

Vasıf Bey

BOA, DH.SAİD, Sicill-i Ahvâl Defterleri, Dahiliye Nezâreti

Archival reference as recorded: 25_81; 157

Vasıf Bey was born in Hama in AH 1269 (1852–1853). Recorded schooling includes 4 years at ibtidai Mektebi. First work is recorded in Beyrut in AH 1292 (1875–1876), 23 AH years after the recorded birth year, with “Telgraf” as first-job wording. The surviving career record covers 6 distinct AH years in AH 1293–1298 (1876–1881); it begins with Muhabere Memuru in İstanbul (200 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); Arabic: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1269 (1852–1853); hama
School / programme	ibtidai Mektebi
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	1 source-recorded year
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father’s occupation	Istabl-i Amire Muduru
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); Arabic: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1292 (1875–1876)
Place	beyrut
First-salary field	200 kuruş
Recorded first-job wording	Telgraf

First-work may concern earlier state service or preparation. The first-salary amount is separately recorded and is not dated by the first-work year.

Honours, rank and legal records

Decoration wording is unrecorded in the linked text fields.

Original codes across source assertions, including zero; meanings unverified. No grade, count or award status is inferred.

Rütbe: 0; Mecidi nişanı: 0; Nişan-ı Âlî-i Osmanî: 0; Madalya: 0; Liyakat ve ehliyet derecesi: 0

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0; Personnel legal field · original codes: 0; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0

Legal wording and annual indicators are not adjudicated findings or lifetime verdicts. Complete original notes, codes and archival source details remain in the online dossier. Repeated source copies do not establish independent confirmation.

Annual chronology

6 annual entries in 6 recorded AH years. Gregorian equivalents are shown in parentheses; source G years are retained separately. Gaps remain gaps. Salaries are nominal monthly assigned kuruş, not confirmed disbursements.

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1293 (1876–1877)	1876	muhabere memuru	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	200
AH 1294 (1877–1878)	1877	muhabere memuru	trablussam; Province: beyrut	400
AH 1295 (1878)	1878	muhabere memuru	beyrut; Province: beyrut	400
AH 1296 (1878–1879)	1879	muhabere memuru	beyrut; Province: beyrut	400
AH 1297 (1879–1880)	1880	muhabere memuru	beyrut; Province: beyrut	400
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	muhabere memuru	beyrut; Province: beyrut	480

Citation and sources

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