#### POLANEN HUMPHREY P

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### FORM 4

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Commerce

Corp -Common

(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * POLANEN HUMPHREY P |  |  |        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP [HTBK] |  |   |                      | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)   |  |  |  |
| (Last) 5418 BRYAN  | (First) (Middle)   |  |        | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/26/2005                      |  |   |                      | _X_ Director<br>Officer (give<br>below)  | e title 10% Owner<br>Other (specify below)                           |  |  |
| (Street) OAKLAND, CA 94618                                   |  |  |        | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                             |  |   |                      | 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) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially O |  |        |  |  |   |                      |  | ly Owned   |  |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                         | 2. Transaction<br>(Month/Day/Y   |  | Execut | eemed<br>ion Date, if<br>n/Day/Year)   | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securion<br>OnAcquired<br>Disposed<br>(Instr. 3, | l (A) or<br>l of (D) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                             | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |
| Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp -<br>Common                     |  |  |        |  | Code v                                 | Amount  | (b) Thee             | 15,608   | D  |  |  |
| Heritage   |  |  |        |  |  |   |                      |  |  |  |  |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)               | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. 5. TransactionNumber Code of (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |         |                     |                    | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |  |
|---|---|---|---|---|---------|---------------------|--------------------|---|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V  | (A) (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp Stock<br>Option<br>5/26/05           | \$ 18.01  |   |   |   |         | 05/26/2005          | 05/26/2015         | Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp -<br>Common                      | 2,500                                  |
| Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy) | \$ 11.21  |   |   |   |         | 09/17/1998          | 09/17/2008         | Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp -<br>Common                      | 6,600                                  |
| Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy) | \$ 14.09  |   |   |   |         | 12/16/1999          | 12/16/2009         | Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp -<br>Common                      | 3,300                                  |
| Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy) | \$ 8.5  |   |   |   |         | 10/25/2002          | 10/24/2012         | Heritage<br>Commerce<br>Corp -<br>Common                      | 7,500                                  |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

POLANEN HUMPHREY P 5418 BRYANT AVE. OAKLAND, CA 94618

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Polanen, Humphrey 05/31/2005

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

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