#### CASTLE A M & CO

Form 4

May 07, 2002

| FORM 4  |                       |  |  |   |  |   |  | OM   | IB APPROVAL   |  |
|---|-----------------------|--|--|---|--|---|--|--|---|--|
| [] Check this box if no long                        |                       | UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION                                   |  |   |  |   |  |  |   |  |
| subject to Section 16. Form                         |                       | Washington, D.C. 20549   |  |   |  |   |  |  | OMB Number:   |  |
| 5 obligations may continue<br>See Instruction 1(b). |                       | Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 |  |   |  |   |  | 3235-0287 Expires: December 31, 2001 Estimated average burden hours per response 0.5 |   |  |
| Name and Address of Reporting Person*               |                       |  | Issuer Name and Ticker<br>or Trading Symbol  |   | 4. Statement for (Month/Year)                        |   | 6. Relatio<br>Issuer                             | . Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to ssuer                                       |   |  |
| Nordin, John R.  (Last) (First) (Middle)            |                       |  | A. M. Castle & Co. CAS   |   | April 2002   |   | (Check all applicable)                           |  |   |  |
| 3400 North Wolf Road                                |                       |  | 3. I.R.S. Identification<br>Number of Reporting<br>Person, if an entity<br>(voluntary) |   | 5. If Amendment,<br>Date of Original<br>(Month/Year) |   |  |  |   |  |
| (Street)  |                       |  |  |   |  |   | Officer/Other Description Vice President and CIO |  |   |  |
| Franklin Park, IL 60131                             |                       |  |  |   |  |   |  |  |   |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)                                |                       |  |  |   |  | 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Individual Filing Joint/Group Filing |  |  |   |  |
| Table I - Non-Derivative                            | e Secu                | rities Acquired, I   | L<br>Disposed of, or H   | Beneficially Owne   | ed   |   |  | Group i milg   |   |  |
|   | 2. Trai               | nsaction Date<br>onth/Day/Year)  | 3. Transaction Code and Voluntary Code (Instr. 8)                                      | 4. Securities Acq<br>Disposed (D) Of<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and | uired (A) or   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned at<br>End of Mont<br>(Instr. 3 and              | sh<br>Fo<br>D<br>or<br>In                        | wner- ip orm: irect(D) direct (I)  | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |  |
| Common Stock  | 12/01/                | 2001   | J (1)  | 1.7764   A  | <b>A</b>   |   |  | D  |   |  |
| Common Stock  | 12/17/2001            |  | P<br>  | 20.1503  <br>\$9.925                                      |  |   |  | D  |   |  |
| Common Stock  | mmon Stock 12/21/2001 |  | P<br>  | 20.6663   A  <br>\$9.6776                                 |  |   |  | D  |   |  |
| Common Stock 01/11/2002                             |                       | P<br>  | 21.6468   \$9.239  |   |  |   | D  |  |   |  |

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| Common Stock | 02/28/2002 | P<br> | 18.6799   A  <br>\$10.7067 |            | D |  |
|--------------|------------|-------|----------------------------|------------|---|--|
| Common Stock | 03/07/2002 | P<br> | 18.3074   A  <br>\$10.9245 | 4,389.9024 | D |  |
|              |            |       |                            |            |   |  |

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| Table II  |         |    | .cquired, Disp                                       | ,                                  | eneficially Owned                            | ]  |   |  |  |   |
|---|---------|----|--|------------------------------------|--|--|---|--|--|---|
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 1       | 3. | 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) | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>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) |
| 1999 Stock<br>Option                                | \$16.00 |    | Code   V   |                                    | (DE)   (ED)<br>07/22/2000<br>  07/21/2009    | Common<br>Stock -<br>14,000.00   |   | 14,000.00  | D  |   |
| 2000 Stock<br>Option                                | \$10.00 |    |  |                                    | 07/27/2001                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>18,000.00   |   | 18,000.00  | D  |   |
| 2001 Stock<br>Option                                | \$11.00 |    |  |                                    | 07/26/2002                                   | Common<br>Stock -<br>20,000.00   |   | 20,000.00  | D  |   |
|   |         |    | _  |                                    |  |  | _   | _  |  | _   |

Explanation of Responses :

| ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. | s                                |
|--|----------------------------------|
|  |                                  |
| See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).  | ** Signature of Reporting Person |
|  | Date                             |
| Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is    |                                  |
| insufficient.  | John R. Nordin                   |
| See Instruction 6 for procedure.   | John M. 102 din                  |
| Potential persons who are to respond to the  |                                  |
| collection of information contained in this form   | D 2                              |
| are not  | Page 2                           |
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FOOTNOTE Descriptions for A. M. Castle & Co. CAS

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**Explanation of responses:** 

(1) Purchase pursuant to dividend reinvestment plan