

Rıfat Efendi

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Rıfat Efendi was born in Yanbolu in AH 1277 (1860–1861). Recorded schooling includes 4 years at Sibyan Mektebi. First work is recorded in Yanbolu in AH 1291 (1874–1875), 14 AH years after the recorded birth year, with “Telgraf” as first-job wording. The surviving career record covers 23 distinct AH years in AH 1296–1320 (1878–1903), with gaps; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Karadeniz eregli (300 kuruş monthly). 3. Mudur appears later, in AH 1320 (1902–1903), with 500 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1277 (1860–1861); yanbolu
School / programme	Sibyan Mektebi
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	5 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father’s occupation	Gumruk Memuru
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1291 (1874–1875)
Place	Yanbolu
First-salary field	300 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

23 annual entries in 23 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 1296 (1878–1879)	1879	muhabere memuru	karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu	300
AH 1297 (1879–1880)	1880	muhabere memuru	karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu	300
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	muhabere memuru	karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu	300
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	muhabere memuru	karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu	300
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	muhabere memuru	trabzon; Province: trabzon	400
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	muhabere memuru	bayburt; Province: erzurum	400
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	muhabere memuru	bayburt; Province: erzurum	400
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	muhabere memuru	bayburt; Province: erzurum	400
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	muhabere memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	475
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	muhabere memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	475
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	muhabere memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	475
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	muhabere memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	475
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	Muhabere Memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	475
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	muhabere memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	475
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhabere memuru	tercan; Province: erzurum	500
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhabere memuru	yemen; Province: yemen	750
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	muhabere memuru	konya; Province: konya	600
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	3. mudur	zadrıma; Province: iskodra	500
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	muhabere memuru	iskodra; Province: iskodra	400

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	muhabere memuru	sengin; Province: iskodra	500
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	muhabere memuru	sengin; Province: iskodra	500
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	muhabere memuru	sengin; Province: iskodra	500
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	3. mudur	cayagzi; Province: selanik	500

Citation and sources

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