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Kearny Financial Corp. Form 8-K February 23, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20552

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

February 23, 2005

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Kearny Financial Corp.
-----(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (973) 244-4500

Not Applicable
----(Former name or former address, if changed since last Report)

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN REPORT

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Item 8.01. Other Events

The Registrant announced that it closed its minority stock offering at the close of business on February 23, 2005. Shares of the Registrant are expected to begin trading on February 24, 2005 on the Nasdaq National Market under the symbol "KRNY."

Reference is made to the press release dated February 23, 2005, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and incorporated herein by this reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

Exhibit	
Number	Description
99	Press Release dated February 23, 2005

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, thereunto duly authorized.

KEARNY FINANCIAL CORP.

Date: February 23, 2005

By: /s/John N. Hopkins

John N. Hopkins

President and Chief Executive Officer