

पक्षः N. of a barbarous tribe, a Chāṇḍāla.

पक्ष 1 P., 10 U. (पक्षति, पक्षयति-ते) 1 To take, seize. -2 To accept. -3 To side with.

पक्षः [पक्ष-अच्] 1 A wing, pinion; अयापि पक्षानपि नोद्धियेते K. 347; so उद्धितपक्षः fledged; पक्षच्छेदोद्यतं शकम् R. 4. 40; 3. 42. -2 The feather or feathers on each side of an arrow; अनुसंततिपातिनः पटुत्वं दधतः शुद्धिभृतो गृहीतपक्षाः (शराः) Śi. 20. 11. -3 The flank or side of a man or animal, the shoulder; स्तम्बेरमा उभयपक्षविनीतनिद्राः R. 5. 72. -4 The side of anything, a flank; वितत्य पक्षद्वयमायतम् Ki. 14. 31. -5 The wing or flank of an army; सुपर्णपक्षानिलनुन्नपक्षम् (राक्षसराजसैन्यम्) Rām. 7. 6. 69. -6 The half of anything. -7 The half of a lunar month, a fortnight (comprising 15 days; there are two such *pakṣas*, शुक्रपक्षः the bright or light half, and कृष्ण-तमिस्र-पक्षः the dark half); तमिस्रपक्षेऽपि सह प्रियाभि-ज्योःस्नावतो निर्विशति प्रदोषान् R. 6. 34; Ms. 1. 66; Y. 3. 50; सीमा वृद्धि समायाति शुक्रपक्ष इवोदुराद् Pt. 1. 92; Mb. 3. 260. 5. -8 (a) A party in general, faction, side; प्रमुदितवरपक्षम् R. 6. 86; Śi. 2. 117; तुल्यो मित्रारिपक्षयोः Bg. 14. 25; R. 6. 53; 18. 17. (b) A family, race; रूपान्वितां पक्षवतीं मनोज्ञां भार्यामयलोपगतां लभेत् सः Mb. 13. 57. 40; किं क्रन्दसि दुराक्रन्द स्वपक्षक्षयकारक Pt. 4. 29. -9 One belonging to any party, a follower, partisan; विष्णुपक्षैः प्रतिच्छन्नैर्न भियेतास्य धीर्यथा Bhāg. 7. 5. 7; शत्रुपक्षो भवान् H. 1. -10 A class, multitude, host, any number of adherents; as अरि°, मित्र°. -11 One side of an argument, an alternative, one of two cases; पक्षे 'in the other case, on the other hand', पूर्वं एवाभवत् पक्षस्तस्मिन्नाभवदुत्तरः R. 4. 10; 14. 34; cf. पूर्वपक्ष and उत्तरपक्ष. -12 A case or supposition in general; as in पक्षान्तरे. -13 A point under discussion, a thesis, an argument to be maintained. -14 The subject of a syllogism or conclusion (the minor term); संदिग्धसाध्य-वान् पक्षः T. S., दधतः शुद्धिभृतो गृहीतपक्षाः Śi. 20. 11 (where it means 'a feather' also). -15 A symbolical expression for the number 'two'. -16 A bird. -17 A state, condition. -18 The body. -19 A limb of the body. -20 A royal elephant. -21 An army; Mb. 2. 16. 7. -22 A wall. -23 Opposition. -24 Rejoinder, reply. -25 A mass, quantity (when in composition with words meaning 'hair'); केशपक्षः; cf. हस्त. -26 Place, position. -27 A view, notion, idea. -28 The side of an equation in a primary division. -29 The ash-pit of a fire-place. -30 Proximity, neighbourhood. -31 A bracket. -32 Purity, perfection. -33 A house. -34 The sun (according to Sāyaṇa); सा पक्ष्या नव्यमायु-र्दधाना Rv. 3. 53. 16. -Comp. -अध्यायः logic, casuistry. -अन्तः 1 the 15th day of either half month, i. e. the day of new or full moon. -2 the end of the wings of an army. -अन्तरम् 1 another side. -2 a different side or view of an argument. -3 another supposition. -अवसरः = पक्षान्त q. v. -आघातः 1 palsy or paralysis of one side, hemiplegia.

-2 refutation of an argument. -आभासः 1 a fallacious argument. -2 a false plaint. -आहारः eating food only once in a fortnight; सपुत्रदारो हि मुनिः पक्षाहारो बभूव ह Mb. 3. 26. 5. -उद्ग्राहिन a. showing partiality, adopting a side. -गम a. flying. -ग्रहणम् choosing a party; taking the side of. -घातः = पक्षाघातः see above. -घ्न a. (a house) wanting a side. -चरः 1 an elephant strayed from the herd. -2 the moon. -3 an attendant. -छिद् m. an epithet of Indra (clipper of the wings of mountains); कुद्वेऽपि पक्षच्छिदि वृत्रशत्रौ Ku. 1. 20. -जः the moon. -द्वयम् 1 both sides of an argument. -2 'a couple of fortnights', i. e. a month. -द्वारम् a side-door, private entrance. -धर a. 1 winged. -2 adhering to the party of one, siding with any one. (-रः) 1 a bird. -2 the moon. -3 a partisan. -4 an elephant strayed from the herd. -नाडी a quill. -निक्षेपः the placing on the side of, counting among. -पातः 1 siding with any one; यद् दुर्योधनपक्षपातसदृशं कर्म Ve. 3. 5. -2 liking, desire, love, affection (for a thing); भवन्ति भव्येषु हि पक्षपाताः Ki. 3. 12; U. 5. 17; रिपुपक्षे बद्धः पक्षपातः Mu. 1. -3 attachment to a party, partisanship, partiality; पक्षपातमत्र देवी मन्यते M. 1; सत्यं जना वच्मि न पक्षपातान् Bh. 1. 47. -4 falling of wings, the moulting of birds. -5 a partisan. -पातिता, -त्वम् 1 partisanship, adherence to a side or party. -2 friendship, fellowship. -3 movement of the wings; न परं पथि पक्षपातिताऽनवलम्बे किमु मादृशेऽपि सा N. 2. 52. -पातिन् a. or subst. 1 siding with, adhering to, a party, attached or partial (to a particular cause); पक्षपातिनो देवा अपि पाण्डवानाम् Ve. 3. -2 sympathizing; Ve. 3. -3 a follower, partisan, friend; यः सुरपक्षपाती V. 1. -पालिः a private door. -पुटः a wing. -पोषण a. factious, promoting quarrels. -प्राप्तानुवादः a case of the description of a thing which admits of two alternatives (cf. Daṇḍaviveka G. O. S. 52, p. 21). -विन्दुः a heron. -भागः 1 the side or flank. -2 especially, the flank of an elephant. -भुक्ति f. the course traversed by the sun in a fortnight. -भेदः a. distinction between two sides of an argument. -रात्रिः a kind of play or sport. -वञ्चितकम् a particular position of hands in dancing. -वधः paralysis of one side. -मूलम् the root of a wing; उल्लास-पल्लवितकोमलपक्षमूलः (चकोराः) Bv. 2. 99. -रचना forming a party or faction. -वादः 1 an exparte statement. -2 stating a case, expression of opinion. -वाहनः a bird. -व्यापिन् a. 1 embracing the whole of an argument. -2 pervading the minor term. -हत a. paralysed on one side; दृष्ट्वा कुणीन् पक्षहतान् Mb. 12. 180. 39. -हरः 1 a bird. -2 a recreant, traitor. -होमः 1 a sacrificial rite lasting for a fortnight. -2 a rite to be performed every fortnight.

पक्षकः 1 A side-door. -2 A side; गजपतिमधिरोहः पक्षक-व्यत्ययेन Śi. 11. 7. -3 An associate, a partisan (at the end of comp.). -4 A fan.