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Sir

I have the honor to inform you that I propose shortly to publish a "History of Cyprus under the Lusignan Kings", a work on which I have been engaged during the past few years of my residence in Cyprus.

The book is a translation of M. de Mas Latrie's famous work - published by the French Academy - to the Fall of St. John d'Acre, but as that gentleman's detailed acct. of Island events (which are of European interest) terminates at that period, I have taken up the thread of the history at A. D. 1291 & carried it on to the time of the occupation of Cyprus by the Republic of Venice. The book will contain - as an introduction - a full acct. of the military operations

Operations of Richard I of England in  
the Island.

I have obtained in Cyprus  
subscribers for 125 copies, the work will  
be published so soon as I obtain a few  
more. It will cover about 800 pp. of  
letter-press, semi-octavo, the price per  
copy will be 16/-

May I venture to call your  
attention to this, & to ask whether I may  
be permitted the distinguished honor  
of adding your name to my list of  
subscribers?

Have the honor to be,  
Sir,

Your Obedt servant  
Ronald F. Mead  
Chaplain to the Forces

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