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July 02, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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) JULY 1, 2003  
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MASCO CORPORATION  
(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE ----- (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	1-5794 ----- (Commission File Number)	38-1794485 ----- (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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21001 VAN BORN ROAD, TAYLOR, MICHIGAN ----- (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	48180 ----- (Zip Code)
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(313) 274-7400  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

On July 1, 2003 the Company and The Black & Decker Corporation jointly issued a press release announcing that they have signed a letter of intent for Black & Decker to acquire the Company's Baldwin Hardware and Weiser Lock businesses. A copy of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS.

(c) Exhibits

99 Press Release dated July 1, 2003

SIGNATURE

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.

July 1, 2003

MASCO CORPORATION

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By: /s/ John R. Leekley

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Name: John R. Leekley  
Title: Senior Vice President -  
General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

99 Press Release dated July 1, 2003