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VII.—THE CREATION OF THE TRIBE PTOLEMAIS AT ATHENS.¹

(ADDITIONAL NOTES.)

The archon for the year 229/8 should have a name of not more than ten letters (IG. II. 859). I have suggested the name *Λυσιθειδης* for this year (A. J. P. XXXIV, p. 409). It should be noted that it is also possible to restore Alexandros or Pythokritos. From the forms of the letters in IG. II. 862, I should infer that Pythokritos belonged to the last decade of the century if not later. Alexandros has been dated by Buecheler ca. 230 (Index Herculensis Academicorum Philosophorum, 1869, p. 17; cf. Ferguson, Athenian Archons, p. 35), and his name is the most logical restoration in IG. II. 859, line 1.

If Alexandros is dated in 229/8, Lysitheides must be placed ca. 250–245 or more probably ca. 210–200 B. C. (cf. Wilhelm, Oesterr. Jahres., 1902, p. 130, n. 1).

The date of IG. II. 431 must be reconsidered in the light of Roussel's restoration of the deme of the secretary (*Ξένια* 1912, p. 85). Professor Ferguson has kindly written that we should read [*Αγ*]κυληθεν or possibly [*Α*]κυληθεν. In that case Archelaos II. may be dated by the secretary-cycle in 194/3, assuming that the meeting of the assembly in the Eleusinion was after the celebration of the Mysteries in 195/4. This is more satisfactory than my original date for this archon in 191/0. Ankyle was divided between Attalis and Aigeis, and we might also date the decree in 192/1, but the latter date is much less likely.

I wish to thank Professor W. S. Ferguson and Mr. C. W. Blegen, Secretary of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens, for furnishing information about inscriptions in the Epigraphical Museum at Athens. Both agree with me in reading *Alpha* as the initial letter of the deme in IG. II.² 791

¹ See A. J. P. XXXIV 381–417.

(II. 334), though the photograph which I published does not show the cross-bar very clearly. Both confirm Roussel's reading of IG. II. 5. 381b, and Mr. Blegen adds that a small additional fragment has been found which puts the matter beyond dispute. IG. II. 5. 381b accordingly remains in 227/6.

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