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Greek Cypriots and Turkish Cypriot mineworkers P.Stylianou ,A Anastasis and Tziemali working together.A rare picture taken in 1938 in the mine area of Xeros Village.Notice that the workers are tied to a rope (basic safety of those old times).This picture is from PEO's Museum.Also note that PEO has issued a book devoted to the common struggles of Greek and Turkish Cypriot workers with many unknown untill today documents and pictures.



"Get your Hands off our Cost of Living Allowance"



This picture shows workers making shoes in the Phaneromeny area in Nicosia. The picture was taken in 1929. Notice that all were working around the shoe makers desk .A identical shoe makers desk from old times can be seen at our museum along with all equipment used for making shoes.



1st of May 1944 March for 8 hours of work, 8 hours of rest In Nicosia Main square. The march was under the guidance of PSE-PEO.



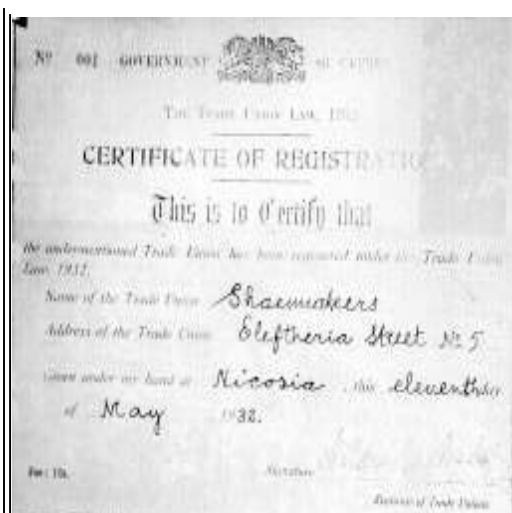
[Our Nicosia main building.](#)



One of the slogans of the Greek and Turkish Cypriot workers say " We are working from 7 a.m to 7 p.m.



The first trade union was registered according to the law on Trade Unions of 1932, was the Trade Union of Shoeworkers of Nicosia, with 84 members. As it is seen in the picture - the official registration -, the



Trade Union was registered in May 1932 under the number 001. It had its offices at Eleftheria Street number 5.



[The Trade Union Dancing Group "Vasilitzia"](#)

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