

Despot Obles Efendi

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Despot Obles Efendi was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1288. Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1308 (20 AH years after the recorded birth year). The surviving career record covers 6 distinct AH years between 1311 and 1316; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Beyoglu (50 kuruş monthly). Muhaberati Ecnebiye Memuriyeti appears later, in AH 1316 (540 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing); Armenian: Kitabet (writing); Rum: Kitabet (writing). Distinct legal-source notes are preserved below; they are not adjudicated findings.

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1288; dersaadet
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	3 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Esnaf
Religion wording	Hristiyan
Nationality wording	Rum

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing); Armenian: Kitabet (writing); Rum: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1308
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	50 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: "Edepsizlik / hareket-ı serkeşanesi ve seyyiat-ı ahvâli cihetile idareten azl edildiği" (criminals.xlsx: Sheet1!N667; criminals_updated.xlsx: Sheet1!N667)

Original legal note: "Memuriyete Uymayan Hal ve Hareketler" (criminals.xlsx: Sheet1!J667; criminals_updated.xlsx: Sheet1!J667)

October annual indicator · raw values: 0; Additional October code · raw values: 0; criminals.xlsx · criminal (unlabelled original codes): 1; criminals_updated.xlsx · criminal (unlabelled original codes): 1

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

Annual chronology

6 annual entries in 6 recorded AH years. G labels are stored source labels, not exact conversions. Gaps remain gaps. Salaries are nominal monthly assigned kuruş, not confirmed disbursements.

AH year	G label	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
1311	1893	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	50
1312	1894	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	100
1313	1895	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	100
1314	1896	muhabere memuru	iskenderun; Province: halep	300
1315	1897	muhabere memuru	iskenderun; Province: halep	300
1316	1898	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	avlonya; Province: yanya	540

Citation and sources

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Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-cb56f1ae6fedf6f2/#honours-records>

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