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## Ad astra per aspera

He therefore decided to try a mirror, but unlike his predecessors he was able to put his idea into practice.

## Wilhelm Schickard

In 1613 Schickard became a Lutheran minister and was assigned to churches in towns around Tübingen. We will be adding diagrams, both historical and modern, as part of that update, to help make the Observing section serve as an introduction to observing the sky with the unaided eye. Jena 1661 Segue da: Pubblico la tavola di E.

## Wilhelm Schickard (1592

Bode, director of the Observatory of the Berlin Academy of Sciences, produced the last of the four major celestial atlases in which artful depictions of constellation figures appear alongside the most up-to-date scientific data.

## An unusual silver celestial planisphere in the Whipple Museum

It is the third largest of the 88 modern constellations. He used the method of geodetic triangulation, which Willebrord Snell had invented a few years earlier.

## Wilhelm Schickard and his Calculating Clock

Johannes Kepler, who had come to Tübingen to defend his mother in a witch trial, met him there in 1617.

## **Wilhelm Schickard (1592)**

Bruno von Freytag Löringhoff constructed the computer between 1957 and 1960 using the sketch and the descriptions in Schickard's letters. Verifying Galileo's discoveries was initially difficult. In the literature of white magic, so popular in the sixteenth century, there are several tantalizing references to devices that would allow one to see one's enemies or count coins from a great distance.

## **Erhard Weigel, *Astroscopium Orbi Europaeo Sacrum***

If we ever put together a second sequel Really Far Out? Rather than the mixture of classical and pagan constellations already in existence, he wanted a new system based upon the heraldry of the nation states and principalities of seventeenth century Europe, as well as of its principal hierarchies and social classes. The objective was mounted on a building or pole by means of a ball-joint and aimed by means of a string; the image was found by trial and error; and the compound eyepiece field lens and ocular , on a little stand, was then positioned to receive the image cast by the objective.

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