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MERCHANTS GROUP INC  
Form 8-K  
October 28, 2004

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 28, 2004

MERCHANTS GROUP, INC.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-9640

16-1280763

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(Commission File Number)

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(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

250 Main Street, Buffalo, New York

14202

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (716) 849-3333

(NOT APPLICABLE)

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

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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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act  
(17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17  
CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the  
Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the  
Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 28, 2004, Merchants Group, Inc. issued a press release announcing results for the quarter ended September 30, 2004 and the declaration of a quarterly dividend. The text of the press release is furnished as exhibit to this Form 8-K. The information in this report shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed as a part of this report:

Exhibit No.	Description
99	Press release dated October 28, 2004.

## 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.

MERCHANTS GROUP, INC.

Date: October 28, 2004

By: /s/ Kenneth J. Wilson

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Kenneth J. Wilson  
Chief Financial Officer  
Treasurer

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Exhibit No.  
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Press release dated October 28, 2004 Filed herewith.