A number of Catalogues and Lists of Sanskrit Manuscripts having appeared since 1891, I was induced to publish a second volume of my Catalogus Catalogorum, hoping it will prove as useful as the first. volumes contain the bulk of Sanskrit works from all parts of India. Of course new discoveries will be made in time, and accurate descriptions will correct many of the entries. In the present state of our knowledge of Sanskrit Literature mere lists of names are of little value, and lead only to confusion. We require an accurate statement of the contents of a work, its author and his parentage, and when possible the year of its composition. This has been done in the best Catalogues we possess. The Catalogues extracted in this second volume are the following.

- 1. ASB. Journal of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
- 2. Bhau Dāji. Catalogue of Manuscripts and Books belonging to the Bhau Dāji Memorial. Bombay 1882. 8°. Quoted according to pages. — This is a mere list, arranged according to the number of MSS. I give a specimen.

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165. Pitrisūktamantra | . . . . | Veda | 14 leaves.
 Pithorī-Vrata | Vyāsa | Purāņa | 2 to 7.
 (Skanda-Purāna).
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Kautūhala-Nāţaka- | Mukteçvara | Purāṇa | 15.

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Rāmāyaņa (Bāla-kānda). Çivaçāstra | . . . . | Nīti | 50. Utsarjano-pākarma-Prayoga | . . . . | Prayoga | 20.

- 3. BL. Lists of Sanskrit Manuscripts in Private Libraries in the Bombay Presidency. Compiled under the Superintendence of R. G. Bhandarkar. Part I. Bombay 1893. 80.
- 4. Cs. A descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College. Prepared by Hrishīkeça Çāstrī and Çiva Candra Gui. Volume I. Vedic Manuscripts in 4 parts. Calcutta 1895. 80. First part of Vol. II. Calcutta 1896.
  - 5. CU. add. A selection of Sanskrit MSS. in the University Library Cambridge.
- 6. Devipr. 79. Lists of Sanskrit MSS. discovered in Oudh. During the year 1879. Pandit Devī Prasāda. Allahabad 1879. 80. This part is rare. Quoted according to pages.
  - 7. Fl. Florentine Sanskrit Manuscripts examined by Theodor Aufrecht. Leipzig 1892. 80.
- 8. GB. Die Sanskrit-Handschriften der Universitäts-Bibliothek zu Göttingen. Beschrieben von Professor F. Kielhorn. 80. 150 numbers.
  - 9. Goldstücker. A few original MSS. now preserved in the University Library of Strassburg.
- 10. Gov. Or. Libr. Madras. Alphabetical Index of Manuscripts in the Government Oriental MSS. Library Madras. Madras 1893. Folio. Quoted according to pages. A specimen follows.

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