

*nirasta*, *nirasti*, cf. *sarvajāta-bhoga-nirastyā* (IE 8-5), 'with all kinds of the [king's] rights renunciated'.

*niravakara* (EI 31), used in some Orissan inscriptions in the sense of 'the nett total after deductions'.

*nirayana* (CII 3), destitute of precession of the equinoxes.

*Nirgrantha* (CII 1), a follower of the Jain religion.

*Nirgranthanātha* (BL), epithet of a Jain poet of the Digambara sect.

*nirīkṣita* (IE 8-1), same as *dīkṣita*, 'examined [and approved]'. See *ni*.

*nirlakṣaṇa* (CII 1), castration.

*nīroga*, the science of medicine (*Ep. Ind.*, Vol. XXXV, p. 146).

*nirūdhyā* (LP), 'up to'.

*nīru-nela*, *nīr-nela* (CITD), Telugu; low lying land irrigated by water from a tank, canal, well, etc.; usually called 'wet land' and considered the most valuable. Cf. *veli-volamu* or *veli-cenu*, i.e. land on a comparatively higher level, which depends solely on rain and is called 'dry land'.

*nirūpa* (SITI), written order; communication from the king or other superiors.

*Nirūpa* (ASLV), the carrier of a royal order.

*nirūpaṇa* (LP), order for transfer of service; appointment.

*nirūpita* (LP), appointed.

*nirūpita-daṇḍa* (IA 18), wrongly regarded as a doubtful technical expression; actually, 'appointed as *Daṇḍa* (i.e. *Daṇḍa-nāyaka*)'. Cf. *niyukta-Daṇḍa*.

*nirvacanīya*, cf. *bhoga-sambandha-nirvacanīya* (EI 12), 'the relations [of the gift land] with the district [to which it belonged] should not be reckoned'.

*nirvah*, cf. *nirvahanīya* (LP), 'should be observed'.

*nirvāha*, cf. *vāśal-nirvāham* (SITI), same as *vāśal-kāriyam* (*kārya*).

*Nirvāha* (ASLV), probably, a manager.

*nirvāha-sabhā* (SITI), a managing or executive committee.

*nirvāṇa* (CII 3), annihilation of human passion; a stage in the Buddhist practices, anterior to *parinirvāṇa* or complete annihilation of personal existence by absorption into the all-pervading spirit.

(*HA*), same as *mokṣa*; liberation from all bondage includ-