

*Puṣpavahā*—a R. see *Puṣpabhadṛā*.

Bhā. XII. 9. 30.

*Puṣpavān* (I)—the son of Satyahita, and father of Jahu.

Bhā. IX. 22. 7.

*Puṣpavān* (II)—a Mt. in Kuśadvīpa.

Br. II. 19. 55; Vā. 49. 50. Vi. II. 4. 41.

*Puṣpavān* (III)—same as Droṇa.

M. 122. 57.

*Puṣpavān* (IV)—the righteous son of Ṛṣabha (Vṛṣabha-Vi. P.) Father of Satyahita.

Vā. 99. 224; Vi. IV. 19. 82.

*Puṣpavāhana*—a King of Rathantara Kalpa; Brahmā was pleased at his *tapas* and gave him a golden lotus; after him came the 7th dvīpa, Puṣkaradvīpa (s.v); he got a vehicle of *Puṣpavāhana* which took him to any place; his wife was Lāvṇyavatī; once he met the sage Prācetas and asked him the reason for his wealth etc. He said that in the previous birth he was a hunter and owing to a distressing famine, he could not get anything to eat; so he plucked some lotus flowers and went to the Vaidīśa city for selling them; none offered to buy; soon he heard a musical sound near by; going in that direction he saw a courtesan engaged in *vibhūtidvādaśī vratam*; there, he gave all flowers needed for the performance of the vow and did not take gold or food offered in return; he felt no thirst or hunger; and became changed at that sight; for that service he became King and the courtesan Pṛitī, wife of the Lord of love.

M. 100. 1-32.