Bibliography of Studies Connected with the Avasyaka-Commentaries*

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The subject is too complex to be explained here.
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Kommt Zeit, kommt Licht.
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§ 1. Āvasyaka literature and exegetical literature

§ 1.1. The problem

The memory of Ernst LEUMANN is so closely connected with his unfinished Übersicht über die Āvaśyaka-Literatur that a reconsideration of the intriguing Āvaśyaka issue seems to be called for.

This requires in its turn the survey of a much wider area within early Jaina literature, the area of the Niryukti.s (metrical, mainly āryā.s; Prakrit), Bhāṣya.s (metrical, almost always āryā.s; Prakrit, later than the Niryukti.s), Cūrṇi.s (prose, Sanskrit/Prakrit), and Ṭīkā.s (prose, Sanskrit, later than the Cūrṇi.s). For this area we can use the general term "exegetical literature" (exegesis of Sūtra.s of the Śvetāmbara Āgama). The "exegetical literature" can, in its turn, be subdivided into a number of smaller divisions or "literatures":

Ācāra, Sūtrakṛta, Bhagavatī, Daśāśruta, Kalpa, Vyavahāra, Niśītha, Uttarādhyayana, Daśavaikālika, Āvasyaka, Pindaniryukti, Oghaniryukti.

Each literature consists of an exegetical sequence, the *last* member (or phase) being formed by works of the Tīkā type (works called Tīkā, Vṛtti etc.). The *first* member is as a rule a Sūtra, but there are no extant Sūtra.s in the case of the closely related Ogha- and Pindaniryukti.s. However, minimal traces of an original (Ogha) Sūtra have been isolated by A. METTE in her study of the Oghaniryukti; see METTE 1974, pp.9 (with fn.29) and 133 (fn.58). Most of the relevant Sūtra.s are very old, and these old Sūtra.s "form a kind of nucleaus or oldest layer . . . of the canon" (ALSDORF 1977: 6-7). However, vis-à-vis the later exegetical development, the canonical Sūtra.s receded largely into the role of mere catalysts. The concept of *literatures* is derived from the title of the *Übersicht* (see for the same suggestion KHADABADI 1991, English Section: 32). Refer to BHATT 1997 for the Bhagavatī, which is a sort of newcomer in the above list.

It is easy to demonstrate in a theoretical discussion that the importance of the four generic terms, "Niryukti" etc., is limited (BRUHN 1996: 11-12). Even the broader terms added by us ("exegetical literature", twelve "literatures") may be open to criticism. But that does not mean that we can do without all these terms. They have their relative importance. A critical discussion also does not imply that we can dispense with an outline of the situation.

^{*} The title and the idea of this bibliography have been taken from a list published several years ago by N. BALBIR (BALBIR 1990: 73-74). My § 3 is an extended version of that list. —— The present paper could not have been written without extensive discussions about problems of manuscriptology and Jaina literature which I have had with the late CHANDRABHAL TRIPATHI during the past decades.

We shall therefore present a < brief outline > of the $\bar{A}vasyaka$ -literature, one member of the above list of literatures. This outline will be presented with the proviso that neither the $\bar{A}v$ -literature nor any other "literature" are typical stricto sensu, but that the $\bar{A}v$ -literature and all the other "literatures" are at least typical to some extent. In the outline we shall, however, refrain from extending individual statements to the other literatures by presenting the $\bar{A}v$ -literature or its parts as typical. On the other hand, we shall feel free to call certain developments in and around the $\bar{A}v$ -literature atypical. We have no doubt chosen the $\bar{A}v$ -literature for the purpose of demonstration because this is our principal subject, but that is not to say that other literatures would be better paradigms. An analogous < brief outline > of one or two additional literatures would nevertheless be useful. For the extent of the metrical works the reader is referred to TRIPATHI 1981 (for a rough survey also to BRUHN 1977: 68-69).

Needless to say our procedure excludes definitions in the strict use of the term. We have no answer to the question of what a Niryukti actually is. On the whole, we use the expression "Niryukti.s" etc. neither as a generic term (Niryukti.s as a defined set) nor as a morphological term (Niryukti style, Niryukti phase). Therefore, the word "Niryukti" appears in our text normally only as a part of work titles ("niryukti). Furthermore, we do not know whether there are any general clues for detecting a broad stratification within the exegetical literature, e.g. a morphological difference between an earlier "niksepa phase" and a later "post-niksepa phase". Our outline is restricted to the basic facts:

The central work in the Av.-literature is the Avasyaka Niryukti, and it can be said that this is based on the Av. Sūtra, a short and semi-ritualistic composition, consisting of six sections I-VI and contained in Haribhadra's Av. Tīkā (JAS 15: 333-358). The Av. Niryukti is pseudo-exegetical and para-exegetical rather than truly exegetical. Major vehicles of exposition are — in addition to didactic stories — dvāra-gāthā.s, nikṣepa.s, etymologies, chains of synonyms, and caturbhanga.s (BALBIR 1993a: 62-63 and 475). LEUMANN has shown that the Av. Niryukti can be subdivided into several textual layers (Ubersicht: 29b-31b). To the Niryukti, a Bhāṣya has been added at some point of time which consists of 256 verses spread over the text of the Av. Niryukti. (All the 1623 plus 256 verses are covered by the term "Av. Niryukti".) One atypical feature is the inclusion of canonical text material (large portions of the universal history up to Mahāvīra) into the Av. Niryukti (as just described). Another atypical development is the composition of the Viśeşāvaśyaka Bhāṣya by Jinabhadra (6th/7th C.: BALBIR 1993a, p.75; "ob. A.D.588 or 594": DHAKY 1996, p.47, fn.14). Jinabhadra's Bhāsya explains approximately the first half of the Av. Niryukti (chapters I-VI, VIII-X: BALBIR 1993a, pp.76 and 43) and comprises about 4300 verses (including the relevant Av. Niryukti verses). It has been transmitted in three versions with different verse totals. In order to distinguish them from Jinabhadra's Viśeṣāvaśyaka Bhāṣya, the 256 verses included earlier into the Av. Niryukti are called Mūla-bhāşya verses. Refer for all the verse totals to TRIPĀŢHĪ 1981 (305 and 327-28) and BALBIR 1993a (pp.46 and 75-81).

After the verse commentaries we have to mention the prose commentaries. There is a Cūrṇi (by "Jinadāsa", see Balbir 1993a: 81), and there are several Ṭīkā.s (Haribhadra et alii). The relationship between the Cūrṇi and the Ṭīkā (H.) has been characterized by L. Alsdorf (1977: 2-3) and described in some detail by N. Balbir (1993a: 81-84). The two prose commentaries supply inter alia numerous stories which supplement the narrative matter contained in the Āv. Niryukti. They comment on both Sūtra and Niryukti, primarily on the latter (Alsdorf 1977: 3). There are connections between Cūrṇi/Ṭīkā and the commentaries on the Viśeṣāvaśyaka Bhāṣya and Bṛhatkalpa Bhāṣya (Balbir 1993a: 201). The Āvaśyaka Ṭīkā.s which are later than Haribhadra are not of great importance but cannot be ignored altogether.

To the two paragraphs of our < brief outline > we add two supplementary notes. (i) A specific problem is raised by the basic parallelism between Sūtra and commentaries, as well as between different commentaries. Āvaśyaka Sūtra, Āvaśyaka Niryukti, Āvaśyaka Mūlabhāşya, Viśeşāvasyaka Bhāsya, Āvasyaka Cūrni, and Āvasyaka Tīkā are parallel (quasi-parallel, supplementary) compositions. External parallels (canon etc.) can be added. This situation produces simple questions about relationships which concern the works in toto and which require more than generalizing answers. So far this matter has been ignored, unconsciously rather than deliberately, the reason being the lack of palpable content deviations within the Av.-literature. Obviously it has not been thought necessary to describe (for example) in a systematic manner which parts of the Av. Sütra have been treated in the Av. Niryukti and in which way they have been treated (but see Übersicht 16, fn. ** and BALBIR 1993a: 83). We therefore need synopses and, to some extent, minute comparisons. There are also points of more than ordinary importance. It would for example be worthwhile to study the attitude of Jinabhadra to the nikşepa technique, which was part and parcel of his basic text, the Av. Nirvukti. The archaic niksepa technique had already been discarded in Umasvati's Tattvārthādhigama Sūtra, and Umāsvāti's life-time is placed in the fourth century, i.e. about two centuries before Jinabhadra.

There is furthermore (ii) an extensive literature, Śvetāmbara and Digambara, which lies outside the exegetical sequence (Āv. Sūtra plus Āv.-commentaries) and for which we can use the term "Āvaśyaka orbit" (BALBIR 1993a: 90-91). "Āv.-literature" is thus Āv. Sūtra, plus Āv.-commentaries, plus Āv.-orbit. See for the orbit Übersicht: 2*-6* on "Āv.²" and "Āv.³". LEUMANN defines Āv.² (Śvetāmbara) and Āv.³ (Digambara) in terms of thematic structures rather than in terms of well-defined literary works. In his description, Āv.² is fourfold (I-IV), while Āv.³ is threefold (Kriyākalāpa: A-C) and fivefold (Śrāvakapratikramaṇa: I-V). Refer for Āv.² or "Ṣaḍāvaśyakasūtra" also to BALBIR 1993a: 33-34.

N. BALBIR has given an extensive survey of the Av.-literature on pp.33-91 of her Av. monograph (1993a). The survey includes a conspectus of the Av. Niryukti (pp.63-75). The relevant paragraphs of the English Summary (pp.474-78) can also be consulted.

Naturally, scholars have tried until recently to grasp the exegetical literature in its entirety. The attempts to describe the structure of the exegetical literature in toto started with LEUMANN who presented in 1892 an advanced but complicated Denkmodell of the ex. literature as part of his study in the Daśavaikālika-literature (591-92). Later on, H. Jacobi tried to describe the situation in his own words and with special reference to the narrative material within the exegetical literature. However, he finished with a note of resignation, quoted at the head of this article (1932: vii), and added a reference to LEUMANN. Since then several scholars have tried to reduce the exegetical literature to a basic model, but there has not been and probably never will be a proper break-through (BRUHN 1996: 11-12). We should therefore mention that we understand our optimistic second motto (LEUMANN 1885: 135) in a very general sense and not with respect to a future Denkmodell.

§ 1.2 Ernst LEUMANN's Übersicht

So far we have referred only once to LEUMANN's Übersicht, by now an almost legendary work. Far from being an "Übersicht" in the usual acceptance of the term, the book is a loosely connected aggregate of highly technical studies. Printed before the end of the nineteenth century, when there were no more than five or six Jainologists in Europe, it is in a strange way directed to a hypothetical reader who is already familiar with the main facts. In particular, there is no basic information about the exegetical genders (Niryukti.s etc.); LEUMANN probably

expected the reader to know his earlier Daśavaikālika study (1892). The Übersicht has 64 over-sized pages (each page in two columns with more than 75 lines), the format being dictated by the planned facsimile reproduction of a very old Āvaśyaka manuscript (details below). No less than 26 pages of the Übersicht (about 40% of the whole) are devoted to Jinabhadra. The work is unfinished and the print ended after the first two words of a new sentence (removed by W. SCHUBRING in the publication: Übersicht: p.C). More than one monograph could be derived from the Übersicht, but it is not a monograph itself. Below we present a partial overview of the components of the work.

Pages A-D. Title, Preface etc.

Pages I-IV. Manuscripts and copies (Abschriften).

Pages 1-6. "Āv.", "Āv.²" (Ṣaḍāvaśyaka: Śvetāmbara tradition), and "Āv.³" (Kriyākalāpa and Śrāvakapratikramaṇa: Digambara tradition). "Āv." is a sophisticated term. It stands (i) for the lost prototype of the Āv. Sūtra, (ii) for the remnants of the prototype as preserved by the Śvetāmbara and Digambara traditions, and (iii) for the inflated text as preserved by Haribhadra and the Āv. Cūrṇi. See Übersicht: 1º24-2º6; 19º-19º. In the Āv. Sūtra (Haribhadra with Cūrṇi), Sections I-III are preserved in a form which is close to the prototype, whereas Sections IV-VI are inflated. LEUMANN's notation of section and tradition is as follows (taking Section I as an example): "Āv.I" ("Āv.") — "Āv.I²" ("Āv.") — "Āv.I³" ("Āv.³").

--> SUMMARY of Av.IV-VI: Übersicht: 2°13-49.

Columns 6°-8°. Sections I-III (Āv., Āv.², Āv.³).

--> TEXT AND TRANSLATION of Av.I-III: Übersicht: 6*-8*.

Columns 8^a-14^b, Monographic study of Section III.

Columns 14*-15b

Columns 15^b/16^a-19^a. Complete text of Mūlācāra VII, an earlier version of the Āv. Niryukti (Digambara tradition).

Columns 19*-23b

Columns 23^b-27^b. Bhadrabāhu (i.e. Bh., the teacher of Sthūlabhadra): the literary sources (Āv.-commentaries et alia).

Columns 27^b-29^b

Columns 29b-31b. The four layers ("redactions") of the Av. Niryukti.

Columns 31*-56^b. Jinabhadra. The Visesāvasyaka Bhāsya and its commentaries (31*-55^b): Extensive analysis. Short analyses of the other works of Jinabhadra, viz. Kṣetrasamāsa, Saṃgrahaṇī, and Visesaṇavatī (55*-56^b). Leumann's text on the Visesaṇavatī consists of no more than four sentences which conclude the Übersicht (56^b, lines 72-79). It is supplemented by no.306 of the present catalogue.

Further observations on LEUMANN's Āvaśyaka studies will follow in § 2.2. Here we have introduced his Übersicht only in order to tell the reader in a general manner which information on the Āvaśyaka issue he may find in the work and which not. Methodologically, future work on the Āv.-literature will certainly differ from LEUMANN's approach, however, largely in the sense that LEUMANN's writings must be decoded and that ways must be found of providing LEUMANN's high-tech philology with a sound didactic fundament. New methods certainly have to be introduced here and there, but in most cases minor adjustments will be sufficient to carry LEUMANN's ways smoothly from the nineteenth to the twenty-first century. We shall not conclude our discussion without quoting SCHUBRING's dictum on LEUMANN which is well-known amongst Jainologists: "By this great work [the Übersicht] he was many decades ahead of his time" (Lehre: § 4; Doctrine § 6). It is only fair to repeat that there is no magical door to the exegetical literature. Our exposition has also demonstrated that, as late as one hundred years after LEUMANN, we are not even in a position to present the entire subject in a comprehensive and systematic manner.

§ 1.3. Niryukti.s and Mūlasūtra.s in the Jaina tradition

The Jaina tradition of the canonical and post-canonical writings consists of numerous lists (BRUHN 1987). We have not tried to base our exposition on such data, but it is necessary to say a few words on those two lists which are relevant to the exegetical literature. There is a list of ten Niryukti.s which includes the Av. Niryukti. It exists in two versions: Av. Niryukti 84-85 (Übersicht: 21*-22*) and Rsimandalasütravrtti (JACOBI 1881: 12). See also Doctrine § 43, ALSDORF 1977: 5-7, BALBIR 1993a: 39-41 (and p.64, line 20). Most of the titles in the Niryukti list are identical with the headings of our "literatures". In connection with references to the Niryukti list we usually find a date suggested by LEUMANN (Übersicht, column 28°: "80 A.D."). But refer to Khadabadi 1991: 28 for later datings. Mūlacāra V 82 mentions an Ārādhanā Niryukti which does not appear in the list (Übersicht 16° and 21°). The Mūlasūtra lists are parts of Agama lists, and they also include an Avasyaka text. There are basically two Agama lists, both not yet sufficiently analyzed: JACOBI (1881: 14) and R.L. MITRA (WEBER 1883: 227). They have in their Mula sections respectively "Uttaradhyayana, AVASYAKA, Daśavaikālika, Pinda Niryukti" and "Utt., VIŚEŞĀVAŚYAKA, Daśav., Pākṣika". See H.R. KAPADIA for discussion and further sources (CBM: xvi-xix and KAPADIA 1941: 41-47). The Niryukti list is to be understood as a list of commentaries, but the Mulasutra.s are a part of the canon itself.

BÜHLER's list requires an additional comment. The list (45 titles in all) has been published by JACOBI to whom it had been supplied by G. BÜHLER (JACOBI *l.c.*). It is not known how BÜHLER came into its possession. It was the basis of A. WEBER's description of the canon. In the case of "Āvaśyaka", WEBER described the Āvaśyaka Niryukii (WEBER 1885: 53). SCHUBRING originally followed BÜHLER's list with its 45 titles verbatim (1926: VIII-IX). However, he defined the Mülasütra category as "Uttarajjhāyā, Āvassaganijjutti, Dasaveyāliya, Pindanijjutti", reading Āvaśyaka as Āvaśyaka Niryukti. Later on, SCHUBRING presented in § 41 of his Doctrine the traditional list with adjustments, though he still mentioned the figure "45" in § 4(). The figure "45" is in fact supported by the medieval Śvetāmbara tradition (KAPADIA 1941: 58), and although not very old it may be earlier than the details of BÜHLER's list. SCHUBRING called the third Mülasütra in the Doctrine again "Āvassayanijjutti".

A case like this, involving the categories of Niryukti.s and Mūlasūtra.s, shows that we must use the ancient traditions with caution. The terms "Mūlasūtra" and "Chedasūtra" have been discussed repeatedly: WEBER 1883: 446-47 (Ch.); WEBER 1885: 41-43 (M.); CHARPENTIER

1922: 32 (M.); SCHUBRING: 1924 (Kl. Schr. 436): M.); SCHUBRING 1932 (Kl. Schr. 111: Ch. and M.); SCHUBRING 1962: § 40 (Ch. and M.); SCHUBRING 1966: 2 (Ch. and M.); KAPADIA 1941: 35-36 (Ch. and M.) and 41-47 (M.); KAPADIA in CBM: xvi-xix (M.); CAILLAT 1975: 176-77 (header pagination; Ch. and M.); WRIGHT 1967 (quoted according to CAILLAT 1975, Ch. and M.); and ALSDORF 1977: 7 (M.). The greater or lesser importance attached to the two terms reflects different "attitudes". WEBER wrote in 1883 (p.446): "Der Name Chedasūtra . . . (cheda, Schnitt, Abschnitt?) ist sehr verschiedener Deutung fähig. Eine authentische Erklärung ist mir dafür nicht zur Hand." Similarly in 1885 (p.41): "Worauf dieser Name [M.] sich bezieht, ist mir annoch unklar . . . Auch ist derselbe bis jetzt für die betreffenden Texte erst in ganz moderner Zeit nachweisbar." In other words, WEBER expressed a scepticism about literary traditions (= traditions relevant to literary history) which was due to his lack of familiarity with the prāyaścitta decad (CAILLAT 1975: p.93 of the header pagination), but which is even then expedient to this day. There can be little doubt that the terms cheda and mūla are identical with the terms for prāyascitta.s VII-VIII (WRIGHT 1967); but this does not help us to understand the strange redactorial arrangement as a whole (the titles "Ch." and "M." as well as the Mula category as such). It can also be asked why the important texts of the Mula category (which includes Utt. and Dasav., two very old texts of the canon) have never found an adequate place in the ensemble of Agama lists. We shall return to KAPADIA ("third Mūlasūtra" or Āvasyaka) in § 2.3. The title "Āvasyaka" plays a prominent part in a list contained in the Nandi (WEBER 1885: 10-18; BRUHN 1987: 102-03), but this throws no light on the later Mula lists.

It may be added that the growth of the Āv.-literature was not a matter of course. We do not know why the enormous complex of the Āv.-literature was erected on the narrow basis of the Āv. Sūtra. Moreover, the Āv. Sūtra does not belong to a very early stratum of the canon. The twelvefold dharma of the householder in Āv. Sūtra VI (BALBIR 1993a: 37) is an enlargement of the relevant section of Upāsakadaṣa I, and the whole of the Āv. Sūtra as we know it is basically written in Jaina Māhārāṣṭrī, not in Ardhamāgadhī. The e-nominatives found in Āv. Sūtra VI have been taken from the Upāsakadaṣa. See also BALBIR 1993a: 34-35 for the question of monastic and laic portions in the Āv. Sūtra. Finally it is difficult to understand why an atypical literary composition like the Āv. Sūtra (largely concerned with moral obligations, and precursor of innumerable ritualistic manuals) was chosen as the basis of a literature with mixed dogmatical contents in the first stage (Āv. Niryukti and prose commentaries) and with primarily theoretical contents in the second stage (Viśeṣāvaśyaka Bhāṣya).

§ 2. Avasyaka studies in retrospective

§ 2.1. The foundations: Georg BUHLER and Albrecht WEBER

Āvaśyaka studies are as old as modern Jainology. They started with the introduction of manuscripts into this branch of Indology, and this means that they were connected with the name of Georg BÜHLER (1837-98). BÜHLER's merits are not forgotten, but we may not remember the enormous impact of his activities on Indology in the nineteenth century. This is already reflected in the long list of obituaries which appeared immediately after his death in the *Indian Antiquary* (vol.27: the December issue of the year 1898) and in the biography published in 1899 by J. JOLLY in the *Encyclopedia of Indo-Aryan Research*. E. LEUMANN observes on p.369 of *his* obituary for BÜHLER in the *Indian Antiquary* (27: 368-70): "Thus he rescued two whole branches of literature from oblivion, viz., the Kashmiri branch which comprises Vedic and Sańskrit texts and the extensive Prâkrit and Sańskrit literature of the Śvetâmbara Jains." He concludes (p.370) by saying: "So, once more, we may state fairly that

Bühler would have marked an epoch in Indian Philology, - he would, indeed, have remodelled it by giving it a new and larger base, even if he had done nothing else than securing for scientific investigation the three thousand manuscripts that we owe to him." Refer for BÜHLER's work also to CAILLAT forthc. (ubi alia). Prof. CAILLAT's review includes several observations on contemporary publications: R.P. GOLDMAN, J.E. CORT, and the late K.W. FOLKERT. These authors had criticized in one form or another attitudes of Indological schools and Indologists. We fully agree with the objections raised by Prof. CAILLAT against the relevant theses. We would like to add that the difficulties faced whenever we want to analyze studies in attitudes are considerable. Folkert criticizes for example the tendency, found according to him with JACOBI and BÜHLER, to regard the "non-ascetic features" of Jainism as "secondary accretions" (FOLKERT 1993: 104). A systematic analysis of such contentions and their relevance would require a terminological apparatus which is beyond the philological standard methodology. Besides, we must remember that scientific attitudes (patterns, premises, presuppositions, etc.) are "everywhere," so that a comprehensive study will have to throw light on the network of attitudes which is a normal element in many sections of the humanities.

BÜHLER had presented or sold "nearly 500 manuscripts" to the Royal Library in Berlin (LEUMANN 1898: 369; SPH 1892: VII-VIII). They included eight Āvaśyaka manuscripts. The first scholar to examine Āvaśyaka texts was therefore A. WEBER (1825-1901), who catalogued the Brahmanical and Jaina manuscripts in Berlin (ABC Nos:20-21) and described BÜHLER's Jaina manuscripts in SPH 2.2 and 2.3 (1888 and 1892). The former volume (nos.1773-1928) contains the Śvetāmbara canon with the Āvaśyaka manuscripts (nos.1911-18). The eight Āvaśyaka entries occupy pages 739-806 of SPH 2.2 and give substantial information about the Āv. Niryukti (no.1913), about Haribhadra's Ṭīkā on the Āv. Niryukti (no.1914), and about Hemacandra Maladhārin's commentary on Jinabhadra's Viśeṣāvaśyaka Bhāṣya (no.1915). WEBER had described the Āv. Niryukti already on pp.50-76 of his study on the Śvetāmbara canon (WEBER 1885). But his treatment of the canon had been comparatively short, and the reader should also consult, along with WEBER 1885, the Āvaśyaka entries of WEBER's Berlin catalogue which appeared three years later.

§ 2.2. Ernst LEUMANN

We now return to the subject of the Übersicht. WEBER was followed by ERNST LEUMANN (11.4.1859-24.4.1931) who wrote on p.iv* of the Übersicht: "Schon 1882 in Berlin bemerkte ich bei meiner Beschäftigung mit den Jaina-Handschriften der Königlichen Bibliothek, daß die Āvaśyaka-niryukti (der Śvetāmbara-Literatur) eine besondere Beachtung verdiene." The Āvaśyaka literature in all its strangeness, complexity, and immensity had been recalled to life. Nor was Leumann content to study the Berlin material which he had hit upon by chance, but rather he built up his "logistics" with amazing thoroughness. From different countries he procured a great number of Jaina manuscripts (Āvaśyaka manuscripts and other material), thus demonstrating that international cooperation could be launched without difficulty even in a little known field such as Jainology. The actual study of the Āvaśyaka texts lasted from 1882 (supra) to 1898, the year when the Übersicht in its present form was printed. The reader will find the chronological details on p.iv of the Übersicht. In column IV, Leumann mentions the printed but unpublished materials:

"die Excerpte (p.1-20) sind im Herbst 1894 gedruckt, die Lichtdrucktafeln (1-35)² sind zur gleichen Zeit hergestellt, die Pratīka-Liste (p.21-32) ist im darauffolgenden Winter gedruckt . . ." These three prints (further details *infra*) are also referred to in an obviously provisional title for the complete (fourfold) Āvaśyaka publication, as is seen in W. SCHUBRING's *Vorwort*:

"Ein im Nachlaß vorgefundener Titelentwurf lautet: 'Übersicht über die Ävasyaka-Literatur mit Excerpten aus der Śīlānka-Handschrift und einer photographischen Reproduction derselben sowie mit einer Pratīka-Liste zum Viseṣāvasyaka-Bhāṣya.' Die hier genannten Bestandteile liegen dem Seminar ebenfalls in je einem Exemplar vor. Sie gleich den nachstehenden Bogen zu veröffentlichen verbot jedoch die Beschränktheit der Mittel und im Falle der Handschriftentafeln, nach deren Format Leumann den vorliegenden Textband einrichtete, die Unmöglichkeit der Vervielfältigung."

The 36 (35 plus 1) plates are facsimiles of a palm-leaf manuscript, dated samvat 1138 and containing Koţyācārya's commentary on Jinabhadra's Viśeṣāvaśyaka Bhāṣya (LEUMANN calls Kotyācārya "Śīlānka": BALBIR 1993a: 78). This remarkable manuscript has already been mentioned in one of KIELHORN's lists (see p.431b of the JRK). It is P XII 57 in LEUMANN's numbering (Übersicht: IVb, fn.2) and is preserved in the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute in Pune (CBM: no.1106, see pp.467-69). Plates 1-35 show the full obverse and reverse of the palm-leaves, whereas plate 36 reproduces script columns on the scale of 1:1, which were selected for palaeographical studies. The 36 facsimiles were to form a companion volume to the text portion of the Übersicht and, as mentioned by SCHUBRING, they account for the size of the four prints. For a few additional details, concerning mainly the unpublished prints, the reader is referred to LEUMANN's footnote (Übersicht: IVb, fn.2), to LEUMANN 1894, and to CBM: 375. Of the various dates appearing on p.iv^b of the Übersicht we mention only the date of the printing of the study (1898). If we remember that in 1898 LEUMANN was just in the middle of his scholarly career, we wonder why he discontinued his Avasyaka studies at this point in time (he was then thirty-eight) and did not return to them in his later years (he reached the age of seventy-two). Occasional publications on other Jaina subjects, as undertaken after 1898, cannot be called a continuation of his Āvaśyaka studies. In fact, LEUMANN became - broadly speaking after his Avasyaka phase - once more a pioneer, but then in the completely different field of Saka studies, where he achieved a major breakthrough as early as 1892 (SCHUBRING 1934: 71). However, this cannot explain the complete break in his Āvasyaka studies. Nor can we reconstruct the history of the publication. The printing of the three parts must have been an expensive undertaking, and it is not known whether any publisher was involved or whether it was exclusively LEUMANN's doing. The long delay of the publication which appeared only a few years after LEUMANN's death is another mystery. It seems that at one point in time LEUMANN was keen to publish the incomplete manuscript as soon as possible, while later on he was equally keen to postpone its publication.

The introduction to the Übersicht somewhat puzzles the reader (see especially pp.I and IV). On the one hand, Leumann does not conceal the difficulties of the work done by him: He stresses for example on p.I that he could only use manuscripts for his studies. On the other hand, he describes his work in an easy manner, combining less relevant and more relevant topics, and he does not try to present it as the milestone in the history of Jainology which it actually is. Also, Leumann first introduces the reader in a legible manner to the subject of the book (p.I^a, p.1), but afterwards changes his style abruptly, suddenly expecting from the same reader familiarity with remote details of the Av.-literature.

SCHUBRING wrote in his obituary (1934: 75): "LEUMANN hat die 'Riesenkräfte', die BÜHLER ihm einst mit Recht zusprach, Jahre hindurch einer 'Übersicht über die Ävasyaka-Literatur' gewidmet und aus einer ungeheuren Stoffsammlung heraus ein kirchen- und literargeschichtliches Werk zu gestalten unternommen, mit dem er seiner Zeit weit voraus war. Hätte er es

in tief zu beklagender Weise nicht unterlassen, das in der Anlage und durch Beigaben vielleicht allzu groß gedachte Werk abzuschließen, so würde seine Jaina-Forschung in diesem ihre Krönung gefunden haben. Es ist aber zu hoffen, daß es in Kürze möglich sein wird, wenigstens den fertig vorliegenden Teil zu veröffentlichen." To this day a guide to or critical analysis of the Übersicht does not exist. Such an analysis could also serve as a substitute for a translation into English.

For information about the manuscripts used for the *Übersicht* the reader is referred to pp.I-IV of the book. The data given by LEUMANN are heterogeneous. They are partly connected with the Āvaśyaka project and partly with the general project of a collection of Jaina manuscripts at Strasbourg. Only a fraction of LEUMANN's Āvaśyaka manuscripts belongs to Strasbourg, and conversely only a fraction of the Strasbourg collection consists of Āvaśyaka manuscripts. Furthermore, there is a list of the Śvetāmbara manuscripts at Strasbourg (pp.III-IV), whereas the corresponding list of *Digambara* manuscripts had already been published by LEUMANN in vol.11 (1897) of the Vienna Oriental Journal, as mentioned on p.II^b in the paragraph for *Strassburg*. Finally, LEUMANN lists not only manuscripts but also copies (*Abschriften* and *Auszüge*) prepared by him *from* manuscripts. Refer for further information on pp.II-IV to CJM: 12-13.

LEUMANN's printing project had consisted of four parts (mentioned by SCHUBRING and quoted above). SCHUBRING published the Übersicht in 1934 along with a Vorwort on p.C, and in this case the original print is no longer extant. The other three parts are kept as unpublished unica in the Hamburger Seminar: the thirty-six Lichtdrucktafeln (no.189), the Pratika-Liste zum Viseşāvasyaka-Bhāşya (no.187), and the Excerpte aus der Śīlānka-Handschrift (no.188). Besides the Übersicht (1934) and the Erzählungen (1897, unfinished), one Avasyaka article (1885) and one Avasyaka note (1894) have been published by LEUMANN. Most of the Āvasyaka material in the Papers has been indexed in the present catalogue under Āvasyakaheadings. Some of these titles (e.g. no.176: "general plan of the Übersicht", "lose Zettel zum Gedruckten") are probably more directly connected with the Übersicht than others. However, there are no indications that any part of the material relevant to the Übersicht had been ready for the press (Übersicht: Cb, lines 2-15). Furthermore, LEUMANN always made liberal contributions to publications of colleagues, and such contributions are also found in two publications which are connected with the Av.-literature (JACOBI 1932 and TAWNEY 1895). Refer for LEUMANN's Āvasyaka inedita also to BALBIR 1993a: 26-30 and 93-97 (93-97: observations on the Cūrņi.s, edited ibid.).

M. WINTERNITZ (Jaina Literature: 1920/1933) did not know the Übersicht which was published in 1934. SCHUBRING's Lehre (1935) devotes a separate section (§ 55) to the Āvaśyaka Niryukti, but mentions the Übersicht only in a few lines. However, the text of the Doctrine (1962) supplies in § 55 additional information about Leumann's research and also contains other textual changes.

LEUMANN's name as a Jainologist is so closely connected with the Āvaśyaka issue that we sometimes forget how many other Jaina texts he has studied as well. His main publication outside the Āvaśyaka field was a substantial article on the Daśavaikālika Sūtra and Niryukti (1892). In another article he studied the story of Citta and Sambhūta as recorded inter alia in the Uttarādhyayana literature; see Leumann 1891 (also Alsdorf 1957 and Oberlies 1996). Both the Erzühlungen and the Übersicht demonstrate Leumann's familiarity with the Brhatkalpabhāṣya. In spite of its specialized subject, even the Übersicht shows the wide range of Leumann's Jainological (and Indological) interests.

LEUMANN's unpublished studies (Āvaśyaka and "non-Āvaśyaka", Jaina and non-Jaina) can now be consulted on the basis of the present catalogue. The numerous Index references s.v. "Haribhadra" confirm for example SCHUBRING's observation: "Kein Gelehrter hat sich damals intensiver mit Haribhadra beschäftigt als LEUMANN; Dutzende von Heften mit subtilem Material zeugen davon." (1963: Kl. Schr., p.486; see also Übersicht: Cb.) There are many cases where the unpublished studies stand alone in the sense that they are not advertised by published contributions. To avoid misunderstandings we must also add that the Hefte or notebooks are no ordinary records. Their texts has been set down with meticulous care, and it is presented in extremely close writing (cf. OBERLIES 1996: 261 for a specimen). Easy access to his published studies will soon be granted by LEUMANN's Kleine Schriften (forthcoming).

§ 2.3. Avasyaka studies after LEUMANN

Work after LEUMANN is in the first place editorial work done in India. Almost all the relevant text editions will be found in TRIPĀTHĪ 1981, an article which should be consulted along with CJM (Ser.Nos.37-46). There are, however, a few unedited works even now. Further information will be found in the JRK ("Āvaśyaka", "Mūlācāra", "Sāmāyika" [sic] et alia), and in the NCC ("Āvaśyaka" et alia). A separate edition of the Āv. Sūtra (Haribhadra's text with Cūrņi variants) has appeared in the Jaina-Āgama-Series in 1977.

H.R. KAPADIA isolated a huge mass of Āvaśyaka manuscripts which he described in CBM (1940), a volume of the BhORI catalogue series which was devoted to the four Mūlasūtra.s. Here, the Āvaśyaka texts were classified as the "third Mūlasūtra", and the description of the relevant manuscripts is covered by pp.132-480 of the volume (Nos.730-1112). That the category called "third Mūlasūtra" lacked real unity was not denied. The definition on pp. xvixvii of CBM ran as follows:

"Then [after the description of Uttarādhyayana and Daśavaikālika] follows the description of the Mss. of Ṣaḍāvaśyakasūtra and its component factors along with that of the Mss. [commentaries] elucidating this literature. It may be mentioned en passant that the main object of separately treating these component factors of Ṣaḍāvaśyakasūtra and their explanatory literature has been to give due importance to these factors — the sūtras most of which constitute Āvaśyakasūtra as visualized by Haribhadra Sūri, who is well-known as Yākinī-mahattarā-dharmasūnu."

The Āvaśyaka material presented two problems, i.e. internal classification and definition, definition in the sense of a distinction between "Āvaśyaka" and "non-Āvaśyaka". The difficulties had already been reflected in a catalogue by A.B. KEITH (1935, India Office Library), which had been reviewed by SCHUBRING in 1936 (Kl. Schr.: 453b). KAPADIA used the distinction between "component factors" and "explanatory literature" (supra) as a general guideline. As a consequence, shorter texts of the sūtra or stotra type were described at the beginning (nos.730-970), while the long commentaries formed the subsequent part (nos. 971-1112). The caesura (no.970: no.971) is of course our suggestion and not always confirmed by the entries. No doubt, KAPADIA made use of the Übersicht, both in CBM (pp.371ff.) and one year later in KAPADIA 1941 (pp.173ff.). However, the "third Mūlasūtra" in CBM was not an attempt to organize the Āvaśyaka texts. This chapter merely served as a broad category which accommodated, besides Āvaśyaka texts of every description, also remotely related material which was clearly outside the Āv.-literature.

What may be called the "LEUMANN renaissance" started in 1965 when L. ALSDORF observed in a lecture in the Collège de France: "... il m'est impossible de passer sous silence une tâche qui outre son importance concrète me semble être pour nous une obligation morale: la reprise du travail sur l'Āvaśyaka d'Ernst Leumann que j'ai déja cité à maintes reprises" (ALSDORF 1965: 82). Naturally, Schubring had utilized the Leumann material even earlier, but it was mainly through ALSDORF and some of his students that Leumann was recalled to life. This is, however, not to say that in those days much was published which was directly and substantially connected with Leumann's work. It was his influence which made itself felt. Also, the enormous literary heritage, the "notebooks", gradually became a regular source of information for all those who worked in the field.

More direct contact with Leumann's work is reflected in the Strasbourg catalogue of C. TRIPĀTHI and in the Āvaśyaka publication by N. Balbir and Th. Oberlies. The Strasbourg catalogue (CJM) is actually a handbook which can be used by all scholars working on early Jainism. It is closely connected with Leumann's Jainological studies and contains a number of Āvaśyaka entries (Ser.Nos.37-46, 51, 52ff.). N. Balbir devoted her unpublished thesis (Balbir 1986) to the Āvaśyaka commentaries, and in cooperation with Th. Oberlies she prepared the double volume based on Leumann's Āvaśyaka-Erzählungen. This volume is in the first place a complete evaluation of Leumann's study (Balbir: "Traductions", Oberlies "Glossar"), but it also includes a general survey of the Āv.-literature and an exhaustive description of the narrative material in the Āv.-commentaries (Balbir: "Introduction générale"). We now present the bibliography which was the starting point of this article.

§ 3. Avasyaka bibliography (secondary sources)

We have arranged the bibliographical data in two different sections (§§ 3-4). Each title appears but once.

Refer in connection with the present section to BALBIR 1993a for the following: (i) the subdivision of the Āv. Niryukti into twenty chapters as used by WEBER (arabic chapter figures) and LEUMANN (roman chapter figures with arabic verse figures), pp.41-43 and 126; (ii) Conspectus sommaire de l'Āvaśyaka Niryukti, pp.63-75; (iii) Inventaire du narratif āvaśyakéen, pp.126-95. SCHUBRING's scepticism concerning the subdivision of the Āv. Niryukti into twenty chapters (1962: § 55, fn.) is too strong. However, modern publications normally use the continuous numbering (1-1623). As far as prose stories are concerned we supply in our notes (in square brackets) in most cases the references to the Āv. Cūrņi (Vols.I-II). For further references the reader is referred to the Inventaire. We noticed several studies which focus attention on parallelisms between Āvaśyaka Cūrņi and Vasudevahindi. Two minor Āvaśyaka contributions by LEUMANN have been mentioned in the Inhaltsverzeichnis of the Kleine Schriften (addenda to K. WATANABE 1909 and E. Cosquin 1909). For various reasons, a bibliography like the present one cannot be complete.

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- Ludwig ALSDORF, "Nikṣepa a Jaina Contribution to Scholastic Methodology": JOI 22.1973, pp.455-463. Kl.Schr.: 257-265. [Discussion of the āvaśyaka-nikṣepa, as contained in Anuyogadvāra, on. pp.260-62 and 263; see Übersicht: 14°, lines 53-55; 46°, lines 36 ff.]
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- Nalini BALBIR, "Jaina Exegetical Terminology: Pk. vibhāsā: 'Detailed Exposition'": JSD (1993), pp.67-84. [Āv. Cūrņi, Vol.I: 115-16.]
- Nalini Balbir, "Formes et terminologie du narratif jaina ancien": Genres littéraires en Inde. Ed. N.Balbir, Presses de la sorbonne Nouvelle 1994: 223-61. [Numerous references to the Āvaśyaka-literature.]
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