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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): October 29, 2008

#### MEREDITH CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

IOWA 1-5128 42-0410230
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (Commission file number)

1716 Locust Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50309-3023
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(515) 284-3000 (Registrant's telephone number,

including area code)

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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)
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 October 29, 2008, Meredith Corporation issued a news release reporting earnings for the first fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2008. The related conference call script is attached as an exhibit.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

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Conference call script of conversation with analysts on October 29, 2008, reporting news release of the same date which reported earnings for the first fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2008.

## **SIGNATURE**

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.

MEREDITH CORPORATION

Registrant

/s/ Stephen M. Lacy

Stephen M. Lacy,

President and Chief Executive Officer

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