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): June 18, 1996

THE TJX COMPANIES, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

DELAWARE 1-4908 04-2207613
State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) Identification No.)

770 Cochituate Road, Framingham, MA 01701 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (508)390-2662

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Item 5. Other Events.

As of June 18, 1996, all of the outstanding shares of the Registrant's New Series A Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock have been converted by the holders thereof into the Registrant's Common Stock and, accordingly, no such shares of Series A Preferred Stock remain outstanding.

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SIGNATURE

1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

THE TJX COMPANIES, INC.

By: /s/ Donald G. Campbell Name: Donald G. Campbell

Title: Executive Vice President-Finance

Date: June 20, 1996