

EAGLE

**Europeana
network of
Ancient
Greek and
Latin
Epigraphy**



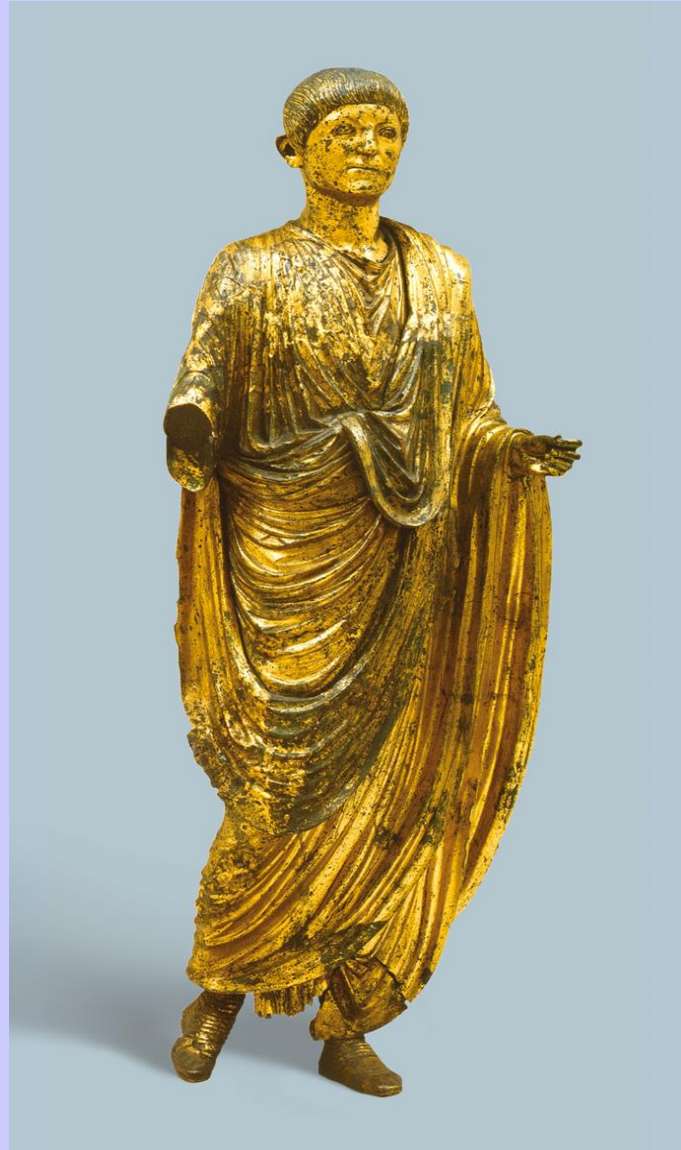
The title that was cancelled:
Centenarians and other stories from
Emona

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A tombstone from Ig (Emona countryside):
Secco Nammonis and Rega Terti f. had **50**
and **40** anni respectively, while their son
Rusticus died at the age of only **20**; his
grandmother **Manuna**, however, was aged
100.

Note the rounded off ages!

“Citizen from Emona”, a gilded bronze statue, adorning the tomb of a wealthy Roman at Emona

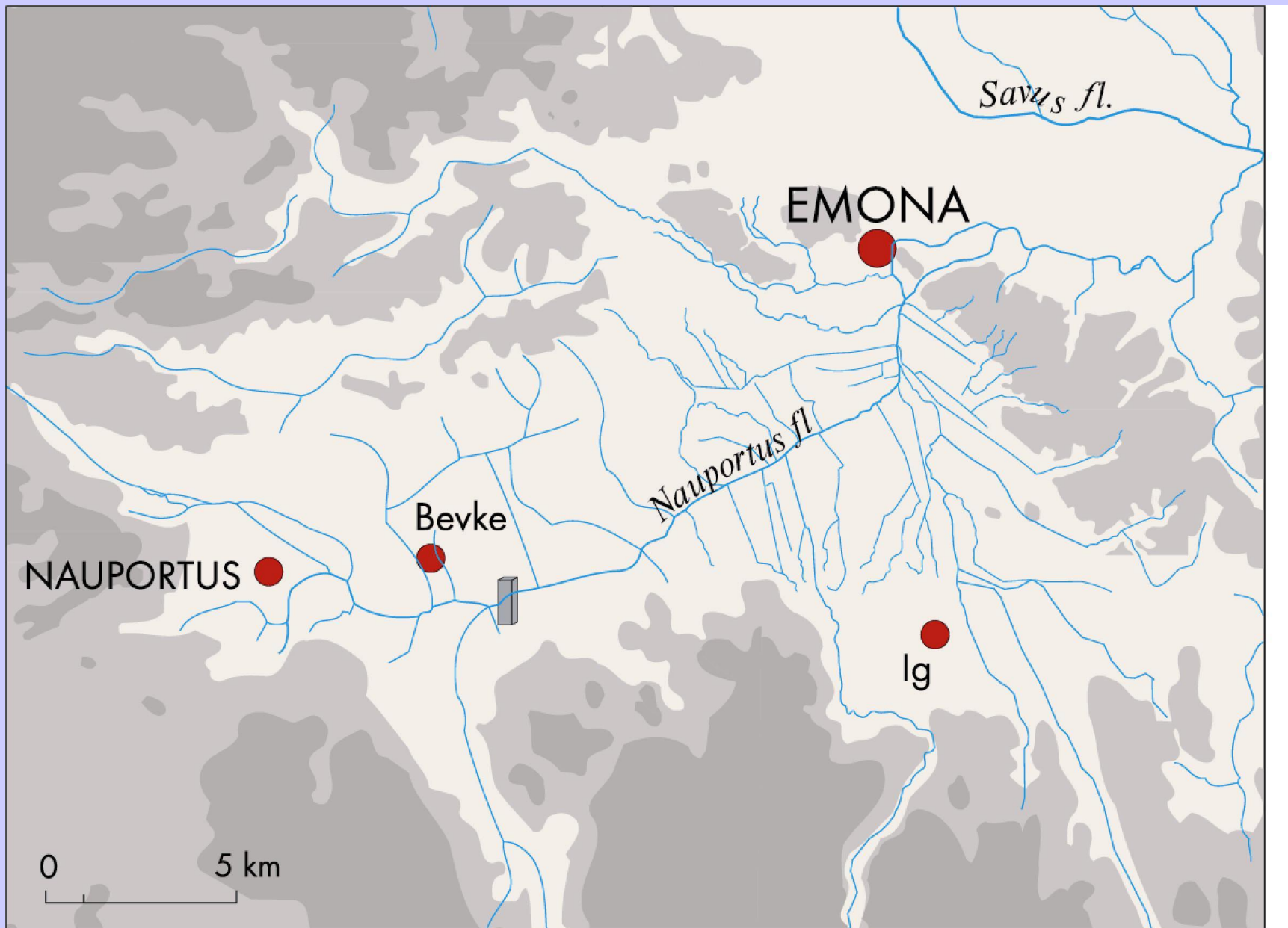


60,000 years
before Emona
(Neanderthal
man):

Not all
flutes are
made of an
animal.

Ours is! (=
It's ours!)





Boundary between Aquileia and Emona was near the modern village of Bevke.



Almost two centuries ago ...



... and recently ...

Pletor · Laepius ·
vi(v)us · fecit · sibi · et ·
Moiotae · uxor(i)
[..]P++++NO · Θ (obit.) ·
an(norum) L ·
5 +++++ et Rusticus ·
 Θ (obitus)
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DD K M
POSITVS EST FLICHBVRNA
MAGISTER MINA RIORV
VIXIT ANNOS PLVS
INVSAGENTVM
OVOTIES MORTVVS
SEISIE VN OVAM
SABSPTROS BEINE
LEEALE

D(is) M(anibus). / Positus est hic
Leburna, / magister mimariorum / qui
vicxit (!) annos plus / minus centum. /
Aliquotiens mortuus / sum sed sic
numquam. / Opto vos ad superos bene
/ [va]ler<a>e.



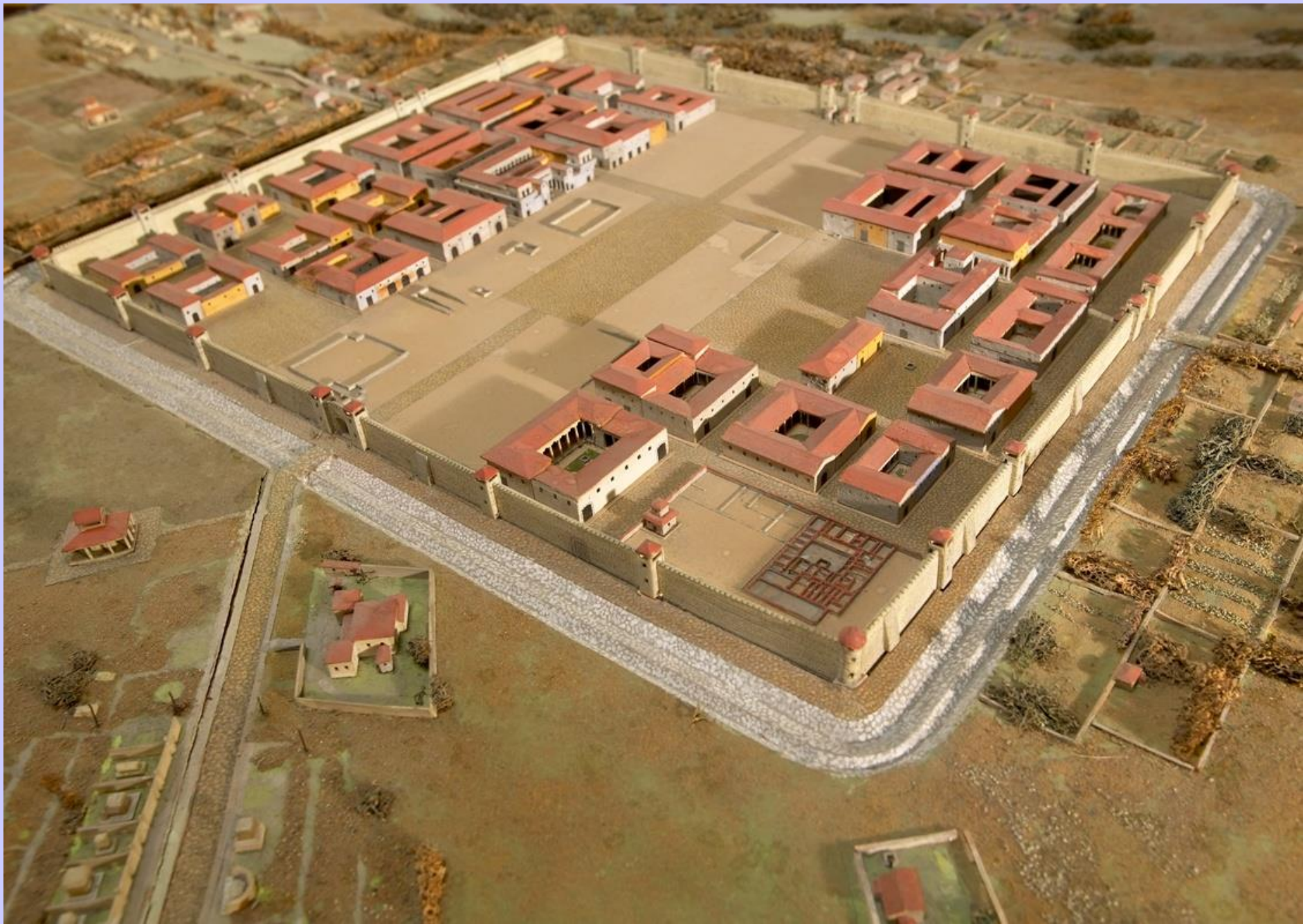
HERONTO VIB
VIA SEC SIB E
CONCI SEC VND
MAXIM F VIVE
O A C O AIC
REV GLEXTION
O A L O E
F A N A L I
F A N A L I

*Fronto Vib(i) f(ilius)
vi(v)us fec(it) sibi et
co(n)iugi Secund(ae)
Maximi f(iliae) viv(a)e
o(bitae) an(norum) C et o(bitus) an(norum) C
et
et Bugiae Sexti fi(liae)
o(bitae) an(norum) LX et
Fronto Luci
f(ilius) o(bitus) an(norum) LX et
Lucius Fronto-
nis f(ilius) o(bitus) an(norum) LXX.
L(ocus) m(onumenti) in f(ronte) p(edes) XV.*

As is evident from Egyptian documents, age declarations by the same person at different dates can be seriously inconsistent, and could even have a lower age at a later date.









Argonauts building Emona (from J. W. Valvasor, *Die Ehre deß Hertzogthums Crain*, Laybach, Nürnberg 1689, vol. 13, 9, fig. 87).

Johann Ludwig Schönleben
(1618-1681):

Emona was founded by
Jason in 1222 BC = 2831
years from the creation of
the world.



Ioannes Gregorius
Thalnitscher (1655 –
1719)

IASON ESONIS
 FILIVS CVM ARGONAV:
 LABACVM CONDIDIT
 ANNO ANTE SERV: NOS: ADVEN:
 ch. cc. xx. ii.

Ante Romanum stetit uobis Hermona acrius Mide Vincentij

a *Japhete* post *Ischnia* gente hij *Isis* habitata non obscura ex
 Hyem. *Disca.*

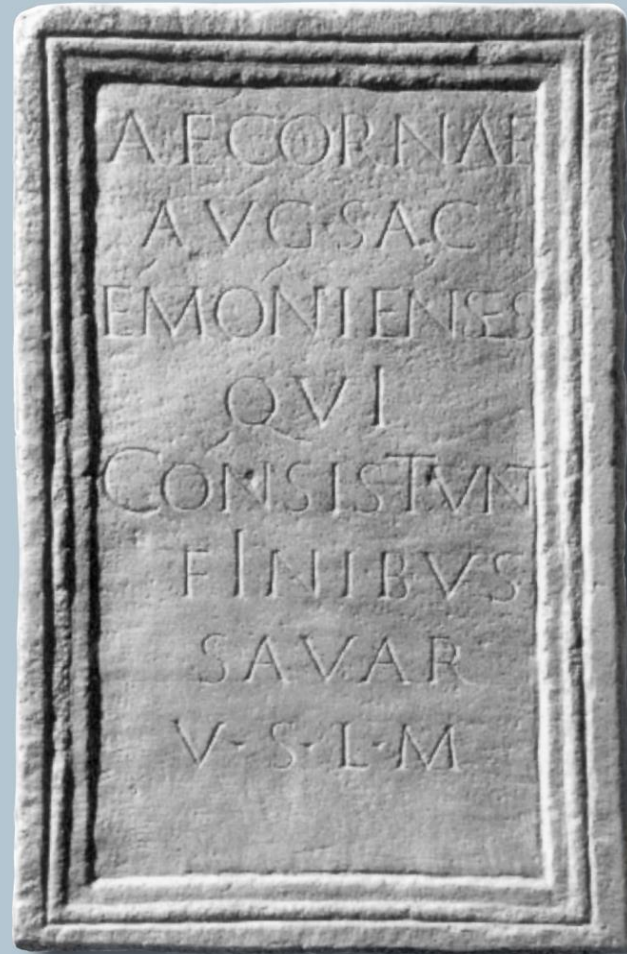
To the divine Spirits of the Deceased. **To Lucius Caesernius Primitivus**, one of the board of five and the head of the *decuria* of the college of artisans (*collegium fabrum*), and to his wife **Ollia Primilla**. By their wills they left 200 *denarii* to the four *decuriae* of the *collegium fabrum* in order that they would bring roses (to their grave) on the day of the festival of **Carna**. Lucius Caesernius Primitivus (had the tombstone erected) to his parents.

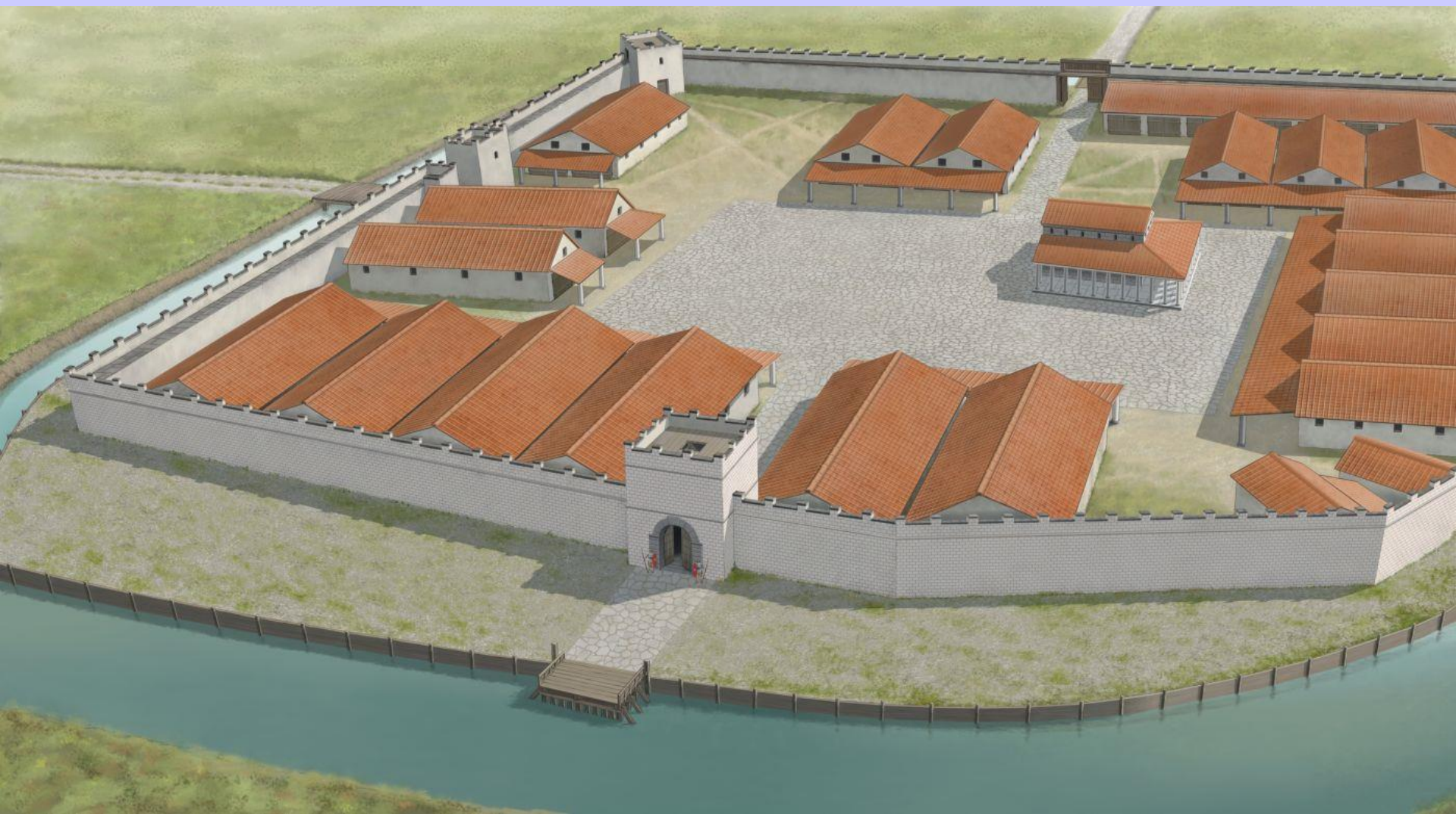






*Aecornae /
Aug(ustae)
sac(rum) /
Emonienses / qui
⁂ consistunt /
finibus /
Savar(iae) /
v(otum)
s(olverunt)
l(ibentes)
m(erito).*





Nauportus: the sanctuary is almost in the centre of the village.



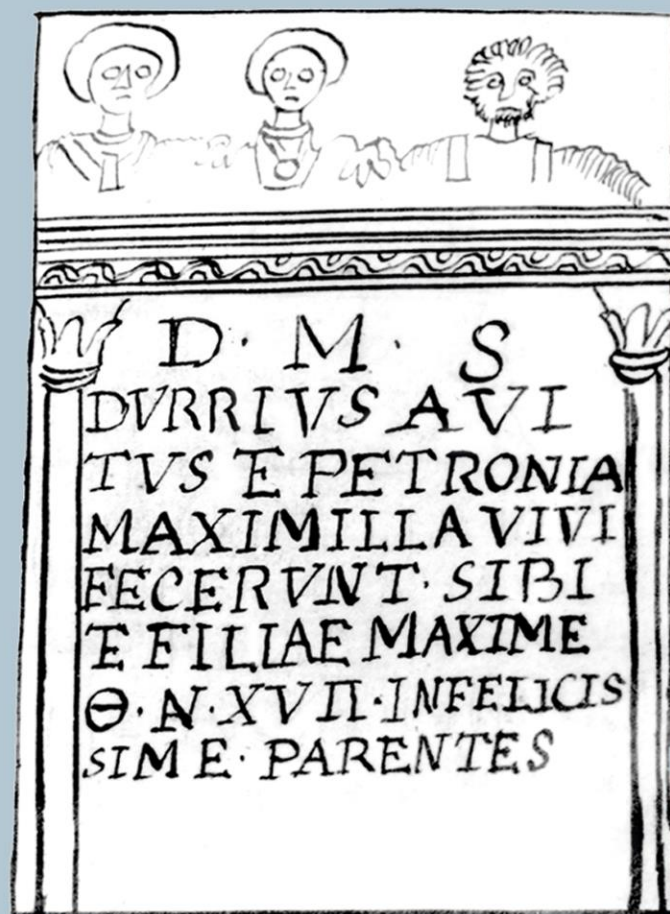
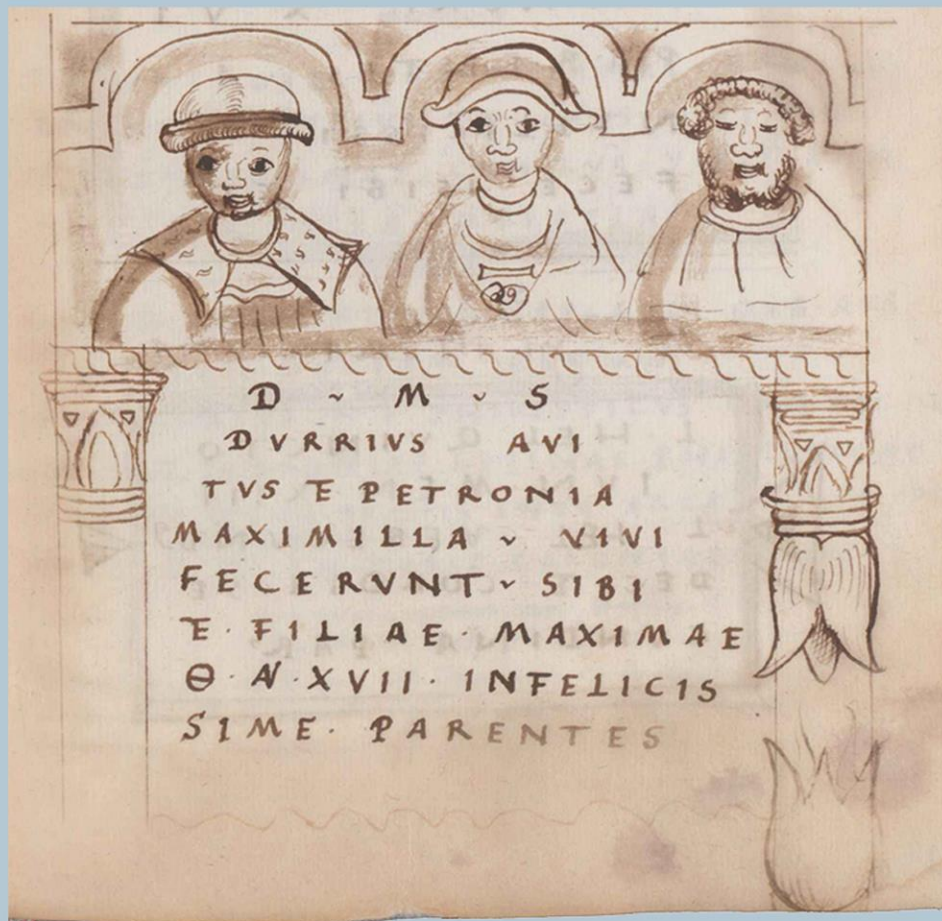
Rapids of the Ljubljana River near Fužine (drawing from the mid-19th century)

*Savo Aug(usto) /
sac(rum) / P.
Rufrius / Verus /
v(otum) s(olvit)
l(ibens) m(erito).*



*Herr Nicolaus Merck /
bürgerl. Bräuer / verlis
das Irdische im / 67 Jahr
seines rastlosen / Lebens, /
Eine weinende Gattin /
und / Eilf noch lebende /
Kindern / Im Jahre 1814
den 8^{ten} / Dezember.*









BUIC OMTIR ANFO
AMVCAVAIENTIS
FVMAFOSVETIBIE
GOMCEVO
AMTAAAF OATW
WICIVS



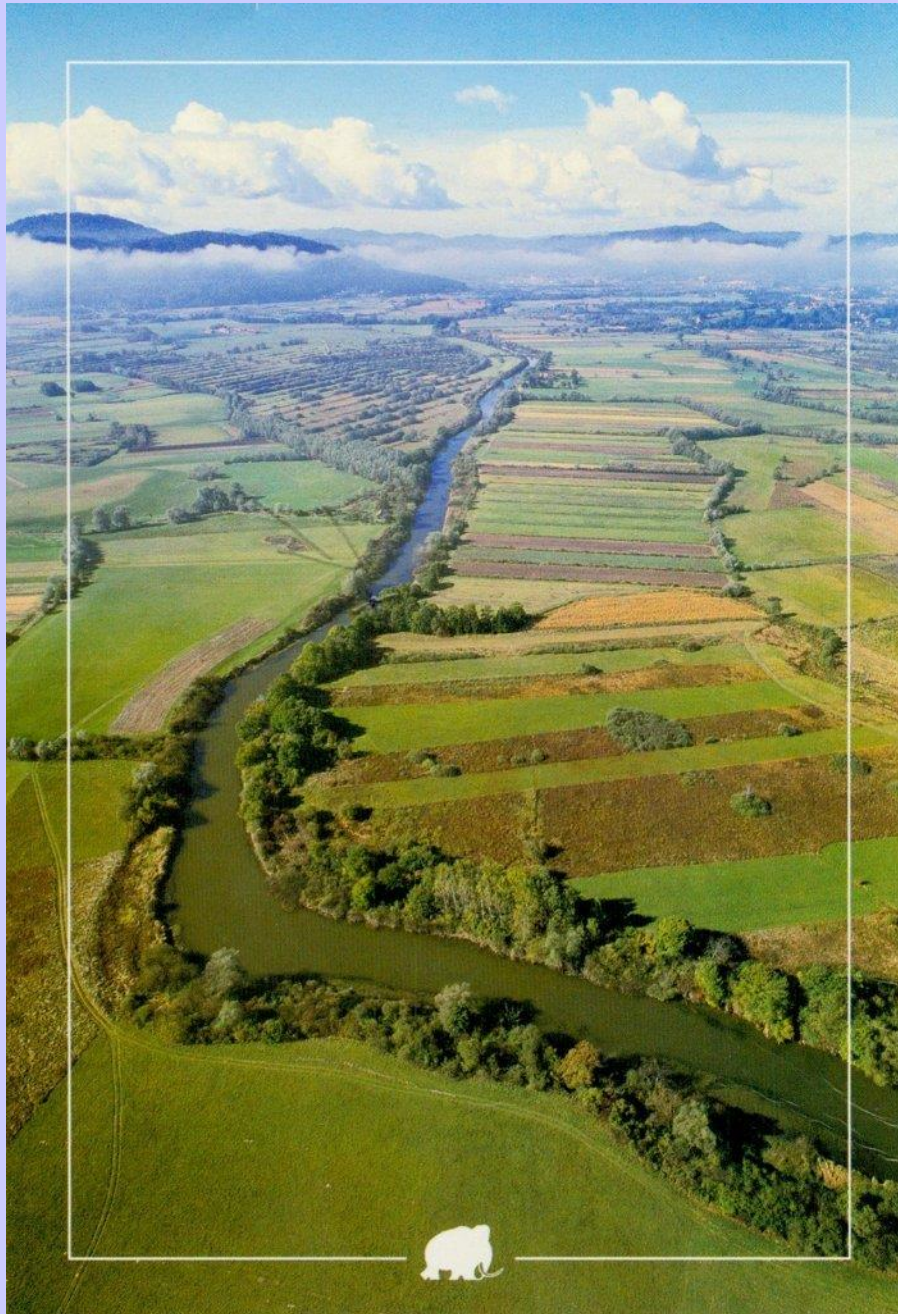




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OLEMINTI
OCCISSVS L
IN ABVLO SCELE
NN XVIII
L NIAESEXICLI
IN VSPER FGR INV
ET MATRIVE



Ad Pirum summas Alpes



The Ljubljana River and Ljubljana Marshes



s CEMAES • LICCAV*i*
F AMANTINVS • HO
SEF AMNORVM • DEC*e*
M • GENTE • VNDIVS
CENTVRIA SECVN
DA • INFLVMEN • PER
IT HEMONA • POSV
ERE • LICCAVS • PATE
R • LORIQVS • ET LICA
IOS • COGNATI



Reconstruction of the boat found in the Ljubljana River