KING GARY
Form 3
June 14, 2002

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                    U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
                             Washington, D.C. 20549

                 INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

        Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a
               Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company A
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	2. Date of Event Re-quiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	4. Issuer Name and Ticker or
King Gary A.		Barnes & Noble, Inc.
(Last) (First) (Middle)		
c/o Barnes & Noble, Inc.	6/4/02	5. Relationship of Reporting
122 Fifth Avenue		to Issuer (Check all appli
(Street)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporing Person, if an Entity	__ Director __ 10% O
New York New York 10011	(Voluntary)	_X_ Officer (give __ Other title below) below
(City) (State) (Zip)		Chief Information Of

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                    Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. N O
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None.

If the form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or i

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                    Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned
                (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5
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None.

Explanation of Responses:

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**    Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute
      Federal Criminal Violations.                                    /s/Gary A. Kin
      See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).                      -------------------
                                                                     **Signature of Repor
                                                                          Gary A. Kin
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Note: File three copies of this form, one of which must be manually signed.
      If space provided is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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