

Preface

This work was suggested to me: a study of the archived material concerning the history of the first missions of the Consolata Missionary Institute, material that is still largely unpublished. The research is limited to the history of the first mission “stations” and comprises the years 1902 to 1905, when the field of missionary work entrusted to the Consolata Institute was declared by Propaganda Fide as an “Independent Mission”, a detachment from the Apostolic Vicariate of the “Northern Zanguebar”, where the Fathers of the Holy Spirit work.

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