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Obv.

- 1 Year 120, month VIII, the 1st (of which followed the 30th of the preceding month),  
.... [.... the moon]
- 2 stood 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  cubits in front of Saturn to the west, the moon [n .... Night of the 3rd, the  
moon was]
- 3 5 cubits [below]  $\beta$  Capricorni, the moon being  $\frac{1}{2}$  cubit back to the west [.... Night of  
the 4th, (beginning of the night,)]
- 4 the moon was 1 cubit in front of  $\gamma$  Capricorni, the moon being 2 cubits [low] to the  
s[outh .... Night of the 5th, beginning of the night,]
- 5 the moon was 3 cubits behind  $\delta$  Capricorni, the moon being 2 cubits [low] to the south  
[....]
- 6 Mercury's first appearance in the east in the end of Libra; it was bright (and) high,  
rising of Mercury to sunrise:  $21^\circ$ ; [(ideal) first appearance on the nth ....]
- 7 Night of the 9th, thin clouds were in the sky; beginning of the night, the moon was  
[....] in front of [ $\eta$  Piscium, the moon being ....]
- 8 low to the south; first part of the night, the moon was surrounded by a halo. The 9th,  
clou[ds .... Night of the 10th, beginning of the night, the moon was]
- 9 4 cubits below  $\beta$  Arietis, the moon being a little [....; last part of the night, Venus was]
- 10  $\frac{1}{2}$  cubit above  $\alpha$  Librae, Venus being 4 fingers back to the west. [.... Night of the 12th,  
beginning of the night, the moon was]
- 11  $\frac{2}{3}$  cubit [....]  $\eta$  Tauri. The 12th, moonset to sunrise:  $8^\circ$ . Night of the 13th, [....]
- 12 The 13th, sunrise to moonset:  $6^\circ$ , measured. Night of the 14th, moonrise to sunset:  $30'$   
[.... beginning of the night, the moon was]
- 13  $\frac{5}{6}$  cubit [....]  $\beta$  Tauri. Night of the 15th, it thundered slow[ly .... the moon was]
- 14  $\lceil 4 \rceil$  cubits<sup>2</sup> above  $\gamma$  Geminorum [.... Venus was] 2 + [x .... below]
- 15  $\beta$  Librae [....]

Rev.

- 1 in the afternoon, very overcast, gusty south wind, when [....]
- 2 clouds crossed the sky, gusty wind, rain D[UL ....]
- 3 Night of the 18th, last part of the night, the moon was [....] in front of  $\epsilon$  Leonis [....]
- 4 The 18th, thin clouds were in the sky. Night of the 19th, clouds [crossed] the sk[y ....]
- 5 Night of the 20th, last part of the night, clouds were in the sky; last part of the night,  
the moon was [....] in front of  $\vartheta$  [Leonis, the moon being ....]
- 6 low to the south. The 20th, clouds crossed the sky, rain DUL .... [....]
- 7 rain DUL. The 21st, clouds were in the sky. Night of the 22nd, last part of the night,  
cl[ouds<sup>1</sup> ....]
- 8 clouds crossed the sky, rain but the sandal was not removed. Night of the 23rd, [....]
- 9 [clou]ds crossed the sky, rain DUL. Night of the 24th, last part of the night, the moon  
was [....] in front of  $\alpha$  Li[brae ....]

10 [clouds] were in the sky. Night of the 25th, last part of the night, the moon was 4 cubits  
below  $\beta$  Librae [...],

11 it stood  $2 \frac{1}{2}$  cubits behind Mars to the east.

12 The river level from the 11th to the 16th<sup>?</sup> rose 4<sup>?</sup> [fingers], total: 10 + [x was the *na*  
(gauge) ...]