

*Mahānetra*—a son of Dyumatsena, ruled for 33 years.

M. 271. 28.

*Mahendra* (I)—a name of Indra (s.v.);<sup>1</sup> in the Simsumāra.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Bhā. I. 15. 12; Vā. 39. 10; 53. 33; Vi. I. 9. 18; V. 10. 36; 11. 14. <sup>2</sup> Vā. 52. 95; M. 127. 24.

*Mahendra* (II)—a Mt. a Kulapārvata of the Bhārata-varṣa,<sup>1</sup> sacred to Indra and Hari and fit for śrāddha;<sup>2</sup> Paraśurāma's penance here for 12 years, twice,<sup>3</sup> aśvamedha at;<sup>4</sup> during the war with Bhaṇḍa, the Devī enclosed M. all round by a wall of fire;<sup>5</sup> rivers taking their origin from.<sup>6</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Bhā. V. 19. 16; VII. 14. 32; Br. II. 16. 18; M. 114. 17, 31; 124. 21; Vā. 45. 89; Vi. II. 3. 3. <sup>2</sup> Br. III. 13. 17. <sup>3</sup> Ib. III. 44. 36; 46. 29; Bhā. X. 79. 12; IX. 16. 26. <sup>4</sup> Br. III. 47. 39, 45; 56. 23; 57. 1; 58. 3; IV. 21. 2; 31. 17; 44. 99. <sup>5</sup> Ib. IV. 26. 17-32. <sup>6</sup> Vā. 45. 106.

*Mahendranilayas*—the people of a Janapada.

Vā. 99. 386; Br. III. 74. 198.

*Mahendrapārvata*—a sacred place for śrāddha; resorted to by Indra; noted for a *bilvatree*, the making of offerings under which gives good eye-sight.

Vā. 77. 17-18.

*Mahendrabhaumas*—hill regions of Mahendra under the Guhas.

Vi. IV. 24. 65.

*Mahendram*—a *tīrtha* sacred to the Pitṛs.

M. 22. 44.

*Mahendravanālayam*—the place where Vaivasvata Manu performed austerities after retirement from rulership of the world.

M. 11. 42.