

demic. -2 Pestilence personified (the goddess presiding over plagues and identified with Durgā).

मारकत *a.* (ती *f.*) Belonging to an emerald; काचः कांचनसंलग्नाद्धिते मारकतीं द्युतिं H. Pr. 41.

मारव *a.* (ची *f.*) Desert, belonging to a wilderness.

मारिच *a.* (ची *f.*) Made of pepper.

मारिचिक *a.* Peppered, seasoned with pepper.

मारिषः A respectable, worthy or venerable man, (used in dramas in the voc. as a respectful mode of address by the Sūtradhāra to one of the principal actors; see U. 1; Māl. 1).

मारिच *a.* (ची *f.*) Belonging to or composed by Marichi. -चः 1 N. of a demon, son of Sunda and Tāḍakā. He assumed the form of a golden deer, and thus enticed Rāma to a considerable distance from Sitā, so that Rāvaṇa found a good opportunity to carry her off. -2 A large or royal elephant. -3 A kind of plant. -4 N. of the sage Kasyapa; S. 7. 9. -5 A sacrificing priest. -ची N. of the mother of Sākyaṃuni. -चं A collection of pepper shrubs.

मारुंडः 1 A serpent's egg. -2 Cow-dung. -3 A way, road. -4 A place covered with cowdung.

मारुत *a.* (ती *f.*) [मरुत इदं अण्] 1 Relating to or arising from the Maruts. -2 Relating to wind, aerial, windy. -तः 1 Wind; R. 2. 12, 34; 4. 55; Ms. 4. 122. -2 The god of wind, the deity presiding over wind. -3 Breathing. -4 Vital air, one of the three essential humours of the body. -5 The trunk of an elephant. -6 Ved. A son of the Maruts. -ती The north-west quarter. -तं The lunar mansion called Svāti. -Comp. -अश्विनः a snake. -आत्मजः, -सुतः, -सूनुः 1, epithets of Hanumat. -2. of Bhīma. -व्रतं 'penetrating everywhere', one of the duties of a king (who is able to penetrate everywhere by means of spies); cf. प्रवि-

द्वय सर्वभूतानि यथा चरति मारुतः । तथा चरैः प्रवेष्टव्यं व्रतमंतस्त्रि मारुतं ॥ Ms. 9. 306.

मासुतिः [मरुतोऽपत्यं इञ्] 1 An epithet of Hanumats; R. 12. 60. -2 Of Bhīma.

मार्कंडः, **मार्कंडेयः** [मृकंडोरपत्यं अण् टक्] N. of an ancient sage. -Comp. -पुराणं N. of one of the eighteen Purāṇas (composed by this sage).

मार्ग 1. 1 P., 10 U. (मार्गति, मार्गयति-ते) 1 To seek, seek for. -2 To hunt after, chase. -3 To strive to attain, strive after; आत्मोत्कर्षं न मार्गेत परेषां परिनिदया । स्वमुत्तरेव मार्गेत विप्रकर्षं पृथग्जनात् Subhāsh. -4 To solicit, beg, ask for; वरं वरेण्यो नृपतेरमार्गीत् Bk. 1. 12; Y. 2. 66. -5 To ask in marriage. -6 To seek through, trace out. -II. 10 U. (मार्गयति-ते) 1 To go, move. -2 To decorate, adorn. -WITH परि to seek, look out for.

मार्गः [मृज्-शुद्धौ, मार्ग-अन्वेषणे घञ् वा] 1 A way, road, path (fig. also); अग्निशरणमार्गमावेशय S. 5; so विचारमार्ग-प्रहितेन चेतसा Ku. 5. 42; R. 2. 72; U. 3. 37. -2 A course, passage, the tract passed over; वायोरिमं परिवहस्य वरंति मार्गं S. 7. 6. -3 Reach, range; Ki. 18. 40. -4 A scar, mark (left by a wound &c.); R. 4. 48; 14. 4. -5 The path or course of a planet. -6 Search, inquiry, investigation. -7 A canal, channel, passage. -8 A means, way. -9 The right way or course, proper course; सुमार्ग, अमार्ग. -10 Mode, manner, method, course; शान्ति° R. 7. 71. -11 Style, direction; इति वैदर्भमार्गस्य प्राणा दश गुणाः स्मृताः Kāv. 1. 41; वाचां विचित्रानामार्गाणां 1. 9. -12 Custom, usage, practice; कुल°, शास्त्र°, धर्म° &c. -13 Hunting or tracing out game. -14 A title or head in law, ground for litigation. -15 A high style of acting, dancing, and singing. -16 (In dramaturgy) Hinting or indicating how anything is to happen. -17 (In geom.) A section. -18 The anus. -19 Musk. -20 The constellation called मृगशिरस्. -21 The month called मार्गशीर्ष. -Comp. -आगतः a traveller. -उपदेशकः a guide, leader. -तोरणं a triumphal arch erected on a road; R. 11. 5. -दर्शकः a guide. -द्रवः a city or town on the road. -धेनुः, -धेनुकं a measure of distance equal

to 4 krosas. -बंधनं a barricade. -रक्षकः a road-keeper, guard. -वडी an epithet of the tutelary deity of travellers. -शोधकः a pioneer. -स्थ *a.* travelling, way-faring. -हर्म्यं a palace on a high road.

मार्गकः The month called मार्गशीर्ष.

मार्गण *a.* [मार्ग-ल्यु ल्युट् वा] 1 Seeking, searching or looking out for. -2 Inquiring. -3 Asking, begging. -ण, -णा 1 Begging, requesting, soliciting. -2 Seeking, looking out for, searching. -3 Investigating, inquiry, examination. -णः 1 A beggar, supplicant, mendicant. -2 An arrow; दुर्बाराः स्वरमार्गणाः K. P. 10; अभेदि तत्तादृगनंगमार्गैर्यद्वस्व पापैरैरपि धैर्यकञ्जुकं N. 1. 46; Vikr. 1. 77; R. 9. 17, 65. -3 The number 'five'.

मार्गणकः A beggar, supplicant.

मार्गेशिरः, **मार्गेशिरस्** *m.* मार्गशीर्षः N. of the ninth month of the Hindu year (corresponding to November-December) in which the full moon is in the constellation मृगशिरस्.

मार्गेशिरी, **मार्गशीर्षी** The full-moon day in the month of मार्गशीर्ष.

मार्गिकः 1 A traveller. -2 A hunter.

मार्गित *p. p.* 1 Sought, searched, inquired after. -2 Hunted after, desired, solicited.

मार्गिन् *m.* 1 A pioneer. -2 A guide, leader.

मार्ज 10 U. (मार्जयति-ते) 1 To purify, cleanse, wipe; cf. मृज्. -2 To sound.

मार्जः [मृज् मार्ज् वा घञ्] 1 Cleansing, purifying, scouring. -2 A washerman. -3 An epithet of Vishnu.

मार्जक *a.* (शिक्रा *f.*) [मृज्-ण्वल्] Cleansing, purifying, scouring.

मार्जन *a.* (नी *f.*) [मृज्-ल्यु ल्युट् वा] Cleansing, purifying. -नं 1 Cleansing, cleaning, purifying. -2 Wiping or rubbing off. -3 Effacing, wiping away. -4 Cleansing the person by rubbing it with unguents. -5 Sprinkling the person with water by means of the hand, a blade of Kusa grass &c. -नः The tree called Lodhra. -ना 1 Cleansing, purifying, cleaning. -2 The sound of a drum; मासुरी नद्यति मार्जनं मनोति M 1. 21. -नी A broom, brush.

मार्जारः (लः) [मृज्-आरन् वा रस्य लः]