

Giritra—a name of Śiva.

Bhā. II. 1. 35.

Giridurga—the best of six hill fortresses.

M. 217. 7.

Giriprajā—the place where Kakṣivān attained Brahmanhood.

Vā. 99. 93.

Giriyajña—the cult of mountains; appropriate to the environment of cow-herds.

Vi. V. 10. 36; 37-8, 43-5.

Girirakṣa—a son of Gāndinī.

Vā. 96. 110.

Girirājaputrī—surname of Umā, Pārvatī.

Br. II. 25. 40; Vā. 54. 44, 95 and 115.

Girivara—sacred to Lalitā.

Br. IV. 44. 99.

Girivraja—the capital of Jarāsandha, entered by Kṛṣṇa, Arjuna and Bhīma disguised as Brahmanas.¹ Here Gautama retired and Kakṣivat attained Brahmanhood. Here too the Bṛhadrathas ruled.² Capital of Somādhi, son of Sahadeva killed in Bhārata war; capital of Śīsunāka after Nandivardhana while his son ruled from Benares.³ Capital of the Māgadheyas.

¹ Bhā. X. 70. 24; 72. 16. ² Br. III. 74. 95, 110 and 128.

³ M. 271. 19; 272. 6. ⁴ Vā. 99. 296, 315.

Giriśa—the name of Śiva, the lord of Bhūtas and Piśācas, having the trident in his hand.

Bhā. II. 3. 7, Br. II. 27. 63. M. 47, 190. Vā. 69, 289; 70. 8.