

## Mrs. Martin J. Cullen

BUCKINGHAM, April 20. — (Special) — Funeral services for Mrs. Martin J. Cullen were held here at Our Lady of Victory Church. Mrs. Cullen died in hospital Wednesday after a brief illness. She was in her 68th year.

Chief mourners at the requiem high mass were three sons, Martin, Harold and Lorne, of Buckingham, and a daughter, Mrs. Dalton Appleby (Madeleine), also of Buckingham; a brother, Leonard Cosgrove, of Ottawa.

Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. J. P. Cullen, of Toronto, and another brother, Raymond, of Bienfait, Sask.

The former Mona Cosgrove, Mrs. Cullen was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Patrick B. Cosgrove, of Buckingham. Born in 1886, Mrs. Cullen received her early education at St. Lawrence Academy, Buckingham, and later attended St. Mary's School in Chicago.

A devout member of Our Lady of Victory parish, Mrs. Cullen was a member of the Altar Society.

In 1914 she married Martin J. Cullen at Angers, Que. Mr. Cullen predeceased her 12 years ago.

Burial was in the parish

## Obituary

### MRS. MARTIN J. CULLEN

The many local friends of Mrs. Martin J. Cullen, the former Mary Monica (Mona) Cosgrove, were deeply shocked to learn of her death, which took place in St. Michael's Hospital, Buckingham, on Wednesday, April 15th, 1953, following a short illness. Mrs. Cullen had not been feeling well for the past month but at no time was her condition considered serious.

She was born in Buckingham on April 11th, 1886 and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cosgrove, (Josephine Sarazin). She received her education at St. Lawrence Academy and St. Mary's School in Chicago, and in 1914 was married at Angers, Que., to Martin J. Cullen of Buckingham, who predeceased her in 1941. She was a devoted parishioner of Our Lady of Victory Church and a member of the Altar Society.

Surviving to mourn her passing are three sons, Harold, Martin and Lorne, all of Buckingham; one daughter, Mrs. Dalton Appleby (Madeleine) of Buckingham; two brothers, Leonard Cosgrove of Ottawa and Raymond Cosgrove of Bienfait, Saskatchewan; one sister, Mrs. J. P. Cullen of Toronto, Ont.; as well as four grandchildren. Her oldest son, Clarence, predeceased her in 1942.

The largely attended funeral was held from the family home on Charles Street on Saturday morning, April 18th, to the Church of Our Lady of Victory for requiem high mass at 9.30 o'clock. Rev. Father W. N. Nevins, P.P., met the body at the door of the church and the requiem mass was sung by Rev. Father Leonard Cosgrove, G.S.B., of Rochester, N.Y., a nephew of the deceased. He was assisted by Rev. Father E. F. Bambrick, P.P., of St. George's Church in Ottawa, as deacon, and Rev. Father W. N. Nevins, P.P., of Our Lady of Victory Church, as sub-deacon. Present also in the sanctuary was

Rev. Father H. C. Braceland, P.P., of St. Malachy's Church at Mayo. Following the church service, which was attended by a very large number of relatives and friends, interment took place in the family plot in the parish cemetery, with Rev. Father Nevins and Rev. Leonard Cosgrove reciting the graveside prayers. The pallbearers were Messrs Harold Gorman, Reginald Cameron, Don Cameron, Ray Stanyar, Everett Pearson and Daniel Smith.

Bearing mute testimony to the high esteem in which Mrs. Cullen was held in a wide circle of friends was the wealth of beautiful flowers which surrounded her casket. Floral tributes came from the Office Staff of the Electric Reduction Company; the Sesqui and Amorphous Plant of the Electric Reduction Company; the T.S.P. Plant of the Electric Reduction Company; the Ottawa Branch of the National Life Insurance Company; the Champagne Street Barns of the Ottawa Transportation Company, and many others from local and out-of-town friends.

Present from out-of-town at the funeral were Mr. Raymond Cullen and Mrs. J. P. Cullen of Toronto; Miss Doreen Cullen of Port Huron, Mich.; Rev. Leonard Cullen of Rochester, N.Y.; Rev. E. F. Bambrick, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lavell, Miss Doris Lavell, Mr. J. K. Hogg, Mr. Leonard Cosgrove, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Moran, Miss Shirley Moran and Mrs. B. McCann, all of Ottawa; Mr. Bernard Costello of Sherbrooke, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of Montreal; and Rev. H. C. Braceland of Mayo, Que.