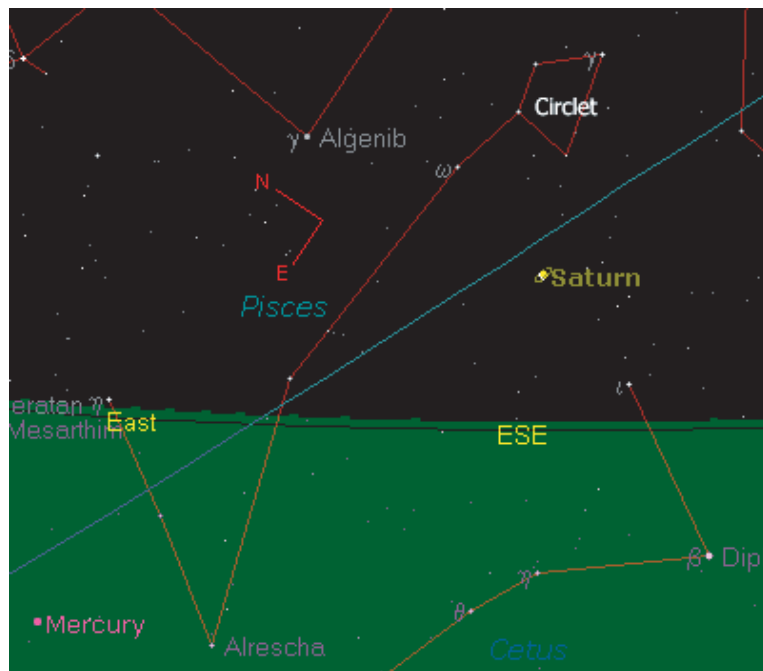


REPORT 02 DIARY NO. -567

Nebuchadnessar Year 37 Month 1 Day 1
Julian Year -567 (568 BCE) Apr 22

Time: 2:00 am
View: East

Diary Line 2: *Saturn was in front of the Swallow*



2 am Apr 22, -567: Saturn in front of the Swallow

Comments: A sky watcher looking east in the middle of the night on April 22, -567 would see the "Circler" of Pisces rise above the horizon. After Saturn came into view, the eastern section of the constellation would follow. (Note N-E orientation axes in red and the blue line that represents the ecliptic.)

The identity of the Swallow is unresolved, though it is understood to be associated with Pisces. The Skyshot shows Saturn in front of omega pisces and the trailing end of Pisces. Thus, Saturn is likely in front of the ill-defined Swallow, and TheSky computations are consistent with the Diary text.