

The volcano and the Etruscans

Volcanic activity and the Etruscans a symbiosis that during of the last years again I jumped to mind but never finding a true connection, and yet I was sure something uniting these two powers of the past.

I had noticed that the Etruscan cities were arranged in the main Italian volcanic chain that starts and ends at Vesuvio Volterra and in the middle of the lake Bolsena, the navel of Etruria.

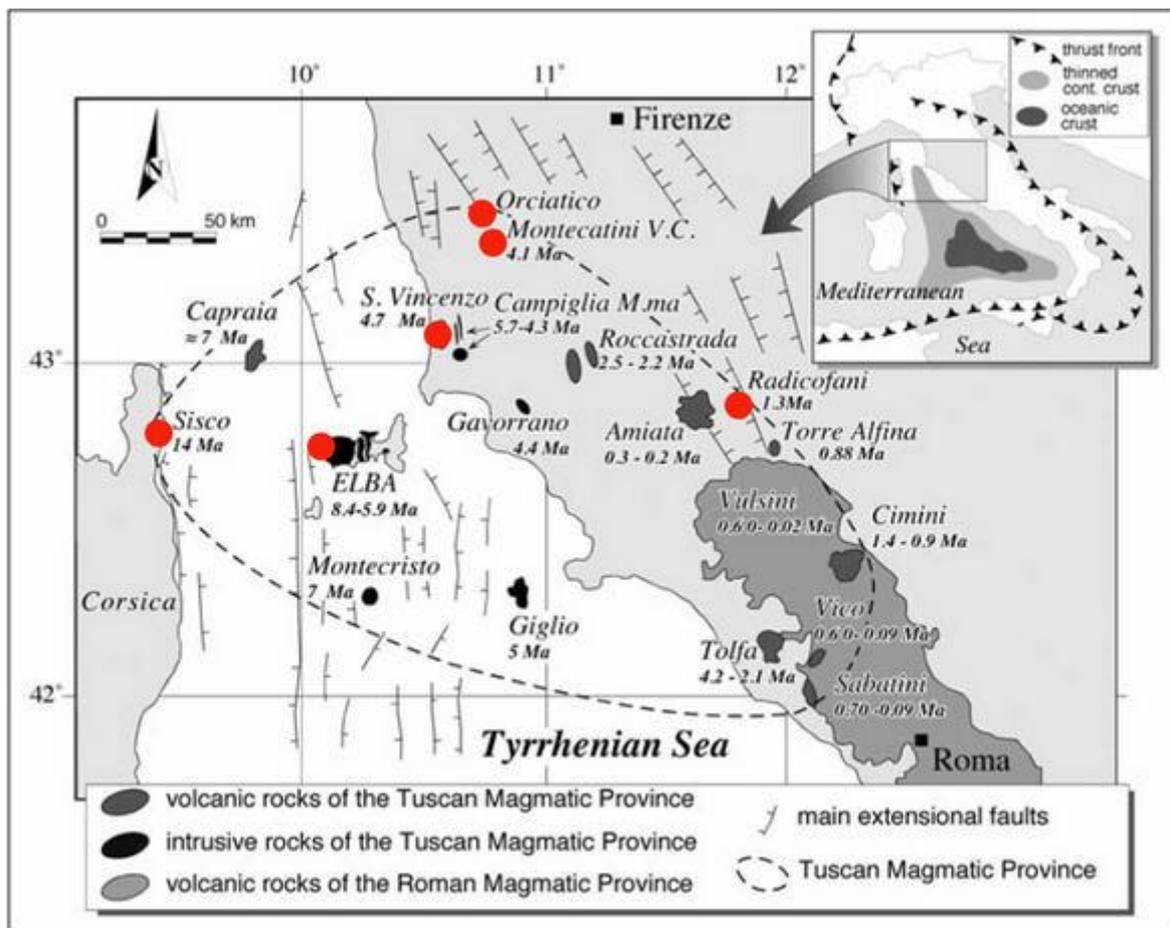
When I found out who was actually the god Prince Voltumna Etruscan and where was located his temple I finally realized.

Of course he had to find the evidence, and I had to search among the studies of some branches of different specific tasks, such as geologists, archaeologists and theologians.

I have drawn from various news sources, to form a complete picture supported by evidence extracted from several volumes that I have read, this is the result.

Looking at the different archaeological maps of Etruria and superimposing them paper magmatic provinces of Tuscany there were many areas that fit together.

But it was a very vague but search results pushed I have to go deeper and is not a metaphor but a study that goes up to the establishment of Italy as a land mass.



Geological maps show the various volcanic vents more or less extinguished, distributed in the territory Italian I took as an example the provinces magmatic Italian Alex Strekeisen cards quite perfected such that they can recognize the different zones occupied by the Etruscan cities.

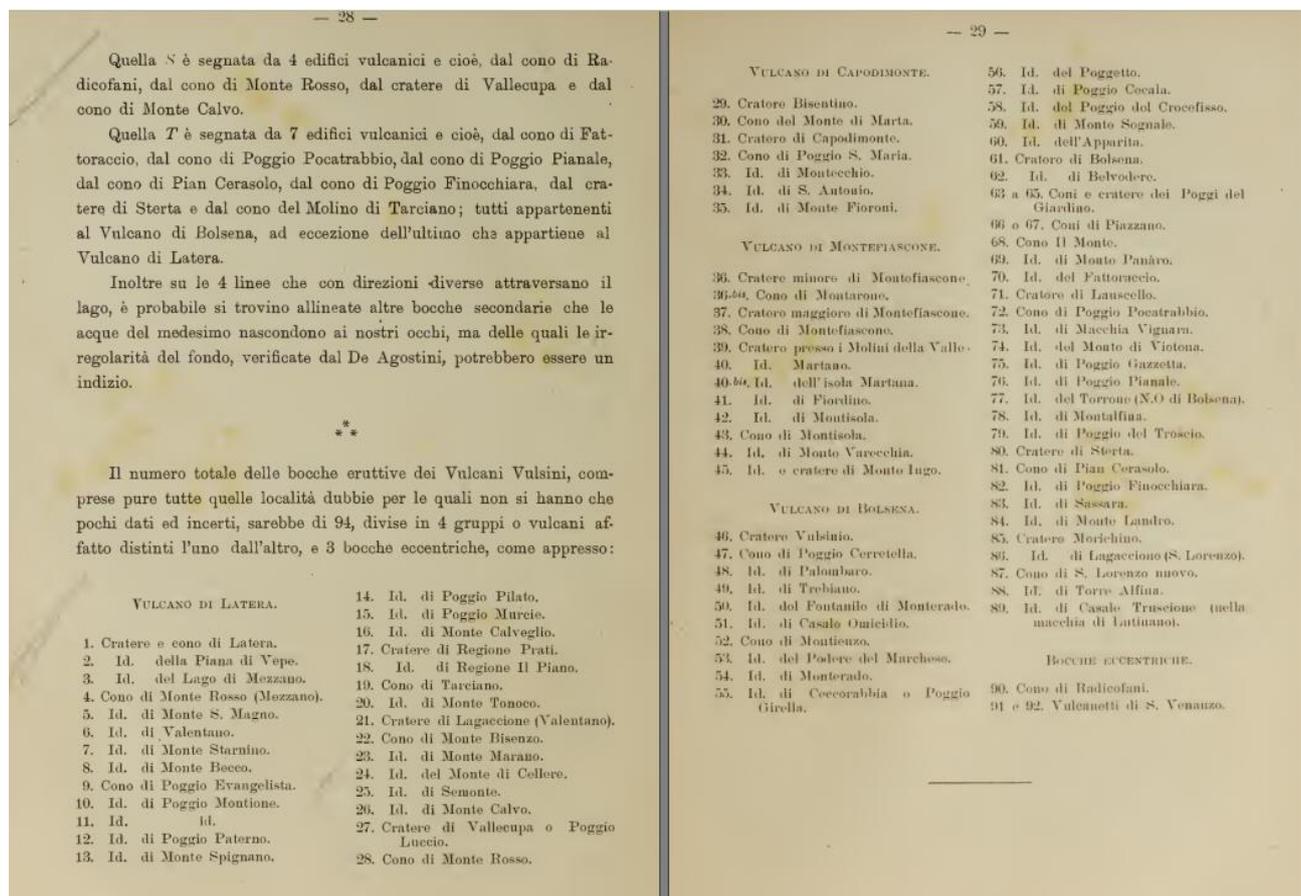
My instinct told me that I was right, and even if the borders were largely the same could not be just a coincidence.

But the real surprise I had read the book of Pompey Modern printed in the early nineteenth century, his study shows that the point at which there were many volcanic vents were Volsini and reading the various names of the places where they were as I had good knowledge of the area, I realized immediately that every volcano corresponded to a sacred place that is an Etruscan temple, a necropolis or ancient city.

Read the book Modern is like discovering a new world and the theorem (cone = site) is applicable throughout the district volcanic Vulsineo and I think the same for the whole of Etruria.

Places such as Bolsena, Bisenzio, Montefiascone, San Lorenzo, Marta areas occupied by as many Etruscan cities or as Vietana, Monte Landro, the Troscio Poggio and Poggio del Torrone occupied by temples or as Fattoraccio, Lauscello, Poggio's flatbed and Piazzano venues rich necropolis .

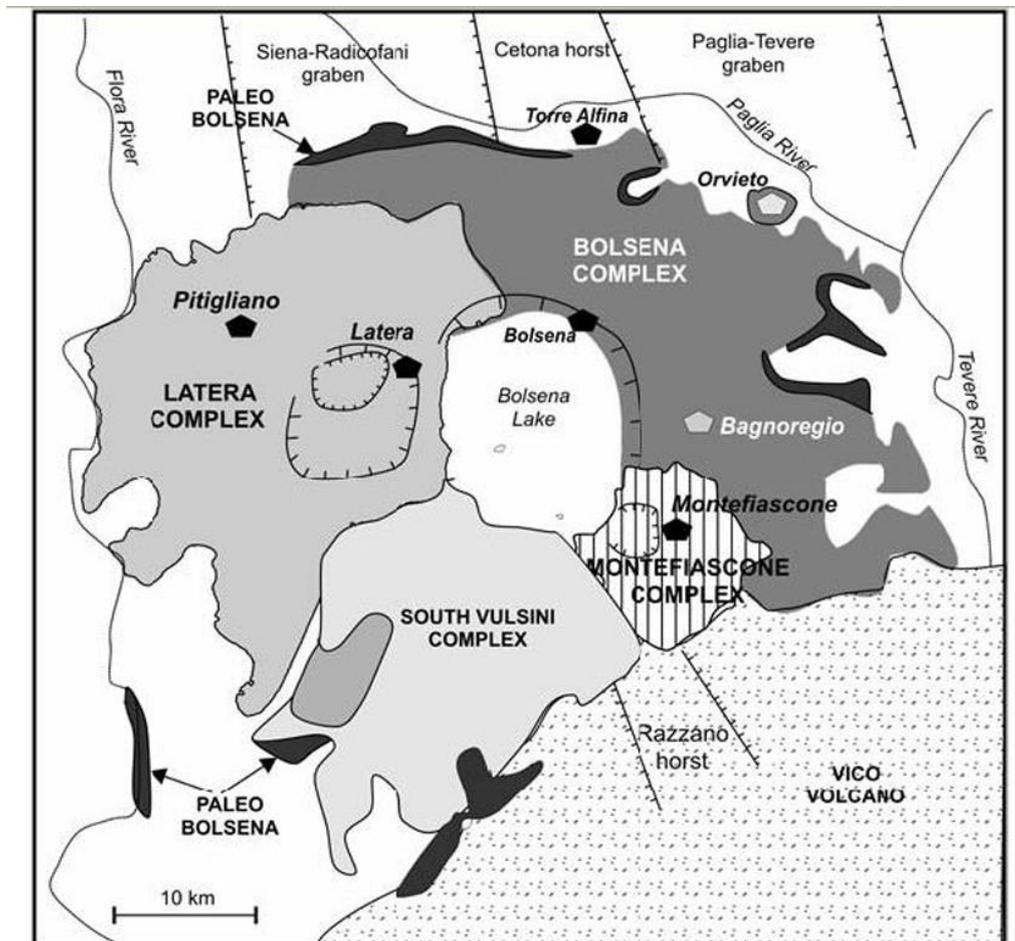
I could go on for several pages listing sites known or describe those yet to be discovered, but certainly with traces of the passage of the Etruscan.



Pompeo Moderni " Bollettino del comitato geologico d'Italia " Roma 1903

But the matches do not stop there, comparing the schematic geological map of the area of Vulsini Strekeisen with the lunar part of the liver of Vicenza there is a shocking similarity in which the lake is the center and the volcanic area of the complex which according Bolsena my intuition belong to the sacred area of Fanum Voltumnae, liver is occupied by the Veltha; Velk and Lusa (Volcano and Moon) the Lords of the four primordial elements.

Map of Strekaisen ago also see why once the lake was within the boundaries of three major cities Etruscan Tarquinia and Vulci Velzna, are the limits of three separate volcanic districts.



Carta geologica schematica della zona dei Vulsini

Some boundaries were known in the late nineteenth century, in fact Cozza and Gamurrini talking about the road map Volsinea indicate a point at which should be the foundation of a temple near the Roman road descends to Orvieto that would mark the boundary of the sacred area of the city and the castle Salpinum.

Now to remove all doubt as to where in truth he was Velzna, just say that the temple indeed the temples, because in addition to the Etruscan there is beside the remains of a Roman, are located behind the castle of Castel Rubello towards Orvieto are the Golini tombs ancient warriors but rather the other at an equal distance to Bolsena is the tomb of Heskanas haruspex of Volsini. ⁽¹⁾

(1) Bollettino della deputazione di storia patria n. 11 pag 42