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): May 29, 2015

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

> 000-19860 (Commission File Number)

DELAWARE

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

557 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, NEW YORK (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

10012

13-3385513 (I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

(Zip Code)

(212) 343-6100

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Dere-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On May 29, 2015, Scholastic Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Scholastic Corporation (the "Company" and together with Scholastic Inc., the "Sellers") closed the previously announced sale of substantially all of the assets comprising the Sellers' Educational Technology and Services ("EdTech") business segment pursuant to the asset purchase agreement, dated as of April 23, 2015 (the "Asset Purchase Agreement") with Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company (the "Purchaser"). The consideration received by the Sellers (all in cash) was \$577.7 million (\$575.0 million purchase price, adjusted for estimated net working capital) of which \$34.5 million was deposited in escrow for 18 months as security for potential indemnification and other obligations of the Sellers. The majority of such escrow is subject to release periodically over the next 14 months upon fulfillment of certain service levels under the transition services agreement between the Sellers and the Purchaser. The purchase price is subject to further adjustment based upon a final closing statement.

The sale included substantially all of the assets of the EdTech business segment including, but not limited to, current assets, accounts receivable, tangible personal property, certain leases, inventory, business products (including related intellectual property), rights under transferred contracts, rights of action and all associated goodwill and other intangible assets associated with the transferred assets.

The foregoing description does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Asset Purchase Agreement, a copy of which was filed as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on April 24, 2015 and incorporated herein by reference.

In connection with the Closing, the Company is filing herewith certain pro forma financial information related to the sale of the EdTech business segment, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

The Unaudited Pro Forma Financial Statements of the Company reflecting the Closing of the sale of the EdTech business segment are filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference:

- i. Unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Balance Sheet as of February 28, 2015.
- ii. Unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations for the ninth months ended February 28, 2015.
- iii. Unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations for the year ended May 31, 2014.
- iv. Unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations for the year ended May 31, 2013.
- v. Unaudited Pro Forma Consolidated Statement of Operations for the year ended May 31, 2012.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Unaudited pro forma consolidated balance sheet as of February 28, 2015 and unaudited pro forma consolidated statements of operations for the nine months ended February 28, 2015 and for the years ended May 31, 2014, May 31, 2013 and May 31, 2012.

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.

Date: June 4 , 2015

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION

(Registrant)

<u>/s/ Andrew S. Hedden</u> Name: Andrew S. Hedden Title: Executive Vice President and General Counsel

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SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

On May 29, 2015, Scholastic Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Scholastic Corporation (the "Company" and together with Scholastic Inc., the "Sellers") closed the previously announced sale of substantially all of the assets comprising the Sellers Educational Technology and Services ("EdTech") business segment pursuant to the asset purchase agreement, dated as of April 23, 2015 (the "Asset Purchase Agreement") with Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company (the "Purchaser"). The consideration received by the Sellers (all in cash) was \$577.7 million (\$575.0 million purchase price, adjusted for estimated net working capital) of which \$34.5 million was deposited in escrow for 18 months as security for potential indemnification obligations of the Sellers. The majority of such escrow is subject to release periodically over the next 14 months upon fulfillment of certain service levels under the transition services agreement between the Sellers and the Purchaser. The purchase price is subject to further final adjustment based upon a final closing statement. The sale included substantially all of the assets of the EdTech business segment including, but not limited to, current assets, accounts receivable, tangible personal property, certain leases, inventory, business products (including related intellectual property), rights under transferred contracts, rights of action and all associated goodwill and other intangible assets associated with the transferred assets.

The foregoing description does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Asset Purchase Agreement, a copy of which was filed as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on April 24, 2015 and incorporated herein by reference.

The following unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements are presented to comply with Article 11 of Regulation S-X and follow prescribed SEC regulations. The unaudited condensed consolidated pro forma financial statements do not purport to present what the Company's results would have been had the disposition actually occurred on the dates indicated or to project what the Company's results of operations or financial position would have been for any future period. The prescribed regulations limit pro forma adjustments to those that are directly attributable to the disposition on a factually supported basis. Consequently, the Company was not permitted within the condensed consolidated pro forma financial statements to allocate to the disposed operations any indirect corporate overhead or costs, such as administrative corporate functions or any other costs that were shared with the retained business of the Company. As a result such costs are not reflected in the pro forma adjustments and are included in the retained business of the Company. Additionally, the unaudited condensed consolidated pro forma financial statements do not include costs associated with transferring the assets, liabilities or contracts resulting from the sale. The pro forma adjustments are described in the notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated pro forma financial statements.

The unaudited condensed consolidated pro forma financial statements have been prepared for informational purposes and to assist in the analysis of the Company's sale of EdTech to the Purchaser. This information should be read together with the historical consolidated financial statements and related notes of Scholastic Corporation included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended May 31, 2014 and its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended February 28, 2015.

The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated statements of operations for the nine months ended February 28, 2015 and the years ended May 31, 2014, May 31, 2013 and May 31, 2012, assume the sale occurred on the first day of the earliest fiscal period presented. The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated balance sheet as of February 28, 2015, assumes the sale occurred on February 28, 2015. The unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial statements are derived from the historical consolidated financial statements of the Company and are based on assumptions that management believes are reasonable in the circumstances.

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AT FEBRUARY 28, 2015

(Dollar amounts in millions)

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ASSETS			 ,		
Current Assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	14.6	\$ 543.2 A	\$	557.8
Restricted cash held in escrow		—	34.5 A	1	34.5
Accounts receivable, net		204.4	(27.2) E	3	177.2
Inventories, net		341.4	(13.7) E	3	327.7
Deferred income taxes		80.9	_		80.9
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		73.6	(0.5) E	3	73.1
Current assets of discontinued operations		0.4	_		0.4
Total current assets		715.3	536.3		1,251.6
Property, plant and equipment, net		446.9	(1.9) E	3	445.0
Prepublication costs		141.6	(89.9) E	3	51.7
Royalty advances, net		41.2	(0.9) E	3	40.3
Production costs		4.5	_		4.5
Goodwill		144.4	(22.7) E	3	121.7
Other intangibles		11.3	(4.0) E	3	7.3
Noncurrent deferred income taxes		5.1	_		5.1
Other assets and deferred charges		41.2	_		41.2
Total assets	\$	1,551.5	\$ 416.9	\$	1,968.4
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Current Liabilities:					
Lines of credit, short-term debt and current portion of Long-term debt	\$	19.1	\$ 	\$	19.1
Capital lease obligations		0.6	(0.4) E		0.2
Accounts payable		186.8	(9.9) E		176.9
Accrued royalties		55.9	(5.0) E		50.9
Deferred revenue		83.6	(35.1) E		48.5
Other accrued expenses		161.2	185.3 C	2	346.5
Current liabilities of discontinued operations		0.9	—		0.9
Total current liabilities		508.1	134.9		643.0
Noncurrent Liabilities:					
Long-term debt		65.0			65.0
Capital lease obligations		0.8	(0.5) E		0.3
Other noncurrent liabilities		59.8	(0.3) E	3	59.5
Total noncurrent liabilities		125.6	(0.8)		124.8
Stockholders' Equity		917.8	282.8 D)	1,200.6
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	1,551.5	\$ 416.9	\$	1,968.4

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS NINE MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 2015

(Dollar amounts in millions, except per share data)

		Scholastic	ro Forma ljustments	S	cholastic Pro Forma
Revenues	\$	1,331.5	\$ (173.9)	Е\$	1,157.6
Operating costs and expenses:					
Cost of goods sold		638.9	(86.3)	Е	552.6
Selling, general and administrative expenses (exclusive of					
depreciation and amortization)		627.5	(60.3)	Е	567.2
Depreciation and amortization		38.0	(1.1)	Е	36.9
Asset impairments		2.9	_		2.9
Total operating costs and expenses		1,307.3	(147.7)		1,159.6
Operating income (loss)		24.2	(26.2)		(2.0)
Interest expense, net		(2.6)	_		(2.6)
Gain (loss) on investments		0.6	_		0.6
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes		22.2	(26.2)		(4.0)
Provision (benefit) for income taxes		9.7	(10.9)	F	(1.2)
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations		12.5	(15.3)		(2.8)
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax		(0.2)	—		(0.2)
Net income (loss)	\$	12.3	\$ (15.3)	\$	(3.0)
Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per Share of Class A and Common Stock					
Basic: Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$	0.38		\$	(0.09)
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$	(0.01)		\$	(0.00)
Net income (loss)	\$	0.37		\$	(0.09)
Diluted:	φ	0.57		φ	(0.09)
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$	0.37		\$	(0.09)
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Net income (loss)	ծ Տ	(0.00)		э \$	(0.00) (0.09)
Dividends declared per class A and common share	ֆ \$	0.37 0.450		» Տ	(0.09) 0.450

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MAY 31, 2014

(Dollar amounts in millions, except per share data)

	Scholastic	Pro Forma djustments	S	cholastic Pro Forma
Revenues	\$ 1,822.3	\$ (246.3)	Е\$	1,576.0
Operating costs and expenses:				
Cost of goods sold	846.0	(110.9)	Е	735.1
Selling, general and administrative expenses	812.5	(79.9)	Е	732.6
Depreciation and amortization	61.4	(1.0)	Е	60.4
Severance	11.3	(0.8)		10.5
Loss on leases and asset impairments	28.0	_		28.0
Total operating costs and expenses	1,759.2	(192.6)		1,566.6
Operating income (loss)	63.1	(53.7)		9.4
Interest Income	0.6	_		0.6
Interest Expense	(7.5)	_		(7.5)
Loss on investments and other	(5.8)	_		(5.8)
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	50.4	(53.7)		(3.3)
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	6.1	(22.0)	F	(15.9)
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	44.3	(31.7)		12.6
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	0.1	_		0.1
Net income (loss)	\$ 44.4	\$ (31.7)	\$	12.7
Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per Share of Class A and Common Stock				
Basic:				
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 1.38		\$	0.39
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$ 0.01		\$	0.01
Net income (loss)	\$ 1.39		\$	0.40
Diluted:				
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 1.36		\$	0.39
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$ 0.00		\$	0.00
Net income (loss)	\$ 1.36		\$	0.39
Dividends declared per class A and common share	\$ 0.575		\$	0.575

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MAY 31, 2013

(Dollar amounts in millions, except per share data)

	Scholastic	Pro Forma djustments	S	cholastic Pro Forma
Revenues	\$ 1,792.4	\$ (226.0)	Е\$	1,566.4
Operating costs and expenses:				
Cost of goods sold	829.6	(102.2)	Е	727.4
Selling, general and administrative expenses	815.0	(76.7)	Е	738.3
Depreciation and amortization	66.5	(1.1)	Е	65.4
Severance	13.4	(0.2)		13.2
Loss on leases and asset impairments	0.0	_		0.0
Total operating costs and expenses	1,724.5	(180.2)		1,544.3
Operating income (loss)	67.9	(45.8)		22.1
Interest Income	1.2	_		1.2
Interest Expense	(15.7)	_		(15.7)
Loss on investments and other	0.0	_		0.0
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	53.4	(45.8)		7.6
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	17.6	(18.7)	F	(1.1)
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	35.8	(27.1)		8.7
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	(4.7)	_		(4.7)
Net income (loss)	\$ 31.1	\$ (27.1)	\$	4.0
Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per Share of Class A and Common Stock				
Basic:				
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 1.12		\$	0.27
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$ (0.15)		\$	(0.15)
Net income (loss)	\$ 0.97		\$	0.12
Diluted:				
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 1.10		\$	0.26
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$ (0.15)		\$	(0.14)
Net income (loss)	\$ 0.95		\$	0.12
Dividends declared per class A and common share	\$ 0.500		\$	0.500

SCHOLASTIC CORPORATION UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MAY 31, 2012

(Dollar amounts in millions, except per share data)

	Scholastic	-	Pro Forma djustments	Sc	holastic Pro Forma
Revenues	\$ 2,139.1	\$	(252.6)	Е\$	1,886.5
Operating costs and expenses:					
Cost of goods sold	984.6		(104.6)	Е	880.0
Selling, general and administrative expenses	878.5		(82.8)	Е	795.7
Depreciation and amortization	68.8		(1.1)	Е	67.7
Severance	14.9		(1.1)		13.8
Loss on leases and asset impairments	7.0		—		7.0
Total operating costs and expenses	1,953.8		(189.6)		1,764.2
Operating income (loss)	185.3		(63.0)		122.3
Interest Income	1.0		_		1.0
Interest Expense	(16.5)		_		(16.5)
Loss on investments and other	(0.1)		_		(0.1)
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	169.7		(63.0)		106.7
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	61.6		(25.6)	F	36.0
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	108.1		(37.4)		70.7
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	(5.7)		_		(5.7)
Net income (loss)	\$ 102.4	\$	(37.4)	\$	65.0
Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per Share of Class A and Common Stock					
Basic:					
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 3.45			\$	2.25
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$ (0.18)			\$	(0.18)
Net income (loss)	\$ 3.27			\$	2.07
Diluted:					
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations	\$ 3.39			\$	2.21
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	\$ (0.18)			\$	(0.18)
Net income (loss)	\$ 3.21			\$	2.03
Dividends declared per class A and common share	\$ 0.450			\$	0.450

(Dollar amounts in millions, except per share data)

1. Description of Transaction

On May 29, 2015, Scholastic Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Scholastic Corporation (the "Company" and together with Scholastic Inc., the "Sellers") closed the previously announced sale of substantially all of the assets comprising the Sellers Educational Technology and Services ("EdTech") business segment pursuant to the asset purchase agreement, dated as of April 23, 2015 (the "Asset Purchase Agreement") with Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company (the "Purchaser"). The consideration received by the Sellers (all in cash) was \$577.7 million (\$575.0 million purchase price, adjusted for estimated net working capital) of which \$34.5 million was deposited in escrow for 18 months as security for potential indemnification obligations of the Sellers. The majority of such escrow is subject to release periodically over the next 14 months upon fulfillment of certain service levels under the transition services agreement between the Sellers and the Purchaser. The purchase price is subject to further final adjustment based upon a final closing statement.

2. Pro Forma Adjustments

The pro forma adjustments made to the historical condensed consolidated financial statements of the Company are described as follows:

- A. Reflects proceeds of \$540.5 million received in cash from the sale, \$2.7 million in estimated net working capital adjustments, and \$34.5 million held in escrow until the final determination of the working capital adjustment and fulfillment of certain service levels under the transition services agreement.
- B. Reflects the adjustments to eliminate the assets and liabilities sold related to EdTech.
- C. Reflects the estimated income taxes payable on the proceeds from the sale of EdTech. The income taxes payable were determined based on proceeds of \$577.7 million less a basis of \$104.8 million at a 40.2% tax rate, resulting in approximately \$190.1 million. There were also \$4.8 million of Other accrued expenses included in the sale of EdTech which total to a net increase of \$185.3 million in Other accrued expenses as a result of the sale.
- D. Represents the cash proceeds of the transaction, the net asset value transferred to the Purchaser, less the estimated income taxes payable on the transaction.
- E. Represents the revenue and expenses directly attributable to the EdTech operations. The pro forma adjustments exclude the indirect and fixed costs allocated to the sold business.
- F. Reflects a tax provision based on the statutory rates in effect during the period.