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Although there was a lithography used for the state documentation during the Ottoman Period, the first printing house in Cyprus was established in Larnaca in 1878 and Nicosia in 1882. In accordance with the studies of Hüdaoğlu, during the Ottoman Period in Cyprus “this printing house using lithography were under the control of government and was used to copy the official documents. The British Administration established the Nicosia state printing house in 1882 that uses metallic letters... prior to the establishment of official British printing house, the printing house in Larnaca where the newspaper ‘Cyprus’ was printed was established in 1878” [See: Hüdaoğlu, Gürdal. *Kıbrıs'ta Siyasal Dönüşüm: Meydandan Medyaya*, Doktora Tezi, Yakın Doğu Üniversitesi Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü İletişim Yayınları Anabilim Dalı Doktora Programı, Lefkoşa, 2011]

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