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): February 21, 2002

United States Steel Corporation
----(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-16811 25-1897152

(State or other (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer jurisdiction of incorporation)

600 Grant Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15219-2800
-----(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1. Narration of presentation given by John Surma at United States Steel Gary Works

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

United States Steel Corporation is furnishing information under Regulation FD for the February 21, 2002 presentation being given by John Surma, United States Steel Vice Chairman and Chief Financial Officer. Attached is a narration of the presentation in substantially the form given.

SIGNATURE

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

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION

By /s/ Gretchen R. Haggerty
----Gretchen R. Haggerty
Senior Vice President and Controller

Dated: February 21, 2002

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