lating to *Sakti* or the female personification of divine energy —क्तः A worshipper of *Sakti*; (the *Sâktas* are generally worshippers of Durgâ representing the female personification of divine energy, and the ritual enjoined to them is of two kinds, the pure or right-hand ritual दक्षिणाचार, and impure or left-hand ritual वामाचार q. q. v. v.).

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शाक्यः [शक्-घञ् तत्र साधुः यत्] 1 N. of the family of Buddha. -2 N. of Buddha. -**Comp.** —भिक्षुकः a Buddhist religious mendicant. —मुनिः, -सिंहः epithets of Buddha.

शाक्री 1 N. of *Sachî*, wife of Indra. -2 Of Durgâ.

शाकरः An ox; cf. शाक्वर.

शाख् 1 P. (शाखति) To pervade, fill completely.

शाख N. of Kârtikeya.

शाखा 1 A branch (as of a tree); आवर्जय शाखाः R. 16. 19. -2 An arm. -3 A party, section, faction. -4 A part or subdivision of a work. -5 A school, branch, sect. -6 A part or division of an animal. -7 A school or traditional recension of the Veda, the traditional text followed by a school; as in शाकलशाखा, आश्वलायनशाखा, बाष्कलशाखा &c. -**Comp.** —चंक्रमणं 'leaping from branch to branch', irregular study. —चंद्रन्यायः see under न्याय. —नगरं, -पुरं a suburb. —पित्तः inflammation of the extremities of the body, *e. g.* hands, shoulders &c. —भृत् *m.* a tree. —भेदः difference of (Vedic) school. —मृगः 1. a monkey, an ape. -2. a squirrel. —रंडः 'a traitor to his Śâkhâ', a Brâhmaṇa who has changed his own school of the Vedas. —रथ्या a branch-road. —विलीन *a.* sitting on branches (as a bird). —शिफः a root growing from a branch (as of the fig-tree).

शाखालः A sort of cane (बानीर).

शाखिन् *a.* [शाखा अस्त्यस्य इति] 1 Having branches (fig. also). -2 Branching, ramifying. -3 Belonging to any branch or school (as of the Veda). —*m.* 1 A tree; कुलायभीतिः पवनचपलैः शाखिनो धौतमूलाः *S.* 1. 15. -2 A Veda. -3 A follower of any Vedic school or recension.

शाखोटः, शाखोटकः N. of a tree; कस्त्वं भोः कथयामि दैवहतकं मां विद्धि शाखोटकं K. P. 10.

शाकरः A bull.

शांकरिः 1 N. of Kârtikeya. -2 Of Gaṇeśa. -3 Fire.

शांखं The sound of a conch-shell.

शांखिकः [शंख-ठञ्] 1 A shell-cutter, worker in shells. -2 N. of a mixed tribe. -3 A shell-blower; *Si.* 15. 72.

शाचि *a.* 1 Distinguished, renowned. -2 Strong, powerful.

शाटः, शाटी 1 A garment, cloth. -2 A petticoat.

शाटकः -कं Cloth, garment, petticoat; Pt. 1. 144.

शाटयायनं An oblation for remedying anything wrong in the performance of a rite.

शाठ्यं [शठस्य भावः ष्यञ्] (*a*) Dishonesty, perfidy, guile, trickery, fraud, villainy; आजन्मनः शाठ्यपरिक्षितौ यः *S.* 5. 25; (*b*) Art, skill, cunning; देव्या निह्नोतुमिच्छोरिति सुरसरितं शाठ्यवध्याद्विभोर्वैः Mu. 1. 1.

शाण *a.* (णी *f.*) [शणेन निर्वृत्तं अण्] Hempen, flaxen. —णः 1 A touchstone; मणिः शाणोल्लीढः Bh. 2. 44; Bv. 1. 73. -2 A whetstone. -3 A saw. -4 A weight of four Mâshas. —णं 1 Sack-cloth, coarse cloth. -2 A hempen garment; Ms. 2. 41, 10. 87. -**Comp.** —आजीवः an armourer.

शाणिः A plant from the fibres of which a coarse cloth is prepared.

शाणित *p. p.* Whetted, ground, sharpened (on a whetstone).

शाणी 1 A touchstone. -2 A whetstone. -3 A saw. -4 A hempen garment. -5 A ragged garment. -6 A small screen or tent -7 Gesticulation, a sign made with the hands or eyes. -8 A weight of four Mâshas.

शाणीरं A bank or spot of ground in the *Soṇa* river.

शांडिल्यः 1 N. of a sage, the author of a law-book. -2 The *Bilva* tree. -3 A form of Agni. -**Comp.** —गोत्रं the family of Śâṇḍilya.

शात *p. p.* [शो-क्त] 1 Sharpened, whetted. -2 Thin, slender. -3 Weak, feeble. -4 Beautiful, handsome. -5 Cut down. -6 Happy, thriving. —तः The Dhattûra plant. —तं Happiness, pleasure, delight; मानिनीजनजनितशातं Gît. 10. -**Comp.** —उदरी a woman with a slender waist; *Si.* 5, 23; R. 10. 69. —शिख *a.* sharp-pointed.

शातकुंभं 1 Gold; *Si.* 9. 9; N. 16. 34. -2 The thorn-apple (धत्तूर).

शातकौंभं Gold.

शातनं 1 Whetting, sharpening. -2 Cutting down, destroyer; as in पर्वतपक्षशातनं R. 3. 42. -3 Causing to fall or perish. -4 Causing to decay or wither. -5 Becoming thin or small, thinness. -6 Withering, decaying.

शातपत्रकः -की Moonlight.

शातभीरुः A kind of Mallikâ.

शातमान *a.* (नी *f.*) Bought for one hundred.

शात्रव *a.* (वी *f.*) [शत्रुरेव शत्रोरिदं वा अण्] 1 Relating to an enemy; R. 4. 42. -2 Hostile, inimical. —वः An enemy; तत्र नागवदसौ महाहवे शात्रवादिव पराङ्मुखोऽयिनः *Si.* 14 44, 18. 20; Ve. 5. 1; Bk. 5. 81; Ki. 14. 2; Mu. 2. 5. —वं 1 A collection of enemies. -2 Enmity, hostility; त्रयीशात्रवशत्रवे R. G.

शात्रवीय *a.* 1 Relating to an enemy. -2 Hostile, inimical,

शाद् [शद्-घञ्] 1 Young grass. -2 Mud. -**Comp.** —हरितः -तं a place green with young grass, a place clad in verdure.

शाद्वल *a.* [शादाः संत्यत्र वलच्] 1 Grassy. -2 Abounding in young green grass. -3 Green, verdant. —लः -लं A grass-plot, green, meadow; शरद्या शाद्वलं Śânti. 2. 21; R. 2. 17; Ki. 5. 37, Y. 3. 7.

शान् 1 U. (शीशांसति-ते, strictly a desiderative of शान् used in a primitive sense) To sharpen, whet.

शानः 1 A touch-stone. -2 A whet-stone. -**Comp.** —पादः 1. a stone for grinding sandal. -2. the Pâriyâtra mountain.

शानच् (In gram.) A technical term used by Pâṇini for the Kṛit affix आन or मान used in forming present participles of the Atm.