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14. foll. 103. S. 1586. nr. 18. foll. 61. S. 1671. nr. 39. — M. foll. 66. — Bodl. W. 363, 3. foll. 75. S. 1692. nr. 389. nr. 62. nr. 70. — E. I. H. 309. —

X. Agnirahasya begins म्राजिएए पुरस्ताचीयते (4 pr. 6 adhy. 31 br. 369 k.) Chamb. 11. foll. 60. S. 1485 (A. D. 1428). nr. 39. twice. — M. foll. 58. accented S. 1715. by Krishnaputra Prabhûjîka (?). — Bodl. W. 461. foll. 99. S. 1655. nr. 62. — E. I. H. 309. —

XI. Ashtadhyayi begins संवत्सरो वे यज्ञ: (4 pr. 8 adhy. 42 br. 437 k.) Chamb. 12. foll. 116. — M. foll. 59. — Bodl. W. 369, 1. S. 1645. foll. 86. nr. 62. nr. 70. — E. I. H. 309. — Paris D. 146. —

XII. Madhyama begins म्रयं वे यज्ञो योऽयं पवते (4 pr. 9 adhy. 29 br. 459 k.) Chamb. 13. foll. 69. — M. foll. 62. — Bodl. W. 62. nr. 70. — E. I. H. 309. — Paris D. 159. —

XIII. Açvamedha begins ब्रह्मीदनं पचित (4 pr. 8 adhy. 43 br. 430 k.) Chamb. 22. foll. 7. a fragment beginning from 8, 1, 1. — M. foll. 60. — Bodl. W. 365 (= B.). foll. 78, S. 1691. nr. 453 (= C.). foll. 81. S. 1808. nr. 62. nr. 71. — E. I. H. 268. 309. — Paris D. 160. —

XIV. Âranyakam begins ইवा হ व सत्र निषद्धः (7 pr. 9 adhy. 50 br. 796 k.) Chamb. 15. foll. 173. S. 1583. — M. foll. 167. written by Pîtâmbara in Benares. — E. I. H. 309. —

Detached from this kânda is the Vrihad-Âranyakam, beginning with the thirth prapâthaka: द्वा ह प्राज्ञापत्या देवाश्चाम्राश्च. Bodl. W. 365. foll. 75. unaccented. nr. 62. nr. 70. — E. I. H. 309. 1471. — Paris D. 163. 59g. —

b. in the Kânva-Çâkhâ. — Not having yet discovered a complete and correct copy of this Çâkhâ — three books are still wanting and some of the manuscripts of the other 14 books are rather incorrect — I could not venture to give in my edition also the text of this Çâkhâ, especially as its differences from the Mâdhyandina-Çâkhâ are so very numerous and important, you may look at "the readings of almost every passage", as well at the single words and their orthography or even accentuation as at the whole kandikâs and their number or distribution. The best copy extant in Europe is in the collection of the Rev. Dr. Mill, now deposited in the Bodleian library: it contains eleven kândas written and accented by three different scribes (I. without any date by the one: IV. V. XIV. foll. 1-23 a. Samvat 1651 by an other: II. VI. VII. X. XII. XIV. from foll 23, b-48. XV. XVII. Samvat 1875 by the thirth). Other copies are extant only (with the exception of the kândas I. and XVII.) in Paris. Bibl. Nat. D. 167-