

META FINANCIAL GROUP INC

Form SC 13G

February 14, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. \_\_\_\_\_1\_\_\_\_\_) \*

META FINANCIAL GROUP  
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$.01 par value  
(Title of Class of Securities)

59100U108  
(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2011  
(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)

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page. The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed 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 but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No.  
59100U108

1.Names of Reporting Persons.  
Continental Partners, L.P. \*

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
36-4316621

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

(b)

3.SEC Use Only

4.Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Illinois

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5.Sole Voting Power  
0

Number of  
Shares  
Beneficially  
Owned by  
Each Reporting  
Person With

6.Shared Voting Power  
215,784 common shares

7.Sole Dispositive Power  
0

8.Shared Dispositive Power  
215,784 common shares

9.Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
215,784 common shares

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)  
6.8% \*\*

12.Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
PN

CUSIP No.  
59100U108

1.Names of Reporting Persons.  
Continental Advisors LLC \*

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
36-4290779

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

3.SEC Use Only

4.Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Delaware

5.Sole Voting Power  
0

Number of  
Shares  
Beneficially  
Owned by  
Each Reporting  
Person With

6.Shared Voting Power  
268,407 common shares

7.Sole Dispositive Power  
0

8.Shared Dispositive Power  
268,407 common shares

9.Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
268,407 common shares

10.Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares  
(See Instructions) [  ]

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Not Applicable

11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)  
8.4% \*\*

12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
IA, OO

CUSIP No.  
59100U108

1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
David P. Purcell \*

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).

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

3. SEC Use Only

4. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
United States of America

5. Sole Voting Power  
0

Number of  
Shares  
Beneficially  
Owned by  
Each Reporting  
Person With

6. Shared Voting Power  
268,407 common shares

7. Sole Dispositive Power  
0

8. Shared Dispositive Power  
268,407 common shares

9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
268,407 common shares

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)  
8.4% \*\*

12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
IN, HC

This Schedule 13G is being filed to report information about common stock of Meta Financial Group that may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Continental Partners, L.P., Continental Advisors LLC and David P. Purcell. Mr. Purcell is the managing member of Continental Advisors LLC, an entity which serves as the general partner of Continental Partners, L.P.

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Item 1.

(a)Name of Issuer:  
Meta Financaill Group (CASH)

(b)Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:  
121 East Fifth Street  
Storm Lake, Iowa 50588

Item 2.

(a)Name of Person Filing:  
Continental Partners, L.P.  
Continental Advisors LLC  
David P. Purcell as required by rule 13D-1(k) (1)

(b)Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence:  
The persons filing this schedule 13G share the same principal business address:  
227 West Monroe Street Suite 5050  
Chicago, IL 60606

(c)Citizenship:  
Continental Partners, L.P. - Illinois  
Continental Advisors LLC - Delaware  
David P. Purcell - United States of America

(d)Title of Class of Securities:  
Common Stock, \$.01 par value (cusip: 59100U108)

(e)CUSIP Number:  
59100U108

Item 3.If this statement is filed pursuant to S240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Broker Dealer  | [ ] |
| Bank   | [ ] |
| Insurance Company                                      | [ ] |
| Investment Company                                     | [ ] |
| Investment Adviser [Continental Advisors LLC]          | [x] |
| Employee Benefit Plan, Pension Fund, or Endowment Fund | [ ] |
| Parent Holding Company/Control Person                  | [ ] |
| Savings Association                                    | [ ] |
| Church Plan  | [ ] |
| Corporation  | [ ] |
| Partnership [Continental Partners, L.P.]               | [x] |
| Individual [David P. Purcell]                          | [x] |
| Other  | [ ] |

Item 4.Ownership.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

|                               |                       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (a)Amount beneficially owned: |                       |
| Continental Partners, L.P.:   | 215,784 common shares |
| Continental Advisors LLC:     | 268,407 common shares |
| David P. Purcell:             | 268,407 common shares |

|                             |                  |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| (b)Percent of class:        |                  |
| Continental Partners, L.P.: | 6.8% of class ** |
| Continental Advisors LLC:   | 8.4% of class ** |
| David P. Purcell:           | 8.4% of class ** |

(c)Number of shares as to which the person has:

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Continental Partners, L.P. (i)Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:  
0  
Continental Partners, L.P. (ii)Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:  
215,784  
Continental Partners, L.P. (iii)Sole power to dispose or to direct the  
disposition of:  
0  
Continental Partners, L.P. (iv)Shared power to dispose or to direct the  
disposition of:  
215,784  
(c)Number of shares as to which the person has:  
Continental Advisors LLC (i)Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:  
0  
Continental Advisors LLC (ii)Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:  
268,407  
Continental Advisors LLC (iii)Sole power to dispose or to direct the  
disposition of:  
0  
Continental Advisors LLC (iv)Shared power to dispose or to direct the  
disposition of:  
268,407  
(c)Number of shares as to which the person has:  
David P. Purcell (i)Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:  
0  
David P. Purcell (ii)Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:  
268,407  
David P. Purcell (iii)Sole power to dispose or to direct the  
disposition of:  
0  
David P. Purcell (iv)Shared power to dispose or to direct the  
disposition of:  
268,407

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 [ ] .

Not Applicable

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 or Control Person.

David P. Purcell is the control person of Continental Advisors LLC and accordingly has filed this Schedule 13G pursuant to rule 13D-1(b) (ii) (G) .

Item 8.Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9.Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item 10.Certification

(b)The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to S240.13d-1(c):  
By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge

