Hiranya-dant ('gold-toothed') Vaida ('descendant of Veda') is the name of a teacher in the Aitareya Brāhmaṇa (iii. 6, 3) and the Aitareya Āranyaka (ii. 1, 5). The name presumably refers to the use of gold to stop the teeth; see Dant.

Hiranya-nābha is the name of a Kausalya or Kosala prince, whose horse sacrifice appears to be alluded to in the Śānkhā-yana Śrauta Sūtra (xvi. 9, 13). He is also referred to in the Praśna Upaniṣad (vi. 1), and may have been connected with Para Āṭṇāra. Cf. Hairanya-nābha.

Hiranya-stūpa is the name of a man in the Rigveda<sup>1</sup> and in the Śatapatha Brāhmaṇa.<sup>2</sup> He is called an Āṅgirasa in the Aitareya Brāhmaṇa,<sup>3</sup> which credits him with the authorship of a Rigvedic hymn.<sup>4</sup> The Anukramaṇī (Index) ascribes to him several other hymns.<sup>5</sup>

| 1 x. 149, 5.             | 4 i. 32.  |
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| <sup>2</sup> i. 6, 4, 2. | <sup>8</sup> i. 31-35; ix. 4. 69. <i>Cf.</i> Ludwig, Translation of the Rigveda, 3, 104, 141. |
| ³ iii, 24, 11.           | Translation of the Rigveda, 3, 104, 141.  |

Hiranya-hasta is in the Rigveda<sup>1</sup> the name of a son given by the Asvins to Vadhrimatī (who, as her name denotes, was the wife of a eunuch).

<sup>1</sup> i. 116, 13; 117, 24; vi. 62, 7; | **Syāva** in x. 65, 12. Cf. Macdonell, x. 39, 7. He appears to be called | Vedic Mythology, p. 52.

Hirā in the Atharvaveda¹ denotes 'vein,' like Hitā.

1 i. 17, 1; vii. 35, 2; Vājasaneyi Samhitā, xxv. 8. Cf. Weber, Omina und Portenta, 346.

Hrtsv-āsaya Āllakeya is mentioned in the Jaiminīya Upanisad Brāhmana (iii. 40, 2) in the Vamsa (list of teachers) as a pupil of Somasuşma Sātyayajñi Prācīnayogya.

Hrdayāmaya, 'disease of the heart,' is mentioned in the Atharvaveda in connexion with Yakşma<sup>1</sup> and with Balāsa.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> v. 30, 9. 2 vi. 14, 1; 127, 3.