You say also رُمَّانَةُ حَامزَةُ A pomegranate in which is sourness. (A, K.) _ intense, or severe, anxiety. (TA.) And مَزَاز حَامز (S, TA) + A wringing, or poignant and burning, pain in the heart, such as arises from wrath &c. (TA.) - See also , in two places.

The most excellent of أَفْضُلُ الْأَعْمَالِ أَحْمَزُهَا deeds is the strongest, or most powerful: (S, K,* TA:) or the most painful (A, Mgh, TA) and distressing: (Mgh, TA:) from , applied to milk and to نبيد, signifying "that burns the tongue by reason of its strength:" (Mgh:) a trad., related by I'Ab; (S, TA;) said by Mohammad. (TA.) You say also, أَمْرًا Such a one is in harder, or more من فلان difficult, circumstances (أَشُدُ أُمْواً) than such a one: (TA:) or [more] contracted in circumstances. (ISk, TA.)

A man strong in the tips, or ends, of the fingers: (S, K, TA:) occurring in a verse of Aboo-Khirásh: (S:) but [SM says,] what I read in a poem of that author is joon , meaning, hard and pointed in the arrowheads. (TA.)

1. مُوسَى, nor. -, (Ṣ, A, Ķ,) inf. n. مُوسَى (Ṣ) and مُمَاسَة, (Ham p. 2,) He was, or became, hard, firm, strong, strict, or rigorous, in religion, and in fight, (S, A, K,) and in courage, (TA,) and in an affair. (Ham p. 2.) [See also 5.] __ 1 It (an affair, or a case, TA) was, or became, severe, rigorous, distressful, or afflictive : (K, TA:) and tit (war, or the clamour thereof, الوغى) mas, or became, hot, (A, TA,) or rehement. (TA.) man, nor. -, inf. n. man , He (a man) was, or became, courageous. (Sb, TA.)

5. تحمّس IIe acted, or behaved, with forced hardness, firmness, strictness, or rigour, (S, A, Mgh,) in his religion. (A, Mgh, K.) __ He (a man) feigned disobedience; syn. تعاصى. (Ṣ, TA.) _ He protected, or defended, himself, (syn. به رتحرم,) by means of him. (Sh, TA.)

6. They vied with, strove to surpass, or contended for superiority with, one another in strength, (تَشَادُوا), and fought one unother. (TA.)

: see أُحْمَس ; in three places.

نماس Hardness; firmness; strength: defence: conflict. (TA.) [See also and ...]

Vehement. (TS, K.) So in the saying of Ru-beh,

لَاقَيْنَ مِنْهُ حَمِّسًا حَمِيسًا

[They experienced from it vehement strength]: (TS, TA:) or, as Az says, strength and courage. (TA.) _ See also in two places.

Courage: (S, K, TA:) defence: conflict. [See also ____.]

Hard, firm, strong, strict, or rigorous, in religion, and in fight, (S, K,) and in courage; (TA;) as also ل موس : (S, K:) pl. of the former, محمس (K.) - Hence, A pious man, who carefully abstains from unlawful things: because he exceeds the usual bounds in matters of religion, and is hard to himself; as also (TA.)—Sing. of (Mgh,) which latter is an epithet applied to The tribes of Kureysh (S, A, K) and Kinaneh (S, K) and Jedeeleh, (K,) i. e. Jedeeleh of Keys, consisting of [the tribes of] Fahm and and 'Adman the two sons of 'Amr the son of Keys the son of 'Eylan, and the Benoo-'Amir Ibn-Saasa'ah, (AHeyth, TA,) and their followers in the Time of Ignorance; (K;) or to Kureysh and their coreligionists; (Mgh;) because of the hardships which they imposed upon themselves in matters of religion, (S, A, Mgh, K,) as well as in courage, (TA,) for they used not to enjoy the shade in the days of Mine, nor to enter the houses by their doors, (S, Mgh, TA,) while they were in the state of إحرام, (TA,) nor to clarify butter, nor to pick up [dung such as is called] , (S, L,) or بغر, (TA,) [for fuel,] and they dwelt in the Haram, (AHeyth, TA,) and did not go forth in the days of the موسم to 'Arafat, but halted at El-Muzdelifeh, (AHeyth, Mgh, TA,) saying, "We are the people of God, and we go not forth from the Haram:" (AHeyth, TA:) or they were thus called because they made their abode in the Haram: (Sgh, TA:) or because they betook themselves for refuge to the (المنسأة), which is the Kaabeh, so called because its stones are white inclining to blackness: (K:) the Benoo-'Amir were of the , though not of the inhabitants of the Haram, because their mother was of the tribe of Kureysh: the term الأحماس also, [pl. of محسن or of محسن,] is applied to those of the Arabs whose mothers were of the tribe of Kureysh. (TA.) - Also Courageous; (Sb, S, K;) and so موسس * and موسس (K:) pl. [of the first, masc. only,] and [masc. and fem.] and [of the second or third] أَحْمَاسُ (TA.) is also said to be applied to The tribe of Kureysh: or, accord. to some, to the Benoo-'Amir, because descendants of Kureysh: the former is said by IAar. (TA.) _ Hence, (A, لَقِي TA,) وَقَعَ فِي هِنْدِ الأَحَامِسِ (A, TṢ, Ķ,) or هند الأحامس (L,) #He fell into distress (A, L) and trial: (A:) or into calamity: (K:) or he died: (K:) or the latter phrase has this last meaning. (ISd, A, and TA in art. هند) was the name of a courageous people of the Arabs. سَنَةٌ حَمُّسَاةَ (S, A, K,) and وَعَامٌ أَحْمَسُ _ (A, TA.) (K,) A severe year. (S, A, K.) They say also Severe years: (K:) the masc. form [of the epithet] being used because by is meant أعوام; or the epithet being used after wiei manner of a subst.: (ISd, TA:) and سنون signifies the same: (K:) or the latter, years of hunger. (Az, TA.) __ أَحْدَةُ حَمْساً، + Vehement [courage, or fight, &c.]. (TA.) _ أَدُّهُ الْمُعَانُ أَحْمُسُ A hard place: (Ṣ, Ķ:) or a rugged by the Başrees, (Msb, TA,) and said by Mbr to

and hard place: (A:) pl. امْكَنَةُ حَسْن (K.) , with the pl., meaning, أُرْفُ أَحَامسُ You say also A sterile, barren, or unfruitful, and narrow, land: (A:) or a land in which is no herbage nor pasturage nor rain nor anything. (TA.) And إِنْ أَحَامس إِ Sterile, barren, or unfruitful, lands. (S, L.)

second signification.

1. مُمِثِّ (A, K,) aor. -, inf. n. and , (K,) He (a man) became slender in the shanks. (A, K.) _ مَاقه عُظْيُم سَاقه , aor. -; (Msb;) and حَمْثُتُ قُوَائمُهُ (accord. to different copies of the \$;) and رَحْمَشُت السَّاقُ inf. n. ; (so in a copy of the A;) or مَاتُ السَّاقُ, aor. وَ (K;) and مَمُتُّ (Lh, A, K,) aor. وَمُوتُهُ (A, K) and مُمُوتُهُ (TA,) The small bone of his shank, (Msb,) and his legs, (S,) and the shank (A, K) of a woman, (A,) became slender. (S, A, Msb, K.) And the like is said, metaphorically, of the whole body. (TA.) The bow-string be- استحمش ♥ الوَتُر came slender: and its being so is better. (TA.)

10: see the last sentence above.

: حَمْش see the next paragraph, throughout.

Slender in the shanks, applied أَحْمِشُ السَّاقَيْن to a man; (Ṣ, Ķ;) as also الساقين, (Ṣ, Mgh, Msb, K,) and ♥ (TA:) and so applied to a woman. (A.) And مُهْشَةُ ♦ الساقين Slender in make, applied to a man. (TA.) also signifies Slender, applied to the small bone of the shank: (Msb:) and so [the fem.], and V ame, and V ame, applied to the shank (سَاق), and to the fore arm (ذراع), and to the legs (ذراع): and [the pls.] (TA) and حَمْشُ (K,) applied to shanks (جَمَاشُ (K, TA:) and أَصُشْ , and مستحمش, applied to a bow-string; (K,* TA;) the last on the authority of Ibraheem El-Harbee; (TA;) and each of the last three epithets with 5 added, applied to bow-strings. (K,* TA.) You say also V and A gum having little flesh : (K:) or a thin gum. (TA.)

أَحْمَشُ see مُشَحَّمَشُ.

and جَمْص ; (Ş, Msb, K;) the former preferred by Th, (S, TA,) and by the Koofees, (Msb, TA,) and the only word of that form except عَنْفُ and قَنْفُ and قِنْبُ; (Fr, TA;) the latter alone allowed by Mbr, (S,) and this alone mentioned by Sb, (TA,) and preferred