

- Machipúcha, or Machhipúchha, a peak in Nepál, Lat. 28°,  
Long. 83° . . . . . مکھی پونچھا Hind.  
“*Fish-tail.*” One of the Naráyani peaks in the Central Himálaya, very conspicuous from Kathmándu. The word matchhi or matsya, as I was informed by Nepalese Bráhmans, is connected with Víshnu’s first avatára.
- Machlibándar, or Machhlibándar, in the Karnátik,  
Lat. 16°, Long. 81° . . . . . مکھلی بندر Hind. Pers.  
“*Fish-harbour.*” This is another name for Masulipatám.  
Anal. Machli-sháhar, in Hindostán, Lat. 25°, Long. 82°.
- Madánpur, in Bengál, Lat. 26°, Long. 87° . . . . . مدن پور Hind.  
“*Madán’s town.*” Madán, *the cheerer*, a surname of Kamadéva, *the god of love*. The same name in Audh, Lat. 26°, Long. 82°; in Bengál, Lat. 26°, Long. 83°.
- Madgiridúrg, in Maissúr, Lat. 13°, Long. 77° . . . . . مدگری درگ Hind.  
“*The proud mountain-fort.*”
- Madhobpúr, in Bengál, Lat. 24°, Long. 89° . . . . . माधवपुर Beng.  
“*Mádhob’s (Mádhava’s) town.*” Mádhava, *the sweet*, an epithet of Krishna.  
Anal. Madho-púr, *the same name*, in Rajvára, Lat. 25°, Long. 76°; Madho-ráj-pur, *King Mádhava’s town*, in Rajvára, Lat. 26°, Long. 75°.
- Madhumáti, in Bengál, Lat. 22°, Long. 90° . . . . . मधुमती Sanskr.  
“*Abounding in honey.*” Mádhu, *honey, milk, ambrosia*.
- Madrás, or Mandráj, in the Karnátik, Lat. 13°, Long. 80° . . . . . مندراج Hind.  
From the Sanskr. Mandarájya; the natives still use Mandráj; another name for it is Chinna-pátnam, *q. v.* It probably signifies *Empire of Mándá* or *Yáma*, the Indian Pluto.
- Mágar Taláu, in Sindh, Lat. 24°, Long. 69° . . . . . مگر تالو Hind.  
“*Alligator pool.*” A Mussálmán Saint, named Pir, *the old*, is buried here, who is often called Mágar Pir, or *the Alligator’s Saint*.
- Māghríbi, in Sindh, Lat. 24°, Long. 68° . . . . . مغربی Arab.  
“*The western (town).*” Māghrīb, *the west*. The same name in Lat. 24°, Long. 68°, in close vicinity to the former.
- Mahabaléshvar, in the Dékhan, Lat. 17°, Long. 73° . . . . . महाबलेश्वर Sanskr.  
“*The lord of the great strength.*” An epithet of Mahadéva, or Síva.
- Mahadeopúr, in the Dékhan, Lat. 18°, Long. 79° . . . . . महादेवपुर Sanskr., or Beng.  
“*The city of the great God.*” Mahadéva is particularly an epithet of Síva.  
Anal. Mahadéo Mountains, in Berár, Lat. 21°, Long. 78°.