

*Mahāsarvaḍaṇḍanāyaka* (CII 3), the commander-in-chief. See *Sarvaḍaṇḍnāyaka* and *Daṇḍanāyaka*.

*Mahāsarvādhikṛta* (EI 12,28), the chief minister or administrator. Cf. *Sarvādhikṛta* and *Sarvādhikārin*.

*mahā-satī* (EI 31), spelt *mā-sati* in Tamil, etc.; a lady who has committed *sati*; cf. *sati*.

Cf. *mā-sati-kal*, a stone raised in memory of a *sati* (*Journ. Mad. Univ.*, Vol. XXXII, p. 136).

*Mahāsattrapati* (EI 13), superintendent of the *sattras* (houses for free distribution of food).

*Mahāsenādhipati* (EI 19), commander of forces. Cf. *Mahāsenāpati*, *Senādhipati*, *Samastasenādhipati*, etc.

*Mahāsenāni*, commander of forces (*Ep. Ind.*, Vol. XVII, p. 156).

*Mahāsenāpati* (EI 30; CII 3, 4; BL; HD), 'the great commander of armies'. See *Senāpati*, *Mahāsenādhipati*. Cf. *Ep. Ind.*, Vol. VIII, p. 94.

*Mahāsenāpatnī* (IE 8-2; EI 20; LL), wife of a *Mahāsenāpati*.

*Mahāśiraḥ-Pradhāni* (ASLV), a high officer who had a seat in the Imperial Council of the Vijayanagara kings.

*Mahāśramaṇa* (EI 32), the Buddha.

*Mahāśreṣṭhin* (EI 7; CII 4; HD), 'the great banker'; the chief banker; see *Śreṣṭhin*. Cf. *Ep. Ind.*, Vol. VII, p. 91.

*mahāsthāna* (EI 7), a holy place.

(EI 24), a great temple.

*Mahāsthavira* (LL), Buddhist; cf. *Sthavira*, an Elder.

*Mahāsvāmika* (*Select Inscriptions*, p. 202), probably, 'the king'.

*Mahāśvapati* (BL), designation of the leader of horsemen. See *Aśvapati*.

*Mahāśvasādhanika* (EI 12; HD), commander of a cavalry force. Cf. *Ep. Ind.*, Vol. II, p. 309.

(CII 4), the great equerry.

*mahāśvaśālā* (EI 12; HD), explained as 'the office of the chief master of the horses'; one of the five high offices instituted by Lalitāditya of Kashmir (*Rājataranḡiṇī*, IV. 142).

*Mahāśvaśāl-ādhipikṛta* (IE 8-2), superintendent of the stables; one of the designations often included in the *pañca-mahāśabda* (cf. *Rājataranḡiṇī*, IV. 142).