

**UNITED STATES  
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 (Date of earliest event reported):                      October 31, 2012

**THE MONARCH CEMENT COMPANY**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**0-2757**  
(Commission File Number)

**48-0340590**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

**P.O. BOX 1000, HUMBOLDT, KANSAS**                      **66748-0900**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)                      (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code                      **(620) 473-2222**

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On October 31, 2012, Mr. Richard N. Nixon resigned from the board of directors of The Monarch Cement Company ("Monarch"), effective October 31, 2012. Mr. Nixon's resignation was not because of any disagreement with Monarch on any matter relating to Monarch's operations, policies or practices.

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## SIGNATURE

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.

Dated: November 1, 2012

THE MONARCH CEMENT COMPANY

By: /s/ Debra P. Roe

Debra P. Roe, CPA  
Chief Financial Officer and  
Assistant Secretary-Treasurer  
(principal financial officer and  
principal accounting officer)