

Mehmed Şefik Efendi

BOA, DH.SAİD, Sicill-i Ahvâl Defterleri, Dahiliye Nezâreti

Archival reference as recorded: 3_224;444

Mehmed Şefik Efendi was born in Sivas in AH 1256 (1840–1841). Recorded schooling includes 4 years at ibtidai Mektebi. First work is recorded in Sivas in AH 1273 (1856–1857), 17 AH years after the recorded birth year, with “Tahrirat Kalemi” as first-job wording. The surviving career record covers 35 distinct AH years in AH 1280–1318 (1863–1901), with gaps; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Siverek (500 kuruş monthly). Mudur appears later, in AH 1313 (1895–1896), with 3,000 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); Arabic: asina; Persian: asina. Mehmed Şefik Efendi’s death is recorded under AH 1319 (1901–1902).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1256 (1840–1841); sivas
School / programme	ibtidai Mektebi
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	1 source-recorded year
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father’s occupation	Tomruk Muduru
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); Arabic: asina; Persian: asina

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1273 (1856–1857)
Place	Sivas
First-salary field	40 kuruş
Recorded first-job wording	Tahrirat Kalemi

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

35 annual entries in 35 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 1280 (1863–1864)	1863	muhabere memuru	siverek; Province: diyarbakir	500
AH 1281 (1864–1865)	1864	muhabere memuru	sivas; Province: sivas	576
AH 1282 (1865–1866)	1865	muhabere memuru	erzincan; Province: erzurum	576
AH 1283 (1866–1867)	1866	muhabere memuru	erzincan; Province: erzurum	700
AH 1284 (1867–1868)	1867	2. mudur	bitlis; Province: bitlis	1000
AH 1285 (1868–1869)	1868	1. mudur	erzurum; Province: erzurum	1200
AH 1286 (1869–1870)	1869	1. mudur	erzurum; Province: erzurum	1200
AH 1287 (1870–1871)	1870	1. mudur	trabzon; Province: trabzon	1200
AH 1288 (1871–1872)	1871	1. mudur	trabzon; Province: trabzon	1280
AH 1289 (1872–1873)	1872	1. mudur	trabzon; Province: trabzon	1280
AH 1290 (1873–1874)	1873	1. mudur	kastamonu; Province: kastamonu	1280
AH 1291 (1874–1875)	1874	mufettis muavini	kastamonu; Province: kastamonu	1500
AH 1292 (1875–1876)	1875	mufettis muavini	kastamonu; Province: kastamonu	1500
AH 1293 (1876–1877)	1876	seyyar mufettis	kastamonu; Province: kastamonu	1500
AH 1294 (1877–1878)	1877	seyyar mufettis	erzurum; Province: erzurum	1750
AH 1295 (1878)	1878	seyyar mufettis	erzurum; Province: erzurum	1750
AH 1296 (1878–1879)	1879	seyyar mufettis	erzurum; Province: erzurum	1750
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	seyyar mufettis	aydin; Province: aydin	2000
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	seyyar mufettis	aydin; Province: aydin	2000

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1300 (1882–1883)	1883	seyyar mufettis	aydin; Province: aydin	2000
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	mudur	sana; Province: yemen	1600
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	mudur	sana; Province: yemen	1600
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	mudur	sana; Province: yemen	1600
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	mudur	sana; Province: yemen	1600
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	mudur	mekke; Province: hicaz	1750
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	mudur	mekke; Province: hicaz	1750
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	mudur	mekke; Province: hicaz	1750
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	mudur	mekke; Province: hicaz	1750
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	Basmudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	2500
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	mudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	3000
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	mudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	2700
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	mudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	2700
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	mudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	2700
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	mudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	2700
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	mudur	hicaz; Province: hicaz	2700

Citation and sources

Fatih Kansoy, Ottoman Bureaucracy, “Mehmed Şefik Efendi”. BOA, DH.SAİD, Sicill-i Ahvâl Defterleri, Dahiliye Nezâreti. Archival reference as recorded: 3_224;444. Collection identification and coded personnel records: Akyıldız (2024), Marmara University thesis. Annual edition: ottoman-bureaucracy-2026-10-11-v1-84d4f7f2230a; additional source edition: ottoman-bureaucracy-enrichment-edcc450f53e488f7. <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-f6de0963c6c02f0e/>

Collection identification and coded personnel records: Akyıldız (2024), Marmara University thesis. The archival identifier is reproduced intact; its components are not decoded here.

Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-f6de0963c6c02f0e/#honours-records>

Source provenance and alternatives: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-f6de0963c6c02f0e/#evidence>