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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
(AMENDMENT NO. _____) *

WEST BANCORPORATION, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

95123P106

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2003

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this
Schedule is filed:

- Rule 13d-1(b)
 Rule 13d-1(c)
 Rule 13d-1(d)

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initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and
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disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of
1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act
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SEC 1745 (12-02)

CUSIP NO. 95123P106

1. Names of Reporting Persons.
I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).

Robert G. Horner

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
(a) Not Applicable

(b) Not Applicable

3. SEC Use Only

4. Citizenship or Place of Organization

Citizen United States, Resident of Iowa

Number of	5. Sole Voting Power
Shares	Not Applicable

Beneficially	6. Shared Voting Power
Owned by	Not Applicable

Each	7. Sole Dispositive Power
Reporting	Not Applicable

Person With:	8. Shared Dispositive Power
	Not Applicable

9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person
Not Applicable

10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares
(See Instructions)
Not Applicable

11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)
Not Applicable

12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
IN

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ITEM 1(a). NAME OF ISSUER:

West Bancorporation, Inc.

ITEM 1(b). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES:

1601 22nd Street
West Des Moines, Iowa 50266

ITEM 2(a). NAME OF PERSON FILING:

Robert G. Horner

ITEM 2(b). ADDRESS OF RESIDENCE:

1104 Tulip Tree Lane
West Des Moines, Iowa 50266

ITEM 2(c). CITIZENSHIP:

United States

ITEM 2(d). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock

ITEM 2(e). CUSIP NUMBER:

95123P106

ITEM 3. IF THE STATEMENT IS BEING FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 240.13d-1(b) OR 240.13d-2(b) OR (c), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:

Not Applicable

ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP:

Not Applicable

ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following: [X]

ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON:

Not Applicable

ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY:

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Not Applicable

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP:

Not Applicable

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ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF A GROUP:

Not Applicable

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION:

By signing below, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 11, 2004

Date

/s/ Robert G. Horner

Signature

Name/Title

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