FEDERAL TRUST CORP Form 8-K August 11, 2003

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): August 8, 2003

FEDERAL TRUST CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>Florida</u>

(State or other jurisdiction Of incorporation)

<u>000-23449</u>

Commission File Number

<u>59-2935028</u>

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

312 West First Street Sanford, Florida 32771

(address of principal executive offices) Registrant | s telephone number: (407) 323-1833

ITEM 5. Other Events

On August 8, 2003, Federal Trust Corporation issued a press release announcing the payment of a \$0.01 per share dividend payable on August 29, 2003, to shareholders of record on August 18, 2003. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Date: August 8, 2003

<u>Federal Trust</u> <u>Corporation</u> (Registrant)

By: /s/ Gregory
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Exhibit

No. <u>Description</u>

99.1 Press

Release