

*poḍhī* (LL), a cistern; cf. Sanskrit *prahi*.

*Poduvāḷ* (EI 18), Tamil-Malayalam; an officer supervising charitable endowments.

*polācyā*, cf. *sa-khila-polācyā* (IE 8-5); cultivated land; same as *nāla*; Hindi *polāch*, 'land constantly under cultivation.'

*poṁda* (Chamba), name of a tax.

*poṁdī* (Chamba), bottom; foot of a hill.

*pon* (SITI), also spelt *poṇ*; name of a gold coin also called *māḍai*. Cf. *pon-bhaṇḍāram*, 'gold-treasury'; *pon-panḍāra-vāśal*, 'the gate of the gold-treasury; royal gold-treasury'; *pon-vargam* (SITI), 'a class of taxes payable in gold or coin; *ponvari*, 'tax payable in gold (cash)'; also 'the fee for minting gold into coins'; probably, the same as *ponvari-māḍai*.

Cf. *turai-miṇṇar-pon* (SITI), name of a coin.

(IE 8-8; EI 16), name of a coin; same as *gadyāna*, *hūn* or *varāha*.

*poṇ* (EI 24), a coin.

*Poṇ-bhaṇḍāram* (ASLV), a treasurer; treasury.

*Pora-Pāñjīdhara-parikṣā* (EI 28), chief astrologer; cf. *puro* prefixed to certain official designations in Orissa. See *Paṭṭanāyaka*, etc.

*Pora-Śrīkaraṇa* (EI 28), chief secretary; cf. *puro* prefixed to certain official designations in Orissa. See *Porru*.

*Poṅ-Bhaṇḍāri* (EI 25), Tamil; temple officer mentioned along with *Śāsana-bhaṇḍāri* (*Ep. Ind.*, Vol. XXV, p. 132); cf. *pora* prefixed to Oḍiyā official designations like *Pora-Śrīkaraṇa*; also Tamil *Porru*.

*Porru* (EI 25), Tamil; official designation.

*poṣadha*, derived from Sanskrit *uposatha*; also called *poṣadha-vrata*; cf. *paṣadha*.

*pota* (EI 9), a sacrificial victim.

*potaka* (LP), the government's money-bag.

(LP), cf. Gujarātī *potum*; the amount of revenue of a village sent to the Government treasury. Cf. *pottaka*.

*potra* (EI 26), name of a tax. Cf. *potta*.

*potta*, cf. *milita-potta-drammā* (LP), collected government money. Cf. *potra*.

*pottaka* (LP), same as Gujarātī *potum*; the amount of the revenue of a village sent to the government treasury. Cf. *potaka*.

*poṭṭalikā* (IE 8-8), a bundle.