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Fig. 3.1. Star chart of the Northern Hemisphere done by A. Dürer (1471-1528), allegedly in 1527. Taken from [90], page 8.

the similarity of figures on the ancient maps with the descriptions of the Apocalypse, he perceived this as coincidental, because he wasn't able to free himself from the indoctrination of Scaligerian notions. Today's Bible historians cannot conceive of any astronomical connotations in the Biblical texts. There may be a unique possibility, as we shall now demon-

strate, of dating some fragments of the Bible astronomically. If this be the case, though, we shall come up with dates that do not correspond with the ones the "tradition" insists upon at all.

The Apocalypse contains the famous prophecy about the Doomsday, or the Judgement Day. This prophecy is in immediate relation to the symbolic