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Form 13F

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Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: December 31, 2003

Check here if Amendment []; Amendment Number: ____
This Amendment (Check only one.): [] is a restatement.
[] adds new holdings entries.

Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: The Travelers Insurance Company
Address: One Tower Square
Hartford, Connecticut 06183

Form 13F File Number: 28-1299

The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Joseph B. Wollard
Title: Assistant Secretary
Phone: (212) 559-1000

Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

/s/ Joseph B. Wollard New York, New York December 31, 2003

Report Type (Check only one.):

[] 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)

[X] 13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported are in this report, and all holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)

[] 13F COMBINATION REPORT. (Check here if a portion of the holdings for this reporting manager are reported in this report and a portion are reported by other reporting manager(s).)

List of Other Managers Reporting for this Manager:

Form 13F File Number 28-2427
Name: Citigroup Inc.