

SISTER M. LEONARDA HIEBEL  
262. JUNE 17, 1945

Helen Hiebel was born on May 27, 1866, in Zanesville, OH, to Kaspar and Barbara Siechrist Hiebel, both originally of Alsace-Lorraine. Helen entered the Congregation in Joliet, on August 15, 1884, then began her Novitiate as Sister Leonarda on August 12, 1885, professed First Vows on August 11, 1887 and Final Vows on August 12, 1890. Sister Leonarda died of chronic myocarditis with acute cardiac dilation. She was in her 80th year having spent 60 years in the community. In 1937 Sister Leonarda had celebrated her Golden Jubilee of Profession with Sister Cleopha Kick and Sister Delphine Krivanek.

Sister Leonarda's Mission Record includes:

1886-87	St. Procopius, Chicago, IL	Grade 3
1887-89	St. Francis Assisi, Chicago, IL	2
1889-92	St. Boniface, Chicago, IL	4,5
1892-96	St. John the Baptist, Joliet, IL	5
1896-98	St. Mary, Columbus, OH	8
1898-01	St. Francis Academy, Joliet, IL	5,6
1901	St. Ludmilla, Chicago, IL	Superior 7
1901-04	St. Boniface, Chicago, IL	6
1904-11	St. Michael, Sigel, IL	Superior/Principal 4,5,6,7,8
1911-13	Ss. Peter/Paul, Chicago, IL	6,7,8
1913-19	St. Michael, Sigel, IL	Superior/Principal 6,7,8
1919-20	St. Peter, Mansfield, OH	7
1920-21	St. Joseph, Pesotum, IL	Superior/Principal 4,5,6
1921-25	St. Francis deSales, Chicago, IL	Superior/Principal 8
1925-28	Ss. Peter/Paul, Leonore, IL	Superior/Principal 5,6,7,8
1928-33	St. Denis, Benton, MO	Superior/Principal 5,6,7,8
1933-34	Guardian Angel Home, Joliet, IL	7,8
1934-35	St. Boniface, Chicago, IL	8
1935-41	St. Francis Assisi, Chicago, IL	5,6,7
1941-45	St. Francis Convent, Joliet, IL	Convalescing