

ν , 4.7, and ξ , 4.6,

were the Chinese **Shwuy Foo**, a Water-depot.

They mark Orion's right hand, ξ being the radiant point of the fine meteor stream, the **Orionids**, of the 18th of October.

σ^1 , σ^2 , π^1 , π^2 , π^3 , π^4 , π^5 , π^6 , and g ,

all of the 4th to the 5th magnitudes, in a vertical line at the right of the figure, indicate the lion's skin; but Al Tizini said that they were the Persians' **Al Tāj**, the Crown, or Tiara, of their kings; and the Arabians' **Al Kumm**, the Sleeve of the garment in which they dressed the Giant, the skin being omitted.

Ulug Beg called them **Al Dhawāib**, Anything Pendent; and the Borgian globe had the same, perhaps originated it; but Al Sufi's title was **Manica**, a Latin term for a protecting Gauntlet; and Grotius gave a lengthy dissertation on the **Mantile** which some anonymous person applied to them, figured as a cloth thrown over the Giant's arm.

With Pliny these stars in the lion's skin are supposed to have been a separate constellation known as the **Shield**, made from the bull's hide of the Hyrean legend.

They were the Chinese **Tsan Ke**, the Three Flags.

τ , 3.6, lies just north of Rigel, and was known in China as **Yuh Tsing**, the Golden Well.

υ , 4.7.

Thabit is Burritt's name for an unlettered star on his *Atlas*, the ν of Heis.

It lies on the lower edge of the tunic, but I cannot learn the derivation or history of the title, although the Arabic Al Thābit signifies the "Endurer."

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Junonis volucrem, quae caudā sidera portat.

Ovid's *Metamorphoses*.

Pavo, the Peacock,

lying south of Sagittarius and the Southern Crown, is one of Bayer's twelve constellations, and the Italian **Pavone**, the French **Paon**, the German **Pfau**.