

or health.' -2 A judicial inquiry or investigation. -3 A point at issue, a subject of controversy, controverted or disputed point; इति प्रश्न उपस्थितः. -4 A problem for solution or calculation; अहं ते प्रश्नं दास्यामि Mk. -5 Inquiry into the future. -6 A short section of a work. -7 Basket-work. -8 A task or lesson (in Vedic recitation). -Comp. -उपनिषद् f. N. of an Upaniṣad consisting of six questions and six answers. -कथा a story containing a question. -दूतिः, -ती f. a riddle, an enigma. -पूर्वकेन ind. after examination; Hch. -वादिन् a fortune-teller. -विवाकः an arbitrator, umpire.

**प्रश्नयति** Den. P. To inquire after, ask about (with two acc.).

**प्रश्निन्** m. A questioner, interrogator.

**प्रश्नयः** Laxity, looseness, relaxation.

**प्रश्नब्धिः** f. Trust, confidence.

**प्रश्नयः, प्रश्नयणम्** 1 Respect, courtesy, civility, politeness, respectful or courteous behaviour, humility; वचः प्रश्नयगम्भीरमयोवाच कपिध्वजः Ki. 11. 37; समागतैः प्रश्नयनप्रमूर्तिभिः Śi. 12. 33; R. 10. 70, 83; U. 6. 23; सप्रश्नयम् respectfully, modestly. -2 Love, affection, regard. -3 Resort, recourse (आश्रय); कपिकुलैः स्कन्धे कृतप्रश्नयः Pt. 2. 2.

**प्रश्नयिन्, प्रश्नित** a. Civil, polite, courteous, humble, well-behaved; प्रोवाच चाभितमतिः प्रश्नितं विनयान्वितः Mb. 1. 206. 15; Bhāg. 1. 5. 29.

**प्रश्नय** a. 1 Very loose or flaccid. -2 Spiritless, unnerved.

**प्रश्निष्ठ** p. p. 1 Twisted, entwined. -2 Reasonable, well-argued or reasoned (युक्तियुत). -ष्टः 1 A term applied to the Sandhi of the vowel अ with a following vowel and of other vowels with other homogeneous ones. -2 The vowel resulting from this Sandhi. -3 The accent with which such substituted vowel is pronounced.

**प्रश्नेषः** 1 Close contact, pressing hard against. -2 Euphonic coalition of vowels.

**प्रश्वासः** Breath, respiration; श्वासप्रश्वासयोर्गतिविच्छेदः प्राणायामः Patañjala S.

**प्रश्तिः** Ved. 1 A side-horse. -2 A by-stander. -3 A tripod.

**प्रश्त** a. 1 Standing or being in front; पुरोगाग्रेसरप्रश्ताप्रतः-सरपुरस्सराः Ak.; R. 15. 10; तं पृष्ठतः प्रश्तमियाय नमः Bk. 1. 24. -2 Chief, principal, foremost, best; a leader; पुलस्त्यप्रश्तः Mv. 1. 30; 6. 30; Śi. 19. 30; सर्वनारीशुणैः प्रश्ताम् Bk. 9. 84. -Comp. -वाह m. a young bull being trained for the plough.

**प्रश्तोही** A cow for the first time with a calf.

**प्रस् 1, 4 Ā.** (प्रस-स्य-ते) 1 To bring forth young. -2 To spread, diffuse, expand, extend.

**प्रसकल** a. Very full (as a bosom).

**प्रसंख्या** 2 P. To count, enumerate.

**प्रसंख्या** 1 Total number, sum. -2 Reflection, consideration.

**प्रसंख्यानः** Payment, liquidation; प्रसंख्यानानसंख्येयान् प्रत्यगृह्णन् द्विजातयः Mb. 3. 121. 8. -**नम्** 1 Enumeration. -2 Reflection, meditation; deep meditation, abstract contemplation; हरः प्रसंख्यानपरो बभूव Ku. 3. 40. -3 Fame, reputation; यो न याति प्रसंख्यानमस्पृष्टो भूमिवर्धनः Mb. 3. 35. 7.

**प्रसङ्घः** A great multitude.

**प्रसञ्ज** 1 P. To become attached to or fond of, feel affection for. -*Pass.* 1 To cling to or adhere to. -2 To follow, apply or be applicable, hold good in the case of (active also in this sense); इतरेतराश्रयः प्रसज्येत, वैषम्यनैर्घृण्ये नेश्वरस्य प्रसज्येते Ś. B. -3 To be attached to; तस्यामसौ प्रासजत् Dk.

**प्रसक्त** p. p. 1 Attached to, connected with. -2 Excessively attached or fond; प्रसक्ताः कामभोगेषु पतन्ति नरकेऽ-शुचौ Bg. 16. 16; कुर्वन्ति तावत् प्रथमं प्रियाणि यावन्न जानन्ति नरं प्रसक्तम् Pt. 1. 193. -3 Adhering or sticking to. -4 Fixed or intent upon, devoted or addicted to, engaged in, applied to; यस्तदनुप्रसक्तहृदयेयमिति Śi. 9. 63; so ब्रूत<sup>०</sup>, निद्रा<sup>०</sup> &c. -5 Contiguous, near; प्रसक्तं हि प्रतिषिध्यते -मीमांसकका०. -6 Constant, incessant, uninterrupted; प्रसक्तसंपातपृथक्-कृतान् पथः (पपात) Ki. 4. 18; R. 13. 40; Māl. 4. 6; M. 3. 1. -7 Got, obtained, gained. -8 Expanded, opened. -9 Clinging to the world, mundane; Bhāg. -10 See प्रयुक्त; तन्माभूदिह वः पुरंदरपुरीबन्दीप्रसक्तो विधिः Mv. 1. 59. -**कम्** ind. Incessantly, continuously; अपः प्रसक्तं सुसुचुः पयोसुचः Ki. 16. 55.

**प्रसक्तिः** f. 1 Attachment, devotion, addiction, devotedness, adherence. -2 Connection, union, association; अङ्कप्रसक्तिरकलङ्कहृदां क तेषाम् Viś. Guṇā. 503. -3 Applicability, bearing, application; as in अतिप्रसक्ति (which is = अतिव्याप्ति q. v.). -4 Energy, perseverance; संतापे दिशतु शिवः शिवां प्रसक्तिम् Ki. 5. 50. -5 Conclusion, deduction. -6 A topic or subject of discourse. -7 Occurrence of a possibility. -8 Acquisition, gain.

**प्रसङ्गः** 1 Attachment, devotion, addiction, devotedness; स्वरूपयोग्ये सुरतप्रसङ्गे Ku. 1. 19; तस्यात्यायतकोमलस्य सततं ब्रूतप्रसङ्गेन किम् Mk. 2. 11; Śi. 11. 22. -2 Union, intercourse, association, connection; निवर्ततामस्माद्गणिका-प्रसंगात् Mk. 4; Pt. 1. 251. -3 Illicit intercourse. -4 Occupation, intentness, being engaged or occupied with; भ्रूविक्रियायां विरतप्रसङ्गेः Ku. 3. 47. -5 A subject or topic (of discourse or controversy). -6 An occasion, incident; दिग्विजयप्रसङ्गेन K. 191; यात्राप्रसङ्गेन Māl. 1. -7 Conjunction, time, opportunity; सूक्ष्मेभ्योऽपि प्रसङ्गेभ्यः क्षिपो