

Dhanāyu—a son of Purūravas and Urvaśi.

M. 24. 33.

Dhanīṣṭhā—the constellation on the Simśumāra¹ in the Dhruva mandala; good for śrāddha offering,² inauspicious for house-building.³

¹ Bhā. V. 23. 6; Vā. 66. 51; 82. 12. ² Br. II. 24. 134; III. 18. 11; Vi.. III. 14. 16. ³ M. 257. 1.

Dhanu (I)—a son of Śrñjaya, brother of Vasudeva.

Br. III. 71. 193.

Dhanu (II)—a son of Śamika.

M. 46. 27.

Dhanuka—a son of Sambhu.

Vā. 67. 81.

Dhanudurga—one of six kinds of fortresses; others are Mahidurga, Naradurga, Vārkṣadurga, Ambudurga and Giri-durga.

M. 217. 6.

Dhanurdanḍa—equal in measurement to yuga and nālika; four *hastas*.

Vā. 8. 102, 106; 101. 125.

Dhanurdhari—a Śakti.

Br. IV. 44. 74.

Dhanurmaha—Festival of arms—arranged by Kamsa to destroy Krṣṇa and Rāma.

Vi. V. 15. 8 and 15.