

MCCLATCHY CO  
Form 8-K  
July 27, 2012

**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: July 27, 2012

The McClatchy Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE  
(state or other jurisdiction of incorporation or  
organization)

1-9824  
(Commission File  
Number)

52-2080478  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
No.)

**2100 Q Street  
Sacramento CA 95816**

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(Address of principal executive offices, zip code)

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

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

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Text of press release issued by The McClatchy Company dated July 27, 2012, "McClatchy Reports Growth in Second Quarter 2012 Earnings."

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.

July 27, 2012 The McClatchy Company

By: /s/ R. Elaine Lintecum  
R. Elaine Lintecum  
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer