

CENTURY BANCORP INC

Form 8-K

February 09, 2006

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**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: February 9, 2006  
Century Bancorp, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Massachusetts  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)**

**0-15752  
(Commission File No.)**

**04-2498617  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)**

**400 Mystic Avenue  
Medford, MA  
(Address of principal  
executive offices)**

**02155  
(Zip Code)**

**(781) 391-4000  
(Registrant's telephone  
number, including area code)**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On February 7, 2006, Century Bank and Trust Company( Century ), issued a press release announcing that it has renewed its contract with NOVA Information Systems a wholly owned subsidiary of U.S. Bancorp, and has also sold its rights to future royalty payments for a portion of its Merchant Credit Card customer base for \$600,000. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Century Bancorp, Inc. press release dated February 7, 2006.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**CENTURY BANCORP, INC.**

/s/ Paul V. Cusick, Jr.

Paul V. Cusick, Jr.  
Vice President and Treasurer

Dated: February 9, 2006