

## Col. William Carroll, Retired, Employe of CIA Since 1949

Col. William A. Carroll, USAR, retired, an employe of the Central Intelligence Agency since 1949, died Sunday in Georgetown Hospital after an operation. He was 68.

Col. Carroll, a veteran of both World Wars, came to Washington shortly after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor for duty in the Office of the Inspector General.

He served in that post from 1942 to 1946, part of the time in the China-Burma-India theater, and was awarded a certificate of commendation for his service.

After his retirement from active duty in 1946, Col. Carroll served two years as special assistant to the administrator of the War Assets Administration before joining CIA in 1949.

During World War I, Col. Carroll served in the 341st Infantry. He maintained an active Reserve status in the Army between the wars while he was in business in his native Chicago.

Col. Carroll, who had lived in the Kennedy-Warren Apartments for 16 years, attended Armour Institute in Chicago and later took special courses at Notre Dame University. He was a past commander of the Advertising Men's Post of the American Legion in Chicago, a member of the District chapter, Military Order of World Wars, the Reserve Officers Association and the Holy Name Society of St. Thomas Apostle Church, Twenty-seventh street and Woodley road N.W.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Ethel Schad of Louisville, Ky., whom he married in 1919; two daughters, Mrs. Robert O. Conley, 3602 Thornap-



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ple street, Chevy Chase, Md., and Mrs. John K. Cook, of Shelly Bay, Bermuda; a son, William A. Carroll, jr., of Dallas, Tex.; a brother, Comdr. E. J. Carroll, USN, retired, of Glencoe, Ill., and nine grandchildren.

A requiem mass will be offered at St. Thomas Apostle Church at 9 a.m. tomorrow. Burial with military honors will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

The family has requested that any expressions of sympathy be sent to the memorial fund, Ladies' Board, Georgetown Hospital.