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ONEIDA LTD Form 8-K March 10, 2006

> 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): -March 9, 2006 (March 9, 2006)

ONEIDA LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

1-5452

15-0405

163-181 Kenwood Avenue, Oneida, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

1342 (Zip C

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (315) 361-3000

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

The information required by this Item is incorporated by reference to a press release dated March 9, 2006, which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this form.

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.

ONEIDA LTD.

Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

Dated: March 9, 2006