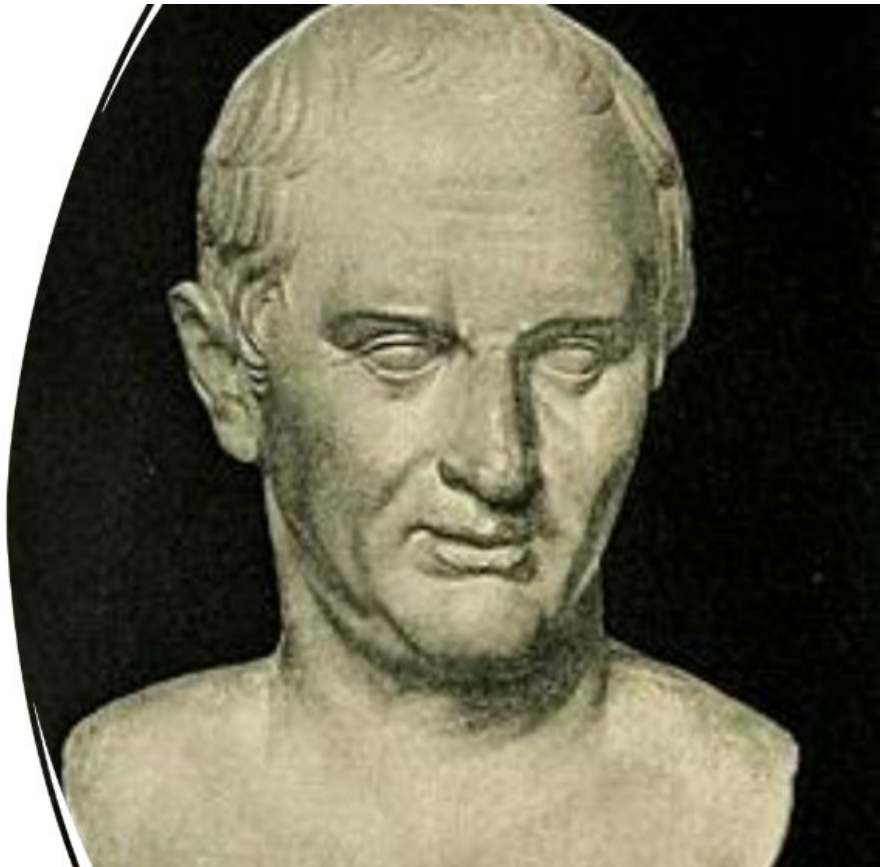


Publius Valerius



- I. Valerius comes under suspicion for attempting to reestablish monarchy
 - A. Builds a house set high on a hill, overlooking the citizens
 - 1. Valerius rebuilds his house on the lowest part of the hill
 - B. Does not seek a replacement for Brutus
 - C. Fasces lowered in the presence of the people
 - 1. Power of the people, public over the consuls
 - D. Nickname of *Poplicola* - Lover of the People

Horatio Cocles



- I. Superbus seeks help from Lars Porsenna, Etruscan king of Clusium
- II. Horatio, the one eyed
 - A. Horatio guards the Pons Sublicius
 - B. Romans attacked by Lars Porsenna
 - 1. Horatio stops fleeing Romans and has them destroy the bridge to prevent the Etruscans from entering the city
 - a. Horatio controls the bridge
 - b. Once the bridge is destroyed, Horatio jumps into the Tiber and swims to safety

Horatius Cocles (507 av. J.-C.)

Gaius Mucius Scaevola

- I. Gaius Mucius Scaevola (Lefty)
 - A. Plan to assassinate Lars Porsenna
 1. Mucius stabs Porsenna's secretary rather than Porsenna
 2. Mucius speaks to Porsenna, declares war on him
 3. Porsenna threatens to burn him
 4. Mucius places his right hand in the fire
 - a. Porsenna is amazed by Mucius' courage, permits him to leave
 5. Mucius reveals the Roman plot to Porsenna



Coelia

- I. Etruscans may have taken over Rome for a time
 - A. Roman hostages to Lars Porsenna, Etruscans
 1. Etruscans demand that she return, terms with Rome had been broken
 - B. Coelia manages to escape the Etruscan camp with a group of girls
 1. They permit her to leave along with a selection of select persons
- C. Coelia returns; Etruscans impressed by her courage
 1. They permit her to leave along with a selection of select persons



Class Conflict in Rome

- I. Uprising against the kings led by nobles, *patricians*
- II. Subsequent Roman history characterized by protests from the *plebians* or commoners
 - A. Common people lack political offices and representatives
 - B. Roman farmers begin to fall into debt
 1. Must serve period in the Roman army
 - a. No pay for military service

