HARDINGE INC Form 8-K July 27, 2016

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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): July 25, 2016

Hardinge Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

New York 000-15760 16-0470200

(I.R.S.

(State or other jurisdiction of

Commission file number incorporation or organization)

Employer Identification

No.)

One Hardinge Drive, Elmira, NY 14902

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(607) 734-2281

(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

N/A

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

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On July 25, 2016, Edward J. Gaio resigned from his employment with Hardinge Inc. (the "Company"), effective as of July 31, 2016. In conjunction with his resignation, the Company notified Mr. Gaio of his removal from the position of Principal Accounting Officer of the Company.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Hardinge Inc. (Registrant)

Date July 27, 2016

By:/s/ Douglas J. Malone
Douglas J. Malone
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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