

(horselike in strength); काष्ठतुल्यवपुर्भ्यो मिथ्याचारश्च निर्भयः। द्वादशाङ्गुलमेदृश्च दरिद्रस्तु ह्यो मतः॥ -श्वौ (du.) A horse and a mare. -शवाः horses and mares. [cf. L. *equus*; Gr. *hippos*; Zend *aspa*; Pers. *asp*.] -Comp -अक्षः N. of a plant देवसर्षप. -अजनी a whip अश्वजनि प्रचेतसोऽश्वान् त्समस्तु चोदय Rv. 6. 75. 13. -अधिक a. strong in cavalry, superior in horses. -अध्यक्षः a guardian of horses, commander of horse-cavalry. -अनीकम् a troop of horsemen, cavalry. -अरिः a buffalo. -अवरोहकः N. of a tree अश्वगन्धा. -आयुर्वेदः veterinary science, concerning horses. -आरूढ a. mounted, sitting on horse-back. -आरोह a. riding or mounted on horse. (-हः) 1 a horseman, rider. -2 one who is fighting. -3 a ride. (-हा), -आरोहकः N. of the plant अश्वगन्धा. -आरोहणीयम् Horsemen, cavalry. इदानीमश्वारोहणीयं क्व गतम् Pratiijñā. 1. -आरोहिन a. mounted or riding on horseback. -इषित a. hurried along by horses. -उरस a. broad-chested like a horse. (-सम्) the chief or principal horse. -कन्दा, -कन्दिका N. of a plant अश्वगन्धा. -कर्णः, -कर्णकः 1 a kind of tree (Vatica Robusta; Mar. साग, राळ) Rām. 1. 24. 15; Māl. 9. -2 the ear of a horse. -3 a term in surgery for a particular fracture of the bones. (-णैः) N. of a mountain. -कुटी a stable for horses; Pt. 5. -कुशल, -कोविद a. skilled in managing horses. -क्रन्दः 1 N. of a bird. -2 a general of the army of the gods. -खरजः [अश्वश्च खरी च अश्वश्च वा तभ्यां जायते पुंस्त्वैवः Tv.] a kind of horse, mule. -खुरः 1 a horse's hoof. -2 a kind of perfume. (-रा) N. of the plant अपराजिता. -गति f. 1 the pace of a horse. -2 N. of a metre containing four lines of sixteen syllables in each. -गन्धा [अश्वस्य गन्ध एकदेशो मेढूमिव मूलमस्याः] N. of a plant Physalis Flexuosa Lin; तैलम् a kind of oil. -गुप्तः N. of a Buddhist teacher. -गोयुगः, -गम् a pair of horses. -गोष्ठम् a stable. -ग्रीवः 1 N. of a demon who was a foe of Viṣṇu. -घासः a pasture for horses. -घासकायस्थः An officer in charge of the fodder for the horses Rāj. T. 3. 489. -घोषः N. of a Buddhist writer. -घ्नः [अश्वं हन्ति अमनुष्यकर्तृकत्वात्] 1 a horse-bane. -2 N. of a kind of Oleander, Nerium Odorum Ait. (Mar. पांदरी कण्हेर) -चक्रम् 1 a collection of horses. -2 a kind of wheel. -चर्या Taking care of a horse; तस्याश्वचर्या काकुस्थ दृढधन्वा महारथः (अंशुमानकरोत्) Rām. 1. 396-7. -चलनशाला a riding house. -चिकित्सकः, -वैद्यः a farrier, a veterinary surgeon. -चिकित्सा farriery, veterinary science. -चेष्टितम् 1 the motion of horses. -2 an omen, auspicious or inauspicious. -जघनः a kind of centaur; a creature having his lower limbs like those of a horse. -जित् a. gaining horses by conquest. Rv. 2. 21. 1; पक्स्व गोजिदश्चजित् Rv. 9. 59. 1. -जीवनः gram. -तीर्थम् N. of a place of pilgrimage near Kānyakubja on the Gaṅgā; अदूरे कान्यकुब्जस्य गङ्गायास्तीर-मुत्तमम्। अश्वतीर्थं तदद्यापि मानवैः परिचक्ष्यते॥ Mb. 13. 4. 17 -द a. giving horses; Ms. 4. 231. -दंष्ट्रा the plant Tribulus Lanuginosus (गोधुर; Mar. गोखरू). -दाः, -दावन

m. giving horses. अरिष्टो येषां रथो व्यश्वदावनीयते Rv. 5. 18. 3. -दूतः a riding messenger. -नदी N. of a river. -नायः one who has the charge of a drove of grazing horses; a horse herd. -निबन्धिकः a groom, a horse-fastener. -निर्णिज् a. Ved. decorated or embellished with horses, गोअर्णसि त्वाष्ट्रि अश्वनिर्णिजि Rv. 10. 76. 3. -पः Ved. a groom; Vāj. 30. 11. -पतिः 1 lord of horses Rv. 8. 21. 3. -2 N. of several persons; of a king of Madra and father of Sāvitrī. -पर्ण a. [अश्वानां पर्णं गमनं यत्र] 1 having horses (as a chariot); Rv. 1. 88. 1. -2 a cloud (that penetrates everywhere). -पालः, -पालकः, -रक्षः a horse-groom. -पुच्छी N. of the tree माषपर्णा Glycine Debilis. (Mar. रान उडीद). -पृष्ठम् horse back. -पेशस a. decorated or embellished with horses; ये स्तोत्रभ्यो गोअग्रामश्वपेशसम् Rv. 2. 1. 16. -बन्धः a groom. -बन्धन a. used for fastening horses. (-नम्) fastening of horses. -बला N. of a vegetable (Mar. मेथी). -बालः 1 a kind of reed, Saccharum Spontaneum Lin. (Mar. बोरू). -2 the tail or hair of a horse. -बुध्न a. Ved. based on horses, standing on horses, i. e. on a carriage drawn by horses; अस्य पत्नन्नर्षीरश्वबुध्ना Rv. 10. 8. 3. -बुध्य a. Ved. based on horses, having its origin in horses (wealth); distinguished by horses Rv. 1. 121. 14. -भा lightning. -मन्दुरा A stable of horses. -महिषिका [अश्वमहिषयोर्वैरं वुर्] the natural enmity between a horse and a buffalo. -मारः, -मारकः, -हन्तु m. 'horse-destroying', a kind of Oleander, Nerium Odorum Ait. (Mar. पांदरी कण्हेर). -मालः a kind of serpent. -मुख a. [अश्वस्य मुखमिव मुखमस्य] having the head or face of a horse. (-खः) a horse-faced creature; a Kinnara or celestial chorister; (according to others) a kind of demigod distinct from the preceding. (-खी) a Kinnara woman; भिन्दन्ति मन्दां गतिमश्वमुख्यः Ku. 1. 11. -मुक् m. a horse-stealer. -मेघः [अश्वः प्रधानतया मेध्यते हिंस्यतेऽत्र, मेघं हिंसने घञ्] a horse-sacrifice; यथाश्वमेघः क्रतुराद् सर्वपापापनोदनः Ms. 11. 260. [In Vedic times this sacrifice was performed by kings desirous of offspring; but subsequently it was performed only by kings and implied that he who instituted it, was a conqueror and king of kings. A horse was turned loose to wander at will for a year, attended by a guardian; when the horse entered a foreign country, the ruler was bound either to submit or to fight. In this way the horse returned at the end of a year, the guardian obtaining or enforcing the submission of princes whom he brought in his train. After the successful return of the horse, the rite called Aśva-medha was performed amidst great rejoicings. It was believed that the performance of 100 such sacrifices would lead to the attainment of the seat or world of Indra, who is, therefore, always represented as trying to prevent the completion of the hundredth sacrifice. cf. Rv. 1. 162-163 hymns; Vāj. 22 seq.] -काण्डम् N. of the thirteenth book of