PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/ Form 8-K April 14, 2004

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) April 14, 2004

THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio	1-9518	34-0963169	
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employe Identification No.)	
5300 Wilson Mills Road, Mayfield Village, C	Ohio 44143		
Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)		
Registrant s telepl	hone number, including area co	od <u>e 440-461-500</u> 0	
	Not Applicable	_	
(Former name or	former address, if changed sin	ce last report)	

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 14, 2004, The Progressive Corporation and Subsidiaries (the Company) issued a News Release containing financial results of the Company for the month and year-to-date period ended March 2004 (the News Release). A copy of the News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

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.

Dated: April 14, 2004

THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Jeffrey W. Basch

Name: Jeffrey W. Basch

Title: Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

	Form	
Exhibit No.	8-K	
Under Reg.	Exhibit	
S-K Item 601	No.	Description
99	99	News Release dated April 14, 2004, containing financial results of The Progressive
		Corporation and Subsidiaries for the month and year-to-date period ended
		March 2004