

# Mehmet Halit Efendi

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Mehmet Halit Efendi was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1264 (1847–1848). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1286 (1869–1870), 22 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 31 distinct AH years in AH 1289–1324 (1872–1907), with gaps; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Konya (380 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); dersaadet |
| School / programme                     | Rusdiye Mektebi                |
| Schooling duration                     | 7 source-recorded years        |
| Apprenticeship duration                | 3 source-recorded years        |
| Qualification field (recorded code)    | 0                              |
| Telegraph-school field (recorded code) | 1                              |
| Father's occupation                    | Esnaf                          |
| Religion wording                       | Musulman                       |
| Nationality wording                    | Turkish                        |

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

## First-work fields

|                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Recorded year      | AH 1286 (1869–1870) |
| Place              | istanbul            |
| First-salary field | 380 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: “Anlaşmazlık / Kayseri Telgrafhanesi’nden azledilmesi müdürüyle imtizac eyleyemediğine mebnidir.” (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

Original legal note: “Memuriyete Uymayan Hal ve Hareketler” (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

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 1289 (1872–1873) | 1872          | muhabere memuru | konya; Province: konya                    | 380           |
| AH 1290 (1873–1874) | 1873          | muhabere memuru | tarsus; Province: adana                   | 380           |
| AH 1291 (1874–1875) | 1874          | muhabere memuru | kayseri; Province: ankara                 | 400           |
| AH 1293 (1876–1877) | 1876          | muhabere memuru | uskudar; Province: dersaadet              | 400           |
| AH 1294 (1877–1878) | 1877          | muhabere memuru | uskudar; Province: dersaadet              | 400           |
| AH 1297 (1879–1880) | 1880          | muhabere memuru | istip; Province: kosova                   | 600           |
| AH 1299 (1881–1882) | 1882          | memur           | seferihisar; Province: aydin              | 500           |
| AH 1300 (1882–1883) | 1883          | memur           | seferihisar; Province: aydin              | 500           |
| AH 1301 (1883–1884) | 1884          | memur           | seferihisar; Province: aydin              | 500           |
| AH 1302 (1884–1885) | 1885          | memur           | seferihisar; Province: aydin              | 500           |
| AH 1304 (1886–1887) | 1887          | tefrik odasi    | yeni camii postanesi; Province: dersaadet | 250           |
| AH 1305 (1887–1888) | 1888          | tefrik odasi    | yeni camii postanesi; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1306 (1888–1889) | 1889          | tefrik odasi    | yeni camii postanesi; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1307 (1889–1890) | 1890          | tefrik odasi    | yeni camii postanesi; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1308 (1890–1891) | 1891          | tefrik odasi    | yeni camii postanesi; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1309 (1891–1892) | 1892          | Tefrik Odasi    | yeni camii postanesi; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1310 (1892–1893) | 1892          | posta memuru    | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet           | 450           |
| AH 1311 (1893–1894) | 1893          | posta memuru    | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet           | 450           |
| AH 1312 (1894–1895) | 1894          | posta memuru    | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet           | 450           |
| AH 1313 (1895–1896) | 1895          | muhabere memuru | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet            | 450           |

| AH year (Gregorian) | Source G year | Recorded title  | Locality / province             | Monthly kuruş |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| AH 1314 (1896–1897) | 1896          | muhabere memuru | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet  | 450           |
| AH 1315 (1897–1898) | 1897          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1316 (1898–1899) | 1898          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1317 (1899–1900) | 1899          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1318 (1900–1901) | 1900          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 450           |
| AH 1319 (1901–1902) | 1901          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 550           |
| AH 1320 (1902–1903) | 1902          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 550           |
| AH 1321 (1903–1904) | 1903          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 630           |
| AH 1322 (1904–1905) | 1904          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 630           |
| AH 1323 (1905–1906) | 1905          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 630           |
| AH 1324 (1906–1907) | 1906          | muhabere memuru | eyupsultan; Province: dersaadet | 630           |

## Citation and sources

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