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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): May 18, 2005

The McClatchy Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

1-9824

52-2080478

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2100 Q Street Sacramento, CA 95816

(Address of principal executive offices, zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (916) 321-1846

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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year

On May 18, 2005, the Board of Directors of The McClatchy Company (the "Company") amended and restated the Company's Bylaws effective July 1, 2005, to (i) delete references to "Publisher" as an officer of the Company and (ii) to clarify that the Company's Controller is the "principal accounting officer" rather than the "chief accounting officer" of the Company. (See Amended and Restated Bylaws, attached as Exhibit 3.2 hereto.)

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 3.2

The McClatchy Company Amended and Restated Bylaws 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, thereunto duly authorized.

May 23, 2005	The McClatchy Company
	By: Patrick J. Talamantes
	Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Description

3.2 The McClatchy Company Amended and Restated Bylaws