

Mahmut Cemal Efendi

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Mahmut Cemal Efendi was born in Divrigi in AH 1267 (1850–1851). Recorded schooling includes 4 years at ibtidai Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1278 (1861–1862), 11 AH years after the recorded birth year, with “Zaptiye Kalemî” as first-job wording. The surviving career record covers 13 distinct AH years in AH 1285–1305 (1868–1888), with gaps; it begins with cavus in İstanbul (160 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1267 (1850–1851); divrigi
School / programme	ibtidai Mektebi
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	0 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Religion wording	Musuluman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1278 (1861–1862)
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	150 kuruş
Recorded first-job wording	Zaptiye Kalemî

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

13 annual entries in 13 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 1285 (1868–1869)	1868	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	160
AH 1286 (1869–1870)	1869	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	160
AH 1287 (1870–1871)	1870	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	160
AH 1288 (1871–1872)	1871	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	160
AH 1297 (1879–1880)	1880	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1300 (1882–1883)	1883	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	cavus	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	350

Citation and sources

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Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-aebfa83f2cd2062b/#honours-records>

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