Manning & Napier, Inc. Form 8-K July 27, 2017

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington D.C. 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 25, 2017

MANNING & NAPIER, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 001-35355 (Commission 45-2609100 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number) 290 Woodcliff Drive, Fairport, New York 14450 **Identification Number**)

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(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(585) 325-6880

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2). Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On July 25, 2017, the Board of Directors of Manning & Napier, Inc. declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.08 per share of Class A common stock, payable to holders of record as of October 13, 2017. The dividend will be paid on or about November 1, 2017.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number	Description of Exhibit
99	Press Release issued by Manning & Napier, Inc. on July 27, 2017.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Manning & Napier, Inc.

Date: July 27, 2017

By: /s/ Richard B. Yates Name: Richard B. Yates Title: Chief Legal Officer