

Raif Efendi

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Archival reference as recorded: 51_149; 293

Raif Efendi was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1255 (1839–1840). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1268 (1851–1852), 13 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 40 distinct AH years in AH 1276–1317 (1859–1900), with gaps; it begins with posta memuru in Siroz (500 kuruş monthly). 2. Mudur appears later, in AH 1306 (1888–1889), with 800 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing). Distinct legal-source notes are preserved below; they are not adjudicated findings.

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1255 (1839–1840); dersaadet
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	1 source-recorded year
Qualification field (recorded code)	0
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1268 (1851–1852)
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	10 kuruş

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 legal note: “Zimmet” (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

Original legal note (excerpt): “Zimmet / Mumaileyhin hesabâtının rüyeti için Başmüdüriyet'ten i'zam kılınan Muavin Esat ve müdüriyet vekaletine mükeffilen Ürgüp Memuru Tevfik Efendilerle hüküm” ... (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0; Legal notes (earlier workbook copy) · legal field (unlabelled original codes): 1; Legal notes (later workbook copy) · legal field (unlabelled original codes): 1

Legal wording and annual indicators are not adjudicated findings or lifetime verdicts. Complete original notes (2 distinct texts), codes and archival source details remain in the online dossier. Repeated source copies do not establish independent confirmation.

Annual chronology

40 annual entries in 40 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 1276 (1859–1860)	Not recorded	posta memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	500
AH 1277 (1860–1861)	1860	Posta Memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	500
AH 1278 (1861–1862)	1861	posta memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	500
AH 1279 (1862–1863)	1862	sevk kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1280 (1863–1864)	1863	muhabere memuru	mudurnu; Province: kastamonu	750
AH 1281 (1864–1865)	1864	muhabere memuru	izmit; Province: izmit	720
AH 1282 (1865–1866)	1865	muhabere memuru	izmit; Province: izmit	720
AH 1283 (1866–1867)	1866	2. mudur	lefke; Province: hudavendigar	1000
AH 1284 (1867–1868)	1867	1. mudur	eskisehir; Province: hudavendigar	1200
AH 1285 (1868–1869)	1868	2. mudur	nablus; Province: beyrut	1000
AH 1286 (1869–1870)	1869	1. mudur	akka; Province: beyrut	1200
AH 1287 (1870–1871)	1870	2. mudur	muzeyrib; Province: suriye	1000
AH 1288 (1871–1872)	1871	2. mudur	lazkiye; Province: beyrut	850
AH 1289 (1872–1873)	1872	2. mudur	lazkiye; Province: beyrut	850
AH 1290 (1873–1874)	1873	2. mudur	lazkiye; Province: beyrut	850
AH 1291 (1874–1875)	1874	2. mudur	lazkiye; Province: beyrut	850
AH 1292 (1875–1876)	1875	2. mudur	mersin; Province: adana	850
AH 1293 (1876–1877)	1876	2. mudur	silifke; Province: adana	800
AH 1294 (1877–1878)	1877	2. mudur	silifke; Province: adana	800
AH 1295 (1878)	1878	2. mudur	silifke; Province: adana	800

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1296 (1878–1879)	1879	2. mudur	silifke; Province: adana	800
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	3. mudur	gumulcine; Province: edirne	600
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	3. mudur	gumulcine; Province: edirne	600
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	2. mudur	resmo; Province: girit	760
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	2. mudur	resmo; Province: girit	760
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	2. mudur	resmo; Province: girit	760
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	2. mudur	resmo; Province: girit	760
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	2. mudur	lasid; Province: girit	760
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	2. Mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	800
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	720
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	720
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	720
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	2. mudur	isparta; Province: konya	720

Citation and sources

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