Year 66, king Antiochus. Month 1, (the 1st of which was identical with) the 30th (of the preceding month, sunset to moonset): 14° 30'; clouds, I did not watch. Night of the 2nd,
[...]

in the afternoon, strong gusty south storm. Night of the 4th, beginning of the night, the moon was [...] in front of η [Geminorum,] the moon being 1/2 cubit [to ...] Mars was

20° fingers above α Leonis. Night of the 7th, beginning of the night, the moon was [...] above δ Cancri. Night of the 8th, beginning of the night, ... Night of the 9th, beginning of the night, the moon [...]

it stood 1 2/3 cubits behind Mars to the east. Night of the 10th, beginning of the night, the moon was [nn] cubits below 9 Leonis, the moon having passed 1/2 cubit to the east.
[...]

strong gusty south storm. Night of the 12th, clouds crossed the sky. The 12th, very overcast, thunder, rain DUL. Night of the 13th, beginning of the night, ...]

The 14th, moonset to sunrise: 1° 30'; clouds, I did not watch. The 14th, overcast, lightning, thunder, rain DUL. [Night of the 15th,] sunset to moonrise: 10° 30'; clouds, I did not watch; very overcast, gusty wind; ..., the moon was in [front of ...]
[cl]ouds were in the sky; last part of the night, the moon was 2/3 cubit behind 3 Ophiuchi. Night of [the nth, clouds] were in the sky. Night of the 19th, last part of the night, the moon was 4 1/2 cubits below β Capricorni. Night of the 20th, last part of the night, ...]

[nn] cubits. Night of the 21st, last part of the night, the moon stood 2 3/5 cubits in front of Saturn to the west. [Night of the 22nd,] very overcast. Night of the 23rd, first part of the night, Mars was [... ] above ρ Leonis [...]

[Night of the 24th, very overcast; beginning of the night, gusty wind, lightning, thunder, [rain DUL]]. Night of the 25th, last part of the night, the moon was 5/6 cubit below Venus. The 27th, moonrise to sunrise: 16°, measured [... [...]

[... kur 2 pān; sesame, 1 pān; wool, 5 minas for [1 sh]ekel of wrought silver which was given in the land. At that time, Jupiter was in Capricorn; Venus [...]

[.. Mars was] in Leo. That month, the river level ... [...] rose 20 fingers above the apertures. That month, on the 6th, the wall of Esangil [...]

[... ... went. That day, bricks were ... in it. That month, on the 11th, [...]

[...] ... Seleucus, Antiochus and Apamnu, his sons, in Esangil ... [...]

[Month II, the 1st (of which followed the 30th of the preceding month), sunset to moonset: nn°; the moon was] 4 cubits in front of η Geminorum. The 1st, very overcast, it thundered once. Night of the 2nd, very overcast. Night of the 3rd, beginning of the night, clou[d...]

[...] 3/2 cubit. Night of the 4th, last part of the night, Venus was 3 cubits below η Piscium. Night of the 5th, the moon was surrounded by a halo which was not closed; beginning of the night, [...]...

[... Night] of the 6th, overcast; beginning of the night, the moon was 1 cubit 4 fingers above α Leonis, the moon having passed 8 fingers to the east. The 6th, overcast, gusty wind, much thunder; [...]...

[...] ... Night of the 8th, clouds were in the sky; beginning of the night, the moon was 7x cubits behind β Virginis.] The 8th, in the afternoon, storm [...]...

[... Night of the 10th,] beginning of the night, the moon was [...] behind α Virginis [...].

[...] thunder, rain DUL. Night of the 12th, clouds crossed the sky [...]

[...] lightning, much thunder, rain DUL [...]

[...] Arietis [...]

B 'Obv.

1' [...] ... [...]

2' [...] Venus was in Taurus, at the end of the month, in Gemini; around the 6th, Mercury's first appearance in the west in Gemini [...]

3' [...] Seleucus, son of king Antiochus [...] ... [...]

4' [...] the administrator of Esangil, the [...] the Babylonians, the assembly of Esangil [...]

5' [...] who earlier [...] Laodike [...] [...] they performed many [...] in it, they ate bread in it, a festival was held in it.

6' (indented catch-line) Month IV, the 1st (of which followed the 30th of the preceding month), sunset to moonset: 20°; it was bright, measured.

B Lower edge

1 Diary from month I to month VI, king Antiochus, from month V to month VI, king Seleucus, his son.

B Rev.'

1 [Month IV, the 1st (of which followed the 30th of the preceding month), sunset to moonset: 20°]; it was bright, measured; the moon was 3 1/2 cubits in front of α Leonis; last part of the night, Venus was 2 fingers above μ Geminorum. Night of the 3rd, the moon was 2 cubits in front of β Virginis. Night of the 4th, beginning of the night, the moon was [...] in front of γ Virginis,
it stood 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ cubits [in front] of Mars to the west. Night of the 5th, beginning of the night, the moon was 2 cubits in front of α Virginis. Night of the 6th, last part of the night, Venus was 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ cubits above γ Geminorum. Night of the 7th, beginning of the night, the moon was [ ]. . . . behind α Librae

[Night] of the 8th, beginning of the night, the moon came close to π Scorpii. The 8th, Jupiter's acronychal rising. Night of the 9th, beginning of the night, the moon was 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cubits in front of 3 Ophiuchi. Night of the 11th, last part of the night, Venus was [ ]. . . . below α Geminorum.

[. . . . ] 3$^3$$\frac{1}{4}$ cubits. Night of the 13th, moonrise to sunset: 2°; mist, I did not watch; the moon was 2 cubits [. . . . ] Jupiter. The 13th, moonset to sunrise: 1° 20'. Night of the 14th, sunset to moonrise: 5° 50'. [. . . . ] last part of the night.

[the moon] stood [. . . . ] in front of Saturn] to the west. The 14th, sunrise to moonset: 15°, measured. Night of the 15th, [last part of the night, Venus was 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ cubits below β Geminorum [. . . . ]

A 'Rev.'

1' [. . . . ] Night of the 26th, last part of the night, the moon was 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cubits below ε Leonis, the moon having passed 8 fingers to the east. Night [. . . . ]

2' [. . . . ] moonrise to sunrise: 7°, measured. Night of the 29th, solar eclipse which was omitted; at 40 + [x' . . . . ]

3' [. . . . ] dates, 3 pān 4 sūt 3 qa; mustard, 2 kur 1 pān; cress, 2 pān 4 sūt; sesame, 1 pān; wool[. . . . ]

4' [. . . . ] Mercury's first appearance in the east in Leo; Saturn was in Aquarius; Mars was in Libra. That month, the river level 16 [. . . . ]

5' [. . . . ] happened in [. . . . ]angil. That month, on the 20th, it was heard in Babylon [. . . . ]

6' [. . . . ] and fear were in the land.

7' [Month VI, the 1st (of which followed the 30th of the preceding month), [. . . . ] Night of the 2nd, the moon was] 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cubits [in front] of α Librae. Night of the 3rd, first part of the night, Mars was 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ cubits below β Librae. Night of the 4th, beginning of the night, [. . . . ]

8' [. . . . ] 3 cubits. The 5th, Jupiter became stationary in Capricorn. Night of the 8th, beginning of the night, the moon was 4 cubits below β Capricorni, the moon being $\frac{7}{8}$ [cubit to . . . . ]

9' [. . . . ] Night of the 9th, beginning] of the night, the moon was 2 cubits 4 fingers [in front] of γ Capricorni. Night of the 10th, beginning of the night, the moon was [. . . . ] behind δ Capricorni [. . . . ]

10' [. . . . ] lunaer eclipse, [. . . . ], omitted. Night of the 14th, last part of the night, the moon was 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cubits in front of η Piscium. The 14th, sunrise to moonset: 13°, measured. Night of the 15th, [. . . . ]

11' [. . . . ] 2° cubits. Night of the 17th, clouds were in the sky; last part of the night, the moon was [2] fingers [. . . . ] η Tauri], it came near. Night of the 19th, β Tauri entered the moon; last part of the night, the moon [. . . . ] Night of the 20th, first part of the night,

[Mars was] $\frac{1}{2}$ cubit [. . . . ] β Scorpii; last part of the night, the moon was [. . . . ] above [η/μ] Geminorum [. . . . ] [. . . . ]
13' [....] 4 cubits. Night of the 23rd, last part of the night, the moon was 2 cubits in front of α Leonis [...].

14' Night of the 26th, last part of the night, the moon was 1 1/3 cubits in front of β Virginis. Night of the 27th, last part of the night, the moon was [... below γ Virginis ...].

15' barley, 1 kur 2 pān 1 sūt; dates, 3 pān 4 sūt 3 qa; mustard, 2 kur 1 pān; cress, [...].

16' Venus was in Leo, in the middle of the month, in Virgo; [...].

17' [...].

'Obv.

1' [....] .... [....]

2' [....] I did not watch; clouds crossed the sky [...].

3' [....] being [nn] cubits high to the north. Night of the 7th [...].

4' [....] ..... gusty south wind, all night [clouds ...].

5' [Night of the nnth, beginning of the night, the moon was 2 1/3 cubits] in front of δ Cancri [...].

6' [.... Night of the 14th, moonrise to sunset: 5°; measured; beginning of the night, the moon was [...] behind ρ Leonis ...].

7' [.... The 16th, very overcast, rain shower. From the 11th to the 14th, the cold became severe .....].

8' [The nnth,] very overcast, dew. Night of the 18th, clouds crossed the sky. The 18th, clouds crossed the sky. [Night of the 19th, clouds crossed the sky. The 19th, very overcast. Night [...].

9' [....] Night of the 21st, last part of the night, the moon was 14 fingers in front of α Scorpii. Night of the 22nd, last part of the night, the moon was 2 3/5 cubit below [θ Ophiuchi. The 22nd, clouds [... the sky [...]. Night of the 23rd, last part of the night, Mercury was [...].