#### CASTLE A M & CO

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| FORM 4                                                                                                              |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                           |                                                |                                                                                           |                                       | OMB APPROVAL                                                                                  |                                                       |                            |  |  |
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| [] Check this box if no lo                                                                                          |            | UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION                                                                                                                                                                                              |                           |                                                |                                                                                           |                                       |                                                                                               |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| subject to Section 16. For<br>or Form<br>5 obligations may continu<br>See Instruction 1(b).                         |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                           |                                                |                                                                                           |                                       |                                                                                               |                                                       | OMB Number:<br>3235-0287   |  |  |
| see histraction 1(0).                                                                                               |            | STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP  Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility  Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 |                           |                                                |                                                                                           |                                       |                                                                                               |                                                       | Expires: December 31, 2001 |  |  |
| Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Hooks, Stephen V.                                                            |            | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                           | (Month/Year)                                   |                                                                                           | 6. Relation                           | 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to ssuer                                               |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)  3400 North Wolf Road                                                                       |            | A. M. Castle & Co. CAS  3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)                                                                                                                                         |                           | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year) |                                                                                           | Owner X                               |                                                                                               |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| (Street) Franklin Park, IL 60131                                                                                    |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                           | Oth                                            |                                                                                           | Other                                 | er<br>cer/Other                                                                               |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)                                                                                                |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                           |                                                |                                                                                           | Filing $\underline{\mathbf{X}}$ Indiv | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Individual Filing Joint/Group Filing |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| Table I - Non-Derivativ                                                                                             | ve Secu    | rities Acquired, I                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Disposed of, or I         | Beneficially Owne                              | d                                                                                         |                                       | ·                                                                                             |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, I  Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) |            | 3. Transaction Code and Voluntary Code (Instr. 8)                                                                                                                                                                                             |                           |                                                | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned at<br>End of Month<br>(Instr. 3 and 4 | sh<br>Fo<br>D<br>n<br>or<br>In        | orm:<br>irect(D)                                                                              | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |                            |  |  |
| Common Stock                                                                                                        | 04/05/     | 22002                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | S<br>                     | 2,800.0000  <br>\$11.2500                      | D                                                                                         |                                       |                                                                                               | D                                                     |                            |  |  |
| Common Stock                                                                                                        | S 1,000.00 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 1,000.0000  <br>\$11.2500 | 000.0000   D  <br>\$11.2500                    |                                                                                           |                                       | D                                                                                             |                                                       |                            |  |  |
| Common Stock                                                                                                        | 04/10/     | 2002                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | S<br>                     | 1,700.0000  <br>\$11.2500                      | D                                                                                         |                                       |                                                                                               | D                                                     |                            |  |  |
| Common Stock                                                                                                        | 04/11/     | 2002                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | S                         | 2,877.0000  <br>\$11.2500                      | D                                                                                         | 18,960.0000                           |                                                                                               | D                                                     |                            |  |  |

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| Common Stock |  | 566.7506 | I | By PAYSOP Plan |
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| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |          |                                                       |                                                      |                                    |                                              |                                                                              |                                                       |                                          |                                                                           |                                                                   |
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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                                                                          | T        | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/<br>Day/<br>Year) | 4. Transaction Code and Voluntary (V) Code (Instr.8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date<br>Exercisable(DE) and<br>Expiration | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and<br>4) | 8. Price<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr.5) | Owned<br>at End of<br>Month<br>(Instr.4) | 10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 11. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr.4) |
|                                                                                                                                              |          |                                                       | Code   V                                             |                                    | (DE)   (ED)                                  |                                                                              |                                                       |                                          |                                                                           |                                                                   |
| 1996 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$18.75  |                                                       | A<br>                                                |                                    | 07/25/1997                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>7,550.00                                                |                                                       |                                          | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 1996 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$18.75  | 04/01/2002                                            | J (1)                                                | (D)<br>7,550.00                    | 07/25/1997                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>7,550.00                                                |                                                       | 0.00                                     | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 1997 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$21.88  |                                                       | A<br>                                                |                                    | 07/25/1998<br>  07/25/2007                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>7,100.00                                                |                                                       |                                          | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 1997 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$21.88  | 04/01/2002                                            | J (1)                                                | (D)<br>7,100.00                    | 07/25/1998                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>7,100.00                                                |                                                       | 0.00                                     | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 1998 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$20.25  |                                                       | A<br>                                                |                                    | 07/24/1999<br>  07/24/2008                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>9,900.00                                                |                                                       |                                          | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 1998 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$20.25  | 04/01/2002                                            | J (1)                                                | (D)<br>9,900.00                    | 07/24/1999<br>  07/24/2008                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>9,900.00                                                |                                                       | 0.00                                     | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 1999 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$16.00  | 04/01/2002                                            | J (1)                                                | (D)<br>20,000.00                   | 07/22/2000<br>  07/21/2009                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>20,000.00                                               |                                                       | 0.00                                     | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 2000 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$10.00  |                                                       |                                                      |                                    | 07/27/2001                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>25,000.00                                               |                                                       | 25,000.00                                | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| 2001 Stock<br>Option                                                                                                                         | \$11.00  |                                                       |                                                      |                                    | 07/26/2002                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>25,000.00                                               |                                                       | 25,000.00                                | D                                                                         |                                                                   |
| Explanation                                                                                                                                  | <u> </u> |                                                       |                                                      |                                    |                                              |                                                                              |                                                       |                                          |                                                                           |                                                                   |

Explanation of Responses:

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| constitute Federal Criminal Violations.                                                                                                 |                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).                                                                                               | ** Signature of Reporting Person |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                                                                                                                         | Date                             |  |  |  |  |  |
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| required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.                                                              | SEC 1474 (3-99)                  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| FOOTNOTE Descriptions for A                                                                                                             | A. M. Castle & Co. CAS           |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                                                                                                                         | Form 4 - April 2002              |  |  |  |  |  |

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Explanation of responses:

(1) Purchase pursuant to dividend reinvestment plan

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