

Leuon. 331-330 B.C.

Βασιλεὺς. Αδριανός

Leuon King of the Colchiae communicates with Athens B.C. 331-330

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Found near the theatre at Athens. The text is form, <sup>Köhler</sup> L. I. A ii p. 412. Above the heading is a relief: a man approaches Athena, holding a patera; behind him are two horses (cf. Droysen Hellen i. i. p. 392 n.)

Inscriptions

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Πάριος, Λευόνος, Κόλχας ἀδελφῆς, ἀνγλ[ος]  
θεο[ς].

ἔστι ἀπολογάριος ἀρχοντος.

ἔστι τῆς κερποσίδος Λευόνος πρῶτα-  
5 νος - Λυποβορίωνος Λευόνος ἰο-  
αφίον, ἔστι καὶ Λευόνος τῆς πρῶ-  
ταφίας. τῶν προτέρων ἐξήντη [20]  
πόδας ἄγας.

ἔδοξε τῇ βουλῇ καὶ τῷ δήμῳ. Νοδ, ... Διο

10 μείους ἔτεος. ἔπειτα τῶν ὁ δῆμος πρότερον ἐξήντη ἔσ-  
τι, ... ἔδος πεντακτίας [τρεῖς προτέρων ἐν γά-  
μων ἐν τῷ δήμῳ προτέρων κ.τ.λ.]

The date is June 330 B.C. Alexander having defeated Darius at Arbela in October 331, near

while the effect of his absence was seen in various movements in the direction of Greek liberty (Aeschin in Ctes 164 foll. describes the hopes of the anti Macedonian party at that time). The chief rising was under Agis in the Peloponnese in the spring of 330 B.C., which was promptly crushed by Antipater in one decisive battle in Arcadia. Antipater was however hampered in reaching Peloponnese by the critical state of N. Greece. In Thrace Memnon the Macedonian commander had revolted, and Topyrius had rashly invaded Lythia and met with disaster. Our inscription shows that the Odrysae shared in the movement and were acting in concert with the rising in Greece proper. Luthes sends his son Rebulas to Athens and perhaps to other Greek states. Although welcomed at Athens, as this inscription proves, he was not able to effect anything. The Athenians took no part in the revolt, and Demosthenes himself, while warmly sympathising with the movement, did not counsel more decided action (Diodor. xvii. 62-63; Droysen *Hell.* i. 392; Curtius x. 143, seems to refer to these events, but he is out in his chronology, see Schäfer, *Demosth.* iii 183).

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 τι τῶν πεντακταίων τῶν προόδων ἐπιγέφυκε [Δι]εόθι [τοῦ Ἀλφ]ιῶν  
 ἰδοὺ τῶν βουδῶ καὶ τῶν δὲ. Νο[θ]..... Διο[γε]νὸς ἐπὶ π[ρ]οίτῳ ὁ δὲ  
 νο[θ] προόδων ἐπιγέφυκε καὶ [τῶν]... ἰδοὺ πεντακταίων καὶ.



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