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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) JULY 13, 2006

UNIVERSAL TRUCKLOAD SERVICES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan 120510 38-3640097
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

11355 Stephens Road, Warren, Michigan
(Address of principal executive offices)

48089
(Zip Code)

(586) 920-0100
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A
(Former name, former address and former fiscal year,
if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to
simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the
following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

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ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS

On July 13, 2006, Universal Services Truckload, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing the acquisition of Noble & Pitts, Inc., a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits.

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
99.1	Press Release dated July 13, 2006 announcing the Company's acquisition of Noble & Pitts, Inc.

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.

UNIVERSAL TRUCKLOAD SERVICES, INC.

Date: July 13, 2006

/s/ Robert E. Sigler

Robert E. Sigler
Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,
Secretary and Treasurer

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UNIVERSAL TRUCKLOAD SERVICES, INC. ANNOUNCES
THE ACQUISITION OF NOBLE & PITTS, INC.

WARREN, Mich., July 13 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Universal Truckload Services, Inc. (Nasdaq: UACL) announced today that it has acquired the operations of Noble & Pitts, Inc. of Scottsboro, AL. Noble & Pitts is a truckload carrier providing dry van, flatbed and brokerage services throughout the United States. Noble & Pitts will operate as part of Universal's Mason & Dixon Lines subsidiary.

Noble & Pitts generated combined truckload and brokerage revenues of approximately \$33 million in 2005, including fuel surcharges of \$3 million, through the support of approximately 26 agents, 250 owner-operators and 30 employees. Terms of the acquisition were not disclosed.

Don Cochran, Universal's President and CEO, states, "We appreciate the efforts of our acquisition team led by Leo Blumenauer and the Noble & Pitts organization in structuring a deal that will bring this outstanding organization into UTSI. Noble & Pitts brings with it an excellent management team, as well as a strong group of agents and owner operators that will add value to the Universal Truckload Services family of companies."

Universal Truckload Services, Inc. is primarily a non-asset based provider of transportation services to shippers throughout the United States and in the Canadian provinces of Ontario and Quebec. The Company's trucking services include both flatbed and dry van operations and the Company provides rail-truck and steamship-truck intermodal support services. The Company also offers truck brokerage services.

Some of the statements contained in this press release might be considered forward-looking statements. These statements identify prospective information. Forward-looking statements are based on information available at the time and/or management's good faith belief with respect to future events, and are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual performance or results to differ materially from those expressed in the statements. These forward-looking statements are subject to a number of factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from the expectations described. Additional information about the factors that may adversely affect these forward-looking statements are contained in the Company's reports and filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company assumes no obligation to update forward-looking statements to reflect actual results, changes in assumptions or changes in other factors affecting forward-looking information except to the extent required by applicable securities laws.

SOURCE Universal Truckload Services, Inc.

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