In the Upanisads and later⁴ the Brahmins of the Pañcālas figure as taking part in philosophical and philological discussions. The Samhitopanisad Brāhmaṇa⁵ makes mention of the Prācya-Pāñcālas.

The Pañcālas, no doubt, included other tribes besides the Krivis. The name seems to refer to five tribes, and it has been suggested that the Pañcālas represent the five tribes of the Rigveda, but the suggestion is not very probable. There is no trace in Vedic literature of the Epic division of the Pañcālas into northern (uttara) and southern (dakṣina). The Satapatha Brāhmaṇa mentions their town Paricakrā; other towns to which allusion seems to be made were Kāmpīla and Kauśāmbī. Of their kings and chiefs, as distinguished from kings of the Kuru-Pañcālas, we hear of Kraivya, Durmukha, Pravāhaṇa Jaivali, and Sona.

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4 Brhadāranyaka Upanişad, vi. 1, 1
(Mādhyamdina = vi. 2, 1 Kānva);
Chāndogya Upanişad, v. 3, 1; Rgveda
Prātisākhya, ii. 12, 44; Nidāna Sūtra,
i. 6; Sānkhāyana Śrauta Sūtra, xii. 13,
6, etc.
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Pañcāla-caṇḍa is the name of a teacher in the Aitareya¹ and the Śānkhāyana² Āraṇyakas.

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<sup>1</sup> iii. 1, 6.
<sup>2</sup> vii. 18.

Cf. Weber, Indische Studien, 1, 391;
Indian Literature, 50, 315, 326.
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Pañcāvi occurs several times in the Vājasaneyi Samhitā¹ in the sense of 'aged five lamb-periods' (of six months), that is, 'thirty months old.'²

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1 xviii. 26; xxi. 14; xxiv. 12; xxviii. 26. 2 Cf. Tryavi.
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Pañcaudana is an adjective in the Atharvaveda¹ meaning 'prepared with five rice-messes.' The cooking of five rice dishes is referred to in the same Samhitā.²

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1 iv. 14, 7; ix. 5, 8 et seq. 2 ix. 5, 37.
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⁵ 2. Cf. Indische Studien, 4, 375, n.; 8, 92, n. 1,

⁶ Weber, Indische Studien, 1, 202; Geldner, Vedische Studien, 3, 108, n. 1. Cf. Weber, op. cst., 1, 191 et seq.; Indian Literature, 10, 90, 114, 115, 125, 135, 136.

⁷ xiii. 5, 4, 7.

⁸ See Kausambeya.