

## Five Doctors In Hornell Family



**THE KELLYS**—Dr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Kelly, at extreme right and left, proudly hold two of their grandchildren, Christine and James Kelly, at a family reunion at their home in Hornell. Seated in the foreground, are their daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Kelly, and their daughter, Mrs. George Scrocco and her daughter, Regina Maria; their daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Kelly and their daughter, Miss Grace Kelly. Seated on the arm of his father's chair is Dr. William Kelly. To his left are Dr. John R. Kelly, George Scrocco, Dr. James R. Kelly II and Dr. Raymond Kelly. On the arm of Mrs. Kelly's chair is John Costello of Boston, fiancé of Orann. (Memory Studio Photo).

## Community Plaque Honors Outstanding Service of Hornell's Medical Family

Hornell—The Kellys, Hornell's outstanding medical family, last week received acclamation from the community.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Kelly, parents of four doctor-sons, were honored publicly at the Hornell Board of Trade annual dinner when they received a plaque for "outstanding service to the community."

Inscribed on the plaque were the words: "In appreciation for leadership in civic affairs and outstanding service to the community for contributing four sons to the medical profession."

Dr. and Mrs. Kelly have been, during their entire married life, active in St. Ann's Church affairs. Their commendation at the Board of Trade dinner was made, in behalf of the city, by John J. Mellinger, also a prominent parishioner of St. Ann's and an active participant in community life.

MR. MELLINGER, in making the presentation of the plaque said "It is unique for a family

to be so honored and cited that the Kellys have four sons who are physicians like their father and grandfather."

The four sons of Dr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Kelly are the third generation to follow medicine as a profession. Their grandfather, the late Dr. John G. Kelly, practiced medicine in Hornell for many years.

Although Dr. J. Raymond Kelly and his four sons specialize in different fields, their careers have definite similarities. All interned at Kings County Hospital, New York City.

THE SENIOR Dr. Kelly and three of his sons were attached to Army medical units early in their careers and served outside the United States.

Dr. J. Raymond Kelly received his Doctor of Medicine degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1910. He was stationed in England during World War I. Aside from that, and time spent in post-graduate study in Vienna and at Harvard University, he has practiced medicine in Hornell since 1912.

The eldest son, Dr. John R. Kelly, received a Bachelor of Science degree from Georgetown University in 1942, and his MD degree three years later. He was a captain in the Army Medical Corps and served in Korea for two years. For two years he did post-graduate work in obstetrics at St. Catherine's Hospital in New York City. Since 1950 he has been practicing medicine in Hornell.

Dr. James R. Kelly, II also completed requirements for a Bachelor of Science degree at Georgetown University in 1943. Like his father, he received his MD from the University of Pennsylvania. He had a year's residency in pathology in Rochester General Hospital before entering the Army Medical Corps. After two years in Japan, he spent three years as surgical resident in St. Vincent's Hospital in Jacksonville, Fla. For the past year he has held a surgical residency at Roswell Park Memorial Hospital in Buffalo.

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## Hornell Women See Oxygen Tent Given Hospital

Hornell—Valued at \$650, a portable oxygen tent, contributed to St. James Mercy Hospital by the women's Board was demonstrated to the donors at the Board meeting last Friday.

The new equipment was shown Board members by Mrs. Ruth O'Connor of the nursing staff. She demonstrated how the tent can be operated either by piped-in or tank-supplied oxygen.

Sister M. Aquinas accepted the equipment for the hospital and expressed appreciation to the Women's Board.

The business session conducted by Mrs. Henry Copeland, president, was opened with a silent prayer for members of the armed forces. Reports of various committees chairman occupied the major portion of the meeting.

MORE THAN 50 books have been sent from the Women's Board sponsored hospital library to the VA Center in Bath. The books sent are duplicates of volumes now in the library.

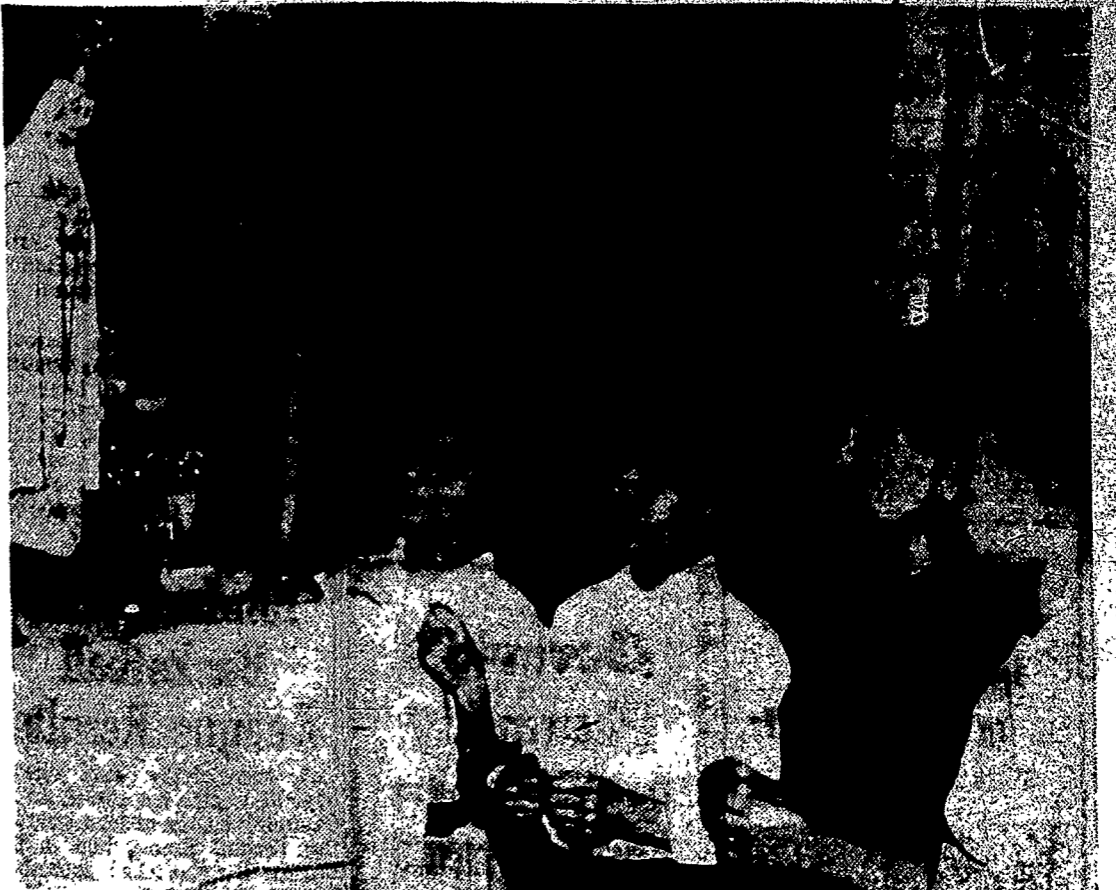
Final preparations were made for a bake sale to be held Saturday at Coyle's Hardware. Proceeds will benefit the hospital.

Mrs. Francis Cameron, chairman of the Aquinas Gift Shop committee, was in charge of a shower for the shop in connection with Friday's meeting.

Mrs. Copeland announced that the next meeting of the Women's Board will be held April 10 rather than the first Friday of the month, which coincides this year with Good Friday. Coffee and dessert will be served in the hospital cafeteria at 2:30 p.m. The business session will begin at 3 p.m.

## Families Sign Up For Rosary Crusade

The Family Rosary Crusade was inaugurated at St. Peter and Paul's Parish, Elmira, by the Rev. Hubert A. Hickey, pastor, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon B. Anderson and their three children, Martin, Edward and Anne.



FAMILY ROSARY is being recited above in the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Sheldon B. Anderson with their children (from left) Anne, Edward and Martin. The Parish Pilgrim Statues in at the Anderson home for one week and will then be taken to other homes in St. Peter and Paul's Parish, Elmira.

During the week in which the little Parish Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of the Family Rosary remained at the home, the members of the Anderson family endeavored to have a kind of Family Retreat Week of daily Mass, Rosary, Holy Communion and Parish Devotions.

Relatives joined the family at the home shrine for the recitation of the Family Rosary.

The number of requests from those desiring to establish the Family Rosary in their homes has made it necessary to extend the Crusade beyond the season of Lent. The little Parish Pilgrim Statue will continue its pilgrimage from home to home until each home, extending an invitation, has been visited.

The following homes have requested the Parish Pilgrim Statue during the Holy Season of Lent:

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon B. Anderson  
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hartnett  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams  
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hints  
Mr. and Mrs. John McEligott  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer.

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## Carmelite Father Slated At Corning Knights Dinner

Corning—The Rev. Kieran Hickey, teacher of philosophy at the Carmelite Scholasticate at Auburn, will speak at the annual St. Patrick's Day dinner of Corning Council, Knights of Columbus, on Tuesday, March 17, according to Joseph Mahoney, dinner chairman.

Father Hickey is a native of New York's east side and upon his entry into the Carmelite order was sent to Ireland for novitiate and did his philosophy and theological work in Rome over a period of six years.

He was a member of the faculty of Marymount College teaching in the philosophy department and taught at St. Albert's Preparatory Seminary for Carmelite Students in Middletown, N. Y.

WHILE SERVING as assistant pastor at the Lady of the Scapular Parish in New York City, his boyhood parish, he also was chaplain of Bellevue Hospital. He has been teaching at the Carmelite Scholasticate in Auburn since 1949 and is considered one of the outstanding after-dinner speakers in Western New York.

Attorney Jacob G. Welch, deputy grand knight of Corning Council, will serve as toastmaster.

Reception committee will be headed by Grand Knight Norman C. Murray and Past Grand Knight Col. John I. Spreckelmyer.

Dancing will follow the dinner to the music of a five-piece orchestra.

Entertainment during the dinner is being arranged by George E. Oliver.

## Father Hickey Awarded Three Citations

Chaplain Bernard L. Hickey, priest of the Rochester diocese, is among 21 priests who received combat citations for service in Korea, a NCWC News Service dispatch stated this week.

Current listings show that 70 chaplains of all faiths have received a total of 115 citations in Korea. In releasing these figures, the Navy Department noted that "an unusually high percentage of Navy chaplains have received combat citations."

Father Hickey, whose home is in Waverly, received the Presidential Citation, the Letter of Commendation and the Bronze Star.

He was one of the four Navy chaplains with the First Marine Provisional Brigade, first Marine force to land in South Korea.

## Mission To Open At St. Anthony's

Annual Mission for the Men of St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, will open on Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m. and continue each evening for one week.

Mission Masses will be celebrated each morning at 6:45 and 8 p.m. Other Masses are at 7:30 and 8:30 p.m.

Solemn closing of the Mission for the Women will take place on Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m.

Conducting the Mission are Rev. Bonaventure Gonella, C.P., and Rev. Gerard Orlando, C.P.

## St. Christopher Library Adds Eight New Books

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