

CALLON PETROLEUM CO

Form 8-K

May 10, 2004

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**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
May 6, 2004
(Date of earliest event reported)

Callon Petroleum Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
*(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)*

001-14039
(Commission File Number)

64-0844345
*(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)*

**200 North Canal St.
Natchez, Mississippi 39120**
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(601) 442-1601
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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On May 7, 2004, Callon Petroleum Company issued a press release attached as Exhibit 99.2 announcing that Leif Dons is retiring from the Board of Directors of the company.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

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SIGNATURES

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.

Callon Petroleum Company

May 6, 2004

By: /s/ John S. Weatherly
John S. Weatherly
Senior Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

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