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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 2)*

CABOT CORP. (Name of Issuer)

Common (Title of Class of Securities)

127055101 (CUSIP Number)

June 26, 1998 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of the Statement)

- [X] Rule 13d-1 (b)
- [] Rule 13d-1 (c)
- [] Rule 13d-1 (d)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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- 1) NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. or I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON Neuberger & Berman, LLC 13-5521910
- 2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*

(a) /__/

(b) /X/

- 3) SEC USE ONLY
- 4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

- 5) SOLE VOTING POWER 182,743
- 6) SHARED VOTING POWER 6,641,300
- 7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
- 8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 6,844,043
- 9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

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6,844,043
10)
      CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*
      24,150
11)
      PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9
      10.08
12)
      TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
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1)
      NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
      S.S. or I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
      Neuberger & Berman Guardian Portfolio
      13-3697434
    CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*
2)
                                                                   (a) /_{-}
                                                                   (b) /X/
    SEC USE ONLY
3)
4)
    CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:
5)
    SOLE VOTING POWER
    SHARED VOTING POWER
6)
      3,697,600
7)
    SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
    SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
8)
      3,697,600
    AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
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      3,697,600
      CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*
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      PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9
11)
      5.45
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      TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
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Item 1.
                 Name of Issuer:
         (a)
                 CABOT CORP.
Item 1
          (b)
                 Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:
                 75 State Street, Boston, MA 82109
Item 2.
          (a)
                 Name of Person Filing:
                 Neuberger & Berman, LLC
                 Neuberger & Berman Management Inc.
                 Neuberger & Berman Guardian Portfolio
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Address of Principal Business Office:

605 Third Ave., New York, NY, 10158-3698

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(b)

(c)

Citizenship:

USA

- Item 2 (d) Title of Class of Securities: Common CUSIP Number: Item 2 (e) 127055101 Item 3. /X/ Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the (a) Item 3 (b) /X/ Investment Adviser registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 Item 3 Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the (c) Investment Company Act Item 4. Ownership:
 - (a) Amount Beneficially Owned:

6,844,043

(b) Percent of Class:

10.08

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- (c) Number of Shares as to which such person has:
 - (I) Sole Power to vote or to direct the vote: 182,743
 - (II) Shared Power to vote or to direct the vote: 6,641,300
 - (III) Sole Power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: $\ensuremath{\text{0}}$
 - (IV) Shared Power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 6,844,043
- Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:
- Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another:

Neuberger & Berman, LLC is deemed to be a beneficial owner for purpose of Rule 13(d) since it has shared power to make decisions whether to retain or dispose of, and in some cases the sole power to vote the securities of many unrelated clients. Neuberger & Berman, LLC does not, however, have any economic interest in the securities of those clients. The clients are the actual owners of the securities and have the sole right to receive and the power to direct the receipt of dividends from or proceeds from the sale of such securities.

Principal(s) of Neuberger & Berman, LLC own 24,150 shares. Principal(s) own these shares in their own personal securities accounts. Neuberger & Berman, LLC disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares since; these shares were purchased with each principal(s)' personal funds and each principal has exclusive dispositive and voting power over the shares held in their respective accounts.

With regard to the shares set forth under Item 4.(c)(II), 3,697,600 shares or 5.45% of the outstanding are beneficially owned by Neuberger & Berman Guardian Portfolio, a series of Equity Managers Trust. Neuberger & Berman, LLC and Neuberger

& Berman Management Inc. are deemed to be beneficial owners of these shares for purposes of Rule 13(d) since they both have shared power to make decisions whether to retain or dispose of the securities. Neuberger & Berman, LLC and Neuberger & Berman Management Inc. serve as sub-adviser and investment manager, respectively, of Neuberger & Berman Guardian Portfolio, which holds such shares in the ordinary course of its business and not with the purpose nor with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer.

With regard to the balance of the shares set forth under Item 4.(c)(II), Neuberger & Berman, LLC and Neuberger & Berman Management Inc. are deemed

to be the beneficial owners for the purposes of Rule 13(d), since they have power to make decisions whether to retain or dispose of securities held by Neuberger & Berman's various other Funds. Neuberger & Berman, LLC is the sub-advisor to the aforementioned Funds.

No other Neuberger & Berman, LLC advisory client has an interest of more than 5% of the issuer.

It should be further noted that the share calculation under item 4.(c)(IV) is derived from a total combination of the shares set forth under Item 4.(c)(I and II). The remaining balance of shares, if any, are for individual client accounts over which Neuberger & Berman, LLC has shared power to dispose.

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Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent

Holding

Company: N/A

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

N/A

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group: N/A

Item 10. Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief,

securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

Signature:

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

In addition, the undersigned hereby agree that the Schedule 13G filed herewith is filed jointly pursuant to Rule 13d-1(f)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, on behalf of each of them.

Date: July 6, 1998
Neuberger & Berman, LLC

By:

C. Carl Randolph
Principal and General Counsel

Name/Title
Neuberger & Berman Management Inc.

By: :

Michael Weiner

Senior Vice President

Neuberger & Berman Guardian Portfolio, a Series of Equity Managers Trust

By: :_____ Michael Weiner Vice President