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Fr Koren, author of the standard history of the Congregation, The Spiritans (1958), writes in the Preface to his new work: 'When about five years ago the author was asked to update the Congregation's history, it soon became apparent that this task involved more than some superficial modifications. He saw himself obliged to rewrite virtually the entire work, omitting much of what was contained in the earlier book, revamping most of the remainder, and adding subject matter that had been passed over in silence. In the process he also modified his appreciation of many data of history. Nevertheless, the older work has not become entirely useless, for it contains much information not included in this book' (p. xiii).

This book has already been translated into French under the title, Les Spiritains, Beauchesne Paris 1982.


Fr Rath continues his detailed history of the Congregation worldwide from the death of Fr Libermann until the election of Archbishop Le Roy.

We can only admire the painstaking work of both Fr Koren and Fr Rath as we thank and congratulate them for these volumes, which will be of immense value to the Congregation.


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