

नृत्यं मयूरा विजहः R. 14. 69; Me. 32, 36; R. 3. 19. -**Comp.** -प्रियः 1. an epithet of Siva. -2. a peacock. -शाला a dancing hall. -स्थानं a stage, dancing room.

नृप, **नृपति**, **नृपाल** &c. See under नृ.

नृशंस *a.* [नृन् शंसति हिंसति शंस-अण्]
1 Wicked, malicious, cruel, mischievous, base; Mk. 3. 25; Ms. 3. 41; Y. 1.164. -2 Ved. To be praised by men.

नृशंस्य *a.* Wicked, malicious. -**स्य** Maliciousness, wickedness.

नेजकः A washerman.

नेजनं Washing, cleansing.

नेतृ *m.* [नी-नृच्] 1 One who leads or guides, a leader, conductor, manager, guide (of elephants, animals &c.); R. 4. 75, 14. 22, 16. 30; Me. 69; नेताश्वस्य सुजनं सुजनस्य वा Sk.; Mu. 7. 14. -2 A director, preceptor; Bh. 2. 88. -3 A chief, master, head. -4 An inflictor (as of punishment); Ms. 7. 25. -5 An owner. -6 The hero of a drama. -7 The numeral 'two'. -8 N. of Vishnu.

नेत्री 1 A river. -2 A female leader. -3 An epithet of Lakshmi. -4 An artery, a vein.

नेत्रं [नयति नीयते वा अनेन नी-ट्ट्] 1 Leading, conducting. -2 The eye; प्रायेण गृहिणीनेत्राः कन्यार्थेषु कुटुंबिनः Ku. 6. 85, 2. 29, 30; 7. 13. -3 The string of a churning-stick. -4 Woven silk, a fine silken garment; नेत्रकमेणोपरुरोध सूर्ये R. 7. 39 (where some commentators take नेत्रे in its ordinary sense of the 'eye'). -5 The root of a tree. -6 An enema-pipe. -7 A carriage, conveyance in general. -8 The number 'two'. -9 A leader. -10 A constellation, star (said to be *m.* only in these two senses). -**Comp.** -अंजनं a collyrium for the eyes; S. Til.7. -अंतः the outer corner of the eye. -अंशु, -अंभस् *n.* tears. -अभिव्यंद्ः running of the eyes, a kind of eye-disease. -आमयः ophthalmia. -उत्सवः any pleasing or beautiful object. -उपमं the almond fruit. -औषधं collyrium. -कर्नानिका the pupil of the eye. -कोषः 1. the eye-ball. -2. the bud of a flower. -गोचर *a.* within the range of sight, percep-

tible, visible. -छद्ः the eyelid. -जं, -जलं, -जरि *n.* tears. -पर्येत *a.* as far as the eye, up to the eye. (-तः) the outer corner of the eye. -पिंडः 1. the eye-ball. -2. a cat. -मलं the mucus of the eyes. -मुष् *a.* stealing or captivating the eye. -योनिः 1. an epithet of Indra (who had on his body a thousand marks resembling the female organ inflicted by the curse of Gautama). -2. the moon. -रंजनं a collyrium. -रोमन् *n.* the eyelash. -वस्तिः *m. f.* a clyster-pipe with a bag. -वस्त्रं a veil over the eye, the eyelid. -विष *f.* excretion of the eyes. -स्त्वम्: rigidity of the eyes.

नेत्रिकं 1 A pipe. -2 A ladle.

नेत्री See under नेतृ.

नेद् 1 P. (नेदति) 1 To go. -2 To censure. -3 To bring near.

नेदिष्ठ *a.* Nearest, next, very near (superl. of अंतिक q. v.).

नेदीयस् *a.* (सी *f.*) Nearer, very near (compar. of अंतिक q. v.); नेदीयसि प्रियतमे Bv. 2. 6; नेदीयसी भुत्वा Mâl. 1 'drawing near, approaching'.

नेपः A family-priest. -पं Water.

नेपथ्यं 1 Decoration, an ornament. -2 Dress, apparel, costume, attire; उदारनेपथ्यभृत् R. 6. 6; राज्ञेद्रनेपथ्यविधानशोभा 14. 9; उज्ज्वलनेपथ्यविरचना Mâl. 1; Ku. 7. 7; V. 5. -3 Particularly, the costume of an actor; विरलनेपथ्ययोः पात्रयोः प्रवेशोस्तु M. 1. -4 The tiring-room, the space where the actors attire themselves (which is always behind the curtain), the postscenium; नेपथ्ये 'behind the scenes'. -**Comp.** -विधानं arrangements of the tiring-room; यदि नेपथ्यविधानमवसितं S. 1.

नेपालः N. of a country in the north of India. -लाः pl. The people of this country. -लं Copper. -ली 1 The wild date tree or its fruit. -2 Red arsenic. -**Comp.** -जा -जाता red arsenic. -मूलकं a radish.

नेपालकं Copper.

नेपालिका Red arsenic.

नेम *a.* (Nom. pl. नेम-नेमाः) 1 Half. -नः 1 A part. -2 A period, time, season. -3 A boundary, limit. -4 An enclosure, fence. -5 The foundation of a wall. -6 Fraud, deceit. -7

Evening. -8 A hole, ditch. -9 A root. -10 Acting, dancing. -11 Upper part. -12 Ved. Food. -**Comp.** -धित *a.* Ved. divided. -धितिः *f.* Ved. 1, a battle, conflict. -2. dividing into two.

नेमिः -मी *f.* 1 The circumference, ring or felly of a wheel; उपोदशब्दान रथांगनेमवः S. 7. 10; चक्रनेमिक्रमेण Me. 109; R. 1. 17, 39. -2 Edge, rim. -3 A windlass. -4 A circumference (in general); उदधिनेमि R. 9. 10. -5 A thunderbolt. -6 The earth. -मिः The tree तिनिस. -**Comp.** -वृत्ति *a.* following the course of, acting like, the outer rims of the wheel; R. 1. 17.

नेष 1 A. (नेवते) To go, move.

नेष्टः A clod of earth.

नेष्टृ *m.* One of the chief officiating priests at a Soma sacrifice (whose number is 16).

नैःश्रेयस *a.* (सी *f.*), नैःश्रेयसिक *a.* (की *f.*) Leading to happiness or final beatitude.

नैःस्वं, नैःस्व्यं Destitution, poverty, indigence.

नैक *a.* (न-एक) Not one or alone, mostly in comp.; °आत्मन् *m.*, °रूपः, °शुभः epithets of the Supreme Being. -कः An epithet of Vishnu. -**Comp.** -चर *a.* living in society, gregarious. -भावाभय *a.* fickle, changeable. -भेद *a.* manifold, various. See under न also.

नैकधा *ind.* In various ways, variously.

नैकशस् *ind.* 1 In great numbers. -2 Repeatedly, often, frequently.

नैकटिक *a.* (की *f.*) Adjacent, near, contiguous. -कः An ascetic or Bhikshu; Bk. 4. 12 (*vide* commentary).

नैकट्यं Proximity, neighbourhood.

नैकषेयः A demon, Rākshasa.

नैकृतिक *a.* (की *f.*) 1 Dishonest, false (or perhaps cruel); Ms. 4. 196. -2 Low, vile, wicked. -3 Morose.

नेगम *a.* (मी *f.*) [निगम-अण्] Relating to or occurring in the Veda or holy writings; as in °कांड. -नः 1 An interpreter of the Vedas or