

**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): July 24, 2018

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-02979

(Commission File
Number)

No. 41-0449260

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

420 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California 94163

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **1-866-249-3302**

Not applicable

(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)
- ☐ 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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On July 24, 2018, the Company issued a press release announcing it will redeem on September 17, 2018 of all of its 8.00% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series J, and the corresponding depositary shares, each representing a 1/40th interest in a share of Series J Preferred Stock. The press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated by reference into this Item 8.01.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>99.1</u>	<u>Press Release dated July 24, 2018</u>	Filed herewith

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: July 24, 2018

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

By: /s/ ANTHONY R. AUGLIERA

Anthony R. Augliera
Executive Vice President and
Secretary

Exhibit 99.1



News Release

Wells Fargo & Company Announces Redemption of its Series J Preferred Stock

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24, 2018 - Wells Fargo & Company (NYSE: WFC) today announced it will redeem on September 17, 2018 of all of its 8.00% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Class A Preferred Stock, Series J, and the corresponding depositary shares, each representing a 1/40th interest in a share of Series J Preferred Stock. The depositary shares are traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol WFCPrJ. The Series J Preferred Stock will be redeemed at a redemption price equal to \$1,000.00 per share, or \$25.00 per depositary share.

Because the redemption date is also the dividend payment date, the redemption price does not include declared and unpaid dividends. Regular quarterly dividends in the amount of \$20.00 per share of Series J Preferred Stock, or \$0.50 per depositary share, will be paid separately in the customary manner on September 17, 2018 to holders of record at the close of business on August 31, 2018.

The redemption agent for the Series J Preferred Stock is Equiniti Trust Company, 1110 Centre Pointe Curve, Suite 101, Mendota Heights, Minnesota 55120. Payment of the redemption price will be sent automatically to holders by the redemption agent following the redemption date.

About Wells Fargo

Wells Fargo & Company (NYSE: WFC) is a diversified, community-based financial services company with \$1.9 trillion in assets. Wells Fargo's vision is to satisfy our customers' financial needs and help them succeed financially. Founded in 1852 and headquartered in San Francisco, Wells Fargo provides banking, investments, mortgage, and consumer and commercial finance through 8,050 locations, 13,000 ATMs, the internet (wellsfargo.com) and mobile banking, and has offices in 38 countries and territories to support customers who conduct business in the global economy. With approximately 265,000 team members, Wells Fargo serves one in three households in the United States. Wells Fargo & Company was ranked No. 26 on Fortune's 2018 rankings of America's largest corporations.

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