say, a tree that branches forth into many branches: (TA: [see 5:]) or a tree at which the dogs and the beasts of prey have emitted their urine may be meant thereby. (Mgh, TA.)

قزع] قزل قزم See Supplement.]

قس ،

(S, M, A, K) قَسَّ , aor. عُ, (M,) inf. n. قَسَّة and مَّ and مَّ (A, K) and مَّ (M, [in which this and the first only are mentioned, accord. to a copy of a portion in my possession,]) He sought after, or pursued, it: and he did so repeatedly, or by degrees, and leisurely, or repeatedly and by degrees and leisurely: (S, M, A, K:) as also which, accord, قصه (A, * K.) [See also to the TA, is a dial. form of a.s.] You say, الأخبار [He sought after, or sought after repeatedly, &c., news, or tidings]. (A.) _[Hence, app.,] قس signifies Calumniation; or malicious and mischievous misrepresentation; (S, M, K;) as also قَسْ and the spreading, or publishing, of discourse, and speaking evil of men behind their backs, or in their absence: (TA:) [probably inf. ns., of which the verb is قُسُن; perhaps a trans. verb; for] signifies He hurt them, or annoyed them, by foul speech; (K;) as though he sought, or sought repeatedly, or by degrees and leisurely, or repeatedly and by degrees and leisurely, after that which would hurt them, or annoy them. (TA.) _ [Hence also,] مِنَ النَّحْمِر (A, Ķ, , قُسَّ مَا عَلَى العَظْمِر, (A,) aor. ع, inf. n. قُسُ ; (TA;) and أَفُسُهُ إِلَيْهِ اللَّهُ إِلَى اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ ا (K;) or قَسْقُس العَظْمِ; of the dial. of El-Yemen; (M;) He sought, or sought repeatedly, or by degrees and leisurely, or repeatedly and by degrees and leisurely, after the meat that was upon the bone, so as not to leave any of it: (A:) or he ate the flesh that was upon the bone, and extracted its he قَسْقَسُ ۗ مَا عَلَى الْهَائِدَةِ marrow : (M, K :) and أَنْ الْهَائِدَةِ he ate what was upon the table. (M.) = قُسُ , [of which the sec. pers. is app. and the aor. 4,] (TK,) inf. n. * and * and * accord. to all the copies of the K, [so says SM, in the TA, but in the CK and and value, and in a MS copy of the K I find the latter written value,]
but correctly value, as written by Lth, (TA,) He became a قُسَّ [or قسيس] : (K, * TK :) or and قسيسيّة and قسيسيّة and قسوسة [so in a copy of the M, but in a copy of the A تُسُوسيّة and أُعُسِيسّة, which I hold to be the correct forms of these two words, and the latter from قسيس,] are simple substs., (M,) and you say, [using them as such,] لَهُ المُسُوسِيُّةُ and أَنهُ المُسُوسِيُّةُ

To him belongs the rank, or office, of قَسُ or قَسَ. (A.)

5: see مُشَّة, in two places. تقسّس أَصُوَاتُهُمْ (Ṣ, M, A*) بِاللَّيْلِ (Ṣ, A,) or بَاللَّيْلِ (Ṣ, M, A,) المُقَلِّفُ بَلْكُ الصُّوْتُ He listened to, or endeavoured to hear, (Ṣ, M, A, K,) their voices, (Ṣ, M, A,*) or the voice, (Ḳ,) by night, or in the night. (Ṣ, M, A.)

8. اقتس He (a lion) sought what he might eat.

R. Q. 1. أَسْفَسُهُ, inf. n. أَسْفَسُهُ, He asked, or inquired, respecting the affairs of others. (M: but only the inf. n. is there mentioned.) — See also 1, in two places.

R. Q. 2: see 5.

and قسّ and قسّ (Ṣ, M, A, Mṣb, Ķ,) and sometimes the latter is without teshdeed in the sing., i.e., قسيسٌ vulgo إ,قسيسُ though the pl. is with teshdeed, like as the Arabs sometimes make مم a ممما (Fr,) [Syr. أَتُونُ pl. of أَتَاتِينُ consenuit, (Golius,)] The head, or chief, of the Christians, in knowledge, or science : (A, K:) or one of the heads, or chiefs, of the Christians, (S, M,) in religion and knowledge or science: (S:) or the learned man of the Christians: (Msb:) or an intelligent, an ingenious, or a clever, and a learned, man: (M:) [in the present day applied to a Christian presbyter, or priest : see :] pl. (of the first, Msb) قُسُوسٌ, (Msb, K,) and (of the second, M, Msb, Msb, K) and قَسَاقَسَةُ, (Fr, and so in some copies of the K,) contr. to rule, (TA,) or قَسَاوِسَةُ, (M, Sgh, and so in some copies of the K,) contr. to rule, (M,) one of the seens [in the original form, which is قَسَاسسة,] being changed into waw. (CK [but in the copies of the K which have قَسَاقَسَةٌ, we find added "and the seens being many," meaning, in the original form قَسَاسِسَة, or in "they change one of them into waw."]) == also signifies Hoar-frost, or rime. (A, K.)

غَسُّ and قَسُوسَةُ see قَسِيسَ and قَسُوسَةُ : فُسُوسَةً and قَسُوسَةً : هُوسَةً see قَسُوسَةً : فُسُوسَةً : فُسُوسَةً : فُسُوسَةً : قَسَيسَةً : قَسَيسَةً : قَسَيسَةً :

town or village, upon the shore of the sea, (A,) called القَّسُة, (A'Obeyd, S, M, K,) or قُرُّلَة, (M, A, Mgh,) between El-'Areesh and El-Farama, (K,) in Egypt, (A'Obeyd, S, Mgh,) seen by A'Obeyd, but not known to As: (S:) or so called in relation to قُرُّمْ, meaning "hoar-frost," or "rime;" because of the pure whiteness there-of: (A:) or [originally] قُرُّرُمُّة, (A,) and قُرُّرُمُّة (Sh, K,) from قُرُرُمُّة (A,) and قُرُّمُّة (Sh, K,) the j being changed into : (Sh, K:) it was said to 'Alee, What are قَرُّمُّ and he answered, Cloths, or garments, that come to us from Syria, or from Egypt, ribbed, that is, figured after the form of ribs, and having in them what resemble citrons. (Mgh.)

مَّاتُ A calumniator; a slanderer: (M:) or one who inquires respecting news, and then makes it known, divulges it, or tells it, in a malicious or mischievous manner, so as to occasion discord, dissension, or the like, (TA, voce قُلُتُّ.)

غَشَّ : see عَلَّمُ . قَشُوسَةُ : قُشُوسَةُ : قَشُوسَةُ . قَشَّيسَةُ : قَشَّيسَيَّةُ . see عَشَّقَسُّ . قَشُقَاسُ see . قَشُقَسُّ .

A seeker, or one who seeks repeatedly or leisurely, without inadvertence; as also أَشْفُنْ (TA.) — One who inquires respecting the affairs of others. (M.)

سب

1. بُسُنَّة, aor. -, It (water) ran, or flowed: (Ṣ, O, Ķ:) or it ran, or flowed, with a sound, beneath trees or leaves. (So accord. to different copies of the A.) — And قَسَبَ الشَّهُ The sun began to set. (Ķ.) = قُسُنَة, aor. -, inf. n. قُسُوبُ (K,) It was, or became, hard: (O, Ķ.) or hard, and dry, or tough: you say, قَسُبُ التَّمْرُ The dates were, or became, hard, and dry, or tough. (A, TA.)

العلباء [Verily he is hard in respect of the tendon, or sinew, of the neck.] (TA.) — And Hard, and dry, or tough; (TA;) and so سُنِّة. (A, TA.) تَسْبُ signifies Hard, and dry, or tough, dates, (S, Mgh, O, K,) that crumble in the mouth and have hard stones: (S, Mgh, O:) [see an ex. in a verse cited in art. رمى, conj. 4:] or [simply] dry, or tough, dates: n. un. with a: (Msb:) or bad dates, (A,) or so فَسُنَّة. (K.) — See also

accord. to IAar, i. q. قَفْشُ [expl. by him as meaning a short boot] and نَخُافٌ [expl. by him as syn. with أَخُوبُ [TA.) [See also أَخُوبُ