BLAIR CORP Form SC 13G February 14, 2003

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION "Washington, DC 20549"

### SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No)*
Blair Corporation
(Name of Issuer)
Common
(Title of Class of Securities)
092828102
(CUSIP Number)
December 31, 2002
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)
Check the apprpriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
[X] Rule 13d-1 (b) [] Rule 13d-1 (c) [] Rule 13d-1 (d)
* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securites, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.
The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act, but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes.)
Name of Reporting Person / IRS Identification Number: Advisory Research, Inc. / 36-2831881
2 Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (a) [ (See Instructions) (b) [X
3 SEC Use Only
4 Citizenship or Place of Organization

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Number 0.	er of		Sole Voting Power	
Shares		5	419,132 Shares	
Beneficia	lly		Channel Wating Passes	
Owned By		6	Shared Voting Power O Shares	
Each			~	
Reporting		7	Sole Dispositive Power 419,132 Shares	
Person				
With		8	Shared Dispositive Power O Shares	
	 egate . 132 Sh		Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
			egate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain (See Instructions)	
Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 5.21%				
12 Type IA	of Re	porting 	Person	
Item 1 Item 1	(b)	Name of 220 Hick	Issuer: Blair Corporation Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: cory Street PA 16366-0001	
	(b)	Name of 220 Hick Warren,	Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: cory Street	
Item 1	(b) :	Name of 220 Hick Warren, Person F	Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: cory Street PA 16366-0001	
Item 1 Item 2	(a) (b)	Name of 220 Hick Warren, Person F Address	Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: cory Street PA 16366-0001  Tiling - Advisory Research, Inc 180 North Stetson St., Suite 5780	
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(b) [ ] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the

15 of the Act

	Act		
	(c) [ ] Insurance Company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act		
	(d) [ ] Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act		
	(e) [X] Investment Advisor in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)		
	<pre>(f) [ ] Employee Benefit Plan or Endowment Fund in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b) (1)(ii)(F)</pre>		
	<pre>(g) [ ] Parent Holding Company or Control Person     in accordance with secton 13d-1(b)     (1)(ii)(G)</pre>		
	(h) [ ] A savings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act		
	(i) [ ] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940		
Item 4	Ownership		
	(a) Amount Beneficially Owned: Advisory Research, Inc. 092828102 Shares		
	(b) Percent of Class 5.21%		
	(c) Number of shares as to which reporting person has:     (i) Sole Voting Power 419,132 Shares     (ii) Shared Voting Power 0 Shares     (iii) Sole Dispositive Power 419,132 Shares     (iv) Shared Dispositive Power 0 Shares		
Item 5	Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:  If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [ ]		
Item 6	Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person: Not Applicable		
Item 7	Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company: Not Applicable		
Item 8	Identification and Classification if Members of the Group: Not Applicable		
Item 9	Notice of Dissolution of Group: Not Applicable		

#### Item 10 Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

#### SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 12, 2003

Date

/s/ Brien M. O'Brien

Signature

Brien M. O'Brien, Chairman