Schroeder POA for Michael J Voyles 01/21/2005

**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) Column 5 includes 35,461 shares held by a Generation Skipping Trust of which Mr. Voyles is the trustee

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