

GLATFELTER P H CO
Form 8-K
January 13, 2015

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):

January 7, 2015

P. H. Glatfelter Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania

001-03560

23-0628360

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

96 S. George Street, Suite 520, York,
Pennsylvania

17401

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

717 225 4711

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, 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:

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

On January 13, 2015, P. H. Glatfelter Company (the "Company"), issued a press release announcing the appointment of Christopher W. Astley to Senior Vice President & Business Unit President, Advanced Airlaid Materials, effectively immediately. A copy of the press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Mr. Astley replaces Jonathan Bourget, Vice President & General Manager, Advanced Airlaid Materials Business Unit, and a named executive officer, who will leave the Company after a brief transition period. The Company expects to enter into a separation agreement with Mr. Bourget.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed herewith:

99.1 - Press release announcing the appointment of Christopher W. Astley as Senior Vice President & Business Unit President, Advanced Airlaid Materials.

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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.

P. H. Glatfelter Company

January 13, 2015

By: *Kent K. Matsumoto*

Name: Kent K. Matsumoto

Title: Vice President, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary

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