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

SCHEDULE 13G

\*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 disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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The information required on 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: Wanger Asset Management, L.P. 36-3820584						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*						
	Not Applicable			(a) (b)			
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION  Delaware						
	NUMBER OF	 5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
	SHARES	Ū	None				
	BENEFICIALLY	 6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
	OWNED BY	Ü	1,438,300				
	EACH	 7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	REPORTING	,	None				
	PERSON	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	WITH						
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY	OWNE	D BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	1,438,300						
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AM	OUNT	IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN	SHAR	ES*		
	Not Applicable				[]		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED	BY AM	OUNT IN ROW (9)				
	18.76%						
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*						
	IA						
	* SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!						

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 1	S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON: Wanger Asset Management, Ltd.						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*						
	Not Applicable			(a) (b)			
3	SEC USE ONLY						
 4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGAN	 IZATI	 ON				
	Delaware						
	NUMBER OF		SOLE VOTING POWER				
	SHARES		None				
	BENEFICIALLY	6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
	OWNED BY		1,438,300				
	EACH	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	REPORTING		None				
	PERSON	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	WITH		1,438,300				
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY	OWNE	D BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	1,438,300						
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AM	OUNT	IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN	SHAR	ES*		
	Not Applicable				[ ]		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED						
	18.76%						
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*						
	CO						
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 1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATIO Acorn Investment Trust	 N NO.			
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF	A ME	MBER OF A GROUP*		
	Not Applicable			(a) (b)	[ ] [ ]
3	SEC USE ONLY				
 4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGA	 NIZAT	ION		
	Massachusetts				
	NUMBER OF	5	SOLE VOTING POWER		
	SHARES		None		
	BENEFICIALLY	6	SHARED VOTING POWER		
	OWNED BY		1,105,000		
	EACH	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	REPORTING		None		
	PERSON	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		1,105,000		
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALL	Y OWN	ED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	1,105,000				
 10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE A		IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN S	SHARE	S*
	Not Applicable				[]
 11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED		MOUNT IN ROW (9)		
	14.41%				
 12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*				
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Item 1(a) Name of Issuer:

Hub Group, Inc.

Item 1(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

377 E. Butterfield Road, Suite 700 Lombard, IL 60148

Item 2(a) Name of Person Filing:

Wanger Asset Management, L.P. ("WAM"); Wanger Asset Management Ltd., the general partner of WAM ("WAM LTD."); Acorn Investment Trust ("Acorn").

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office:

WAM, WAM LTD. and Acorn are all located at: 227 West Monroe Street, Suite 3000 Chicago, Illinois 60606

Item 2(c) Citizenship:

WAM is a Delaware limited partnership. WAM LTD. is a Delaware corporation. Acorn is a Massachusetts business trust.

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

Item 2(e) CUSIP Number:

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- (d) Acorn is an Investment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940.
- (e) WAM is an Investment Adviser registered under section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940; WAM LTD. is the General Partner of the Investment Adviser.

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Item 4 Ownership (at December 31, 1998):

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(a) Amount owned "beneficially" within the meaning of rule 13d-3:

1,438,300 shares

(b) Percent of class:

18.76%

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
  - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: none
  - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 1,438,300
  - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: none
  - (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct
     disposition of: 1,438,300

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Not Applicable

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

The shares reported herein have been acquired on behalf of discretionary clients of WAM, including Acorn. Persons other than WAM and WAM LTD. are entitled to receive all dividends from, and proceeds from the sale of, those shares. Acorn is the only such person known to be entitled to receive all dividends from, and all proceeds from the sale of, shares reported herein to the extent more than 5% of the class.

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

Not Applicable

Item 8 Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

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By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purpose or effect.

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## 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.

Date: February 23, 1999

The undersigned corporation, on the date above written, agrees and consents to the joint filing on its behalf of this Schedule 13G in connection with its beneficial ownership of the security reported herein.

WANGER ASSET MANAGEMENT, LTD. for itself and as general partner of WANGER ASSET MANAGEMENT, L.P.

By: /s/ Bruce H. Lauer

Bruce H. Lauer

Vice President

The undersigned, on the date above written, agrees and consents to the joint filing on its behalf of this Schedule 13G in connection with its beneficial ownership of the security reported herein.

ACORN INVESTMENT TRUST

By: /s/ Bruce H. Lauer

Bruce H. Lauer

Vice President and Treasurer

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