

kūṭa and Himalayas. To its east and west are Mālyavat and Gandhamādana. (Mandara-Vi. P.). The abode of Śiva. He who enters this region would be turned into a woman by the curse of Pārvati. Here Śiva worships the Fourth form of Viṣṇu called Saṅkarṣṇa by praises.<sup>1</sup> Ilāvṛta (s.v.) was its first king.<sup>2</sup> Here there is no sun or moon; people eat wood apple fruits.<sup>3</sup>

After Ila who spent here the evening of his life; Bali performed *yajñas* here.<sup>4</sup> Next to Harivarṣa,<sup>5</sup> in shape like a bow and lotus coloured; people here eat of *jambū* and live to 13,000 years.<sup>6</sup> The middle *varṣa* of Jambudvīpam surrounding Meru in extent 9000 *yojanas*; appears like a ball of smokeless fire; on each of the two sides are three *varṣas* or continents;<sup>7</sup> trees special to the region are *kadamba*, *jambū*, *pippala*, and *vaṭa*; lies between Bhadrāśva and Ketumāla; the forests are *Caitraratha*, *Gandhamādana*, *Vaibhrāja* and *Nandana*; there are besides four lakes.<sup>8</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Bhā. V. 16. 7-10; 17. 15-24. <sup>2</sup> Br. II. 14. 49; 15. 24, 33-37.  
<sup>3</sup> Ib. II. 17. 9-14, 22. <sup>4</sup> M. 113. 19 & 30; 114. 69; 135. 2. <sup>5</sup> Vā. 34. 29.  
<sup>6</sup> Vā. 46. 11-15. <sup>7</sup> Vā. 34. 22. <sup>8</sup> Vi. II. 2. 15-26.

*Ilinā*—a daughter of Yama, and a queen of Antināra; mother of a number of sons; interested in *Brahmavāda*.

M. 49. 9.

*Ilivila*—the son of Daśaratha and father of Viśvasaha.

Vi. IV. 4. 75.

*Ivala* (I)—A Samhikeya Asura: a son of Hrāda and Dhamani. Cooked Vātāpi for his guest Agastya. A follower of Vṛtra in his battle with Indra.<sup>1</sup> Got exhausted in *amṛtamathana*.<sup>2</sup> Took part in Devāsura war between Bali and Indra and fought with the sons of Brahmā.<sup>3</sup> Father of Balvala.<sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Br. III. 6. 19; Bhā. VI. 18. 15. <sup>2</sup> Ib. VII. 2. 4; VIII. 7. 14.  
<sup>3</sup> Ib. VIII. 10. 20 & 32. <sup>4</sup> Ib. X. 78. 38.

*Ivala* (II)—a son of Vipracitti.

Vi. I. 21. 11.