नृत्यं मयूरा विजहुः R. 14. 69; Me. 32, 36; R. 3. 19. **-Comp.** **-प्रियः** 1. an epithet of *Siva*. **-2.** a peacock. **-शाला** a dancing hall. **-स्थानं** a stage, dancing room.

नृप, नृपति, नृपाल &c. See under **नृ**.

नृशंस *a.* [नृन् शंसति हिंसति शंस्-अण्] 1 Wicked, malicious, cruel, mischievous, base; Mk. 3. 25; Ms. 3. 41; Y. 1.164. **-2** Ved. To be praised by men.

नृशंस्य *a.* Wicked, malicious. **-स्यं** Maliciousness, wickedness.

नेजकः A washerman.

नेजनं Washing, cleansing.

नेतृ *m.* [नी-तृच्] 1 One who leads or guides, a leader, conductor, manager, guide (of elephants, animals &c.); R. 4. 75, 14. 22, 16. 30; Me. 69; **नेताश्वस्य सुदनं सुजस्य वा** Sk.; Mu. 7. 14. **-2** A director, preceptor; Bh. 2. 88. **-3** A chief, master, head. **-4** An inflictor (as of punishment); Ms. 7. 25. **-5** An owner. **-6** The hero of a drama. **-7** The numeral ' two '. **-8** N. of Vishnu.

नेत्री 1 A river. **-2** A female leader. **-3** An epithet of Lakshmi. **-4** An artery, a vein.

नेत्रं [नयति नीयते वा अनेन नी-ष्ट्रन्] 1 Leading, conducting. **-2** The eye; **प्रायेण गृहिणीनेत्राः कन्यार्थेषु कुटुंबिनः** Ku. 6. 85, 2. 29, 30; 7. 13. **-3** The string of a churning-stick. **-4** Woven silk, a fine silken garment; **नेत्रक्रमेणोपरुरोध सूर्यं** R. 7. 39 (where some commentators take **नेत्र** in its ordinary sense of the ' eye'). **-5** The root of a tree. **-6** An enema-pipe. **-7** A carriage, conveyance in general. **-8** The number ' two'. **-9** A leader. **-10** A constellation, star (said to be. *m.* only in these two senses). **-Comp.** **-अंजनं** a collyrium for the eyes; *S.* Til.7. **-अंतः** the outer corner of the eye. **-अंबु, -अंभस्** *n.* tears. **-अभिष्यंदः** running of the eyes, a kind of eye-disease. **-आमयः** ophthalmia. **-उत्सवः** any pleasing or beautiful object. **-उपमं** the almond fruit. **-औषधं** collyrium. **-कनीनिका** the pupil of the eye. **-कोषः** 1. the eye-ball. **-2.** the bud of a flower. **-गोचर** *a.* within the range of sight, perceptible, visible. **-छदः** the eyelid. **-जं, -जलं, -वारि** *n.* tears. **-पर्यंत** *a.* as far as the eye, up to the eye. **(-तः)** the outer corner of the eye. **-पिंडः** 1. the eye-ball. **-2.** a cat. **-मलं** the mucus of the eyes. **-मुष्** *a.* stealing or captivating the eye. **-योनिः** 1. an epithet of Indra (who had on his body a thousand marks resembling the female organ inflicted by the curse of Gautama). **-2.** the moon. **-रंजनं** a collyrium. **-रोमन्** *n.* the eyelash. **-वस्तिः** *m. f.* a clyster-pipe with a bag. **-वस्त्रं** a veil over the eye, the eyelid. **-विष्** *f.* excretion of the eyes. **-स्तंभः** rigidity of the eyes.

नेत्रिकं 1 A pipe. **-2** A ladle.

नेत्री See under **नेतृ**.

नेद् 1 P. (नेदति) 1 To go. **-2** To censure. **-3** To bring near.

नेदिष्ठ *a.* Nearest, next, very near (superl. of अंतिक q. v.).

नेदीयस् *a.* (सी *f.*) Nearer, very near (compar. of अंतिक q. v.); **नेदीयसि प्रियतमे** Bv. 2. 6; **नेदीयसी भूत्वा** Mâl. 1 'drawing near, approaching'.

नेपः A family-priest. **-पं** Water.

नेपथ्यं 1 Decoration, an ornament. **-2** Dress, apparel, costume, attire; **उदारनेपथ्यभृत्** R. 6. 6; **राजेंद्रनेपथ्यविधानशोभा** 14. 9; **उज्ज्वलनेपथ्यविरचना** Mâl. 1; Ku. 7. 7; V. 5. **-3** Particularly, the costume of an actor; **विरलनेपथ्ययोः पात्रयोः प्रवेशोस्तु** M. 1. **-4** The tiring-room, the space where the actors attire themselves (which is always behind the curtain), the postscenium; **नेपथ्ये** 'behind the scenes'. **-Comp.** **-विधानं** arrangements of the tiring-room; **यदि नेपथ्यविधानमवसितं** *S.* 1.

नेपालः N. of a country in the north of India. **-लाः** pl. The people of this country. **-लं** Copper. **-ली** 1 The wild date tree or its fruit. **-2** Red arsenic. **-Comp.** **-जा -जाता** red arsenic. **-मूलकं** a radish.

नेपालकं Copper.

नेपालिका Red arsenic.

नेम *a.* (Nom. pl. नेमे-नेमाः) 1 Half. **-मः** 1 A part. **-2** A period, time, season. **-3** A boundary, limit. **-4** An enclosure, fence. **-5** The foundation of a wall. **-6** Fraud, deceit. **-7** Evening. **-8** A hole, ditch. **-9** A root. **-10** Acting, dancing. **-11** Upper part. **-12** Ved. Food. **-Comp.** **-धित** *a.* Ved. divided. **-धितिः** *f.* Ved. 1. a battle, conflict. **-2.** dividing into two.

नेमिः -मी *f.* 1 The circumference, ring or felly of a wheel; **उपोढशब्दा न रथांगनेमयः** *S.* 7. 10; **चक्रनेमिक्रमेण** Me. 109; R. 1. 17, 39. **-2** Edge, rim. **-3** A windlass. **-4** A circumference (in general); **उदधिनेमि** R. 9. 10. **-5** A thunderbolt. **-6** The earth. **-मिः** The tree तिनिश. **-Comp.** **-वृत्ति** *a.* following the course of, acting like, the outer rims of the wheel; R. 1. 17.

नेष् 1 A. (नेषते) To go, move.

नेष्टः A clod of earth.

नेष्टृ *m.* One of the chief officiating priests at a Soma sacrifice (whose number is 16).

नैःश्रेयस *a.* (सी *f.*), **नैःश्रेयसिक** *a.* (की *f.*) Leading to happiness or final beatitude.

नैःस्वं, नैःस्व्यं Destitution, poverty, indigence.

नैक *a.* (न-एक) Not one or alone; mostly in comp.; **°आत्मन्** *m.*, **°रूपः, °शृंगः** epithets of the Supreme Being. **-कः** An epithet of Vishnu. **-Comp.** **-चर** *a.* living in society, gregarious. **-भावाभाव** *a.* fickle, changeable. **-भेद** *a.* manifold, various. See under **न** also.

नैकधा *ind.* In various ways, variously.

नैकशस् *ind.* 1 In great numbers. **-2** Repeatedly, often, frequently.

नैकटिक *a.* (की *f.*) Adjacent, near, contiguous. **-कः** An ascetic or Bhikshu; Bk. 4. 12 (*vide* commentary).

नैकट्यं Proximity, neighbourhood.

नैकषेयः A demon, Râkshasa.

नैकृतिक *a.* (की *f.*) 1 Dishonest, false (or perhaps cruel); Ms. 4. 196. **-2** Low, vile, wicked. **-3** Morose.

नैगम *a.* (मी *f.*) [निगम-अण्] Relating to or occurring in the Veda or holy writings; as in **°कांड**. **-मः** 1 An interpreter of the Vedas or