UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D. C. 20549

FORM 10-K/A

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 (X) OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 1995

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF () THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

> Commission file number 0-4823 ACME UNITED CORPORATION Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter

CONNECTICUT (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

06-0236700 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

75 Kings Highway Cutoff, Fairfield, Connecticut (Address of principal executive offices)

06430 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 332-7330 Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class \$2.50 PAR VALUE COMMON STOCK Name of each exchange on which registered AMERICAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12 (g) of the Act: None

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports) and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. YES [x] NO []

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. []

Registrant had 3,337,620 shares outstanding as of March 18, 1996 of its \$2.50 par value Common Stock. The aggregate market value of the voting stock held by non-affiliates of the registrant as of March 18, 1996 was approximately \$12,098,873.

Documents Incorporated By Reference

(1) Proxy Statement for the annual meeting scheduled for April 22, 1996 incorporated into 1995 10-K, Part III

2 PART IV

Item 14. Exhibits, Financial Statement Schedules and Reports on Form 8-K

3. Exhibits

Exhibit C - Consent of Independent Accountants

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Note: The above index reflects only the changed or amended documents. All other documents previously filed with the original Form 10-K (submitted on March 29, 1996) remain unchanged.

EXHIBIT C

(For Exhibit to Form 10-K, 1995)

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the registration statement of Acme United Corporation on Form S-8 (File No. 33-98918) of our reports dated March 12, 1996, on our audits of the consolidated financial statements and financial statement schedule of Acme United Corporation and Subsidiaries as of December 31, 1995 and 1994, and for the three years in the period ended December 31, 1995, which reports are included in the Annual Report on Form 10-K.

/s/ COOPERS & LYBRAND L.L.P.

COOPERS & LYBRAND L.L.P. Hartford, Connecticut May 15, 1996

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Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) 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, on May 17, 1996.

ACME UNITED CORPORATION (Registrant)

Signatures Titles

/s/ Walter C. Johnsen

Walter C. Johnsen Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial

Officer and Director

/s/ Gary D. Penisten

Gary D. Penisten Chairman of the Board and Director

/s/ Dwight C. Wheeler II

Dwight C. Wheeler II Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and Director

/s/ Richard L. Windt

Richard L. Windt Controller (Principal Accounting Officer)

/s/ David W. Clark, Jr.	
David W. Clark, Jr.	Director
George R. Dunbar	
George R. Dunbar	Director
/s/ Newman M. Marsilius	
Newman M. Marsilius	Director
/s/ Wayne R. Moore	
Wayne R. Moore	Director
/s/ Henry C. Wheeler	
Henry C. Wheeler	Director