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GENESEE & WYOMING INC Form 8-K November 12, 2013

#### **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): November 8, 2013

Genesee & Wyoming Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-31456 (Commission 06-0984624 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

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20 West Avenue, Darien, Connecticut 06820 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (203) 202-8900

# Not Applicable Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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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))

#### ITEM 8.01. Other Events.

On November 8, 2013 a train operated by a subsidiary of Genesee & Wyoming Inc., Alabama & Gulf Coast Railway LLC, ( AGR ) derailed in the vicinity of Aliceville, Alabama, at approximately 12:55am EST. There were no injuries, and no ongoing evacuations were necessary.

The extent of the damage from the derailment has yet to be determined and the cause of the derailment is under investigation. Emergency responders, including environmental experts, are currently on site and cleanup and restoration of rail service are underway. While the extent of the damage is still being assessed, Genesee & Wyoming Inc. expects that the repairs will require approximately seven to ten days from commencement to complete.

Genesee & Wyoming Inc. expects the costs to repair the rail line, costs to remedy any environmental contamination and compensate AGR for the interruption to its business will be covered by insurance, subject to self-insured retentions totaling \$2.0 million.

## **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.

GENESEE & WYOMING INC.

Date: November 12, 2013 By: /s/ Allison M. Fergus

Name: Allison M. Fergus

Title: General Counsel & Secretary

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