

Mandagas—the Śūdra caste of Śākadvīpa.

Vi. II. 4. 69.

Mandagā—a R. from the Śuktimat.

Br. II. 16. 38; M. 114. 32; Vā. 45. 107.

Mandagāminī—a R. from the Śuktimat hill.

Br. II. 16. 38.

Mandanī—a *mūrchanā*; the presiding deity of the Viśvedevas.

Vā. 86. 63.

Mandapannaga—a Marut gaṇa.

M. 171. 54.

Mandabāhya—a son of Balarāma.

Br. III. 71. 167.

Mandara (1)—(Mt.) on one side of Meru; one of Viṣkambhagiris round the Meru; sacred to Śiva; in its valleys Hiranyakaśipu performed austerities; used in churning the milk ocean; lest it should sink in the sea Hari in the form of Kūrma supported the mountain; was lifted up with great difficulty by the Gods and Asuras, who could not carry it to the ocean, when Hari asked Garuḍa to bear it on his back to the sea and which he did.¹ Recipient of mango fruits as large as hill-tops falling from a divine mango tree, 1100 yojanas high (see Aruṇodā).² Here Pṛthu died and was cremated.³ (Also known, Mandaragiri and Mandarācalam).

Bhadrāśva varṣa and Caitraratha park in,⁴ Śiva spent his honeymoon here with Umā after marrying her; Umā's delights in the woods.⁵

¹ Br. IV. 9. 51, 56, 60; Bhā. I. 3. 16; III. 28. 27; V. 16. 11; VII. 3. 2; 7. 2; VIII. 5. 10; 6. 33-9; X. 40. 18; XII. 13. 2; M. 69. 1; 249. 15; 250. 26; 251. 35; Vi. I. 9. 77, 84. ² Bhā. V. 16. 16. ³ Ib. IV. 23. 24. ⁴ M. 83. 20, 31. ⁵ Ib. 113. 45; 154. 496, 573; 163. 87; 183. 1.