तिथ्युत्पत्तिं न जानंति ग्रहाणां नैव साधनं । परवाक्येन वर्तंते ते वै नक्षत्रसूचकाः ॥ or अविदित्वैव यः शास्त्रं दैवज्ञत्वं प्रपद्यते । स पांक्तिदूषकः पापो ज्ञेयो नक्षत्रसूचकः ॥ Bri. S. 2. 17, 18.

नक्षत्रिन् *m.* 1 The moon. -2 An epithet of Vishṇu.

नक्षत्रिय *a.* 1 Belonging to the stars in general. -2 Twenty-seven. -3 Not a Kshatriya.

नख् 1 P. (नखति) To go, move.

नखः,-खं 1 A nail of a finger or of a toe, claw, talon ; नखानां पांडित्यं प्रकटयतु कस्मिन्मृगपतिः Bv. 1. 2 ; R. 2. 31 ; 12. 22. -2 The number 'twenty'. -खः A part, portion. -**Comp.** -अंकः a scratch, nail-mark; Bv. 2. 32. -आघातः a scratch, nail-wound ; Mâl. 5. 23. -आयुधः 1. a tiger ; Mâl. 3. 17. -2. a lion. -3. a cock. -आशिन् *m.* an owl. -कुट्टः a barber. -जाहं the root of a nail. -दारणः a falcon, hawk. (-णं) a pair of nail-scissors. -निकृंतनं, -रंजनी a pair of nail-scissors, nail-parer. -पदं, -व्रणः a nail-mark, or scratch ; नखपदसुखान् प्राप्य वर्षाग्रबिंदून् Me. 35. -मुचः a bow. -लेखकः a nail-painter. -लेखा 1. a nail-mark. -2. nail-painting. -विषः a man ; नखविषा नरादयः. -विष्किरः a bird of prey (tearing with claws). -शंखः a small shell.

नखंपच *a.* Nail-scorching ; Si. 9. 85 ; P. III. 2. 34 Sk.

नखरः-रं [नखं राति, रा-क नख वा० उणा० अर वा] A finger-nail, claw, talon ; Bv. 1. 52. -**Comp.** -आयुधः 1. a tiger. -2. a lion. -3. a cock. -आह्वः fragrant oleander (करवीर).

नखानखि *ind.* [नखैर्नखैः प्रहृत्येदं युद्धं प्रवृत्तं] Nail against nail.

नखिन् *a.* [नखः अस्त्यस्य -इनि] 1 Having or armed with nails, claws, &c. -2 Thorny. -*m.* Any animal armed with claws, such as a tiger or lion.

नगः [न गच्छति, गम्-ड] 1 A mountain ; Ku. 1. 1 ; 7. 72 ; Si. 6. 79. -2 A tree. -3 A plant in general. -4 The sun. -5 A serpent. -6 The number 'seven'. -**Comp.** -अटनः a monkey. -अधिपः, -अधिराजः, -इंद्रः 1. Himâlaya (the lord of mountains). -2. the Sumeru mountain. -अरिः an epithet of Indra. -आवासः a peacock. -उच्छ्रायः the height of a mountain. -ओकस् *m.* 1. a bird (in general). -2. a crow. -3. a lion. -4. the fabulous animal called शरभ. -ज *a.* produced in a mountain, mountain-born ; Bk. 10. 9. (-जः) an elephant. -जा,-नंदिनी epithets of Pârvatî. -पतिः 1. the Himâlaya mountain. -2. the moon (as the lord of plants and herbs). -भिद् *m.* 1. an axe. -2. an epithet of Indra. -3. a crow. -मूर्धन् *m.* the crest or brow of a mountain. -रंध्रकरः an epithet of Kârtikeya ; R. 9. 2. -वाहनः an epithet of *Siva*.

नगरं [नगा इव प्रासादाः संत्यत्र वा० र ; cf. P. V. 2. 107 Vârt.] A town, city (opp. ग्राम) ; नगरगमनाय मतिं न करोति *S.* 2. -**Comp.** -अधिकृतः, -अधिपः, -अध्यक्षः 1. the chief magistrate of a town, head police-officer. -2. governor or superintendent of a town. -अभ्याशः-सः the vicinity of a town. -उपांतः a suburb, the skirt of a town. -ओकस् *m.* a townsman. -काकः 'a town-crow', an expression of contempt. -कीर्तनं repeating the name of a god while wandering through a city. -घातः an elephant. -जनः 1. townsfolk. -2. a citizen. -प्रदक्षिणा carrying an idol round a city in procession. -प्रांतः a suburb. -मर्दिन् *m.* an intoxicated elephant. -मार्गः a principal road, high-way. -रक्षा superintendence or government of a town. -राक्षिन् *m.* 1. the superintendent of a town. -2. a town-watchman. -स्थः a townsman, citizen.

नगरी =नगर q. v. -**Comp.** -काकः the (Indian) crane. -बकः a crow.

नगरीय *a.* [नगर-छ] Belonging to a town, urban, civil.

नग्न See under नज् below.

नंगः A lover, paramour (जार).

नचिकेतस् *m.* An epithet of Agni.

नचिर *a.* See अचिर; Bg.5.6; 12.7.

नज् 1 A. (नजते) To be ashamed, modest or bashful.

नग्न *a.* [नज्-न-कर्तरि क्त तस्य नः) 1 Naked, nude, bare; न नग्नः स्नानमाचरेत् Ms. 4. 45 ; नग्नक्षपणके देशे रजकः किं करिष्यति Chân. 110. -2 Uncultivated, uninhabited, desolate. -ग्नः A naked mendicant. -2 A Buddhist mendicant (क्षपणक). -3 A hypocrite. -4 A bard accompanying an army, or a wandering bard. -5 N.of *Siva*. -ग्ना 1 A naked, shameless(or wanton) woman. -2 A girl before menstruation, or less than 12 or 10 (and therefore may go about naked). -**Comp.** -अटः, -अटकः 1. one who goes about naked. -2. especially a Jaina or Buddhist mendicant (of the दिगंबर class).

नग्नक *a.* (-निका *f.*) Naked, nude. -कः 1 A naked mendicant. -2 A Jaina or Buddhist mendicant (of the दिगंबर class). -3 A bard.

नग्नका,-नग्निका 1 A naked, shameless (or wanton) woman. -2 A girl before menstruation.

नग्नंकरणं Making naked.

नग्नंभविष्णु, -भावुक *a.* Becoming naked.

नग्नीकृ 8 U. To make naked, to convert into a naked (Jaina)mendicant ; Pt. 4. 34.

नग्नीकृत *a.* 1 Made naked, undressed. -2 Converted into a naked mendicant.

नञ् *ind.* The technical term for the negative particle न.

नट् I. 1 P. (नटति, the न not changed to ण after प्र in the sense of 'hurting') 1 To dance ; यदि मनसा नटनीयं Gît. 4. -2 To act. -3 To injure (by a deceptive trick). -*Caus.* (नाटयति-ते) 1 To act, gesticulate, represent dramatically (in dramas) ; शरसंधानं नाटयति *S.* 1. &c. -2 To imitate, copy ; स्फटिककटकभूमिर्नाटयत्येष शैलः ...अधिगतधवलिम्नः शूलपाणेरभिख्यां *Si.* 4. 65. (*N. B.* नट् forms नटयति in the sense of 'causing to dance'; Bh. 3. 126). -II. 10 U. (नाटयति-ते) 1 To drop or fall. -2 To shine. -3 To injure.

नटः [नट्-अच्] 1 A dancer ; न नटा न विटा न गायकाः Bh. 3. 27. -2 An actor ; कुर्वन्नयं प्रहसनस्य नटः कृतोऽसि Bh. 3. 126, 112. -3 The son of a degraded Kshatriya. -4 The Asoka tree. -5 A kind of reed. -**Comp.** -अंतिका shame, modesty. -ईश्वरः an epithet of *Siva*. -चर्या the performance of an actor. -भूषणः, -मंडनः (yellow) orpiment. -रंगः a theatrical stage. -वरः 'the chief actor', the Sûtradhâra of a drama. -संज्ञकं yellow orpiment. (-कः) an actor, dancer. -सूचं directions or