COLONY BANKCORP INC Form 8-K December 15, 2016

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): December 15, 2016

COLONY BANKCORP, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Georgia000-1243658-1492391(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

115 South Grant Street, Fitzgerald, Georgia 31750

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(229) 426-6000

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

NOT APPLICABLE

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

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 15, 2016 the Registrant issued a press release, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated December 15, 2016

SIGNATURES

In accordance with the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Company duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

COLONY BANKCORP, INC.

Date: December 15, 2016

By:

/s/ Terry L. Hester Terry L. Hester Executive Vice-President and Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit Index

99.1 Press release dated September 7, 2016