

## पुष्टिका

Man. 2, 32. 5. One of the divine mothers.

पुष्टिका *pushṭi+kā*, f. An oyster.

पुष्टिद् *pushṭi+da*, I. adj. Yielding

prosperity, Hariv. 833. II. m. A class of Manes, Mârk. P. 96, 45. III. f. *dâ*, The name of a plant, *Physalis flexuosa* Lin.

पुष्प *PUSHP* (rather an anomal. denomin. derived from *pushpa*), i. 4, Par. To flower, to blossom, Hariv. 12799 (also i. 1, Mâlatîm. 153, 5; Hariv. 7874). Ptcple. of the pf. pass. *pushpita* (rather *pushpa + ita*), Flowered, in flower. f. *tâ*, A woman during menstruation. Comp. *Su-*, adj. blossoming beautifully, Râm. 3, 55, 45. *Suvarṇa-*, adj. having gold instead of flowers, Pañch. i. d. 51 (but cf. Böhl. Ind. Spr. 3284).

पुष्प *push+pa*, I. n. 1. A flower, Nal. 13, 3. 2. The menses, Mârk. P. 51, 42. 3. The vehicle or car of Kuvera. 4. A disease of the eyes, albugo. 5. A topaz, Râm. 2, 94, 6 (cf. *pushpa-râga*). II. m. A proper name. III. f. *pâ*, The capital of Karṇa.—Comp. *A-*, adj., f. *pâ*, without flowers. *Abhra-*, n. 1. water. 2. a flower in the air, i. e. anything non-existent. 3. the ratan, *Calamus rotang*. *Kha-*, n. a sky-flower, a nonentity. *Gandha-*, I. n. a fragrant flower. II. m. the name of several plants. *Jira-*, I. n. 1. the flower of life, denoting a certain plant and the head. 2. the name of two plants. II. f. *pâ*, the name of a plant. *Durbha-*, m. 1. a kind of snake. 2. a certain insect. *Nâga-*, m. the name of several plants. *Bhânda-*, m. a sort of snake. *Lakshmi-*, m. a ruby. *Visha-*, n. the blue lotus. *Vija-*, n. 1. common citron. 2. a thorny plant, *Vangueria spinosa*. *Cauṅkha-pushpi*, f. a sort of

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grass, *Andropogon aciculatum*, Man. 11, 147. *Sa-*, adj. endowed with blossoms, Rit. 6, 2. *Su-*, m., f. *pâ*, and n. the name of several plants. *Sûtra-*, m. the cotton plant.

पुष्पक *pushpa+ka*, I. m. A kind of snake, Suçr. 2, 265, 20. II. n. 1. The chariot of Kuvera, Râm. 3, 36, 15. 2. A bracelet of diamonds or jewels. 3. A cup or vessel of iron. 4. Green vitriol.

पुष्पध *pushpa-dha*, m. The offspring of an outcaste Brâhmaṇa, Man. 10, 21.

पुष्पधय *pushpañdhaya*, i.e. *pushpa+m-dhe+a*, m. A bee.

पुष्पमय *pushpamaya*, adj., f. *yî*, Consisting of flowers, Râm. 5, 5, 17.

पुष्पलिह *pushpa-lih*, m. A bee.

पुष्पवत् *pushpa+vat*, adv. Like a flower or flowers, Böhl. Ind. Spr. 1876.

पुष्पवत् *pushpa+rant*, I. adj., f. *vati*, Having flowers, MBh. 6, 529. II. m. 1. A proper name. 2. du. The sun and the moon. III. f. *vati*. 1. A woman during menstruation. 2. A proper name.

पुष्पाकर *pushpâkara*, i.e. *pushpa-âkara*, adj. Abounding in flowers, Vikr. d. 9 (with *mâsa*, i.e. Spring).

पुष्पिन् *pushpin*, i.e. *pushpa+in*, adj., f. *înî*, Bearing flowers, blossoming, Man. 1, 47.

पुष्पेषु *pushpeshu*, i.e. *pushpa-ishu*, m. Kâma, the god of love (properly, Having flowers for arrows.)

पुष्य *push+ya*, m. 1. The eighth lunar asterism. 2. The name of a month, Dec.—Jan. 3. The fourth age, Kaliyuga.

पुष् *PUS*, see *vyush*.