

Obv.'

- 1 [... M]onth V, (the 1st of which was identical with) the 30th (of the preceding month); sunset to moonset: $13^{\circ} 40'$; overcast, gusty wind. Ni[ght]
- 2 [... clou]ds were in the sky. Night of the 4th, beginning of the night, the moon was [...] below β Librae [...]
- 3 [... Night of the 5th, beginning of the night, the moon was] 1 cubit 8 fingers [above β] Scorp[ia], the moon [having passed] 8 fingers [to the east]

- 4 [Night of the 6th, beginning of the night, the moon was] 2 cubits [in front of θ Ophi]uchi. The 6th, gusty wind. Night of the 7th, beginning [of the night, ...]
 5 [.... Night of the 11th, beginning of the night, the moon was] 1 $\frac{2}{3}$ cubits [....] γ Capricorni. Night of the 14th, [....]
 6 [.... Night of the 17th, ...] 8 fingers; last part of the night, the moon was [....] below β Arietis [....]
 7 [....] gusty [wind]. Night of the 21st, last part of the night, the moon was 1 cubit behind ζ Tauri. Ni[ght]
 8 [....] the moon having passed $\frac{1}{2}$ cubit to the east. [Night] of the 24th, last part of the night, the moon was [....] below δ Cancri [....]
 9 [Jupiter's first appearance in the beginning of Virgo; rising of Jupiter to sunrise: nn;] (ideal) first appearance on the 23rd. Panic occurred in the land. Night of the 25th, last part of the night, [the moo]n¹ was [....] in front¹ of [ε Leonis]
 10 [....] a meteor which was very bright and had a tail [....] from [....]
 11 [....] of the month, 4 sūt 2 qa; from the 20th to the end of the month, barley and da[tes]
 12 [....] he¹ took illegally; mustard, 1 kur; cress, [....]
 13 [.... At] that time, Jupiter's first appearance on the 24th in the beginning of Virgo; Venus was in Leo; [....]
 14 [....] the troops of Antigonos fought in [....]
 15 [Month VI, ...] Night of the 3rd, the moon was [....] in front of β Scorpii [....]
 16 [.... Night of the 4th, beginn]ing of the night, the moon was 5 [cubits] above α Scorpii [....]

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- 1' [....]; last part of the night, the moon was in front of [....]
 2' [....] gusty [wi]nd. Night of the 20th, overcast, rain shower; [....] very overcast. Ni[ght]
 3' [....] The 21st, Mercury's [last appearance] in the east [in Sagittarius¹]; the sun [....] in a black cloud. [....]
 4' [....] Night of the 24th, last part of the night, the moon was $\frac{2}{3}$ cubit behind β Librae. Night of the 20 + [xth, ...]
 5' [.... cu]bits. The 27th, moonrise to sunrise: 16°; in the after[noon, ...]
 6' [....] in the beginning of the month, 3 sūt, at the end of the mon[th, ...]
 7' [....; wool, x] + 1 mina, at the end of the month, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ minas. [....]
 8' [....] to the 25th, it receded 20 fingers [....]

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- 11' [...., year 7 of] king [Alexand]er, son of Alexander; Seleucus was g[eneral.]

Upper edge

- 1 [...., year 7 of Alexande]r, son of Alexander; Seleucus was g[eneral.]

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Obv.:

- 1 [Year 8 of king Alexander, son] of Alexander; Seleucus was general; month I, (the
1st of which was identical with) the 30th (of the preceding month); sunset to
moonset:; clouds, I did not see the moon. Night of the 1st, overcast, rain sho[wer
....]
- 2 [.... Night of the 2nd, first part of the night, Venus was] 1 1/2 cubits [below β Tau]ri.
The 2nd, clouds were in the sky, rain shower. Night of the 3rd, beginning of the
night, clouds crossed the sky. Night of the 4th, [....]
- 3 [.... first part of the ni]ght, Jupiter, while moving back to the west, was 10 fingers
below γ Virginis; Venus was 1 2/3 cubits above ζ Tauri [....]
- 4 [....] Night of the 8th, beginning of the night, the moon was 2 1/2 cubits behind α
Leonis. The 8th, Saturn became stationary in Sagittarius [....]
- 5 [.... Night] of the 10th, beginning of the night, the moon was 2 cubits in front of
 γ Virginis, it stood 2 cubits in front of Jupiter to the west. [....]
- 6 [....] [....] 8ⁱ fingers; overcast, a little rain shower. The 12th, moonset to
sunrise: 6° 30'; clouds crossed the sky, the sun was surrounded by a halo [....]
- 7 [.... cl]ouds were in the sky. Night of the 14th, [sunset to moonrise: nn°], measured;
beginning of the night, the moon was 8 fingers behind β Scorpii; clouds were in the
sky [....]
- 8 [.... cl]ouds were in the sky. The 14th, clouds crossed the sky, [the sun] was
surrounded by a halo. Night of the 15th, clouds crossed the sky. The 15th, clouds
crossed the sky, gusty wind, lightning, a little thunder [....]
- 9 [.... The 1]6th, clouds crossed the sky, rain DUL [.... Night of the 1]7th, clouds
crossed the sky; first part of the night, Venus was 4 cubits above γ Geminorum; last
part of the night, Satur[n]
- 10 [....] in the afternoon, lightning, a little thunder. Ni[ght of the 18th (or: 19th),
be]ginning of the night, clouds crossed the sky; lightning flashed continuously, a
little thunder, gusty wind; last part of the night, [....]
- 11 [.... The 19thⁱ, Mer]cury's first appearance in the west in "Bull of Heaven"; sunset
to setting of Mercury: 20°; (ideal) first appearance on the 16thⁱ. Night of the 20th,
first part of the night, Mercury was 1 1/2 cubits below β Tauri, Mercury being 4
fin[gers to]