

to one pasturage. (Har p. 569.) See also 1, last quarter. — And one says of camels, *استطرفت المَرْتَعُ* They chose, or selected, the pasturage: or they took the first thereof. (TA. [See also 2, last signification but one.])

طَرَفٌ The eye; a word having no pl. in this sense because it is originally an inf. n., (S, O, K,) therefore it may denote a sing. and may also denote a pl. number [i. e. may signify also eyes]: (S, O, Mṣb:) or, (K,) as Ibn-'Abbād says, (O,) it is a coll. n. signifying the *بَصَرُ* [which has the sing. and the pl. meanings mentioned above, as well as the meaning of the sense of sight], and is not dualized nor pluralized: or, as some say, it has for pl. *أَطْرَافٌ*: (O, K:) but this is refuted by the occurrence of *طَرَفٌ* in a pl. sense in the *Kur* xxxvii. 47 and xxxviii. 52 and lv. 56: (O:) and though *الأَطْرَافُ* is said to occur as its pl. in a trad. of Umm-Selemeh, this is a mistake for *الإطْرَاقُ*: (Z, O:) it is said, however, that its being originally an inf. n. is not a reason for its not being allowable to pluralize it when it has become a subst., and especially when it is not meant to convey the signification of an epithet: (MF:) [but it may be regarded as an epithet, meaning *seer*, and, being originally an inf. n., *seers* also; and this is the more probable because] *طَرَفٌ* [is an epithet used as a subst., and thus] signifies the eyes, (S, O, K,) as in the saying *هُوَ يَمَكِّنُ لَمْ تَرَاهُ الطَّوَارِفُ* [He is in a place in which the eyes will not see him]; (S, O, TA;) pl. of *طَرَفَةٌ*. (TA.) — [Hence,] *الطَّرِفُ* is the name of † Two stars, which precede *الجَبَّةُ*, (S, O, K,) so called because (K) they are [regarded as] the two eyes of Leo; one of the Mansions of the Moon: (S, O, K:) [often called *الطَّرْفَةُ*, q. v.:] the *طَرَفُ* of Leo, consisting of two small stars in front of *الجَبَّةُ*, like the *فَرْقَدَانِ*, but inferior to them in light, and having somewhat of obliquity; the Ninth Mansion of the Moon: (Kzw in his descr. of that Mansion:) or the star [app. λ] in the face of Leo, together with that which is outside [app. α] on the figure of Cancer: (Kzw in his descr. of Leo:) or the bright star [α] on the hinder, southern, leg, or foot, [i. e. claw,] of Cancer. (Kzw in his descr. of Cancer.) [See *طَرَفُ الْعَيْنِ*, in art. *نَزَلَ*.] — And *طَرَفُ الْعَيْنِ* signifies The eyelid. (TA.) — Also *طَرَفٌ*, A man generous, or noble, (K, TA, [see also *طَرَفٌ*],) in respect of ancestry, up to the greatest [i. e. most remote] forefather. (TA.) — See also *طَرَفٌ*, first sentence.

طَرَفٌ: see *طَرِيفٌ*, with which it is syn., and of which it is also a pl.

طَرَفٌ A generous horse: (Aṣ, S, O, K:) or, accord. to Er-Rāghib, one that is looked at (*يُطَرَفُ*) because of his beauty; so that it is originally *مَطْرُوفٌ*, i. e. *مَنْظُورٌ*; like *نَقْصٌ* in the sense of *مَنْقُوصٌ*: (TA:) pl. *طَرُوفٌ* (Aṣ, S, O, K) and *أَطْرَافٌ*: (O, K:) accord. to AZ, an epithet applied peculiarly to the males: (S, O, K:*) or generous in respect of the sires and the dams:

(Lth, O, K:) or recently acquired; not of his owner's breeding; fem. with *ة*, (O, K,) occurring in a verse of El-'Ajjāj: Lth says that they sometimes apply the epithets *طَرَفٌ* and *طَرْفَةٌ* as syn. with *نَجِيبٌ* and *نَجِيبَةٌ*, in a manner unusual in the language: (O:) accord. to Ks, *طَرْفَةٌ* is applied as an epithet to a mare: (TA:) and *طَرَفٌ* signifies also a horse long in the legs or the neck, having the ears pointed, tapering, or slender at the extremities. (TA in the supplement to this art.) — And † Generous (S, O, TA) as an epithet applied to a young man (S, TA) or to a man; (O, TA;) as also † *طَرَفٌ*: (O, K:) or a man generous in respect of his male and his female ancestors: (K, TA:) pl. *أَطْرَافٌ*: (O, K:) when applied to other than man, its pl. [or rather one of its pls.] is *طَرُوفٌ*. (K.) — See also *طَرَفٌ*, latter half. — And *رَجُلٌ طَرَفٌ فِي نَسَبِهِ*, (K, TA,) with kesr, (TA,) [in the CK, erroneously, *طَرَفٌ*], † A man whose nobility is recent: as though a contraction of † *طَرَفٌ*. (K, TA.) — And *امْرَأَةٌ طَرَفٌ*, (K, TA,) with kesr, (TA,) [in the CK *طَرَفٌ*], A woman whose discourse is good; every one who has heard it esteeming it new (*يَسْتَفْرِفُ*). (K, TA.) — And One desirous of possessing everything that he sees. (K.) — See also *طَرَفٌ*, in two places. — And see *طَرِيفٌ*. — Also Anything of the produce of the earth still in the calyxes thereof. (Ibn-'Abbād, O, K:*)

طَرَفٌ The extremity, or end, of anything; [as of a sword, and of a spear, and of a rope, and of the tongue, &c.]; thus accord. to ISd; but in the K this meaning is assigned to † *طَرَفٌ*: (TA: [several evidences of the correctness of the former word in this sense will be found in the present art.; and countless instances of it occur in other arts. &c.: it seems to have been generally regarded by the lexicographers as too notorious to need its being mentioned:] and a side; a lateral, or an outward, or adjacent, part or portion; a region, district, quarter, or tract; syn. *نَاحِيَةٌ*: (S, O, Mṣb, K:) and a part, portion, piece, or bit, (syn. *طَائِفَةٌ*), of a thing: (S, O, K:) it is used in relation to bodies, or material things, and to times &c.; (Er-Rāghib, TA;) and is thus used in the sense of *طَائِفَةٌ* of a people, in the *Kur* iii. 122; (Ksh;) [and may often be rendered somewhat of a thing, whether material (as land &c.) or not material (as in the T and S voce *دُرُودٌ*, where it is used of a saying, and as in the S and A and K in art. *هُوسٌ* &c., where it is used of madness, or insanity, or diabolical possession):] the pl. is *أَطْرَافٌ*. (O, Mṣb, K.) — [Hence,] *الأَطْرَافُ* signifies The fingers: and [when relating to the fingers] has no sing. unless this is used as a prefixed noun, as in the saying *أَشَارَتْ بِطَرَفِ إِصْبَعِهَا* [She made a sign with the end of her finger]: but the pl. is said by Az to be used in the sense of the sing. in the following ex. cited by Fr,

يَبْدِينَ أَطْرَافًا لَطَافًا عَنْهُ

[so that the meaning is, They show an elegant finger like a fruit of the species of tree called *عَنْمَرٌ*]; therefore the poet says *عَنْمَرُهُ* [which is a n. un.: but I think that it is much more reasonable, and especially as the verb is pl., to regard the *ة* in this case as the *ة* of pausation, of which see an ex. voce *جَمِينٌ*; and accordingly to render the saying, they show elegant fingers like fruits of the *عَنْمَر*]. (TA.) It is said in a trad. of Abraham, when he was a little child, *جَعَلَ رِزْقُهُ فِي أَطْرَافِهِ* [His sustenance was made to be in his fingers]; meaning that he used to suck his fingers and find in them that which nourished him. (TA.) — And [hence] *أَطْرَافُ الْعَذَارَى* † A species of grapes, (A, K, TA,) white and slender, found at Et-Tāif: (A, TA:) or, as in the L, black and long, resembling acorns, likened to the fingers of virgins, that are dyed [with *جَنَاءُ*], because of their length; and the bunch of which is about a cubit long. (TA.) — *دُو الطَّرْفَيْنِ* is an appellation of † A sort of serpent, (K,) a sort of black serpent, (TA,) or the [serpent called] *أَسُودٌ*, (O,) having two stings, one in its nose and the other in its tail, with both of which, (O, K, TA,) so it is said, (O, TA,) it smites, and it suffers not him whom it smites to linger, killing at once. (O, K, TA.) — *طَرَفًا* sometimes means The fore part and the hinder part of the beast. (TA.) — And *أَطْرَافُ الْجَسَدِ* (O) or *الْبَدَنِ* (K) means [The extremities of the body; i. e.] the arms or hands, and the legs or feet, and the head: (O, K:) or, as in the L, *أَطْرَافٌ* is pl. of *طَرَفٌ* as syn. with *شَوَاةٌ* [n. un. of *شَوَى*, q. v.]. (TA.) — [And the dual has various other meanings assigned to it, derived from the first of the significations mentioned in this paragraph.] It is said in a trad. (O, K) of the Prophet, (O,) *كَانَ إِذَا أَشْتَكَى أَحَدٌ مِنْ أَهْلِهِ لَمْ تَزَلِ الْبُرْمَةُ عَلَى النَّارِ حَتَّى يَأْتِيَ عَلَى أَحَدٍ طَرَفِيهِ* [It was the case that when any one of his family had a complaint, the cooking-pot did not cease to be on the fire but he arrived at one of his two limits]; meaning † convalescence or death; because these are the two terminations of the case of the diseased. (O, K.) — And one says, *لَمْ يَمَلِكْ طَرَفِيهِ* † He will not have control over his mouth and his anus: referring to him who has drunk medicine or become intoxicated. (AO, ISk, S, O, K.) — And *فُلَانٌ قَابِدُ الطَّرْفَيْنِ* † Such a one is corrupt in respect of the tongue and the *فَرْج*. (TA.) — And *أَيُّ طَرَفِيهِ أَطْوَلُ* † (in the CK *يُدْرِي*), [He will not, or does not, know which of his two extremities is the longer,] meaning † his *ذَكَرٌ* and his tongue; (S, O, K, TA;) whence *طَرَفٌ* is used as signifying † the tongue: (TA:) or the meaning is, as some say, † which of his two halves is the longer; the lower or the upper: (TA:) or † the lineage of his father or that of his mother (O, K, TA) in respect of generosity, or nobility: (O, TA:) i. e., which of his two parents is the more generous, or noble: so says Fr. (TA.) — *كَبِيرُ الطَّرْفَيْنِ* means