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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 17, 2004

HAUSER, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-17174 84-0926801 Delaware (Commission File (IRS Employer (State or other Number) jurisdiction Identification of incorporation) No.) 840 Apollo Street, Suite 209 El Segundo, California 90245 \_\_\_\_\_ (Address of principal Zip Code executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (310) 648-7881

Item 5. Other Events.

On May 17, 2004, Hauser, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), and its wholly owned subsidiaries filed the monthly operating report for the month ended April 30, 2004 with the Office of the United States Trustee (the "Trustee") pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2015 and the Trustee's Financial Reporting Requirements for Chapter 11 Cases (the "April Trustee's Report"). Pursuant to Rule 202 of Regulation S-T and the Company's continuing hardship exemption, the Company has manually filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission a copy of the April Trustee's Report under cover of Form SE.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

99.1 Monthly Operating Report for the month ended April 30, 2004, filed pursuant to Rule 202 of Regulation S-T and a continuing hardship exemption dated May 24, 2004.

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#### 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.

HAUSER, INC.

Dated: May 24, 2004 By: /s/ Kenneth C. Cleveland

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Name: Kenneth C. Cleveland

Title: President and Chief Executive

Officer

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