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) MAY 5, 2005

HAEMONETICS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

MASSACHUSETTS	1-10730	04-2882273
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (781) 848-7100

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

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

ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On May 5, 2005 Haemonetics Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release announcing financial results for the fourth quarter ended April 2, 2005. A copy of the release is furnished with this report as exhibit 99.1.

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ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits 99.1: Press Release of Haemonetics Corporation dated May 5, 2005

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.

HAEMONETICS CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: May 5, 2005

/s/ RONALD J. RYAN

Ronald J. Ryan, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer