

Mustafa Mehdi Efendi

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Mustafa Mehdi Efendi was born in Sivas in AH 1264 (1847–1848). Recorded schooling includes 4 years at Sibyan Mektebi. First work is recorded in Trabzon in AH 1285 (1868–1869), 21 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 31 distinct AH years in AH 1288–1322 (1871–1905), with gaps; it begins with Esya Kalemi in Selanik (300 kuruş monthly). 1. Mudur appears later, in AH 1322 (1904–1905), with 1,200 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing). Distinct legal-source notes are preserved below; they are not adjudicated findings.

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1264 (1847–1848); sivas
School / programme	Sibyan Mektebi
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	3 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1285 (1868–1869)
Place	Trabzon
First-salary field	300 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: “Devamsızlık / vazife-i memuriyetini yoluyla ifa etmediğinden ihraç edilmiş ” (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

Original legal note: “Edepsizlik /sû-i ahlakından naşi kumandan tarafından edilen şikayet üzerine azl edilmiş ” (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

The annual personnel records mark “yes for this annual record” in AH 1290–1291 (1873–1875), AH 1293–1294 (1876–1878), AH 1297–1309 (1879–1892), AH 1311–1313 (1893–1896), AH 1315–1322 (1897–1905).

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0 / 1; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0 / 1 / 2 / 3; Legal notes (earlier workbook copy) · legal field (unlabelled original codes): 1 / 2 / 3; Legal notes (later workbook copy) · legal field (unlabelled original codes): 1 / 2 / 3

Legal wording and annual indicators are not adjudicated findings or lifetime verdicts. Complete original notes (6 distinct texts), codes and archival source details remain in the online dossier. Repeated source copies do not establish independent confirmation.

Annual chronology

31 annual entries in 31 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 1288 (1871–1872)	1871	esya kalemi	selanik; Province: selanik	300
AH 1289 (1872–1873)	1872	muhabere memuru	kesan; Province: edirne	499
AH 1290 (1873–1874)	1873	muhabere memuru	zara; Province: sivas	500
AH 1291 (1874–1875)	1874	muhabere memuru	sivas; Province: sivas	500
AH 1293 (1876–1877)	1876	muhabere memuru	mitrovice; Province: kosova	750
AH 1294 (1877–1878)	1877	muhabere memuru	erzurum; Province: erzurum	800
AH 1297 (1879–1880)	1880	muhabere memuru	tenos; Province: sivas	500
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	muhabere memuru	tenos; Province: sivas	500
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	muhabere memuru	tenos; Province: sivas	500
AH 1300 (1882–1883)	1883	muhabere memuru	tenos; Province: sivas	500
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	basmuhabere memuru	gurun; Province: sivas	500
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	basmuhabere memuru	gurun; Province: sivas	500
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	basmuhabere memuru	gurun; Province: sivas	500
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	basmuhabere memuru	gurun; Province: sivas	500
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	basmuhabere memuru	gurun; Province: sivas	500
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	basmuhabere memuru	alucura; Province: sivas	500
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	basmuhabere memuru	alucura; Province: sivas	500

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	basmuhabere memuru	alucura; Province: sivas	500
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	basmuhabere memuru	alucura; Province: sivas	500
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	Basmuhabere Memuru	hamidiye4; Province: sivas	500
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	basmuhabere memuru	hamidiye4; Province: sivas	500
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	seyyar memur	sam; Province: suriye	750
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	seyyar memur	sam; Province: suriye	750
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	Azî	dolasirdir; Province: edirne	Not recorded
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	2. mudur	terhune; Province: trablusgarp	720
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	2. mudur	terhune; Province: trablusgarp	720
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	2. mudur	terhune; Province: trablusgarp	800
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	2. mudur	urfele; Province: trablusgarp	1000
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	2. mudur	urfele; Province: trablusgarp	1000
AH 1321 (1903–1904)	1903	2. mudur	urfele; Province: trablusgarp	1000
AH 1322 (1904–1905)	1904	1. mudur	fizan; Province: trablusgarp	1200

Citation and sources

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