With the same star and β Cassiopeiae it makes up the **Three Guides**, all these being almost exactly on the prime meridian, the vernal equinox lying in a starless region of Pisces about 15° south of γ Pegasi. Two 11th-magnitude stars are close by.

ô, 2.2, white.

This, as already noted, is the same as Alpheratz (a Andromedae), and recognized by astronomers of every age as in either constellation; or, as Aratos wrote, $\xi vv \dot{o} \zeta \ d\sigma \tau \dot{\eta} \rho$, "a common star." It seems to be unnamed as a member of Pegasus.

Al Achsasi included it with γ in the Fargh al Mu'hir.

ε, Triple, 2.5, 11.5, and 8.8, yellow, —, and blue.

Enif, Enf, and Enir, all titles for this, are from Al Anf, the Nose, by which the Arabians designated it. Scaliger had Enf Alpheras, and Schickard Aniphol Pharasi. It was also Fum al Faras, the Horse's Mouth; and Al Jahfalah, the Lip, this last being found on one of their globes.

Bayer quoted from "the interpreters of the *Almagest*" **Grumium** and **Muscida**, respectively Jaw and Muzzle, so describing its position; but these have become proper names for ξ Draconis and π Ursae Majoris. Flamsteed knew it as **0s Pegasi**.

With θ , and the star a Aquarii, it was the 23d sieu, Goei, or Wei, Steep or Danger, anciently Gui.

Enil's spectrum is Solar, and it is receding from us about five miles a second. Gould thinks it probably variable.

ζ, 3.7, light yellow.

Homam seems to have been first given to this in the *Palermo Catalogue*, from $\mathbf{Sa} \cdot \mathbf{d}^1$ al $\mathbf{Hum\bar{a}m}$, the Lucky Star of the Hero, in which Ulug Beg included ξ ; other lists have **Homan**. But Hyde said that the original was **Al Hammām**, the Whisperer. Al Tizini mentioned it as $\mathbf{Sa} \cdot \mathbf{d}$ al

1 This Arabic Sa'd is our "Good Luck" and a component word of many titles in the Desert sky, all of which seem to have been applied to stars rising in the morning twilight at the commencement of the pleasant season of spring. Al Sa'dain, the dual form, was the title for Jupiter and Venus, the Two Fortunate Planets; Al Nahsan, the Unlucky, referring to Mars and Saturn.

