

निर्देशिनी *f.* A quarter, a point of the compass.

निद्रा *f.* 1 Sleep, sleepiness, प्रच्छायमुलभनिद्रा दिवसाः Sak. i., R. v. 73; 2 shutting (of flowers). **Comp.** — वृक्ष *m.* darkness.—संजनन *n.* phlegm, phlegmatic humour.

निद्राण *a.* (*f.* णा) Sleeping, sleepy.

निद्रात् *I a.* Sleeping, sleepy. **II m.** An epithet of Vishnu.

निद्रित *a.* (*f.* ता) Asleep.

निधन *I a.* (*f.* ना) Poor, indigent, अहो निधनता सर्वोपदामा-स्पदम् Mrich. i. **II m. n.** End, death, loss, annihilation, म्ले-च्छनिवहनिधने कलयसि करवालम् Git. G. i., स्वधर्मे निधनं भयः Bg. III. 35. **III n.** Family race.

निधान *n.* 1 Putting down, depositing; 2 keeping, pre- serving; 3 a place where anything is laid, a receptacle; 4 treasure, treasure-trove, निधानगर्भाय सागरांबरा-म् R. III. 9, Bg. ix. 18; 5 store, property, wealth.

निधि *m.* 1 Abode, receptacle, निधिमिव हर्षनिधानम् Git. G. v., R. v. 55; 2 a store-house, a treasury; 3 a treasure, a hoard; (for the nine treas- ures of Kubera See नवनि- धि); 4 the ocean; 5 an epithet of Vishnu. **Comp.** — ईश, नाथ *m.* an epithet of Kubera.

निधुवन *n.* 1 Agitation, trembl- ing; 2 coition, अद्यापि तां नि- धुवनरुमानिःसहांगीम् Ch. P. 4.

निध्यान *n.* Seeing, beholding, sight.

निध्वान *m.* Sound.

निनक्षु *a.* 1 Wishing to die; 2 wishing to escape or dis- appear, Bt. iv. 33.

निन(ना)ह *m.* 1 Sound, noise, उच्चचार निनदोऽभासि तस्याः R.

ix. 73, xi. 15; 2 buzzing, humming.

निनयन *n.* 1 Performance; 2 pouring out.

निहृ *vt.* 1. P (*pp.* निहित; *pres.* निदति, प्रणिदति) To blame, to censure, to find fault with, to condemn, to ridicule. सः निदंती स्वानि भाग्यानि बाला Sak. v., निर्निद रूपं हृदयेन पार्वती K. S. v. 1. Bg. II. 36

निहृक् *a.* (*f.* का) Blaming, defaming, censuring, abus- ing.

निहन *n.* The same as निदा *q. v.*

निहा *f.* 1 Blame, censure, re- proach, abuse, defamation, M. II. 200, Bg. XII. 19; 2 injury, wickedness. **Comp.** — स्तुति *f.* covert praise, ap- parent blame resulting in praise.

निहित *a.* (*f.* ता) Blamed, censured, abused.

निहु *f.* A woman bearing a dead child.

निह्य *a.* (*f.* ह्य) 1 Blamable, bad, vile; 2 forbidden, pro- hibited.

निप *I m. n.* A water-jar. **II m.** The kadamba tree.

निप(पा)ठ *m.* Reading, re- citing, study.

निपतन *n.* Falling down, de- scending, alighting.

निपत्या *f.* 1 Slippery ground; 2 a battle-field.

निपात *m.* 1 Falling down, de- scending, alighting, पयोधरो- त्सेधनिपातश्रुणितः K. S. v. 24; 2 attacking, R. II. 60; 3 casting, hurling, K. S. III. 15; 4 death, M. VI. 31; 5 ac- cidental occurrence or men- tion; 6 irregular form, irregu- larity, *e. g.* परनिपात, पूर्वनिपात; 7 a particle, an indeclinable (in gram).

निपातन *n.* 1 Throwing down, knocking down, M. XI. 208;

2 overthrowing, destroying, killing; 3 an irregular form of a word. an irregularity.

निपान *n.* 1 Drinking off; 2 any reservoir of water, a pool, a puddle, गाहतां महिषा निपान- सलिलं शुभैर्मुहुस्ताडितम् Sak. II.; 3 a well; 4 a milk-pail.

निपीडन *n.* 1 Squeezing, press- ing; 2 hurting, injuring.

निपीडना *f.* Oppression, hurt, injury.

निपुण *a.* (*f.* णा) 1 Clever, shrewd, skilful, अतिमलिने कर्त- न्ये भवति खलानामतीव निपुणा र्धाः Vas. D.; 2 skilled in, con- versant with (with a loc.); 3 kindly or friendly towards

4 sharp, fine, delicate; 5 complete, perfect, accurate. (The acc. and inst. singulars

viz. निपुणम् and निपुणेन are used as indeclinables in the

sense of 1 skilfully, cleverly;

2 completely, totally; 3 ex- actly, carefully, accurately;

e. g. न निपुणं निरीक्षितमायुष्मता;

4 in a delicate manner).

निबंध *m.* 1 Binding, attach- ment, Bg. XVI. 5; 2 com- posing, recording; 3 any literary composition or treatise, especially a compendi- um; 4 restraint, ob- struction, confinement; 5

suppression of urine; 6 a bond, a fetter; 7 a grant of property, an assignment of

money, &c. for support, भुयोऽपि तामहोपात्ता निबंधो द्रव्यमेव वा Yaj. II. 121; 8 foundation, origin; 9 cause, reason.

निबंधन *n.* 1 The act of fasten- ing; 2 constructing, build- ing; 3 restraining, checking, confining; 4 bond, fetter; 5

a receptacle; 6 support, as in जीवितनिबंधन; 7 the peg of a lute; 8 cause, origin,

reason, M. IX. 27; 9 syntax