

Mehmet Raif Efendi

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Mehmet Raif Efendi was born in Manastir in AH 1266 (1849–1850). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in Manastir in AH 1286 (1869–1870), 20 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 30 distinct AH years in AH 1292–1321 (1875–1904); it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Ohri (380 kuruş monthly). Basmuhabere Memuru appears later, in AH 1303 (1885–1886), with 600 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing). Mehmet Raif Efendi's death is recorded under AH 1322 (1904–1905).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1266 (1849–1850); manastir
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	6 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	0
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Yuzbasi
Religion wording	Musuluman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1286 (1869–1870)
Place	Manastir
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.

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0

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Annual chronology

30 annual entries in 30 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 1292 (1875–1876)	1875	muhabere memuru	ohri; Province: manastir	380
AH 1293 (1876–1877)	1876	muhabere memuru	ohri; Province: manastir	400
AH 1294 (1877–1878)	1877	muhabere memuru	ohri; Province: manastir	400
AH 1295 (1878)	1878	muhabere memuru	ohri; Province: manastir	400
AH 1296 (1878–1879)	1879	muhabere memuru	ohri; Province: manastir	400
AH 1297 (1879–1880)	1880	muhabere memuru	manastir; Province: manastir	380
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	muhabere memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	380
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	muhabere memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	380
AH 1300 (1882–1883)	1883	muhabere memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	380
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	muhabere memuru	siroz; Province: selanik	380
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	muhabere memuru	ohri; Province: manastir	380
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	Basmuhabere Memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	600
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540
AH 1321 (1903–1904)	1903	basmuhabere memuru	kirsova; Province: manastir	540

Citation and sources

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