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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: July 27, 2018

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) 321-1844

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 27, 2018, The McClatchy Company (the "Company") issued a press release announcing financial results for the second quarter ended July 1, 2018. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information furnished on this Form 8-K, including the exhibit attached, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference into any other filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit <u>Description</u>

<u>No.</u>

<u>99.1</u> <u>The McClatchy Company earnings press release dated July 27, 2018,</u> <u>"McClatchy Reports Second Quarter 2018 Results"</u>

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on behalf of the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

July 27, 2018 The McClatchy Company

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