

I sent to give the union dividing cities word that he protected those asking to return to their allegiance. I besought them to come to my necessity. I sent to give them word that Nabepara has a mind to go and join the Novarians. I deprived him of command. I sent to give them word of the place I marched to.

The protecting lord, desirous of command, who is the chief of the Roman mercenaries; the lord of Ratevansa, a chief cherishing desire towards the enemy; and Nabepara, coming to help the enemy, unite their army under the enemy.

I asked Marcus, the famous lord Junius, to consider an alliance with me. I pledged the lord the protection which Ingube promised him.¹⁰¹

Aulenti informs the lord Lanth, that they had passed from their word in the matter of help: "Behold we are given to sympathize with Luna, under a word of promise to subdue the chiefs deserting and causing desertion. The chief thing to consider is the safety of the lord Lanth." Thus spoke the protecting lord, desirous of command. He desired to bring the rebellious chiefs under a confederacy, to join the city of Topium, to take away union. I rejected him.

I sent to give them word where he reaches, taking away the union of my pledged cities, asking them to pass from their word of good regard. I sent to give them word that I deprived him of command. I sent to give them word where he reaches, interviewing my pledged cities which desert from

¹⁰¹ M. Junius Brutus, consul with A. Manlius Vulso, then in Gallia Cisalpina: Livy XLI., 5.