GREIF BROTHERS CORP Form 8-K October 09, 2002

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) October 9, 2002 (October 7,

2002)

GREIF BROS. CORPORATION

(Zip Code)

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

31-4388903 Delaware _____ _____ (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

425 Winter Road, Delaware, Ohio 43015

_____ (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (740) 549-6000

Not Applicable _____

Former name or former address, if changed since last report.

Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure

Greif Bros. Corporation (the "Company") commenced trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") on October 7, 2002. The Company's Class A and Class B Common Stock, which previously traded on the Nasdaq National Market under the ticker symbols GBCOA and GBCOB, respectively, will now trade on the NYSE under the ticker symbols GEF and GEF.B, respectively.

A press release, issued by the Company on October 7, 2002, is included herewith as Exhibit 99.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

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SIGNATURES

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

Greif Bros. Corporation DATE: October 9, 2002 BY: /s/ Donald S. Huml _____ Donald S. Huml Chief Financial Officer (Duly Authorized Signatory)

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