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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

April 14, 1994
(Date of earliest event reported)

AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)

1-7476
(Commission
File Number)

63-0591257
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1400 AmSouth-Sonat Tower
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
(Address, including zip code, of principal executive office)

(205) 320-7151
(Registrant's telephone number,
including area code)

Item 5. Other Events.

AmSouth Bancorporation ("AmSouth") is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to report that it has now received all regulatory approvals required for its acquisition of Fortune Bancorp, Inc. On April 15, 1994, AmSouth issued a press release announcing that the approvals of the Office of Thrift Supervision and the Florida Department of Banking and Finance had been received. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99 and incorporated as a part of this Current Report on Form 8-K. The consummation of the acquisition remains subject to the approval of the shareholders of Fortune and the satisfaction of various closing conditions. The meeting of Fortune shareholders is scheduled for May 12, 1994.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
99	Press Release dated April 15, 1994

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.

AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION

By: /s/ Ricky W. Thomas

Ricky W. Thomas
Senior Vice President and Controller

Date: April 15, 1994

Exhibit	Index to Exhibits
99	Press Release dated April 15, 1994

EXHIBIT 99

NEWS
RELEASE

AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION
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AmSouth and Fortune receive
final regulatory approvals to merge

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, AND CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, APRIL 15, 1994 --- AmSouth Bancorporation (NYSE: ASO) and Fortune Bancorp, Inc. (NASDAQ: FORB) announced today that they have received approvals to merge from the Office of Thrift Supervision and the State of Florida. These approvals were the final regulatory approvals required for the merger.

AmSouth and Fortune anticipate completing the merger on June 23, pending approval by Fortune Bancorp shareholders and the fulfillment of other closing conditions. The vote of Fortune Bancorp shareholders is scheduled for May 12.

Fortune Bancorp is the parent company of Fortune Bank headquartered in Clearwater, Florida.

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