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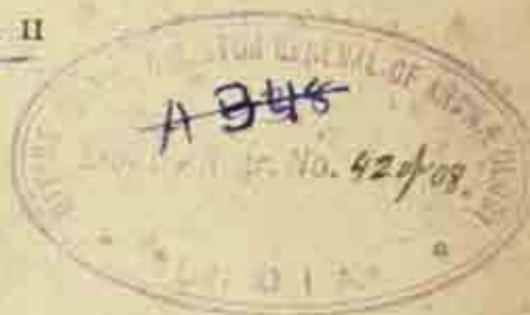
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BALOCHI TEXTS



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I.

DAPTAR SHA'AR,

SHUKR Allāh hamdā guzārān
Badshāh mulkē wath-en
Thī jihān khāk o gilo bi
Wath khoshti¹ wazh-dilān
Mā murid-ūn Yāliē
Din imānā sēbat-en
Ummat o pāken Naviē
Ki jihāna wāzhah-en
Aulād Mireñ Hamzāighūn
Sobh dargāhā gwar-en
Azh Halabā phādh-khayān
Go Yazīzā jhērav-en
Kalbalā Bompür ma-nyāmā
Shahr Sistān mizil-en
Bādshāh main Shamsu'ddin en
Go Balochān khātir-en
Ni ki Badr-din dar-ākhta
Nāghumānen shiddat-en
Ma-sarā Mireñ Jalāl-Han
Chhil-o-chyār bolakeñ
Khakhtūn Hārinē Bandar
Kēch rāsten phalav-en.

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¹ Or Hikū nind.

Hot Makurānā nindi
 Khosagh ma Kēch-dēh-en.
 Hot,¹ Korāl āwār-en,
 Ē ma Lāshār-ghar en,
 Drishak, Hot,² Mazārt,
 E go Rindā yagsar-en.
 Rind Lashārī ma mulkā
 Sim go nyāmagh-en, 30
 Mastharen logh Dombki-en
 Gāj syāhāfā sar-en.
 Azh Halabā Chāndiyēgh-ān
 Kalamatiē logh pha-gwaren,
 Noh nindi ma-Naliyā,
 Jistakānī pha-gwaren.
 Phuzh, Mirālī,³ Jatoi⁴
 Drust ma Sēvi-Dhādar-en;
 Azh bunyādā Phuzh Rinden
 Sar go Mireñ Chākur-en. 40
 Gholo, Gophāng, Dashti
 Rind thāliyā dar-en.
 Nashk-daur pha Gorgēzh-ān
 E ma Thaliyā dēh-en,
 Thi Baloch bāz-bishār-en
 Drust ma Rindā manah-en.
 Rindān ma Shorān nindi,
 Lāshār ma Gandāvagh-en,
 Jo-mitāf bahar-khanāna,
 Kull sardār Shaihak-en. 50
 Ē mani pērā o rand-en,
 Ē Balochā daptar-en,
 Philaven si-sāl jangā,
 E Balochā shiddat-en,
 Shaihak o Shahdād randā⁵

¹ Or Noh, Dodāl.² Or Khān.³ Some insert Jatak after Mirālī.⁴ Some say Jamālt instead of Jatoi.⁵ Or dānī.

Las sardār Chākur-en,	
Chhil-hazār khāl Mir-gwānkhā	
Thēwaghen dāde-potar-en.	
Hol-posh dast-kalāīā	
Druh khawān o jābah-en	60
Path-pēchā go khawāhān,	
Phādh Ialeñ mozhaghen.	
Khārch-kātār nughraenā	
Dast mundri thangav-en,	
Bakar o Gwaharām, Rāmēnā	
Zar-zuwāl Nodhbandagh-en.	
Phuzhān Jāro jaur-jawāv-en,	
Haddeh Dīnā brādjhār-en,	
Phēroshāh, Bijar, Rēhān,	
Rindān Mir-Hān zahmjan-en.	70
Sobhā, Mihān, Āli	
Jām Sahāk ¹ o Allan-en—	
Haivtān, Bivaragh ma Rindān	
Mir-Hasan go Brāhim-en.	
Shāir ki sha'rān jori,	
Mir Jalāl-Hān surphadh-en. ²	76

II.

RĀMĒN RĒHĀN GALAGH-THĀSHĪ.

Kashtaghen Gholā azh hamū mulkā
 Chākar pha lād-bozhl rawān bit̄ha
 Zor Sēvi chi duzhmanānī zīt̄ha
 Pakhagen dāl dāth-ish wur bit̄ha
 Dhādarā Mirānā kilāt bastha
 Bāngahā Lāshāri phara chahrā
 Khākhtan dañ Mireñ Chākura shahrā
 Dītha-ish Mochi gurānd̄ bor-en
 Basthaghīyā ma manahā sāyā

¹ Some insert Durrah after Sahāk.² Or manaf-en.

'Thāshūn borān pha tokalā shāhā.'
 Bukhtagheh golānī thareh tāzī,
 Ash-phadhā Rindān droh-khutha bāzī
 'Gwastha Rēhān Syah-mazār tāzī.'
 Gudā Rāmēnā gurānd giptha, charitha
 Ash hawān droghi gwāhiyā zahrā
 'Nēn shafā bhorainān hawen shahrā.'
 Raptā ma zarden dīgara pahrā
 Gudit̄ha hir chi khēnagha-zahrā
 'Mā wathi goshān ashkhutha hälē
 Dāchi ma gwaharā baithaleh mälē
 Ma Hurāsānā jalithi sālē,'
 Gohar hir ki gudit̄ha phairi
 Be-gunāsā grēainthaghant hairi.

Shaihak o Shādhēn kalām zurtha
 Gwar-janāna pha alkahān gwastha
 Malitha Milahā-dawār hotān
 Haddē Gwaharāmī jamāētān.

Dombkī guftār mazaīn mar-ant
 Bathireh suhreh thangavā shar-ant
 Rind Lashāri ma-bunā brāth-en
 Jag sahigh-en ki Hamzaha zāth-en
 Jag pha washer kissavān shāth-en
 Man-dēhā zorākh, mazeñ-gwāth-en

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III.

The following fragment given by the Rev. T. J. L. Mayer (pp. 12, 13) is probably part of the above ballad, which has not been recovered in a complete state. It refers to the shoeing of Rēhān's mare in preparation for the race with Rāmēn's alluded to in the ballad.

Rēhān Khān gūshī, wathī dost gālān gushī.

O manī bēl, Gagara lohār
 Mullā Muhammad Bakar ustādī
 Gar manī Shol shaztaleñ nālāñ
 Dāñ manī biyār go tēgh-sareñ mihāñ
 Biyār-ish tañ wastādī man-i bandāñ
 Āñ mahisk-phareñ nasthar gwāh bant
 Burzāiē azh som hukaiē burjāñ
 Jahlā azh shishareñ thashokhēnāñ
 Cho manāñ nokhāñi shafāñ gwastha
 Ladithā halkāñ azh buni haddāñ
 Bāgh bazareñ Jalakho ishta-ish
 Dēm zar-suchen Bolavā dātha-ish.

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IV.

CHĀKUR SHA'R.

Hoti bēr manī shāhī en
 Main bālādī kilāt zēdhāñi
 Phol mēhr-sirāñ pha zātāñ
 Ki Rind chi Makurāñ bahr-bithā
 Panjguri dēhā ganjēnā.

Mirēn Bakar o Rāmēnā
 Gwaharām mazan-nāmēnā
 Roshē khākhtant Mahēri mārrāñ
 Gwaharām pha-zawāñ gāl-ākhta
 'Go mā ubdahī sāngē khanī'
 Gohar pha-zawāñ gāl-ākhta
 'Bachhī manī tharā rodhēnθā
 Brāthī manī tharā drost dāthā
 Go mā ubdahī sānge nen.'
 Gohar shi mahērā rapto
 Kahnē mēhr-sirāñ zahr gipto

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Zurtha lēravān nēshēnān
 Gohar tēlhīthā Lēniā
 Āfā nasiva zurtho
 Sar pha Bolavā shēf bīthā 20
 Mireñ Chākura māriā.
 Gohar pha-zawān gāl-ākhto
 Hamcho Chākurārā gwashta-i.
 'Gwahārāmā manān rēsintha ;
 Sardār, man̄ thai bāut-ān,
 Mañ bagārā banindē phēdār.'
 Gwazh-bī Chākurā Mirēnā
 'Chihen zir bī tho jāgahē
 Har jāh ki thai dil loti
 Tho nind ma Kacharoki joān 30
 Jidh-cō girdagheñ bagāni
 Hāren goram o mēshāni
 Imān-en̄ hamū mulkāni.'
 Roshē shi Hudhāi roshān
 Chākur pha thufākhe ākhto
 Khā' ma Kacharoki joān.
 Dāchī ākhtaghant danzāna,
 Shir pha nāfaghān shanzāna.
 Guḍā badh burtha Sardārā,
 'Ē thai dāchī pha chi khārā danzant 40
 Shir pha nāfaghān shanzant ?'
 Gwazh-bī Goharā Hirēnā
 Cho bi Chākurā Mirēnā
 'Sardār,' jawāb gardenthā-i
 'Māla wadh-miri gon khapta-i
 Hirānā jaghīno bīthā.'
 Rāwachi pha-gali gāl-ākhta
 Cho bi-Chākurārā gwashta-i
 'Phairi ākhtaghant Lāshāri,
 Sārthen sailaho bor thāshī,
 Shāngo ākhtaghant kastighā,
 Shungo tharthaghant mastighā, 50

Maiñ hir khushtaghant jukhtighā ;
 Dāchi phē havarān dañzant
 Shir pha nāfaghān shañzant.
 Gwashta Chākurā Mīrēnā—
 Sardāra shuthā ma zirēna—
 ‘Gohar bi shawedhā ladith.’
 Dēm-dātha-ish pha Sannīa.
 ‘Logh-āf manān murdār-ān’ 60
 Phēsh khārch phasānī gozhdān.
 Urdē dir-saren jumbēnthal
 Suhvi rikhtaghen bāngahē
 Gājān banindī loghān.
 Bagē guđitha-ish Gwaharāmc
 Bāskē buritha-i sārwāne.
 Matthe Goharē hirāni.
 Zālē bun-jatha-ish shirrāni.
 Gwashta Mandavā Jāmēnā
 ‘Lajjan man kawand khohā khan.’ 70
 Bivaragh¹ mangahi gäl-ākhtā
 ‘Bile chajjavi Rāniā
 Kot gwādh-girān marēnān
 Jo khilaghān pharēnān.’
 Mir-Hān mangahi gäl-ākhto
 ‘Nēn khiliūn chajjavi Rāniā
 Nēn kot gwādh-girān marēnān
 Nēn jo khilaghān pharēnān
 E tikā bañ phar gudighān
 Maiñ gudi-mathaghen chugzākhtān’ 80
 Syālāni shaghān khoshtān.
 Guđā mēl-khuthā Lāshārān
 Hār-māli malhāna khākhtān
 Gokh shi Khalgarā khushkēnā
 Mēsh shi Sham-sarā miskēnā
 Belān bahr-khutho be-gānjā.
 Guđā lad-khuthā Lāshārā,

¹ Or Barivagh.

Chham-didh khut̄ha Nuhāni;
 Havd-sad̄h phandar o hazhdsad̄h mēsh
 Gandim drushtai sad̄h gwālagh, 90
 Drushad̄hē khuthai Lāshūrā.
 Guđā Chākurā Mirēnā
 Sardārā shutha ma zirēnā,
 Chāri khashtaghant barāni;
 Chāri ākhtaghant chahrāni,
 'Mā sad̄h logh jidaravighā dithā.'
 Rindārā galē bahr-biṭha
 Urde dir-saren jumbenthai,
 Hārmāit malhāna raftant.
 Guđā Bivaragh mangali gāl-ākhta, 100
 Wāg giptaghan sardārē:
 'Chākur, khanavā kotā khan,
 Nuhāni hazār mard bī
 Lāl-jukhtaghen Lāshari,
 Bandān phalawān jangighā.
 Bi-āyant chajjavā shāh-gwāthi.
 Phādh-kizagh tharā grān-chari
 Dēm-juzagħ tharā honighān.'
 Gwashta thaŋgrūn mardān,
 'Māthi khātamāen bachhā 110
 Bivaragh gondalān Rindighān
 Sahmēntha jaren hindighān,
 Mirzighā mashāndē dāth,
 Odhā ki janūn mā thēghān
 Tharā thir-daurē dir nyādhūn.'
 Sauvē gwashtanē hamē gālēghā
 Wāg ishtaghant Sardāre.
 Suhvi rikhtaghant bangohē
 Danze somariān rikhtant,
 Bivaragh ma-phirā phirēnthai,
 Go havd-sad̄h bangulen warnāyān. 120
 Guđā Chākur ghussavā brāthighā
 Ya nēmoshi na-nisht loghā.

Sar-joshe¹ Harēvē khafta
 Guđā Sultān Shāh Husain dīthai.
 Guđā Miren Bakar o Rāmēnā
 Gwaharām mazēn-nāmēnā
 Sehmaī thaghārd shastātho
 Turkā gar-burtha goghāc ;

Kāshid ākhtaghā jalte-palk :

' Chākur, Turk tharā lotāl
 Ash tho ya hawālē phursī,
 Mar ki ēvakhā daz-horg bi,
 Hathiyār ki ma bant-i,
 Āhi thusākh chachō bi ?'

Chākur ākhto rū bithai,

' Dast o dil waṭhī ambrāh bant
 Hathiyār khamī hēchī nēn.'²

Hathiyār gipthagħant sardārē,

Shāhī yag-rahen dost-dārē,

Guđā hāthī phērīthānt khūniē.

Hāthī ākhto tak khafta.

Hindri mān galīyā khafta ;

Giptai chi kshik phādhā

Jamathāi hāthī sar-sūndā,

Hāthī tharathā ērmānā ;

Shodha sobh-khuthā Sardārā.

Gwanden katrāē mān-gwastha

Kāshid ākhtaghā jaltē-palk :

' Chākur, Turk tharā lotāl

Ash tho ya hawālē phursī.'

Chākur ākhto rū-bithai,

Cho bi Chakurārā gwashtai :

' Maīn khūni naryānē astēn

Hapt-phushtā hamēdhā thāshi

Dost o duzhamānī dēmā.'

Lā-chār bithā go Sardārā

Shāhī yag-rahen dost-dārān

¹ Or Zar-josh, wealthy.

² Or Āhiyāl thusākh hēchī nēn.

- 'Biyār-ish, manān manzur-en.'
 Haftān gīstaghan zong wāg 100
 Haftān chandumī zēn-khodhagh
 Gudā gozhmälē khuthai Sardārā
 'Tho di Duldula aulād-ē
 Maṇ di Chākurān Shaihakē
 Go tho zor-en, go mā droh-en.'
 Khorchhāt̄ pha-nadhar phēdhāgh-en
 Gudā haft-phushtā hamēdhā tākhtagheri
 Dost o duzhmanānī dēmā.
 Khūni naryān narm bītha
 Gaughāē girant-i bushkan! 170
 Shodhā phir-burtha sardārā.
 Turkā gar-burtha goghāē
 Kāshid ākhtaghā jaitē-palk
 'Chākur Turk tharā loṭāl
 Ash tho za hawālē phursi.'
 Chākur ākhto rū-bīthaī
 Cho bi-Chākurārā gwashta-i:
 'Go mā zahranen narshēr-en
 Thāl theghān gāhwarēnān gwānkāh
 Āzminē wurē narshērā.' 180
 Hathyār dāthaghant sardārē;
 Shāhi yagrahen dost-dārē
 Shēr zaharen jumbēnthal,
 Shingo Chākur o shāngo shēr,
 Chonen drānzithai miyānā thēgh
 Narshēr kotaghīghā khapta
 Mīr mozhaghān lālēnān
 Shodhā sobh burtha sardārā.
 Rāwachī ki burtha kardārā
 Go māth makkahen Māthoā 180
 Gwasht Bēgamā bi bachhā
 'Chākur sardār-en sari Rindānī
 Gwar tho pha thufākhē akhto
 Ni bashk-i lashkarān grānenān

Zunū kahāren phaujān ;
 Nēn, pha Chākurā Mirēnā
 Man sī-sāl satar bhorēnān
 Phusht pha phāmbanien lungī.
 Phairi pha kawātē bīthai
 Sar-khard khuthai sardārē 200
 Dāthai pha Sahicheh Dombā
 Urdē dir-sareñ jumbenthai,
 Zunū kahāren phaujān.
 Pha Phir-Lakhan o Lākhoā,
 Nāni, Nafung o Lakhā,
 Sar pha Bolavā shēf-bīthai,
 Suhvi rikhtaghan bāngohi
 Ma Gājā banindi loghā ;
 Chhūt-chēn¹ khuthai Lāshāri.
 Gwaharām du-jāh rozi ma-bā'
 Nēn gor bāth-i nēn Gandāva. 211

V.

Chākur pha shikārā rapta
 Bagāen tharāē wärthai
 Lahzē pha sawādā nishta-i :
 Dāchi ākhtaghan' dañzānā,
 Shir pha māighān shañzānā.
 Gwashta Chakurā Mirēnā
 Wa' pha Goharā hirēnā :
 'Thai dāchi pha chē kārē dañzant,
 Shir pha māighān shañzant ?'
 Gwashta Goharā durrēnā 10
 Wa' pha Chakurā Khānēnā :
 'Main hirān wärthagħant zahreñ sol ;
 Main hirān wadħ-mireñ go khapteñ.'
 Guðā bag-jat mēlaven gäl-ākhtai

¹ Chhūt-chēn appears to be a compound of the Sindhi words chhūti, safety, and chēn, esse, and its use here is evidently sarcastic.

• Phairi ākhtaghant Lāshāri
 Shikko sailē bor thāshi
 Hir azh maīn khushtaghant jukhtiā
 Shingo garthaghant mastiā.'
 Chākur maīn-dilā grān bītha
 Rindē hapt-hazār lotāē 20
 • Mā chyār-sadū ya-thareñ warnā būn
 Dāne dar-shafūn syārali,'
 Bivaragh Khān phadhā dragānā
 Wāgē giptaghant sardārē
 'Chākur, khēnaghā khamē khan,
 Nuhānī hazār mardān bī,
 Lālo khushtaghan' Lāshāri.'
 Guđā gwashta sar-batāki mardān
 Jāro, jaren Rēhānā
 'Bivaragh gondalānī sahmēnθē 30
 Hindiān ma-thars, sēr-dāthe,
 Rēkh zahraneñ whard-ān !
 Guđā Domb Langavān shā khār-om
 Bivaragh Khān, tharā dir nyādhūn,
 Mākh-om zahm-janen Lāshāri,
 Āfo banai mānah-ūn
 Hoshagh phinj-khanūn aptiyā ;
 Nind o gind khai sīth bī,
 Mūlān pha khai dē valī,
 Sītha pha khāīā gon-khai.' 40
 Go hawen gwashtanā taukheghā
 Wāg ishtaghan' sardārē
 Chāri khashtaghant chārāni
 Bol bastaghant pahrāni
 Chāri ākhtaghant golāni
 Sadū logh jidarāiyā dithen
 Odhā ma Nali-ghatā,
 Shahr chārītha Gājānē,
 Bag jukthiyeñ Gwaharāmē.

¹ Or lai-jukhtaghant. See IV. 104.

Bānghavā khuthēn phāsānē	60
Pha Gājān kilāt dēmā.	
Bag' gudithēn Gwaharāmē	
Dastā burithā Sāfānē ¹	
Matān Gohara hirānī,	
Hawēn zālī shūmat o shirrānī.	
Mēl kūch-khuthā Lāshārā	
Rosh-othānē burz bīthā	
Lāshārī khurā gon-dāthē	
Rinda lashkara bhāj-bīthē,	
Mir-Hān ma-phirā phirēnthē	60
Go havd-sadī ya-thareñ warnā	
Guḍā Chākur ghamzamī garthā	
Pha Mir-Hān ghamā lahmēnā	
Pha humbo chotaveñ Mīrēnā	
Lahri khaur gawārān giptē.	65

VI.

Wēla hadhiyeñ jawān athant
 Bāz barkateñ mard mān athant
 Mardān hamo arkān athant
 Go sāhivān yak-trān athant.

Samāithā durreñ janē
 Bāz māl-bagi bānukh-ē
 Nām Mahēri Gohar ath
 Mañ narmighā luđāighēth.
 Phēzdār kullē thangavān
 Nishtējanē āvrēshamān

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Gwaharām wadh pha minnat eñ
 Rosh o shafārā balaven
 Nyāmā vakilān Chākuren
 Chākur girārī ákhtaghadh

¹ Sāfān perhaps stands for sār-phān, the equivalent of sārwān (camel-herd), as in IV. 67, and is not a proper name.

- Odī gwar Mahērī Goharā
 Nērmosh hamodha phroshta-i.
 Phursithā Mireñ Chākurā
 Wath̄ azh Mahērī Goharā :
 ' Dāchī chi khāren dañzagħaint,
 Shir dan khuriyā shañzagħaint.' 20
- Gwashta Mahērī Goharā
 Wath̄ bi Amireñ Chakurā :
 ' Phairī ki Lāshār-potravān
 Rāmēn-Hān ghoravān
 Todā arueñ khushtaghant
 Mēshi ma nirā phakhagant
 Tut kambareñ bhorainthaghant
 Jat mēlaveñ grēainthaghant.'
- Gohar shamēdhā ladithā
 Bāuṭ gwar Mireñ Chākurā
 Zahr-khut̄ha Mireñ Chākurā
 Rindeñ hamū lotaintha
 Pha sai shafā gobī jatha,
 Bivaragh thēghā jug jatha
 ' Mākh na jēnūn ālamā
 Pha Jatāni hushturā.'
 Chulē batākī mān-athant
 Jāro, Rēhān sagh-sareñ
 Suhrāv bor kunj-gardaneñ. 30
- ' Bivaragh bii, pagāsi ma bi.'
- Dāh gwar Lashārā burtha
 ' Mar bi, ki mardān giptagħai,
 Rindān go syāli jħeravanā.'
- Gwaharām thēghā jug-jatha
 ' Rind phujaghčē nēn main bunā
 Thēghā, kavochi tūpakanā
 Balān, Shirāzī lurān
 Bandē Naliya-khaur dafā.'
- Roshā ki chiē burtha. 40

- Rindo bihān zhil-bīthaghant
 Mān-akhtaghūn sanden jughān
 Balān, Shirāzī lurān
 Khohān gēndē isparān.
 Jang badshāhī machithā
 Rind mēlaven phadī khishtaghant
 Dañ hav'-sadī nigrithai¹
 Go Mir-Hān zar-mushten lurā
 Chākur phirā bahmattaghā
 Thēgh khashtagho oshtāthaghath 60
 Khērī pha gwarpān dāthaghant
 Charēntha Phul Nodhbandaghā
 Chākur khuthai Phul sarā
 Phulār chābukē jathai
 Phul go Hudhāi qurzatā
 Gwastha azh ān sohren-zirā
 Azh ghat garinbokehā garān.
 Gwaharām thēghā gāj-gāj khutha
 'Nodhbandagh, Rind-e, thai Lāshār na-bē
 Chākūr khāi tālā khuthen 70
 Sar cho kharabī burithen
 Chonān ki müll tror-khuthen
 Sēvī go ya mushtā khuthen.'
 Charēntha javāv Nodhbandaghā
 'Mā Rind niyān, Lāshār zih yān
 Azh Rindaniyā bīthaghān
 Shir Muzie mikhtaghān
 Loli Muzie dāthaghān
 Manān loli dāthai nēm-shafā
 Man whāv shāghen gwānzaghā 80
 "Roshē phakhar Chākur
 Man jañg nawhashī sāitha"
 Mārā hamān rosh wal-adh.' 83

¹ Or niñ gēritħat.

VII.

Rind hawāl loṭāītha
 Dañ chyār rosh ghobī machitha
 Bivaragh thēghā drinbītha
 'Choshen na-jēnān ālimā
 Pha Jatāni hushturā
 Ki thēkān ma loghā bastaghant.
 Mā gālwār khārān hushturā ?'
 Chandi bitāki gon-athant
 Ma pahar gozān khaptaghant
 Nām 'janāni' giptaghant 10
 Saughand mazān phirēnthaghant !
 Gudā Sardār wāg-e ishtaghant
 Syāho-baziyā raptaghant.
 Rind kull kafochen tufak-ath
 Kuill bal syāhen nēzagħ-ath
 Tāsen rikēf doravath
 Phaṭteñ khawāh o shaddav-ath
 Phisheñ sawās o chabbav-ath.
 Gudā dāh go Lāshārā burtha
 Bijar Ramēn wa' sarā 20
 Go phādh lālen mozhaghā.
 'Rind phujaghī nēn maiñ bunā
 Bandūn Nali-khaur dafā
 Thankā ghatten gwādh-girā.'
 Roshā di Seviā burtha
 Rind bihān zhil giptaghant
 Odhā Hudhā khār ākhtaghant
 Washen dunyā jaur bīthaghant
 Jangā khutho mān-ākhtaghant
 Tosān damāmē dirthaghant
 Rind jatḥo nibērthaghant 30
 Dan haftsadhā nigērthaghant
 Mir Hān, Bivaragh khaptant.

Chākur phirā bahmanthagħath
 Thēgh rastagħo oshtāthaghath
 Khēri gwarfandā khutho.
 Nodħbandagh sh'i gurē ākħtagħath
 Gudā Phul sarā avzār khuthaī
 Phulār jathaī chābukē
 Phul pha Hudhiā kudratā 40
 Udrathaghā pha Phaugarā
 Pha għat-ġan grimbokheñ garān
 Pha phäshināni badleyān
 Ȑdhā burtha ma sar Shamē!
 'Shābāsh!' Bahār-Khānā khutha,
 Cho gwashtā Nodħbandaghār
 'Rind-ē, ki tho Rind bithaghé,
 Kulli ki Lāshār na bē
 Rind-ē, ki phar-mān khālis-ē.'
 Gudā jawāv dā Nodħbandaghā 50
 'Sardār, mār hawān rosh war-en
 Ki man-shir Rindānī mikħtagħen;
 Main makkāħen māthā manān
 Dātħha ki lolī nēm-shafā
 Panj-wakħt o zarden digarā
 "Tho phakħar-ē Mir Chākurār,
 Roshē ma jangē dar-barē
 Jangē girānen roħavē."
 Mār hawān rosh war-ē
 Nħeñ Chakura khāiā thħlā khutheñ? 60
 Gardeñ karabbiā jatheñ
 Bilān dī müli tror khutheñ
 Sēvī pha ya roshā khutheñ.' 63

VIII.

Kilāti Haviv gushi: sari Rind Ghulām Bolak gushi:
 Chākur Gwaharām karākutā gushi: Gohar bāutiyyā khardē
 gāl gushi: philaven si-sil-jang gushi.

Yād khanān nām Ilāhi
 Man awwal sarnāvaghān¹
 Haidar phusht o phanāh-en
 Hazraten ākhīr-zamān
 Biyā Lorighā sawāi
 Zir manī guftāraghān
 Bar gwara bēlān dilēghān
 O salāti brādhārān,
 Mangeha Rinda pha Bompur
 Kēch bāghē Makurān
 Mastharen logh Dombki-en
 Man Balochi manahān.²
 Rind Lashārī awār-en
 Trān bastha-ish pha-wathān ;
 'Biyāeth shēdhā bilaqūn
 Bilūn giyāfēn ulkahān
 Jo mitāfā bi-kaṭūn
 Bahr-khanūn bi pha wathān
 Go rājī rānā khadī ma lekūn.³
 Biyākhtān dañ loghā gidhān
 Hukm tondēn nakhlīfān
 Nokh khuthantesh ādimān⁴
 'Bozhē⁵ borān bāraghēna
 Kotavāni andarā
 Sāj⁶-khanē bāzen bihānān
 Nuh-hazāri markhavān
 Biyārē bagān girdaghēna
 Azh Nali-khaur dafā.
 Gwānkh-jatha jodhān bi khādān
 'Er-khafēth azh chajuān
 Khashē gāli o palangā
 Jhul suhren kamalān
 Bauf morbanden lihēfān
 Hingaloēn manjavān⁸

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¹ Or zarīm khan.² Or mēravān.³ Or nokhutha cho ān simān.⁴ Or khashē.⁵ Or sēn.⁶ Or manjalān.

Sikkavo tasān bijorē
 Makurānī kadahān
 Chākur ē dēh na nindī
 Ro wathī diren āmilān.
 Phoshithā Rindān wathī dir
 Pha khawāh o shaddavān
 Daz-gulā gozān malān
 Hol go dānti zrihān
 Phādh lālen mozhaghān
 Khākhtathant¹ go doravān.
 Dhādar o Sēvi gipta
 Dan Jhal o Nilaha dafā,
 Habb, Phab, Moh,² Mali,
 Dan Nali ān zimā,
 Gaj shahrā bastaghēnā
 Dan Marāgaho dēhā,
 Sangar o khoh Sulēmā
 Giptaghan shēr-narān
 Sāng Mundāhī dhaniyā
 Dan dāth bi Mēthirā;
 Bāghchaeñ Kācho simā
 Dan Dhari o Bhanarā;
 Nangaren Bijar thēghā
 Jām Sulēmāna lurā.
 Gohar bāuti ki ākhta
 Azh wathī māl sarā
 Girdagheñ bagān dināni
 Gwazh 'Malik gind sarā
 Māl mani othiya bag-en
 Handē phedārē manān.
 Chākurā dir-zānaghēnā
 Gwash bi durren Goharā
 'Nind ma Shorān joān³
 Kacharaka phalawā,
 Hēminā bagā bi-chārē

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¹ Or Kākhtant.² Or Mol.³ Or Barayo Shorān joān.

Nind bē-andēshaghā.
 Roshē azh Gwaharām shahrā
 Raftaghant khardē chariān
 Bāraghen borān zawaṛ-ānt
 Pha shikār o sailahā ;
 Hir khushtant jukhtaghiyā
 Phar¹ wathī läf-sērihā
 Mēhravā thēkān khawāthānt
 Go badheṇ kirdāraghān ;
 Rāj bundāthānt hazāri
 Azh du-dēmi ziānchā
 Shingurā Gwaharām thēghā
 Shāngurā Mir Chakurā
 Philaveni si-sāl jang ath
 Gohara hir phadīhā.
 Sar-galoi bāithaghanti
 Nēsh rikhtant azh dafā. }
 Mārā di ēkhavā di ishta²
 Pha Hudhāi āsurā
 Shash mushti pha badhighān
 Zaharā phēdhawarā.
 Dard Brāhimi Hasanā
 Khashtathish go Chakurā
 Guḍā Sultānē Balochā
 Sahl khuthā bi pha-wathān
 Chākur azh brāthī qasūrā
 Gwastha Satengarhā.
 Pardawā rakhē Ilāhi
 Manavo gudi turā
 Rind Lashāri waryāmen
 Hon-bēr lotaghā.

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¹ Or azh.² Or

Dāthaghanti sar-galoi

Nēsh khashtant azh dafā.

The last line also reads Nēsh drushtant man dafā.

³ Or Raj khishti evakhīghā.

IX.

Nodh̄ Bahrām gushi : jareñ Rashkāni Baloch gushi :
imar Bulmat Kalmat karākuṭā gushi : bāghār bāutiā
gushi.

Whazh-gusheñ Lori biyār wathī shāghār
Ma-sarā chareñ bairamē pāghār
Jawān mard dātārā girē dādhā.

Zi azh Sanniā giyāfēnā
Lađithā durreñ Goharā shodhā,
Ākhtaghā bāuti gwara Mirā.
Chākurā Shirāzi gawhar-zirā
Goharā durrēnā hawar dātha
‘Bagavo Milahā avur dān-eñ
Go mā Lashari jhēravē mān-eñ.’ 10
Goharā lađe sar-jamagh dāshta
Dastā Gohar mañ Kacharak nyāstha.
Raptaghant Shorānā pharē sailā
Chākura Miri bandanē shahrā.
‘Mā thāshūn dañ bāghchaen Gājā.’
Gohar dāchī ma bēghavā dañzant
Māighā shir dañ nāfaghān shanzant.
Chākurā phurs azh Mēlaven jatā
‘Zith khāñ jat, dai manān hāla
Cho khutīha khai go Gohara mālā?’ 20
Cho jawāb dātha mēlaven jatā
‘Akhtaghā Lāshāri phara chahrā¹
Guditha hir cho khēnaghā zahrā.’²
Chham-jatha durr-gosheñ Mahēriyā
‘Jat, hamē gāle bilē shēriyā
Phutureñ Rind ma dēravāñ druāh-ant
Dāchi pha hirāñ hardamē zāhant.’

¹ Or hamē chindī.² Or mardi.

Badh burtha Rēhānā Nawāvēnā
 Phuzh Jāravā jaur-jawāvēnā
 'Mā phara durren Gohara hirān
 Havbarā shāmalo janūn shirān
 Shart khanūn haisi chotavā birān.'
 Bāgar Jatoi jawāb dātha
 'Bakhū-ān durren Gohara Sammī
 Hotā pha bāutān niyath khamī.'
 Shāh Husain chērava roshā'
 Bibarī phēshā nishta ma loghā
 Dar-shutha² bāghār azha gēdā
 Chhoravān ilgā boikhta pha dīmā³
 Gur-khanāna dañ⁴ mēdhira loghā
 Dēmā dar-khpta mardumē jawāneñ
 Sharr kalāñch-ant cho dushtagheñ shirā
 Dholant oshishē kalāiyān
 Bibarī gāl-ākhta mazeñ shāneñ
 Kiāmahā minnatē khuthai bāzeñ
 'Chhoravān bāghār bil, mani shāmen
 I-katar mārā phar wathī nāmen.'
 Nā-jāneñ joračaveñ jatān
 Chhoravān bāghār khushta pha latān.
 Odh niyad⁵ loghā sammaveñ sālo
 Dast-kauliyañ phijatha dāñhi
 Hot azh mirāni darā ākhta
 Bibarī gāl-ākhta mazeñ shāneñ
 'Agh tha pha bāghār na khuth khāi'
 Man thai bhēn, tho mani bhai.'
 Sūrihā pha dēmā jawāb dātha
 'O amul-māin, sabr khanē gonā
 Ya-barē bosht, gāl mayā go-mā,
 Mañ phara bāghārā khanūn chonā
 An dighār shahmi bītī azh honā'⁶

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¹ Or Kalmatiāni robav roshā.² Or Dar-khaſt.³ Or Chhoravān ingārā phara dīmā.⁴ Or ma.⁵ Or na-ro bāl.⁶ Or phar honā.

Shingurā shast, shāngurā phanjāh
 Drust phar bāghārā bīthaghā yag-jāh.
 Omarā nashkē ishta pha kaulā
 Hongireñ Bālāchā phara honā
 Sūriha Dōdā phara gokhān.

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X.

KALMATI SHA'AR

Bor Kalmatiyān bastaghān
 Shēr manahā ahizaghan
 Moth, gur, shir warant
 Gokhi zhālokhēñ roghanā.
 Bag-jato khākhtān rastaghā
 Büt o karai sistaghā ;
 Āhīn ki odhā dāshtaghan
 Khādān pha rashēv dithaghan
 Honē ki anzi grēthaghan
 Shāra katakā giptaghan,
 Jālū ki jedhān bīthaghan.
 Jodhān go ārisa phiithān
 Brāthān saulen phusaghān.
 Bagān balā zurtha shumē
 Bagān hāren goramē
 Mēshān chulumb pādheñ buzān
 Mēhi go mashkeñ māhighān.
 Mir Hot tumānā zahr khuthā
 'Algh shutho khargazān
 Kalmatiyāni janān
 Bagān bigār trākoraghē
 Bē bal jāmē jokahē
 Nēlān ki honi-izh barant.'
 Trātān lakori bastaghūn
 Phidhān bihān bāl-dāthaghūn,
 Simā Wakāvi gwastaghūn

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Go duzhmanā gon-khaptaghūn ;
Gwānkē manān belān jatha
Tūtā miskānī Sahāk,
' Dastā jaghar-burān janēth 30
Miziri mazān-tapē lurān
Gindūn Hudhā chonā khan
Shāl mēlē phirēnthaghan
Bag Bulfatā gardēnthaghan
Hon-ish phithānī giptaghan. 35

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GWAHARĀM TO CHĀKUR, I. VERSION A

Gwaharām gushī ; hawān roshā ki Mir Hān khushta

Mā mukabil būn brahnagheñ dāñe
Gor-char o patti mulākāt-ān
Ya-sarā biyāyan Rind o Dombakī
Bhanjar o Jatoi tana'-wāni
Rind khākhtan go mozhaghī phādhān
Amsarā thihāni bi-ēr-rikhtan
Azh hamū halikā hon wathī giptai
Khushtai nāmēnā Malik Mir Hān.
Chākur shabē azh-gurā bokhtai
Dāthai daz-laṭe phara gokhān
Sirmughe gwāmēshān bi-charēni.
Thān-gurā Rēhān o Safar gurden
Ahmad go Kaloā sahāvēnā,
Chi shāi ranj-ath o nawath-rishān ?
Rāj pha Bhēniya charēntho,
Dast-atho Bingopur hazār-ganjen,
Dost ma lālen manjavā hand-ath !
Mālimi honā bē-gunāsēnā
Hān Gwaharāmā kanjukhān bastha
Mal pha Milahā zhalāngēntha.

GWAHARĀM TO CHĀKUR, I. VERSION B.

Gwaharām Nodhbandagh Lashārī gushī; Rindē Lashārī
karakuṭān gushī.

Waspān jawānān mulk Balochāni
Savzant Milahē davē syāh-jo
Gor-charo dānānī mullān khatān¹
Har phithē waqtē kiavā khākhtan
Go kunārāni phakaghen wangān.
Mañ nazar jad̄h pha rakhtaghen chhamān
Azh mano dēmā Roshtumē rustha
Chākur o Harānī naryān zongen
Rājiē azh bēniya² bigardēntha
Khoh saro ghaṭān bi tapēntha 10
Drapo Rindān bāragheñ borān
Che shawar ranj-ath, o nawathē-rishān?
Gonathē Bingav phur³ hazār ganjen
Chetarvo shāhi pattan o bāzār.
Shāi dost mañ māriyān athān lālen
Gardagar⁴ minnatē mañ lotān
Khāwind bājāni bālādh bāthān.
Yag-sad̄hē dāth, dah-sad̄h omēdheñ.
Manān omēdh khapar rēj-en
Asaro omēdh niyath chosheñ. 20
Ya-sarā khaiyān⁵ Rind o Dombaki
Banara Jatoi thanāvāni
Haqq avo halkā ā-burtha chonān
Mälami honā bē-gunāskēnā.
Chākur 'aql cho zānaghān kambā
Phirwāliyā gon whānagho hoshēn

¹ This should probably be mulikatān, as in (a) l. 2.

² Probably Bhēnī, the name of a place.

³ This should probably be Bingopm, the name of a town.

⁴ Probably this should read Kirdagār, the Creator.

⁵ Khanjan, given by Mr. Mayer, seems to be a misprint.

Sar na dāshītāi cho gwāsaren Mir-Hān
 Dan Naliyā o thank-dafen ghattā.
 Rīnd azh tāzīyān hazāriyān
 Ēr-rikhtān pha mozaghī phādhān, 30
 Mā dī go Mir jamsaren phauzān
 Usarā thihānī bi-ēr-rikhtūn
 Khushtha mā namēnā Malik Mir Hān¹
 Go do Shaihakī bingaveñ bachhān
 Hardo Sohrāven sēr-tamāēnā
 Na-sareñ Hamal Kēharā shimeñ
 Chanar o Hotēn o² Safar gurdeñ
 Jiand o³ Pheroshāh manayānī
 Azh sari Rindān gor-khushen Āli
 Thamahah saulen phusaghē khushten 40
 Azh hamo halkā hon wathī gipten⁴
 Zāmaren dumb ghumari bīthā
 Nā-sahiyā dangarān shithā
 Dāthā mā daz-laṭe phara gokhān
 Simureñ⁵ gwāmēshān bi-chārenī
 Dukhavān Rehān o Hasan mattī
 Ākharān Khohū bārth phara Mīrā
 Phil Aliyā pahlewānēnā
 Pahr na bandī nishtagheñ satjān
 An mazān padhaki jani zuunkān, 60

CHĀKUR TO GWAHARĀM, 2.

Mir Chākur Shaihak gushī : sari Rind Bādshāh gushī :
 Rind Lashāri karākutān gushī : Gwaharām phasavē dāth,
 gushī.

Zyānaho Gwaharām go hamen badhā
 Go Balochī isbēdīhagheñ gardā

¹ This line is corrected as above from (a) line 8. Mr. Mayer's version is :
 Khushtha mā nāmē nām alik Nūra.

² Or Rehān, see (a) l. 12.

³ Corrected from Jān do.

⁴ Corrected from gitāñi ; see (a) line 7.

⁵ For sirmugheñ, see (a) l. 11.

- Nâm Naliyâho bêdagħā bastħai
 Nâm cho Nodħbandagh burthai burzā
 Yabarā názēntha wathî bânzi
 Baedħān Rind bahrañi tāzī
 Mälēmā Milahi nighor phadħān
 Pahr hamān bāndāthā girārē
 Jukhtaghā Bangi o Hasan Nodħak
 Ādamo Nodħbandagh manayāni 10
 Ahmand go Kaloā sahāvēnā
 Thau khishta gori phrushtagħen rumbān
 Roshē ma grānen phihano jangē
 Azħ phadħā Rindē gondałān wārthant
 Mañ magħundān bastħareñ jāħān.
 Rumbi azħ Dābāni kilāt zurthal
 Gin ma Milaha-dafā khasith
 Man tharā chosħen na-jatha āħū
 Mañ shāir pha phurkhashān na shastāħān
 Phasav go changāni aghażiyyān 20
 Dañ thai bālādhā sahāviyyā
 Azħ mani chāpole mazāriyyā
 Thāv ma chalen gozh bunā
 Sar thrħāna cho kurthagħen (mādħin)
 Sar thahūrē man 'ālama khundā.
 Nēmavo Gāj Güjarāt gwasħtha
 Nēmavo be Phalpur shuħha rullā
 Thau hamān Rindāni salāmiyē
 Topavā bauren chiädar jalāt
 Thau ki shēr bārāni lagħorāni 30
 Ma sarā syāhen ashkarān doħe!
 Niñ Omara pahnādhi gwarān dakē
 Gon-kħafisān īläo khushtagħen mardi.
 Mā hamān Rind bāragħen borān
 Gah shēruñ o sar bur l-ettuñ
 Khākhtuñ go badħān hardo dēmēnā
 Khotaghā thēwagħiyyā talab-där-ūn,
 Bāz-gusheñ Gwaharām, jawān dil-għoġ khan

Shar safar khan, daur phadhā gardi
 Shartān be jallaki bicharēnān
 Go kalamān gard khanān shir
 Bēm azh dostānī dilā kinzant.

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GWAHARĀM TO CHĀKUR, 3.

O manī shahī aundali brāthān
 Biyāyanto Rājānī gēhen mardān
 Las Lāshār Hān Sardārān
 Biyāyanto diwānē khanūn brāthī.
 Mañ ki ma shair tānjavā ditha
 Chākurā gwāthē ma-sarā bitha
 'Chonān gumarā¹ khaz malik bitha.'
 Cho wathen mard-ān namarrēnī
 Shā manān bārie dā roshē
 Mañ Sammavo Bhattiān bichārāyān
 Thattavī phauzhānī ma-sarā rēshān ;
 Āsā pha chappoān man dārān
 Āsā lāyān cho dakhanā wārā
 Bungrān grāneñ logh mughēmāni,
 Thosaghā Dilli Turk dalékhīm bant
 Dāthen jangē go nawath-rishān,
 Rind chi jahlā kēnthaghan burzā
 Mañ Kilāt bith ma nighor sārthenī.
 Mañ hawān gāl gwashtanē roshā
 Chākurā syāhen phandarē khushta
 Chākurā mardi khēnaghā mān-ath
 Jhal go juhlāfā na gwāzenthant
 Sanj go Sangwāthā na phirēnthant
 Gūrgin go wa'-rodheñ dāmāmoān.
 Howē! howē! kī sobh mani bitha ;
 Mā jatha chāpolē badhiyānra
 Raptaghant gori bor kator-phādheñ
 Har davāre pha mashareñ Sēvi.

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¹ Perhaps for jāmārā or zhāmārā, ever.

Chākur pha zēndānē ghamē zīrī.
 Chākur pha juhlen khandaghān burz bi 30
 Mandavo shāhī phusaghen bēr-bant
 Khoshti ma drashkānī bazeñ sāyān }
 Manthagheñ gurkhen ash-phadħā gindi }
 Baro hamān dēhā ki guna phashant
 Ālarōānī shir gawāh banti
 Mañ daf o dēm ² o brinjanen rishān
 Pha Balochiñ chukh līlhāyān
 Zai pha Jamoti gāl-āyat
 Chukh sharikh̄ bai go Jat Gophānkān
 Dast ma bāzeñ jhapaghan rēsh bant 40
 Topav ma bāvaren chādarā pāndhā
 Ma sarā syāhen ashkarān dohē.

CHĀKUR TO GWAHARĀM, 4.

Mir Chākur Shaihak gushī: sarī Rind Bādshāh gushī:
Gwaharāmār phasavē dāth gushi.

O khumēth nosh khan thīraghē dānā
 Bāz khanē phili gardan o rānā
 Tikkaen wāgān dē kumundēnā
 Whashiyā azh Sēviyā mawā gardān.
 Shakhalo sarphurān sohāgiyān
 Pha murādē ma dēravā dāthān
 Bosht man shazhmehā harēviyā
 War gadēmā man hādhire jam khān
 Azh badhān khoheñ thīwarē sham khān.
 Hakk o nāhakkā phadħā gardān 10
 Jagh nāwhashen ki bastagheñ bandān
 Ma hawān dēhā ke ale gindān.

¹In Mr. Mayer's version this couplet reads:

Roth awo drashkānī buna mindi
Zahraneñ sheri pha phadħā gindi }

²Mr. Mayer's version has 'barotān' instead of 'daf o dēm.'

Kaul-en go haisi chotavo phāghān
 Yabarē bushkān man bāzeñ shēfān
 Jāni azh bal nēzaghān gark bi.
 Biyāith hawān nar ki wādhāē ākhtai
 Kadahē phur bīthai hasēvānī
 Man di azh Shāhen Qādirē lotān
 Sobh pha Sēvi phutureñ Rindān
 Gēshtar azh hir'-phādh thanakh-rishān
 Azh-phādhā chukh janō Mughal rokh bi. 20

CHĀKUR TO GWAHARĀM, ON LEAVING SIBI, 5.

Chākur Shaihak gushī: sari Rind Bādshāh gushī: ān
 rosh ki Sēvi khilī khardē gal gushī: Gwaharāmār
 phasavē dāth gushī.

Bilān mar-lawāsheñ Sēvi
 Gauren badhānī margāví
 Jāmē Nindavā Bhattiyā
 Sai-roshān bahrā nēghā
 Si-sāl uvt o uzhmārā
 Jān-jēbhavān jangiyā
 Thēgh azh balgavā honēnā
 Chotān cho kamāndi boghān.
 Jukhtānā nashant lārēnā,
 Warnāyān du-mandilenā
 Lađ ma dēravān na rusthant. 10
 Ārifēn phithā sar-sayān
 Misk ma barūtān na mushtant
 Whard dumbaghān mēshānī
 Karwālī sharāb sharr joshant.
 Shāhān pha nishān yakē nēst,
 Drustān wārthagħān hindiyān
 Thēghān pharāhān zivirēnā
 Shartān dāthaghan shimēnān
 Bachaki lawar bāñziyā. 20

Gwaharām muzheń Gandāvagh
 Singhē ma zirih phirēntha ;
 Māchiyā lawāshta lanjāith.
 'Ali o Wali druh-dārān
 Bag girdaghen bē-shon-en
 Yāki kilāta bē-ron-en
 Hāgh kāwall Turkānān
 Rind bāraghen borānān.
 Gwaharām azh dudē handē bī
 Nēn gor bāthī nēn Gandāvagh !

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XII.

CHĀKUR AND HAIBAT.

Haibatē Bibrak Rind dēma ya kaul khuthē
 Sai-pharā chapeń dastā nohatā jathē
 'Har khasē mani bagā gon khafī
 Ān ki molī, khandaghā āndēmā charī.'
 Nā-ghumānē Chākur lokān lāh-jathai
 Haibatē Bibraka syāh-gwadīhānī shudhā
 Lachithā Rindā pha mirāi mēravā
 'Ān wathi bagā nēlūn Mirāl-potravā'
 Chākurā tēk phalitha gonokhā sirhālā khuthant
 'Chandiē chosheń lēravān
 Nāme Hudjhātī mań faqirān bashkātjhaghān.'
 Hai na bīthā ki dāhi akhtaghā
 Bag go Gwaharāmā burthaghā
 Rindān go zahmī takāi dāthā Lāshār-potravā.
 Kamatha Rind ; gartha garokhet naryān.
 Chākur chham phrushta wathi gudi ghoravā.
 Na-ghumānē dañzē rustha Nāri Khaur dasā
 Haibatē Bibrak go wathi tond phāghānī ghasā.
 Zahmī takāi dāthā go Lāshār-potravā
 Hāvd-gist Mirālī dāthā bagavā rāvaghā
 Sai-sadī phanjāh khushta go Lāshār-potravā.

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Phanjāh khushta kull kurān-whān 'ālimān.
 Har do Rājān doliān burtha
 Gēshtar doli Lashārā gharā.
 Bagā pahnādhi khuthai, dātha Rindā pha mirāi mēravā,
 'Ān wathī bagā nēlūn go Mirāl-potrava.'
 Chākur mushkilā kharāni gushant
 'Hawān bagā phithī mardān burtha,
 Phithī mardān go manī brāthān gēshtaren
 Akbat roshē manī manī kāhoā raven
 Bāzgān na bhorān, ladhārā āsā na deān,
 Khai gwar gire, ārāwā khanān.'
 Sai-chyār roshē chachroēn trānaghā
 Haptumi roshā bag jug-jāhā ghasā
 Hawān mazen-nēsheñ lēravān jate Kotalā.
 Chākur inām dātha Nāri go Sēvī shahrakā.
 'Bhar, Mirāl, thai savzā thiraghā!' 37

XIII.

CHĀKUR AND JĀRO.

I.

CHĀKUR TO JĀRO.

Chākur shaikhak gushi: Jāro rishāni giragh rosh gushi:
 Haddeh khosh gushi.

O Mughal sanj Khān naryānā
 Ahuā shēr gumbazēnā
 Zēn trundēn Ārabiya
 Thank nazikhen biginār.
 Dān man khārān hiyālc.
 Rind manī khoheñ kilāt-ant,
 Khushtagheñ Rindā galō nēst.
 Hardo dēmā jān dāri.
 Lēv chitor kharoān,
 Jāro di khārch kātār jukhtaghiyā

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Goni-ān bandān jathiyā
 Brinjanen rish giptaghiyā
 Haddēhā pha zor gipta.

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2.

JĀRO'S REPLY TO CHĀKUR.

Jāro Jalamb gushi: Chākur phasavē dāthi gushi.

Gozh dē, O khanden Mazido
 O Mazido, bangē haleñ
 Bangē häl o bāz khiyaleñ.
 Drogh ma bant, Chākur Nawāven,
 Drogh ma bant, ki drozhi na bai!
 Drogh azh dathānā darrā bī,
 Azh zawānā bī sharrēnā.
 Rästen, O Mir mangēhāni!
 Rästen, O Chākur Nawāven!
 Maiñ brinjanen rish giptaghiyā,
 Azh mā phawen sāhe giptān,
 Azh wathi gudi miyārān,
 Azh khēnaghiāni shaghānā.
 Roshē Haddēh o Shāho biditha
 Dir logh-an ma dighār-en!
 Gon athi sanden khamānē,
 Jābahe phur azh thangā,
 Thēgh nokh-saj barākh ath,
 Khārch kātār ju^khtaghiyā,
 Goni-ān bandān jathiyā
 Pha dil-kāmā khutho-khisht.
 Haddēh tilhāna niyākhta,
 Phopul o hirān warāna,
 Gwar janān chyār-kullaghēnā,
 Gwar Chākur durreñ gwahārā,
 Gwar Bānariā nēk-zanēnā
 Thānkeñ amzānē na nishta.
 Haddēhā phol ma dighārā
 Haddēh dighārā du-mardeñ.

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XIV.

NODHBANDAGH SHA'R.

Nodhbandalgh zar-zuwāl gushī : imar wathī sifat khardē
gāl gushī.

Kungurān, O Kungurān !
 Kungur jaren brāhondaghān !
 Gālē gazirān āvurtha
 Aiv phara haist sarā,
 Choshā man gindān zāhirā,
 Zulm phara bēdādhīhā.
 —Drust dafā rish āvurtha,
 Nāmard rish jahl khutha
 Khond o khuriyān gwāh-khutha
 Chungē avur gaukhī phadha. 10
 Mardā hawēn vās na khuth
 Bēronaghen mar gwar janān,
 Choshen ki chūri kukkurē
 Jant-i nasaā ma-sarā.
 Nindith grēhī pha-gurā
 Āhān ki khashī phar dafā
 —Go mā sakhiēn mēraven,
 Go mā bakhilēn jhēraven,
 Jhērant o hanchosh gushant,
 Sutā karīrā rēs-dēant ; 20
 'Mäl na bī pha Nodhbandalghā.
 Phul na-zāl ma mausimā,
 Shazhmāho phureñ nokh sarā
 Zāith niyāri khuraghā.'
 Ni nādhān athant jauren badhān,
 Zi pha shaghānā na khafān ;
 Agh mā phaso phostī khuthēn
 Mäl cho mughēmā mēlatheñ ?
 Cho munkīrā yak-jāh khuthēn ?
 Mäl Muhammadē zir-ath,

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Haft-sad_h hasht-sad_h goramā,
 Bag girdaghen bēshon athant,
 Shartān na dātha hizhbarē,
 Bhēdī rangoī bāyān ;
 Azh mā na zitha kātulān
 Bungāho grāneñ lashkarān ;
 Dātha bi-nāmē Kāditā
 Bi momin o whānindaghān,
 Barā asileñ dārgurā.
 Sohvā larisān warān,
 Biyāyant ghāzī whazhdilā 40
 Whazhdil manī nām girant,
 —Dādh na lēkhān chādhārān,
 Khēs go khawān o jābahā,
 Mirsi mazaiñ-thapeñ lurā,
 Ēshānā ghāziān barant,
 Sāri kafochī sai-sad_hi,
 Phar yak shafā osāraghā,
 Sohvi bi suwāliyān burtha
 Domb gushokheñ lāngavān,
 Jawāneñ sari Rabbā lavān
 Shughrā hamē gāl khanān.
 Chosheñ suwāliē miyāith,
 Biyāith o ma lotī amrishā,
 Ki ' Baufā go hāthjnē khashā.'
 Ē dādani chie niyāñ !
 —Khaulē manān cho Omarā,
 Cho Omarā khaulē manān,
 Mañ bashkaghē band na bāñ,
 Band biaghē mardē niyāñ ! 60
 Harchī ki khāt azh Kādhīrā
 Sad_h ganj bē-aiv darā,
 Zitrān pha rāsten chambavā,
 Burān avo khārch sarā,
 Ni bahr khanān go hādhīrā,
 Nēlān khanān pha phadħā.

Gudā manī brātī bingaveñ
 Brāzākht o brathī māngēnavāñ
 Kahr bant āptiyā girant
 Mirāt milk johaghā
 Nodhibandagh māl sarā.

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XV.

DILMALIKH SHĀ'R.

Shartāñ malükheñ Dilmalikh
 Azh khēnagh o kivar āburtha
 Brathī payāseñ mēravāñ
 Dūmāñ Rindi dēravāñ.
 Rindē janē 'Nākho' khanant,
 Dāsā ma dastāñ dēant,
 Rēmā malükheñ Dilmalikh
 Buri pha rēshen dāddavāñ !
 Ni bilāñ manī phadh-mozhaghī,
 Thāsenī rikēñ o doravī,
 Ma phisheñ sawāsāñ zom girant.
 Manāñ kadro khumēthāñ niyathī ;
 Mā dāthāñ pha sunyeñ phēshaghāñ
 Bhēdi rangoi bayāñ !

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Rindā Hudhā Lāshār na khant.
 Musalmāñ Hindū na bī;
 Trag na zīri kāfiri.

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XVI.

Shāhzād Chākur gushi.

Shē-phara Langāhāñ du-zahamēnāñ,
 Nāhar o Kuñgāñ sēr-tamāmēnāñ,
 Dar-khasfant Dodāi phara zahmā.
 Thēgh azh savzeñ āmañā rastha
 Mañ malūki sar-khofaghāñ shipta.

Bak̄hmal o bulghār Harēviyā,
 Chhil hazār Rindān wa' sarā gon-en !
 Khāt Humāū go sai-chyār lākhā,
 Chaparī zorākh-en avur rājān.
 Rosh dar-ākhta, phauzh phēdhāgh bi,
 Urd Humāūn bāz bē-ganjen
 Lākari säya sudhaven̄ balān
 Ma dighārā jāgah niyath phādhā,
 Murgh ma balān̄ sarā nishtant,
 Han̄ niyath̄ mardār o nariyānār.
 —Gwānk̄ khuth̄a wa'-rodhen̄ damāmūnān
 Chhil hazār dāde-potraveñ mārdān ;
 Ma hiyālān̄ dil na chandēntha,
 Phutureñ Rind pha dapaghān khākhtan.
 Ma Hudhā āmāne shumē bālād̄h
 Gwar jan o thango-droshamen̄ bachān,
 Shart avur haisi chotavā bīth̄a.
 Thāgwar ākhta go khāuli Turkān.
 Manchith̄a jang go tūfaki thirān,
 Pha saghārān̄ saroen̄ lilān̄,
 Der na bīth̄a dan̄-damā dhakhē,
 Āf̄ shir bīth̄a dan̄-damā nakhē,
 Mā nazar khuth̄ go rakhtaghen̄ chhamān !
 Urd azh chapeñ phalawā phrushta,
 Phrushtaghan rad-gālū Mirāl hamē
 Chund azh Mira-nēmaghā khēntha,
 Zor khuth̄a Dilli phutureñ Turkān.
 Jug-jatha Māi Bānari Shaihak,
 Ghor-khuth̄a Rindān pahlavānēnā,
 Phusht-khuth̄a Dilli zahraneñ Turkān,
 Zahm-jatha Rindo bāraghen̄ borān ;
 Phrushtaghan Dilli Turk harām-khoren̄,
 Ma lajjavā alkāfān Balochiyān.
 Hapt-hazār nar-shēri garākhēntha
 Jahl jandarā malan̄ drushta.
 Sai-sadh̄ Rinda phalawā khushta,

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Allano jangānī julav-gīra,
 Allano gēdhī gwāth-sareñ syāhā,
 Noh khushaintha go Nohak ākhta,
 Balash sultānī sarā Mirā.
 Berātha¹ Dilli kot hazār-ganjen
 Odhā hasht-pahri dēravē dāthāi.

'Mār² karār bant o bor bi-sāhsār-ant
 Gosh-numā sāhsāri damā nokheñ
 Som-ish chi simān hukmān dir bant. 60
 Mañ di go hazhdah bingaveni bachhān
 Māndri bāzār warān bhangā,
 Lilēnān³ drikhēnān sarf suhvān
 Duzhmani mardānī dil-phushtā.'
 —Mard ki azh Sindhi phalawā⁴ khāyant,
 Chajuē Rāniyā payafēnā,
 Phrushtaghen Uchhi nuh-thaleñ bāhīn,
 Nēm-shañi kahreñ zāribāñ khilant!
 Pha wathī khauliyan buzurgēnā,
 Pha wathī lajjānī hudhābundān, 60
 Pha makho nilā phara dostān.⁵
 Vēravān gudi mahrwareñ mor-ant!
 Syāh manān boeñ lashkarān zirant;
 Avr mani bāndhān amiriyān
 Nēsteno pharwāh garz azh khasā,
 Āñ Amir gindi Chākura sāya! 66

XVII.

RIND-DODAI-JANG.

I.

Bijar Phēroshāh gushī: sari Phuzhen Baloch gushi.
 Gagar arhat bahant shafi phāsān
 Mān mani Bijāri bunindiān,

¹ Or giptai.² Or Hot.³ Or Mēlaven.⁴ Or nēmaghā.⁵ Or jannat-suhrañ.

Niñ na nindāñ ki dēm-bazeñ halkai;
 Mañ rawāñ odhā nangareñ Brāhim,
 Nangareñ Brāhim go Muhammadā
 Wārth sharāvā ma kadahēā zareñ
 Wār' sharāvā, dā' manī bahrā
 Agh phara rāzien-dilē dāthaish;
 Nahi tha Rind na bī, Dodāi mani brāth-en; 10
 Khoh na bī, Hindustān rivāyat-en;
 Sindh na bī, Phailāvagh mani jidh-en;
 Chāchara soreñ āf manāñ dost-en,
 Māñ mani bachāñi dasā whash-ant
 Dir-ant azh Turkāñi hawāñ lat-ān.
 Pha mawālīāñ Sindhri jawān-en
 Āf baz-en o bhāng arzān-en
 Dār loghāñi gwarā bāz-en! 17

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Babar Sohrāb gushī: Dodāi gushī.

Hāzhava sar! ki chē gon-dātha?
 Āñ mazer-thapeñ thēgh māñ-āyan,
 Thir mañ älaen-kashē gwāh-bant,
 Gondal mārē khad-khanant jānā
 Dast Rindāno bāragheñ borān.
 Thi-phithi roshē drogh ma gardānē
 Go medhir o sardārāñ sakhiyena
 O kalātāni gardaneñ shāhān.
 Ē havar chari ranjaveñ mardī
 Ākhtaghā gēdhīa gidharāna 10
 Ākhtagho mēhmān mani thēghē
 Thēghavo Bijar jadha savzeñ.
 Zāñ ki jānbozh bāz-athān jānē!
 Phur niyatḥ mañ roshāñi kator zareñ.
 Gwāh mani Jongo-en manāyāni,
 Pha chi rangi bālādh mani dīthai!
 Drogh na bandīth ki khār mardāneñ

Mēdhīrī sālokh droshamenī bachhi.
 Mañ wathī jangāni kalā gire
 Girdagheñ bagāni phanāñ mīr-en
 Rakhtagheñ chhamāni charāk-nīr-en 20
 Phāthāni brāthāni sutum-zir-en.
 Niñ ishtom, ki āhirī bītha,
 Zyādhaben matāñ thēzhaghi shītha,
 Hūr manī nighrān o pharēshānēñ
 Tañgdilā roth go daz-gohārakhāñ;
 Māhaur go ambrahāñ na gwārentha,
 Go wathī nākhoā khavīhenā ! 28

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Jongo Ghulāmo gushī : Babarār phaso dāth gushī.

Jī zirā māhaur bastagheñ nodhāñ
 Kaunish pha thalānke barān burzā,
 Gon-dēān honīān risālatān :
 O manayāni Babareñ Sohrāv !
 Sindhā go shorī manāñ shastē,
 Gwāhiyā galāñ azh mana phurse.
 Gwāh hamānh-ant ki azh phađha dārānt,
 Mohri vāgāna na ginārānt.
 Mañ phara chiā aiv khanāñ, Hānā ?
 Dodāi yarangen bahāzur-ān 10
 Lāsh ki shāirāno salāhānant !
 E-kadar mālūm-ath mani hathā.
 Tho am-rikēfiyā go ambalāñ khākhtē,
 Vāzdaho yarang bahāzurāñ,
 Mañ dilā niyato murād ēsh-ath
 'Sh-ē-phari g'hānoē bi-gardēnūñ !
 Tho gwar-ākhto ki zīth phađh-khisthē,
 Tharā dor-khutha Rindī sudhavo balāñ
 Duzhmanī chāmpola hawashēnā.
 Tho mayārē ma dambaghāñ zurtha 20
 Nangareñ Phēroz rana roshā,

Tharā drap azh Shaihak lurā bitha,
 Mēhlav shēr-bhim hudhābundē,
 Sar azh sēnsārān na phārēzthē,
 Azh daryayānī lahar thelānkān.
 Tharā dar-burtha Māchhiyān haryēnā !
 Cho thav-ē mahilij ēr-khasheñ warnā
 Bāzen gwar Bijarā varyāmēnā.
 Mañ hēl Bijar māhzabā sahiyān ;
 Nēn pha-guzār thāri-mādhaghān ziri, 30
 Nēn shahr-lokān, bahrani tāzi ;
 Whard bawarant bingaven hot-ant.
 Sambar o sir manahā rāz-khant
 Shimbarā jāni sar-jamē khāyant,
 Ān khavāhā ki mañ gurā shēf-ant,
 Phēshā thai nākhoa gwarā dāthen,
 Dāina azh hamā chitā khotaghē ēr-en ! 37

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Hairo Mandos gushi; Dodāi gushi; Bijarār phasavā
 dāth, gushi.

Thēgho arjalā naptēnā,
 Mañ dosti lurā savzēnā,
 Dāi bi kadanā zivirēnā,
 Zar-zīren rahā āman dai,
 Jukhtā bandī pha gahniyā,
 Goā go rahā phārēzi !
 Phaighām ākhtaghan Rindāni,
 Mēlav-chādhareñ mardāni,
 Rindāni zahm-janen phādh-ākhta, 10
 Nāmē mar-khushen Bijaren
 Vādi go Malik Sohravā !
 Bāndāthē Hudhā chosheri khant,
 Phauzhe chithagheñ jumbēnūn
 Zarden digar o bānghwāhe.
 Dāne darkhafūn sarāeñ

Rekhi dāmane dir-pāndēn ;
 Ganji rohri phēdhāgh būn,
 Rind Dodavā mērēnūn.
 Mat-gēghūn gēhen warnāyān ;
 Nāthū mal bigipt Shāhzāda,
 Miskāni Walyā Chatāyā,
 Shambo shavguren Shorānā,
 Mādan Allanā gurdēnā.
 Ipti lashkaro grāneñ phauzh
 Āf-banavī mān-āyant,
 Hoshagh chof-khanan' āptiyā.
 Mañ go bahirānt syāhā
 Dast-nēzagho Lakiyā
 Pholān o khushān Bijarā
 Phuzh sohavo sardārā ! 30
 Bāshānti thusākh hancho bī
 Phadā' pha phadāhā, mērēnān,
 Jahdhī mēlavē gon-gēzhān,
 Dastā mañ gwarē phirēnān,
 Thēghā mañ sara bhorēnān,
 Chonān ghut-khanān katārā
 Biroth dan birjakā rādhēnā,
 Rāsten dast mani honē bī !
 Bijar azh kulung-zēnā
 Wafsl ma phirē shāmi bī ; 40
 Ya-mar azh mano hindiyā
 Zirī jābahā Rindiyā.
 Sobhā pha thusākhe katī !
 Ahdhān gwar janān dēr bandī,
 Sath nishtagheñ dīwānā,
 Mā Hairo Tāsoāni khushta,
 Phāgh bīravē granch bastha
 Thūnī Dodavē chandēntha. 48

5.

Bijar Pherooshah gushi; sari Rind bādshah gushl.

Nishtaghant sar ma Sindh hazār-ganjen;

Khihavā Lāl Mandavo shāhī

Azh sharābānī zyādhaheñ chārān,

Kaif go mājūnā girākhēnā,

Go naren Rind bāraghen borān.

Jéhalen chāri bi-shākārthan',

Jéhalen chāri whazhdil khākhtan',

Whazhdil khākhtan' azh hasadiyān,

Gon saro phiri phrushtagheñ tālān;

Chosh ma diwānē hawāl dāthaish:

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'Chārithon sarhad mazār-bauren

Bastagho nēsheñ lēravē pēnden,

Go sariñ āho āsinen mēhān

Jongalā māho māhghamī gipta.'

Shodh raptūn mañ Sindh hazār-ganjen

Phar wathī gwashtiyā khudha Hānā

Hājhānā go bāraghen borān,

Ghāzihānā go phaldahen malān,

Dodāl zorākho bharjalā.

Bor Hairo Tāsoāniyā

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Sak-athī pha shāroān badhāniyā

Nimcha Nāthoā jañha napte

Sar azha zong māhvala khenthai

Dar-burtha Māchhiān hariyenā

Tēk go dir-nyādhen Namurdian.

Mēravān sultānē amir nindant!

Jām Samāil, ki azh mana phursē,

Babarā dar-gēzha azh loghā;

Thi-phithī roshē drogh ma gardānē

Go mēdhīr o sardārān sakhiyenā

O kalātānī gardaneñ shāhān.

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6.

Hajjhān Ghāzīhān gushī: Dodāi gushī.

Shāhī durangeñ bangulāñ
 Bilē' zāīfi wazwazāñ !
 Dard ma-sarā gēzha manāñ.
 Thafsi mani jāñ malighi
 Kuñho kahireñ hangari,
 Moni hal-bīth o rishī
 Mañ narmagheñ phairāwanā !

Phairi hawar bītha manāñ
 Jaureñ hasadi ākhtaghant
 Bozhī jahāzāñ ārthagant. 10
 Thanken thirāñ gināshaghant.
 Har mar ki ākhta hastaghā
 Azh shakaleñ gino srafā,
 Mēhā hamcho hum khuthā,
 'Zīthen gwāzēne' zirā !
 Azh pañtanā āñ dēm khafith ;
 Khoshti phara jaēzagħā,
 Lahmen ghamāni khashaghā
 Munsir hadā chundaghā.'

Bēlāñ, shawā yakhtiyārē khanith 20
 Mā abdh go sarīnhā bastaghant
 Chali sarīnh bēchāragheñ,
 Ladi dīghār nēkamileñ
 Mēhān ma-nyāmē janāñ !
 Bijar na-dāri azh-phadħā
 Khāith phara mērēnaghā ;
 Gistādh pha-dēmā darkhafāñ,
 Zandeñ naryānā gwar janāñ !
 Bala-khashā mēhmān khanāñ
 Theghā hamān handē janāñ
 Thegh bigipt zēn-khodħaghā,
 Zhil-bi ba chaukh o gandānā,

Hākhā zirī pha-dafā
 Matten manī badēravā
 Pha Hairo zar-mushten̄ lurā.

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7.

Bijar Phēroshāh gushī.

Charant jhur gard o ghubār
 Sindh gwaren bāhn davār
 Tandi tēkān dāthaghant
 Āso ladhi bungiptaghant.
 Bungiptagho giptaish jihān
 Pha thosaghā bahmanthaghan.

Phairi gwashta Allanā

Rind khaviheñ wāzhahā

* Bijar agha jawāñ khanē,
 Wāmā phara bēhi dighār,
 Honā phara läfsērihā,
 Azh bandanē rājā ma-zir,
 Honi hudhābund zahranen̄
 Hot go travokhen̄ markhaven̄.
 Roshē ki sandāyān tharā
 Bē-hidhagheñ hon sarā.
 Hairo mazan-awāzagheñ
 Ya-mardaghi mattē nēñ
 Sadh-mardaghiyē manganañ,
 Jath lawāshī duzhmanāñ
 Pha arjaleñ thēghi-rahā.
 Bi-māñ ki noshāñ giptaghāñ
 Brāthī jaghar burēn ghamā!'

10

Hairo, rusūlo ummat-en̄
 Tahkik ziyāratē khanāñ,
 Mañ dī na 'shāñ druāh rawāñ
 Azh Hairo drinī khanavā!
 Mehr khath Muhammad Mustafā
 Sobh-phirā bashki mānāñ,

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Hardo ravūn ma ān dunyā. 30
 Hūrān gindūn jukhtaghā
 Haudh kauñsare joē sarā! 32

8.

Babar Sohrāb gushi: Dodāi gushi.

Bijar! aghar jawān khanē,
 O Hān! aghar jawān khanē,
 Biyā, o Malik Sohrāv bigind.
 Pha sai-pharān hāmī bī,
 Ān mozhaghi phādhān bichukh,
 Bilān tha hākhen ban baroth,
 Rish bī-dighārē phadī-khanant,
 Hai bil! 'sh hamē dēhā baro! 8

XVIII.

DODA O BĀLĀCH.

I.

Gokhān nek-zanē Sammie
 Bāuṭhān gwar Doda.
 Rāmanen ghar warnāe
 Gokh-ish dīthaghān Sammie.
 Mirāl-potravān jumbēntha
 Na-hakk phadīhā rumbēntha
 Dhā ārthagħā goilē.
 Doda wapto whāv bīthā,
 Māthā phādīh-khutho simenā,
 * Nuh māh tharā lāf-khutha, 10
 Sai-sālā tharā mishēntha,
 Tho gokhān go khanē gōali,
 Ān-ki cho wathī-en sāl-phādhi?
 Hai gokhān sar-jamī biyārē,
 Hai wathī chotavā zyan-ārē!
 Wasiā mazeñ-shānēnā

- 'Ān-mar ki khanan' bāuθhān
Roshā na-rēshān' whāvā'
Doda nangareñ phādh-ākhta
Surkhangi hamē 'uzar gipta : 20
 • Bānukhī sari sārthen āf
Mēshen dumbagha mahēlav
Liti ma jhāzi sarakhān,
Dātha pha dili rāziyā
Dān ma thīraghān lākhēnā,
Āf ma pachhami kodiyān.
Wakhtē pakar-eñ Dodārā
Ma syāli shiddata shāroān ;
Ān rosh maroshi ākhta
Jāhe gon-khafūn gokhānra.' 30
- Jahl digumbadhān jārenā
Syahāf thankhē guxān
Garnāf gwarā phādhēnā,
Doda nangareñ gon-khapta ;
Hālū jathā warnāyā
Māthī sar-tamā bachhā.
Doda ārthaī Litiā
Wath go 'Umarā Jāmēnā
Surkhī sawakh-gāmēnā.
Pahnādē jathā warnāenā 40
Doda azh phurang zēnā
Khapta ma-phinā shāmayā
Wath go 'Umarā Jāmēnā,
Phādhī go mozhaghān lalēnā
Dast mundriyān jārenā. 45

2.

Bālāch Hasan gushī : Gorgēzhen Baloch gushī : hon-
gireñ Baloch gushī.

Syāh-khodhī Bivaraghā bizir
Mondar khizān kham-akulatj

Tifli azh aghlā sar-shutha!
 Khākhto hawān gokh jathant
 Phārat Dodāē charant
 Mir Hamali rēkh sarā,
 Whāntkār khishtant zahrēnā
 Ān shuptaghā bauren mazār.
 Mārā o shawārā, o badhān
 Choshen̄ badhānahe niyath 10
 Giēsh māli lēkhavē!
 Shawā dīthe ki Doda zahren-ath
 Ān shuptaghiyā ākhtaghath
 Ma narmaghen̄ jägah niyath.
 Shā mal khash o khuptān jathen,
 Hon̄ pha dafā gul gul khuthen̄.
 Dodā biyākhtēn̄ pyādhaghā
 Go phādh lālen̄ mozhaghān.
 Doda thai khorī khushagh.
 Tho khushta manāyānī Rāis, 20
 Chandrām, hoten̄ Kāwari,
 Jangāni sār-dranzen̄ Rāis,
 Tho khushta, phadhi chindr na khuth.¹
 Dodā! Thai miri salēh,
 Thai sanj o salēh sultānfareh,
 Tēkān phuli bahr khuthant,
 Hol dabaviyān burthant.
 Mañ dēravān dast dast athant,
 Khādān pha-rashēf dīthaghant, 30
 Anzi shi honā grēthaghant,
 Khofagh saro jigh khatik
 Ma wazwazānī mēnthaghant.
 Shawā ki hamē mar̄ khushtaghant
 Zānān Baloch be-wāzhah-ān,
 Charān khāyān azh darā,
 Borān gindān bukhtaghā.
 Mān-ravan' shēr khashtaghā,

¹ Some of these lines are repeated in the following poem, ll. 26-29.

Bachhān gindān shēngala
 Whāvā ravant roshā sarā
 Dost na randith māfarān,
 Zhing na khant khofagh sara,
 Thafsi manī jān malighi,
 Kuth o kahireñ hangari,
 Momī hal-bith o rishi
 Mañ narmagheñ phairāwanā.
 Nindān jhērān gon dilā,
 Dil cho jawāvo dā manā,
 'Bälach mazār, istēzagħ-eñ,
 Āñ zar ki Bivaragh zurthaghant
 Āñ phuleñ gudh o khēs na bant;
 Baj o Horāsāni khawāh
 Bāz dādhane bashk na bant!
 Chilak manī badēravē:
 Dodā zar-mushten lur-eñ
 Hoteñ Rāis shihān-eñ
 Mañ Bivaragh sāndī gardan-eñ !'

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3.

Bälach gushī: Bivaraghār phasavē dāth gushī.

Khoh-ant Balochānī kilāt,
 Āñ bāñ azh bāñzgitān gēh-ant,
 Burzen hashī hamsayagh-ant,
 Ambrāh bē-rāhen gaṛ-ant,
 Āf bahokhen chashma bant,
 Khođi phishen khundal-ant,
 Nishtējan kharkāvagh-ant,
 Bauf dīghāri thahthaghant.
 Bor main swēthen chabav-ant,
 Main bachh gishēnē gondal-ant,
 Main zāmāth shilen khanjar-ant,
 Main brāth thalāren ispar-ant,
 Main ārif mazeh-thapeñ lur-ant.

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Mākh o Nakhifo raptaghūn,
 Zi begahī er-khaptaghūn,
 Halkā mā ditha shā'irē
 Sha'r-gwashtano kimāngarē.
 Mā majlise gwandē khutha
 Sha'r shā'irā nokhē jatha,
 Bivaragh shaghānē gon-khutha.
 Bivaragh! Thaī aghl ma-sar-en,
 Jistagh Balochī cho nēn,
 Hapteren mani hon gwar-en,
 Shā'i bingaveñ brāth takar-en;
 Summēn, Dodā, gwar thay-en
 Chandrām, hoten Kāwari,
 Totā, miskānī Murid,
 Jangānī sar-drañzen Rāis.
 Tho khushta, phadhi chindr na khuth?¹

Jangē na dāthom tholaghi,
 Shēri bhorēnthon badhi,
 Na borē gon-en dah-sadhi,
 Na lashkarē grān o bazi.
 Mañ phar wathī haisī sarā,
 Har-shaf, cho Bashāmī dradhān
 Bandān khāyān pha miraghā.
 Thaī warnā ma kullān waptaghant,
 Go durreñ gulān whāv bīthaghant,
 Bor hazāri bastaghant,
 Shēr manahā ahēzagħant.

Bivaragh! gālān na zāntkārē gushē,
 Ma mēravān hamchosh 'shē,
 Ki 'Bālāch maut azh Kādhīr-en
 'Nimon roshē azh man-en.'
 Bivaragh! chosh ki thavē bānzigaren
 Chandi Nakhifo lura
 Khushta pha zoren Kādhīrā
 Wārtha pha thēghāni rahā?

¹ See above, XVIII. 2, 21-23.

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XIX.

RĒHĀN SĀLO SHĀ'R.

Zī khākhtān pha mādanē rāhē
 Añ shikārānī hoshēnthagheñ syāhī,
 Syāh trufāno mañ nigoshāna
 Raptaghūn kūriyā shamoshāna.
 Niñ ki ma direñ ulkahē khākhtān
 Trētthānī miskānī Sahāk syāden,
 Ma palatri go bochanā bastha
 Jām Sahākā gon rētagh pānda.
 Mā dil-dard go popalē proshta
 Shihana gorkha-ē sareñ charithā,
 Ma hair-hawāl dātho hair-hawāl gipta.
 Hāl mār pheshī Jām Sahāk bithā
 Gwashtai 'Thai halk madérien bunindānē
 Khapta go khārién Sālo lālen.'
 Dard ma laugħāren sarā khaptai,
 Mañ duā khuth̄ ba sokhitagheñ zirda
 Thau niyāyatē Jām Sahāk syāden,
 Thau niyāyatē mā ma trētathom,
 Azh thau gwar hirtheñ hāl ma girathom;
 Maiñ goram syāheñ gokh kaulten
 Mēgar suhr-gosheñ gurānd shāhai,
 Kārčh kātār, maiñ thegh khurasāni,
 Syāh gon mochi-dokhtagheñ sanjā,
 Bandagh mañ ázād khuthūn chulhe,
 Hing azh granen dorokhān dar-shodh.
 Syāh gon chābukān talor dātha
 Niñ ki gwar kuliāni gwarā khākhtān
 Akhta go loghānī phadīhā nishtān.
 Dēr na bithā ki hoe! hoe! rustha,
 Hingē pha loghānī phadīhā khashta-ish
 Syāho morbanden chotav zhingeñ.
 Has azh kunjī gardanā khashta-ish,

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Gosh-bunāni phārestagheñ gird-durr,
 Thangaveñ nath azh shēsogheñ phonzā,
 Azh piyāseñ murdānaghā mundri;
 Go bochanē koroweh rawāñ bītha,
 Grēāna māth, grēāna wasi,
 Grēāna brāth, grēāna kauli.
 Mā dī chon bashāmī jhurāñ gwartha
 Man barothāñ brinjaneñ rishā. 40
 Dāhin, o warnāyāñ gishēniyāñ,
 O mughēmani bīrsaren bachhāñ,
 Daz-rasā bālādhā ma ranjēñ;
 E dunyāi mā raptaghā dītha
 Phairi go bēr-bānukha raptā. 45

XX.

BIVARAGH O GRANAZ

Bivaragh Bahār gushī; sari Rind gushī; wathi aski sha'r gushī: Badshāhzādi khārīth gushī.

Kandahār bāgh-eñ yamarā gāhē
 Bādshāhāni hand jägahē,
 Julgavī golāñ khākhtāñ pha rāhe
 Tākhcha phēdhāgh bī amul māhē,
 Main ājizeñ rūhā ishta ya dānhē
 Pārsī lafzā gwānjitha Lālā,
 'Biyā shitāviyā go hamē bālā,
 Go saghārā o sacheñ dhālā.'
 Raptaghāñ hilā Hudhāiyā
 Go wathi malā Bādshāhiyā; 10
 Dātha ma yāsin karā sakeñ
 Zori yāsin Rabb isrārā.
 Raptaghāñ muhtājeñ dilō thārā
 Sik wa dost thāngaveñ hārā;
 Mal mā mārī bunā bastha,
 Mā charhāna pha āsineñ mēhāñ.
 Akhtagho mahal bānukho dītha

Whazh-dillā ma thangaven khaṭā.

Havshav o havrosh go mīr-janā nishtaṇ.

Gwashtaghā lodokhā janāniyā 20

Sūn̄h o sartāja amsarāniyā,

'Bivaragh! vadērā manāyāni

Go mā manī shāhe dosti-en̄ sakeṇ:

Gind, nawān dāhā gir innāngāhā

Mārā har-dunān nēlith zindagho durāhā.

Agh tharā mardē bēdaghe mān-en̄

Māra wathī dēhē dar-baragh jawān-en̄.'

Man wathī dost gwashtanān zāntha,

Ishtai māl go thangaven khaṭā.

Nin ki mā māri bunā khākhtān 30

Mal azh māriyā bunā bokhtā,

Dost mā syāh mundhavā nyāstha.

Dēm avo Bolānā phadhā dātha

Khākhtān ma Sēvi garheṇ kotā.

Gwashtagha lodokhā janāniyā,

'Bivaragh! vadērā manāyāni

Thau manān gwasht "mauī dirsareṇ fauj ant"

Thāmān thaī Rind bahrani tāzī?

Thāmān thaī mīrī majlisī warnā?"

Mā jawāv chārēntha wathī dostē, 40

'Chhil hazār Mireṇ Chākura fauj ant

Si hazār Gwaharāmē lureṇ-thēgh ant.'

Gwashtagha Grānāzā janāniyā,

'Khai-en̄ thaī dost, khai-en̄ thaī doiman?"

Mā jawāv chārēntha wathī dostē,

'Chākur maiñ dost, Gwaharām maiñ doiman.'

Gwashtagha Grānāzā janāniyā,

'Bārawūn gwar Gwaharām lureṇ-thēghā

Chākur wathī ārām na khanth loghā.'

Khākhūn gwar Gwaharām lureṇ-thēghā 50

'Gwaharām! vadērā manāyāni!

Khar na khaptaūn dañ thau dāni,

Goneṇ̄ awārē bādshāhān.

Agh manān dārē, man gwar thau nindān;
 Agh na dārē, man thi-phirē gindān.'

Trād khuthā Gwaharām lureñ-thēghā,
 'Biyā, durshād ākhtae! Mir Balochāni,
 Go wāthī dostā khair o amāni'

Wath kharo bit̄ho hand mār dāthai
 Wānd khuthai miri chhajav mahalē.
 Dāthaghā khat nyādh palangāni,
 Zaren khodī tālān suhrāni,
 Azh-gurē khākhtān tīl pulāni,
 Azh-gurē khākhtān sih kavāvāni,
 Azh-gurē khākhtān dung sharāvāni.
 Nēn mān wārtha nēn maiñ dostā;
 Gēshtar bhitāni bunā rekhtān,
 Khamtir ma tālān thāha khishtān.
 Gwashtaghā Grānāzā janāniyā,

'Bivaragh, shawā Lāshār-ē, ē hawar chon-en? 70
 Chitr nindē dī ghusavē gon en?'
 Mā jāwāv chārēntha wāthī dostē,

'Man na warān ki nimak jawaiñ nen,
 Hawān nimaka roshēā harāmkhor bān'
 Gwānjithom bakhalē azh āñ shahrā,
 Minminē ākhta man hamān pahrā:

'Thau warē, chie phar thau biyārān.'
 'Biyār khāi buān ki man-ē noshān,
 Biyār hamān jarān ki man-ē poshān.'
 Hapt-hazhd rosh nyāsthaghān darzi
 Hapt-sadh zarē bitaghān karzi.

Trān-khuthā Gwaharām lureñ-thēghā,
 Kāshide shastāthai hamān gēghā,
 'Chākurā malūm khān waliyēnā
 Sardār nēn ki lēv-ē, nēn ki chhoravī khār-ē,
 Bivaraghā lētēntha mazeñ bārē,
 Badshāhāni gon-en āwārē.'
 Urd azh Bolān dafā gwasthant
 Jāh na-en tambūān amiriyān.

Āsītha rosh go thangaveñ burjān,
Sar-khuthā Miren Chākura urdān.
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Trān-khuthā Miren Chākur Gwaharām,
Khashtaghant Rind bahrani tāzi.

'Barawēdh, hamē urd sargirā, tharē.'
Bivaraghā gwashta 'Mā wathān chāri.

'Sai-shaf o sai-roshā khabardāri.'

Raptaghān hilā Hudhāiyā
Go wathī malā bādshāhiyā;

Akhta go urdē sargirūn gipta,
Mal mā urd-phalawā bastha,

Dātha mā yāsin karā sakeñ
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Zori yāsin Rabb isrārā,

Raptaghān mā go jaunhari thēghā,
Akhta go tambū kinār gitlum.

Dithaghathān Jāgo Khān bi Turkeghā—

Ma wathī miyān jaunhareñ hindī

Chonān ma bē-chindra chaghal dātha

Gwastha cho grandokhān saminéghān.

Sāh-burtha Shāhā maiñ rāh churiyā.

Burithūn tambū tanān sakeñ,

Sar wathī miri khofaghān gwazēñh,

Ākhta go urd bādshāh dithom,

Turk khatāni sarā whāv-en.

Gipto mā dastā Turk hāghā khant:

'Mān humān Bivaragh-ān kalāmāni,

Azh mā gwar kāre bithā shaitāni.

Bashkagh mīrātēn bādshāhāni,

Agh na bashkē kār thaī dastā-en,

Ān-en thaī thēgh, ēsh-en maiñ gardon.'

Gwānjithānt jawain mar phara trānā,

Dān-damē gwandē trān o trān bithānt

Bashkithāt tāziē grandokhēn

Main jān go patān suhr khainthaē,

Phatithānt tambū tanañ sakeñ,

Urd pha Bolān phadīā garthānt.

Khākhtān dān Sēvī garhēn kotā,
 Hāl maṇi Rindī mēravē dāthā,
 Nen manān mardē thoravē bithā,
 Nen Rind pha grāneṇi philānē dāthānt,
 Nen Lāshār pha jangā na mirenthānt,
 Whazhdilā nindān gon wathi yārā
 Maiñ lēy go dost thangaveni hārā. 130
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XXI.

FRAGMENTS OF BALLADS

I. a.

Kird, Gabol, Gādahi,
 Kāhān Tālbur, Mari,
 Buzdār no haḍ-kharē,
 Drustān ghulām ath Chakuri.
 Mai Bhānari bashkāthaghant,
 Sar-shodh roshā dāthaghant,
 Māi Bhānari bashkāthaghant. 7

I. b.

Kird, Gabol, Gādahi, Pachālo,
 Tālbur, bēwāken Mari,
 Drust ghulām-ath Chākuri.
 Bhānari bashkāthaghā
 Dāth na zurth Hudhāiyā. 6

2.

Zi ki chi Mēdhāni thar khākhtē,
 Sukhta-lingi o bauhar-jathiya,
 Sar gwara Mireṇi Sālinhā bithā.
 Phusagho azizē nighāh dāshṭē,
 Dāthai dābāni Madho lālēn.
 Daur Madhoā go Dodavā dithā,
 Pha jana sāngā mar Baloch bithā.
 Jat-Jaghdāl mard bē-khasē,

Ma Arandā khoh bunā wasē,
Kismatā sardār bīthaghē lasē.

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3.

Balochāni ākhtaghant wākyā phadħā
Gwashta māiyān 'Maiñ hudhabund gon-khaptaghānt.'
Jāro, Rēhān o Hasan sāni bīthaghant,
Bor-izh ma lajjānī katār dāthaghant,
Pyādhaghān phādhān takht Shorān ākhtaghant.

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Dombki Domb kastharen brāthen,
Domb charah-en, Dombki chhāth-en ;
Dombki rid shīthagheñ phuzh-en.
Shāhī manī hapt-phusht zaghāth-war-en,
Kird manī bēlāni balā-zir-en,
Shēr manī zhāngokheñ khar chukh-en !

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XXII.

MURID O HĀNī.

Rindē kachahriē khutha
Mir Chākurā kuli bunā.
Gwashta Mireñ Chākurā
'Doshi girokh choñ-barān ?'
Khasā gawāhī na dāthā.¹
'Sardār, neñ ki jhur-en neñ jhamar-en,
Bād azh jhurān thāmā girokh
Zaghareñ zamistāni shafe ?'
Gālē Murid dēwānagheñ
'Sardār hamārā ma khat,
Mañ ki tharā rast gushān.
Agha jān mard khusht² na bīth,
Rāsten nishānā rāst dēān.'

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¹ Or Khasā na dāthē shāhid.² Or khushī na bē.

Dosht girokhān sai-barān.
 Saimi barā shēnken jathā,
 Dañ dubarān shamāl khuthā.
 Gale Amireñ Chākūrā,
 'Bhalo! Mubārak phusaghā,
 Go nā-rawāeñ kissavā,
 Go Chākur māhen jānā.'
 [‘Hekārē zīth rawān
 Dirbāne mulkē khafān.’]¹
 Khashi Mubārak litira
 Jatho Muridā sarā;
 Gwashtai, ‘Bil o Murid
 Badh-khāri o badh-failehā
 Go Chākur māhen jānā.
 Chākur badheñ mardē niyān,
 Gwāñkhā hazār Rind charith
 Poshida go zanden naryān.’
 Gale Murid dēwānaghen,
 ‘O sharreñ bāwā manī!
 Āñ Chākur-eñ mañ Shaikh-āñ,
 Mañ di badheñ mardē niyān.
 Āñ go hazārān charith,
 Mañ go wathī hamzādagħān.
 Sharreñ na dīthai dost mani²
 Mārī ludokhen parī,
 Kilēñ sarā bareñ kulla
 Shahr janikh wa dēravā,
 Hāñ go bēdoshen gudhān.
 Ē di manāñ, ki phē-wāth-āñ
 Ma charaghān gār khuthān,
 Mañ dan kurān dan wathān,
 Ma nēl o zinzirān niyān,³
 Ma daz-kilāteñ āsin-āñ.

¹ These two lines placed here, as given in Leech's version, belong to a later speech of Murid's, and I have inserted them after l. 55.

² Or Jawāñ-en na dīthai somari.

³ Or man nēlō gatiyān niyān.

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Lohār pha bāsā phadeān,
 Go dakhānē gwāth-dafān,
 Phachō manē dewānaghān.
 Pha mā miyārē thāvdān,
 Mullā go bāzen khāghadhān;
 Mālā maīn haufā nēn. 50
 Mullā munshīe na bān,
 Mākh namāzā na parhān,
 Dast bastagh o sirē bukhtaghā!
 Gud azh Muvārik litirā¹
 Kaul-eñ ki tharāshān chotavā.
 Hēkāiē zith rawān,
 Dirbāne mulke khafān,
 Miri salēhān ēr-khanān,
 Jān karākohēn guḍhān.
 Ēshān deān Mīr Mandavā 60
 Hāni sultānē phidhā;
 Hāni sāmbhi khēghadheñ
 Azh nodh-nambi o jhurān.
 Pharkālāv pha Aliyā,
 Dast-khamān pha Īsiyā,
 Borān khilān bastighā
 Kull lāfā āhēzagħā,
 Bilān pha Mireñ Chākurā.
 Mā choṭo harshē wath-athān,
 Mākh malang wa gadā,
 Mañ go hamē mardān rawān 70
 Khindaren brahondaghān.
 Tahkik avo hajjā rawān
 Hajj darā ziārat khanān,
 Si sal hameñ go gār-khanān,
 Si sāl sāl khotaghān,
 Roshī ki wāzgarde khanān
 Khāyān ma Kindi bolakē.

¹ Or Gud azh Amir mothagħi.

Rindān nishānē aqīthā
Mir Chākur kull bunā,

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'Nīn, bilān faqīr thirān janant.'
Man chikīthā dār-sir khuthā.
Rindān hamēdhā khēs¹ khuthā,
Zānān Murideñ phul-gudheñ,
Lohen khamān whāzhab-eñ

'Biyārē Muridā jīghā !'
Lohen khamān ārtha-ish,
Sar chukitho chhamān khuthā,

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Ēr-jīgh dho-jīgh khuthā,
Yakhē nishānār jatha,
Duhmi mañ thir bīravā.
Rindān hamēdhā zānthaghā
Jahē Murid phul-gudheñ
Lohen khamān whāzhab-eñ.
Gudā Hāni miskāni² Murid
Mañ kotaviyā dhakitha.
Masteñ Murid cho lēravā
Chakhē janē Hāniyā³
Narmaghen do rakhān-i.
Gälē Murid dēwānaghen,

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'Hāni, dānkho ki phakar thai manān
Mihr niyārth khoheñ diiā,
Dostār Mireñ Chākurā.
Nīn darmān janokheñ rikhtaghān
Nīn ma thai gēghā niyān.
Azh sangatā khard ma khan,
Azh dīdhaghān khor ma khan.'

Nīn ki Muridā phusht khuthā
Rinden janān wiswās khuthā
Hāni 'shī ma amsarān,

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¹For the Ar. qays or qiyāz.

²Leech gives Markhānē Murid, which he translates 'noble Murid.'

³Leech has kanala, but as he translates *Hāni*, the reading given in the text is evidently intended.

'Ma shēfān sarlyā man-gwarā
Gist gām pha-dimā rawān,
Bashā, Muridā bēr-deān.
'Sh-e khindaren brahondaghā.
Niñ ki dalēkhim khanān
Dast-nishānī ēr-girān.'

Hāni gwāñkhā pha-phadhā

Ēsh-en Muridā jawāv,

'Chākur amīrī bāndā,

Loghā thaiyā ās khafā,

Borā thaiyā duz barā !

Manī dast nishānī gār bi,

Manī dil azh gunāhān bār bi.

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PART II.

LATER WAR BALLADS AND OTHER TRIBAL
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XXIII.

MITHĀ SĪR.

Bālāchānī māī gushī : māī Hānī Mirdost gushī : māī Rānī Sālār gushī : Mithā nēkhen duā khat, gushī.

Hudhāī dāthaghen dādhō kabūl-ān
Hudhā dādhān deā dar mandagānṛā,
Hudhā bachhān deā muhtāj-dilānṛā,
Khizān dost hameñ shāhzādaghānṛā,
Sawakken bor hamon, nēkh o badhārā
Illāhi ki phidhāē bachhān mazan khan
Mazan khān Miṭānā Sultānsarēnā
Jathal 'ilm Qurānā mälūmiyā

Hamān shērin-zawānā 'alamiyā.

Phadhehān bīr bori thāshaghī bā' 10
Bi-thāshi markhavān shēr-gumbazēnā,
Rēfti khargazān phārēwarēnā,
Miṭān janē phādhā man ān tāsen rakēfā
Janē phādhā, hindiyā ba-bandē,
Janē chāpā mazan sobhēn Danyānī
Janē chāpā man sīrā Miṭānēghā
Lahadhē rētāven phashik sariyā,
Lahadhē thangaven durr katikān.
Miṭān phidh sāh lahadhē jukhtē damāmā
Lahadhē phidh sāh dēh go ināmā,

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Phidh̄ sāh dēāi bor go laghāmā,
 Phidh̄ sāh dēāi dast-khawānā.
 Maroshi hajj no-bāndādh̄ roshēn,
 Maroshi jhur khutha nodhān Hudhāēghā,
 Gwāritho Horāsān samīnā.
 Jathī murvādhir trapān bi-rēshē
 Bi-mēnē, Mitanē sonī salēhān
 Hazārī tūpakā nām gipthaghēnā,
 Harēvī isparā phul bastiaghēnā,
 Thai barākheñ khanavā serān manēnā, 30
 Thai katār kār̄ch nughraēna,
 Bihān sēhavā āv-rēshamēnā,
 Sar-birrā o phusht pānbaniā.
 Biyāia Miṭan go pākeñ nīmāshān
 Miyāyathant thai jaureñ hasaddi,
 Hawān ki azh thai dardān gannokh-ant,
 Mani hān-zādagħā sir-tawārā.
 Ba-drimbant Mir pha rođhen damāmo,
 Ba-drimbant drimbagheñ whashen hamo wakht, 40
 Miṭan musallim bi tharā sāhivī takht
 Rasūl chambāven Sultān buland bakht,
 Biyārē Miṭanē bēlān dilēghān
 Biyārēth-i naukarān zar gipthaghēnā,
 Biyārēth langavān nūr mahzavēnā,
 Ba-zirant tēl-mētāni kathorān,
 Barant-i brāth̄ avo joē bahokheñ,
 Bi-shodhant-i choṭavā sadh̄ āsurēnā,
 Biyārthi hēmahā dav-gipthaghēnā
 Hamān khaṭā koll goraghēnā
 Hamān khata kī pha miskān navishtā, 50
 Chyārēn-phādh̄ sir-khand-dār ant,
 Hamān baufā pha moti-jarēnā,
 Hamān khaṭ bunā thālē juluski
 Hamān thāl bunā hānē sharāvān.
 Sharāvān ting dē o miskān thali dē,
 Jinikhē kī rasēntha daz-gohārān,

Sari lohen go path kinārān
 Gwarē phureñ go bādām hārān.
 Nasihatē gushān ber-janārā
 Manī hānzādaghe qadrā bi-zānē, 60
 Sarā go thangaven holā bi-tolē
 Gwarā go pēch zar-kārē khawāhān.
 Maroshi whazhdileñ nokh-gulen māth
 Damē mañ goragheñ kull na nindi,
 Wathī zāmāth gindi phul-gudhiyā,
 Wathī māhen jinikhā mañ dariyā.
 Manī hānzādaghe sīr-tawārā
 Sarinā ē rishant khohā phasoi,
 Harēvī chhabavo phādhān sawāsant.
 Hamān Ghatith Tiri gwārī 70
 Karabo lur go mēnhārān khāri,
 Be vadāhā bāz bā bārah hazāri.
 Tumunā sabal-en drusten Mazāri
 Hisēvān lēkhaven lakh kuhāri.
 Ilāhi mañ gwashtagheñ gālān Kabūl khañ'. 75

XXIV.

MAZARI BRAHOI JANG.

Vād khanān Pir nau-bahārā
 Hardiamē malik sachārā,
 Shāhā mardān kirdagārā
 Phanch-tan pāk chyār yārā!
 Phakhar shēr-potrvārā
 Be-murid Rustumārā,
 Sārangī dāwagarārā
 Jumli shēr-potrvārā
 Sāh Bahrām nar-mazārā
 Rāj nishta bā karārā, 10
 G'horavē zurtha Mazārā
 Kādū gulāthē zawārā,

Sanj khuthant tāzī bishārā
 Rāhzanī nām-tawārā.
 Roth Kachhi dighārā,
 Zurhai bagē bē-shumārā
 Ārtha shāhārā bā kararā
 Bahr khuthā thir-dārā,
 Gul Muhammad Brahoi sawārā
 Ākhta sathē gwar Mazārā, 20
 'Dai manī bag-katārā'!
 Gwashta Drēhan dāwedārā,
 'Phok dai sārī jamārā
 Gosh, Gul Muhammad, ph'e tawārā
 Chandehān honī bishārā,
 Bhorēntha wārtha Mazārā!'
 Gwashta Gul Muhammad sachārā,
 'Gozh-dai, Bahrām Mazārī!
 Hai barān bagē guzārī
 Hai sarē barant Mazārī!' 30
 Jat bagā dai salāmā
 Dāh jatha shēr-kēsāvā
 Dēravi Khān Nawāvā
 Manavān phalk gharīyā;
 Dhol wāj shādhīyā,
 Mir charitha wa' sariyā,
 Go tuman brādhariyā
 Zor Sultān Arafīyā.
 'Bag nēlān go badhīyā
 Dar-shafē shēr-pharāgāni.' 40
 Ma-sarā Hot Hamalānī
 Sahāvē Mir mansabānī
 Basth hathyār kimatānī,
 Zēn girth shihanānī;
 Nāzukheñ bor nārahānī,
 Sanj thāsān doravānī,
 Bitha nāl-gwānkh o kahānī;
 Vangā dil pha jānī

Zēn girth pahlavāni.
 Lēkhavā sai-gist Mazārā 50
 Zurthaveñ tāzī tārā
 Mir ma-sarā sobh-khārā
 Jatro khaura davārā
 Ārtho gon-dāthā Mazārā ;
 Nashk bī shēr-potrvāni.
 Bijar o Khān wadhwāni
 Shēr shihī bahazurāni ;
 Hāji-hān sūn sadhāni
 Mohari bījh sūrihāni
 Jang mashkul durr-gēhāni ; 60
 Jiwan bor dādhwāni
 Kādū wadānē badhāni
 Zahm-en masten Durrāni.
 Bingavā gwashta zawāni,
 ' G'horō phēshī mēdānē
 Go Zafar Khān Jaliāni
 Hākim Kin dēhāni
 Saṅgati shēr-potrvāni,
 Syāl o Path Maghassī,
 Gon-āth-i zahmā himmati ; 70
 Chāndehā Gulzār rāzi
 Zahm wakhtī lēkho-bāzi.
 Sai-gist jang-en Mazārī
 Do-sadh Brahoi Jamāli ;
 Wathī zahmā hawāli
 Tradā napta bukhta lädi,
 Dhāl dāshta büt-khādi.
 Hazhdaho Phandarāni
 Mir Brahoi ulkahāni
 Nām nazānāni gaṇāni. 80
 Garthaī Shērī turānā
 Hakal hāghāni dēānā ;
 Nām Durr-jihānā girānā,
 Ishtai nashkē mañ jihānā.

Bīth samho go tumānā.
Math bīth go Faujaliyā,
Droh-khuthā thēghā thaiyā,
Lut bī yakhē ghariyā.
Hājihān dāwāgariyā
Go mirokhā Bashkallyā 90
Husain Khān mardi raliyā.
Jang mānjo bīth Sardār,
Sūrihān Gulshēr Dildār.
Jān Muhammad, Jīwan Khānā,
Gulmakh, Tajū Jamālī.
Azh-phadhā gwānkh siyālī ;
Dāime khandalī Jamālī !
Khushta Gul Muhammad gist o chyārā.
Dā' fatchā kirdagārā,
Mishkā dā' sāri jamārā !
Diwān ! biyāre kalamavā. 100

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TIBBÍ LUND JAÑG.

Dharat-pälē Bädshähēn
Har-chyāren chundrān nighāh-en ;
Räst gushagh märä riwā-en,
Drogh pha imānā khatā-en.
Lund, Gorisha, Lagāen,
Milk mitäf judāen,
Daulat mäl siwā-en.
Shirr shūmat ghazāen,
Sak-saren bor ki hawāen,
Kadh khorārā nighāh-en
Roshē ähirā wāzhā phanāh-en. 10
Rast gushagh märä riwā-en,
Drogh pha imānā khatā-en.
Zahm janagh dastā siwā-en.

Sohb sīthā dastē Hudjhā-en
 Sālē bakhtē ki jāh-en.
 Lashkarān ki Tibbi band-en
 Laj bāutāni hand-en ;
 Chākuri pērā o rand-en,
 Mañ bunyādā Phuzha Rinden,
 Cho daryāen phohal-band-en. 20
 Lund Khosa awārā
 Lashkarāni muzh-dawārā,
 G'horō jaldeñ zawařā,
 Harro pha jangā taiyārā,
 Chonān dakhēntha Mazārā,
 ' Khas na tharē ph'ān damārā
 Pha Arandē mālguzārā.'
 Guđā somāē chariyā,
 Burzathī surgo maniyā— 30
 Tāk na khapti Chāchariyā.
 Sūrihen Jalav-zaiyā
 Fathehān wa' sariyā
 Ladithā rāj-dhaniyā
 Nishtāi gwar pha gwariyā
 Jang jhoren mashariyā.
 Pha-wathān maslat trān-atha,
 Chotiyā Mahmūd Hān-atha,
 Las Leghāra tumān-atha.
 Havit tuman jangi bahāna
 Mañ dafā rishān drishāna, 40
 ' Gindūn mā Tibbi mazārā !'
 Lashkarān rastha dighārā
 Hāsil Gāman sachārā,
 Bashkū go masten Mazārā,
 Said Hān go trundeñ Kunārā.
 Muhammad Rind awārā
 Mirzā go nām-tawārā,
 ' Dar-khafē qānē dighārā
 'Sh-e-pharā dhālā-e-dhālūn' 50

Omarī khaulē phālūn
 Hai sarā madī gālūn
 Hai duzhamār drangī drāhūn.
 Wadī Lashkarān manī salāhā
 Dir Kachhi Rindān nighāhā
 Bagavo jug jāh-jāhā.'

Gwashta Hoteī Lashkarānā
 Hamcho shiri vahāna,

'Muhammad, dār wathī shaghreñ zawañā;
 Mākh nelūn sangatiyā, 60
 Dar-sarān wasā wathiyā.
 Much khanān kull tumānā,
 Khoh di bāghen Hindustānā,
 Khanagh wathī jangā samānā,
 Khaul mārā ētawārā.'

Azh kilātā dar-sh'āna
 Ākhtaghan hāri malāna,
 Bor malandriyān janāna,
 Go laghām lēv-khanāna,
 Lund pharē zahmā tulāna
 Tupakā, sāngī, khamānā.
 Thimuri khākhtān radhāna,
 Gorisha, masten Leghārī;
 Basthaghant bor hazāri,
 Sanj saughātān sunāri,
 Shihan, Lakhi, Bahri,
 Harchi kātāthi āndhāri.
 Pyādhaghiyā sar rishāna
 Go wathī Sardār Hānā
 Ghulam Muhammad shērī jushāna,
 Rahīm Hān eñ jawāna
 Zurthaghan zahm māin diwāna,
 Kāntagho guthān janāna,
 Somā nashkān dēāna.
 'Shā sābita dārē' imāna,
 Thumē du biē dharati,

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Lashkarān phēdh na gardi
 Hathyār athi sat-bhatṭi
 Ya sakhūnē lak paṭti.
 Ākhtagho bithaghāh muhmēl ; 90
 Sha'bāth-en thēgh Gajmēr !
 Ma-sarā bī phil narshēr,
 Sāngī bukkiyān janāna
 Hañcho dingen pahlwāna,
 Math pholi ma tawānā,
 Cho wath-ēn-i Lashkarānā.
 Bitha bāzār isparānī,
 Tak-tola khanāwāni,
 Vānij-vāpāra sarānī,
 Druh gishēnī bahād̄hurānī. 100
 Uchāl-ubhār lār ath,
 Khanāwānī mār-mār ath.
 Hardo dēmā jang lār-ath,
 Bachh birāzākht man guzār-ath.
 Lund Gorisha malandari
 Mān-ākhtathan āf bandi,
 Bitha jangī bādshāhi,
 Math khaptān jukht-tāhi.
 Zahm jathaghā Chāchariyā,
 Jistkānlyā phaliyā. 110
 Shāhitān Dādur athiyā
 Dilshād savzen Bajuriyā
 Zahm wakhtā bohariyā,
 Shaihak Hoto phaliyā
 Thul be-chindren dhaniyā ;
 Durrak, Lāshār-zaīyā,
 Leghāri grānī mahiyā.
 Wad̄h Rahim-Hān mohariyā
 Dāshta Rindān wazbariyā.
 Damdamā jhat-ghariyā, 120
 Rind boren mashariyā.
 Rind Sardār guttaniyā

Azh rañā bhajo kariyā
 Go Mazārā yagsarīyā,
 Dañ wathi kot garhiyā.
 Wāh ! Mirzā Shaihakāni,
 Zahm-janagh miänji dalāni
 Tap zurthai duzhmanāni,
 Chikathai mohar Lashkarāni.
 Lund-Khosagha jalāna 130
 Cho patangi phēlīshānā,
 Lund g'hand-en Lashkarāna
 Pha dast zahmā janāna,
 Cho shahidā khapta dāna
 Go sadh o shazh-gist jawānā.
 Guđā Lund zahmāni gañāni,
 Chyārdah mard khushtai badhāni
 Havd-gist büt karāi
 Sistaghan thēghān judāi.
 Chyār sadh o chyār-gist o chyār athant, 140
 'Sh-āngō nazi do-hazār athant,
 Zahm gañantri o shumār-ath,
 Ma kachahriyān pachār-ath
 Sar-dē shērāni kār-ath,
 Pir bütā rastaghārā
 Drāgul baurē mazārā.
 Dāthaghā sobh kirdagārā.
 Wa' khutha sardī tālā.
 Lund nishta bar karārā
 Go wathi mađi mālā. 150
 Har khasē rāhdī ronēn,
 Na kāgadhe patraē goneñ.
 Sēzdumi samē tawārē. 153

XXVI.

GURCHĀNĪ DRĪSHAK JAÑG GO MAZĀRIYĀ

Gushē Shāhyār shāir bindē zabāni.
 Hudhā o Nabi Murtiza kargahānī,
 Aliyā jaghar khashtaghant kāfirāni,
 Ali kađh Gabar khuktha jang-rawāni
 Khuthā Dīn Islām shahr momināni.
 Hudhā jang joři hawān roshi dāni.
 Dalel Hān Muhammud nahēngeh dilāni
 Aghar Khān Jinda hukm hākimāni.
 Mazāri ki nokar mani sāhibāni,
 Roz mahina barāt wajahāni. 10
 Bidhāmakht Nūr Nawāvē parjāni
 Parhē nit khairā Mazāri zabāni,
 Nyāmaghā musaf bādshāh do jihānī,
 Khuthā thar salāh dil Navi hat gumāni.
 Shumai aghalfām hamū jāhilāni,
 Khuthā khārch phishkar buzāhē ghumāni
 Mistāgh, Tārā, sarān lashkarāni
 Chirēng phurz golā sohav-diāni
 Jatha bag shi burzā jaren Ahlawāni,
 Laghām rēsh aspān, shutur bī rawāni, 20
 Sarārā pha wāhā dighārē pha dāni,
 Ākhta zūda-dahi Jalāipur gwarāni.
 Charl Khān Muhammad Jinda Akhwāni
 Do athān avzar, gisṭān phasāni,
 Phardhā phusht piyādhagh sarān sakhiāni,
 Shutho gon-khapta ajab mangehāni,
 Ēr-ēsh Mazāri jhakor tufakāni,
 Khamān, thir, chutkān shatamb chündiyāni,
 Kūri kēz borā Muhammad Akhwāni
 Do thir tufakē main ē duzhmanāni. 30
 Khumār tūfakā geshtarā gondalāni.
 Ajal shāir kajai bī Imām Lashkarāni.

Saghārānī pīrī zurthaghan duzhmanānī,
 Raṇā haḍ ranakān kapāl sūrihānī ;
 Gwaharām jaghar-bur jaureñ badhānī !
 Hukm Brahimānā khutha pha zawaṇā :
 ' Khushi Hākimā khār khanē duzhmanānī.'
 Rakhiā daz-gir khutha thau rawānī,
 ' Shumā gīn darpā shustha phashawānī.'
 Hamū oḍhā shustha jaren Jiwan Khānā 40
 Sādik, Ghulām, Thér, Chirāk Muhammadānī,
 Ghulām silgihē phrushtān duzhmanānī,
 Jindehā magāhān misl kēharānī,
 Jamāliyāniyā thēgh chatāen sānī;
 Ma bi sir Muhammad chatāen jānī.
 Saiñ Sūrihān dāt̄ha sar pha razāi,
 Aghar Hān Jinda Hūrā Mazāri.
 ' Ma-khush, Muhammadā, bag rapta judāi,
 Ma-war bag-shirā, ma-khan ē rawāi ; 49
 Chhil roshē na-gwastha, charant Gorishānī ;
 Gēhēn Rind go Lundā, mudhān Khosaghānī.
 Kawālān, Lallā 'sh i moshā bāli,
 Jangā halābhoshā hālo tāri,
 Wathī chham Phizdār Mistāgh dāri.
 Jamshēr, Mistāgh, Yār Khān Jhinjārī ;
 Band-Ali go bachhā, Karm Khān Sunhārī ;
 Shumaī lurahān rogh dā āsei lawārī ;
 Shumaī sisthagheñ band bīt̄ha Mazāri.'
 Hamū Drishak Gophāng jangā bi sānī.
 Bihtar bawāintha Mazār-potarānī. 60

XXVII.

MAZĀRĪ GURCHĀNĪ JANG.

Har sawā ardāsī manānī ma Rabb darā,
 Ummat sadh ganjeñ, dhaniyā dā sadh-barā.
 Yād-eñ Pir Sāhib go buland-bashkeñ sarwarā,
 Kurzatānī pāken Ali Shēr go murshidā.

Phalawā biyāth kaji shēr zaren bānzirā,
 Sāth salāmat phuji daū jāhī mizilā!
 Jī phanāhān ē dunyā ā dil safā,
 Dost-ath-ish hamsāyagh gawāndi ma hādhirā,
 Bachh, birāzākht, bandanē rājān bathirā,
 Jī phanāhān ki pha sharikhān wanijān sara.
 Thāshān borān Kauñsari syāh-joē sara,
 Jantal māvā man bihishtā mārakhayān.
 Hukmā Allāh azh hamū aiven bē-mayār.
 Whash-gusheñ Lori shādhīhāni shāghā biyār,
 Katre gwanden gwar manū bālādhā bi-dār,
 Main hadisān gwashtaghen gālān bi hoshyār!
 Shiddatē nokhen zurtha main Hānā hānskār
 Hon Jamāl-Hānē sartha main Khānē mēhdhirā,
 'Man wathi honā nēlān gēdhi alimā.'
 Zahranēn mardān bastaghan jandireñ hathyār;
 Phēshi bānwiyā bērithā Tibbiā davār,
 Philaven roshān Khosaghē akhtai man-guzār,
 Mat Mirēghi har khasā dītha phēdhawār.
 Thakhtagan Lund dāhin gwar Mirē Hamalā.
 'Mir! anganē khārē bīthagho khapto man-gwarā.'
 Pha wadhi nashkā chon khutha Shēr-potravā?
 Takarē honānē ma sandeñ dāwāgarā!
 Kin Rojhānā jumbitha phauzhā pha samān,
 Chikthā bungāh muhīm jaldeñ sohavān.
 Mañ-sarā bītha Mangan shīrwāren bīhān,
 Otharū nil-gwāthi rodhāna pha kapurān
 Hār thihāni Shēran pha misken khaur dafā,
 Sohav Lashāri shawān dāñ dil pha jān
 Gwashta Dilwashā ghussavē 'shāroē mani,
 Phar wadhi kirdārān Baloch lajjī na-bī,
 Gosh gunāskārān ki jihān hamchosh gushi.'
 Baungahi phē simā dāthai phāsāno mai zari,
 Tākhāt humboen Sham o Māri nāmizadhi,
 Mārokhai akhtai khoh-amir gindeñ sangali,
 Thegh Khān Muhammad bandani rājānī dhani,

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Gwānkhav o honiyā jadha Hānā tāh-dili :

' Mañ khohā sardārāñ, mañ niyāñ māl mardē phithi.

Siyāl hawāñ mardeñ khanawā biyāñh dast-gwari.'

Manganā tēlēntha hazār nāzeñ bahrani,

Mēdhira jāh dātho jathai miānā misari.

Hol go molhā sisthagho zhingēntha ghalim,

Go oli dhakā bāithī rāja-mānakī !

Thēgho Jamshēr Bāsik dast gāhili

Ē-dunē mattān gipta cho māhi māh-ghamī !

Manganā bhirē ārtha jāhaz wāhiri

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Ē-dunē mardān phrushtaghan Lāl o Jauhari.

Khushtai Khān Muhammad, walharē mar jawainen phithi

Nāharo Dittā khushtai, Hoten Bāgh-alī,

Misri yārāñ janant pha zorč Ali.

Khushta nuh mar, māl bohārtha pathari !

Whazhdilā gartha shērā pha miskeñ Sar-shamā.

Rāh-gidhāriyāñ ārthaghan Manganā salām :

' Main salāmā dāith Gorishāniya Bangulāñ,

Sūrihen Kiā wa Murād brahondaghāñ,

Drāhī Soriē biyāñh shawā, gāli bi manāñ,

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Jāgahē dēm-o-dēm khanūñ hardo lashkarāñ.

Urēyā bilūñ, sar na-phārézē kungurāñ ;

Pha-do-dēm mērēññ mīrokheñ dēwānaghāñ

Midhaghan khohī warnā Sindhī narmaghāñ ?

Gāl phara durr-chinī dasāñ chosh ma-wadħāñ,

'Sh-e-bari mārā dar-burtha Pir Murshidā,

Wāj dā roshē Kurāna hair phadħā,

E havar mīrāñh bitħa pha Gorish-potravā.

Sai o chyār warnā sahi-ant ma khohen hādhirā,

Tāghat o taufik zithagħen Shāheñ Kādhirā,

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Hathyār dastān dāthaghan rājāni radħā !

Chhamo anzēnā garthaghan garyāna phadħā,

Sangaten sistha-ish azh mulūken Khān Muhammadā.

Mithā sharmi go Hudħħā-Dāth o Sabzilā !

Pahray o Pirānā hilāl-ant ma dēravā.

Mādħi nāzékħ shairāni sipat o satā !

Lori! charāna sail-khanē pha Sindha nasib
 Manganē Kirdär salāmā dai, azh mā gwari,
 Hamalē Mirā bandakiyān bāzen barī,

'Sak zorākh-e, lähamē hēch khas na bi, 80

Tonē honiyē pākar Shāh Sarwari,

Ma-hazār hairān bādhe, Sindh sangali.

Asur o omēth-e Balochān dānā sari;

Hil bāuñ nashkē o pāshkē Hamzahī!

Shā umdānī khaptagho jangeñ maigh-o-thai

Chandeha warnā kapithan tāzi bāhrani;

Chē thav o jang-dosten Phathehānā sīth bi?

Do hazār gokh mēsh burtha mañ, bē-lékhavi,

Pho buz o mēshānī galō gwāthān bāz ma bi,

Gāman challān thākhta thai bāghen Sindhari.' 90

Borān chārtha Kādhīrā ya shahr gali,

Bar athai bagānī bunindī jag-jāh thai,

Zarchān grēant bēgahā lālen Jatanī.

Thāngur-en Nūr Hān thai muhim māin mohari?

Sohav o chāri saroghān dil khavi!

Gwar Hudhā ardās-en manā, O Sindh dhanī!

Maigh o thai hairān khant Rasūl o durren Nabi;

Maigh o thai hair bi, tha zaminā dharti lahi. 98

XXVIII.

JATOI MAZĀRĪ JANG.

Allāh! thay-e lak-pāl kurzatānī,

Rozī rasānē hamū bandaghānī.

Bandān samundarā nodh taqhilānī,

Khanant gāj-grandā zamin sailihānī,

Savz bant rēm, sawād khilaghānī.

Nishto khanān yād Pirā wathiyā,

Pir Ālam Shāh, Husain Shāh walīyā,

Bahrām khawān chartha Yālītyā

Sakhī Shaihē Rindān Mughal Khān sakhiyā

Karamān sardār poshidaghānī

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Patt o patihar zén markhavāni,
 Pārā shudhā walharē sūrihāni
 Chhil-o-chyār zahmi dāwāgarāni;
 Sarā sohaveñ Massū Gul Tāsavāni,
 Dāthān nyāmen shirr shiddatāni,
 Khotā jawāv-gir-en jaureñ badhāni;
 E Bāvroān Hasan mangehāni,
 Miro mirokh-en Nūr Hān Sāragāni,
 Budhū Jumā cho lawāñ charāni,
 Khāne Jamāl Hān sūñ turahāni, 20
 Vāghā Ghulām daul bāñzigarāni.
 Sai mard gon-ant Gwand-phādhaghāni;
 Gullan, Mubārak, Bijar gañāni.
 Pārā shudhā walharē sūrihāni,
 Giritho shudhaghan pār dawārā;
 Shudho tham bitha ghalima dīghārā
 Khushto ghalimē dāthaish man guzārān.
 Massū Haidar hasht nuh yārān
 Nūr-hān Dāthān hardo bēl awārān
 Azh pañānā bēj bokhta Mazārā, 30
 Bitha lūrhāo Khwāja Laharā,
 Zurtha wadānā kaif-kumārā,
 Khākhtān bahāna gwar sangatīyān.
 ' Bandēth, bēlān, salēhān wadhiyān
 Shitābi aliband khanē sodēhiyān.'
 Karikaro bastaghan jābahiyān,
 Shudho mān-rikhta maiñ bēliyagh rēhiyā,
 Bhūrā Kanjar madd jathaish gumrāhiyā
 Jatho māl leteñ garthan whazhdiliyā,
 Bitha lūrhāo sirē luriyā. 40
 Dāhi thashāna war jaureñ badhiyā
 Khun bithaghen Jatoñ mashariyā;
 Sarā bitha Mēhwāl dāwāgariyā,
 Mēhwāl maroshi shēri shikāren;
 Pir Bashk roshā dilāgir khārē!
 Mehwāl Sardār azh path-pahti

Saigist mar zurthai maut-guzāri,
 Phur khant bēriyā khāri agdāri ;
 Agh bastagho nishtaghān hānskāri
 Khakhtūn bahāna jangī Mazāri,
 Sarā hakalē bīt̄haghan nar Mazāri,
 Ādānā nishta phulleñ shikāri,
 Thir kālivāni misil haur-gwāri,
 Shi khāt gondal kāpā awāri,
 Khwāja jangā wad̄h gir khāri !
 Bastha Mulük Hān tokal daryāi,
 Dhar-dikk naptān jang badshāhi !
 Tar-tukk zahmān sobhen Hudhāi !
 Har mar ki kattī sawādeñ lakhāi.
 Jangi ranā mal bitha mirāū,
 Har do jahāz basth, khishta lurhāo,
 Har do demā bīt̄ha zahimā malandrī,
 Sarī zahm bīt̄ha kotā patangī,
 Takar sānhī misl āf-bandī ;
 Shā galitho khushtaghan syāl chandi.
 Dāthānā gwashta hamcho zawāni ;
 ' Band bēriyān, thau Gul mangēhāni !'
 Rastha Shīrāzī, jaghar-sind badhāni,
 Poshidagho poshinē murshidāni,
 Mēhwāl khushtaghā, pār durrāni
 Matteñ Pir Bashken kahēv Zangalāni.
 Zahma-vakhtā khishtān pēch shaddavāni.
 Nūr-Hān Sāragāni go Bajariyā
 Vanjh bēriyā zurtho khapta mañ badhiyā,
 Val hoshaghi shuptān Hānā maniyā.
 Darēhān thēgh gwashta zahraniyā
 ' Nelūn maroshi jaureñ badhiyā.'
 Bāvroān Hasan zahmjānē mal
 Sarī zahm sunhāravo duzhmani jhal ;
 Chankund zahmā kakar bastagho chal !
 Dāthān jangā sadā bahāzureñ,
 Har jāh ki zahm eñ sarā hāzuren,

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Phushtā Jamāl Shāh Pīr chādhureñ.
 Khāne Jamāl Hān Ghulām Husain māntārā
 Nēhin bītā mañ zahim tārā,
 Girokhi dhamāl-ath̄ savzen saghārā.
 Sachā maddateñ Muhammad Langavārā,
 Nazr gipto ās dāthāi tūpakārā,
 Jatho rēr-dāthāi ghalim paídhwārā.
 Bāzē shimoshē Vāghā sodēhiyā,
 Chyār zahmjathāi bē-bāraviyā,
 Jauren hasadi shudhā khēhaviyā,
 Gor-o-kafanā samundrā kadhiyā.
 Mahmūd mirokhen go jaunharīyā;
 Sobb dāthaghei durreñ Naviyā!
 Budhū Jumā kassab khanavānī,
 Thīr gondalē jēnthaghan jābahānī.
 Masten Mazār gon-athant Bimbhirānī
 Jauren hasadi khuthant tandalānī.
 Muhammad Mahmūd jaren dil pha jānī ;
 Zahmān mirāna Shāhmir Zimakānī,
 Chyār zahm dhälēnt jauren badhānī !
 Lālā Lori, biyā zēmirānī !
 Singhār shaireñ zir bahāzurānī,
 Nokhen hadisen shēr-potravānī !
 Mēhwāl rahdi yakjāh khuthā
 Chhil o chyār mar mā barkhān khuthā
 Sir sāwanē cho lurē lāl khuthā
 Sēsār bahūdān dil-o-jān khuthā.
 Charhi Khānē Karmān jhureñ bādilā. 110
 'Zir g'horayē tha, pha sobha galā.
 Mūsa Mughal gwar-ant gwar Shakulā ;
 Gori ! nighozh-dār, Kurān hayā.
 Zirē Kurānā, khanē ma bayā.
 Phurs Brahoiya azh akharā,
 Gul Muhammad wa gist o chyār bahāzurā
 Ākhto shudhaghan jāndara garā,
 Māhū kudhaghant mā Sindh-narā !

Bhāj ranā ishtaghan saṅgatā
Mañ Jatrocē sandh sarā!

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XXIX.

MĪR HAMMAL SHA'R.

Mullā Wāsū Bulēthī gushī: Mir Hammal Mithār thir
janagh rosh gushī.

Hammalā badhie khuthā miri,
Pātārā bhēdiān khai ziri,
Rāh-gidhāri ki khaptaghā gindant,
Zānāi ki Shēr-potravēn Rind-ant.
E hawar Mireñ Hammalā bind-ant.
Rāj azh shimē phēshaghā gwāshta,
Brāth azh brāth thāshaghā dāshta,
Sharti chind hārehāriyā.
Ēshān wālumen cho shikāriyā
Na hamen khoshtant go zor-zāriyā. 10
Ēshān darmān-en avur dērā,
Gwar tho nodhān dēh-chiragh bitha,
Hārehāriyā lāf-sēr bitha,
Hārehāri oshtāthaghen ditha.
Har-khadhen chindār rasi phirī,
Azh zahirān zirdah wāth ziri,
Agh na ziri jag bē-zār-en.
Shart-janokh dargāhā halāki-en,
Pha jan soghanda talāki-en. 19

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KHOSA SHA'R.

Shughro karīn-sāzen Hudhā,
Wadī Badshāhē bē-niyāz!
Bāz-en thei rang-o-razā,
Mañ pardawā rakhē manān,
Mañ kūravo sēzdah sadhā!

Laditho hayāvandē marān,
 Ishtaish hawen droghen jahān.
 Haidar sakhiyē sāhibā,
 Khoho Nawāben Bādshāh,
 Shi Mir Chākarā burzāthirā, 10
 Kulleñ Balochē āzirā.
 Sirinē Alīyē khanāwān.
 Hānē sakhiyā Haidara,
 Jango Jazīzē lashkarā
 Ākhto ma dāwāē phirē,
 Zahmān karākuto mireñ
 Hamcho shutha Rabb-razā
 Khapta shahidi ma-phirā.
 Go Khosaghen dāwāgarān
 Nūrān o Bakhū sūrehān 20
 Karm go varyāmen Ahmadā.
 Gwar Hazrat-ash bīthai makān
 Tān kyāmatā shāhvash iahant!
 Bāki malāmī phrushtaghant,
 Yār sangatān-i ishtaghant,
 Sharmīghā nindant ma meroān,
 Murdār harāmāna warant,
 Shi guđā amirā zindagh-ant!
 Lori, ki tharāna ba-rawē
 Maigha risālā thai barē 30
 Amīren Muridā sar-khanē:
 'Tho Sārango bachhē valē,
 Basūgar o dānā thav-ē,
 Sharmī sareñ shairān gushē.
 Shāir hamān mard gushant
 Ki wādh-muhari dāwāgar-ant,
 Phēsh mēthira jorān khafant,
 Zahmā do-dastīghā janant,
 Hai khushtatho hai khārīthant,
 Hai shash-māh go phatā nārīthant,
 Ki jānā tabibān durāh khuthant' 41

XXXI.

MARĪ SHAR.

Awwal jī nāmē Allāh-eñ
 Janān sha'rān ki ralā-eñ,
 Nakhutī buzē awāheñ,
 Wathī Mirār gilā-eñ.
 Parē zwār sarondāheñ.
 Dēāi, tha kull pardāh-e,
 Na dēāi, tokalē shāh-e,
 Aliyē Shāhā hukā-eñ
 Gēhān mardān nek-dawā-eñ.
 Hudhā ki niyat yakh-eñ
 Mari azh har-khasā sak-eñ.
 Karm Khān mast anthak-eñ,
 Badhiyānī sarā dhak-eñ,
 Gwarakhē tha napt ya-dhak-eñ!
 Thaī duzhman jatho ēr-eñ,
 Hudhā khant azh tho shēr-eñ,
 Sham o Phailāwagh o Kāhān,
 Khuthjai mālim dan Sargāhān,
 Srafen Gazeñ bungāhān,
 Janāna khākhtahan bāhān,
 Mirokhen duzhmaneñ drāhān,
 Khumēth pha zēb jinsārā,
 Banāti sanj bulghārā,
 Shitābi ārtha khārdārān.
 Gushī Miān Khān bi yārān
 ‘Mariān band hathyārān’
 Lureñ thēghān wa talwārān’
 Jaldeñ kāshido khattān
 Karm Khān ārtho pha sattān,
 Shuthaghan harijen dāhi,
 Charitho Kwaṭ Mundāhi,
 Laro Luk bunā jāhi;

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Gazāo lashkarā hullā
 Bunā Bambor dañ Dullā.
 Charhī bīthā azh Lukā,
 Mayārīthī chorav o chukhān,
 Bahādhur da ranē dhukhān !
 Ur-it̄ha bar go Mawrānī
 Muzheñ Bējī khaurānī.
 Shuthō much bīthā ma Borā. 40
 Hazāro lēkhavā khorān,
 Khumēthān shil sar chorā,
 Khuthēn drāhī ma Nar Hanā,
 Dhawāna khokarī warnā
 Radhāna khākhta gwar-mā,
 Hamēdhā ākhtaghan chāri ;
 Muhammad Khān manān dāri,
 Dā hälā sar sawāri,

‘Dhamitho dēh dañ chandāri
 Shuthā Pathān pha Ilgāri.’ 50
 Gushī Karm Khān pha shāh-sawāri,

‘Bhurith roth sardāri
 Na khaptai mēsho zunhāri.
 Sarā bī Dād Alī chāri,
 Masori gon Akhtyāri,
 Charā humbo thei sāri.
 Bahādhur biyāyan Jarowāri,
 Hudhā Mir Muhammad biyāri,
 Gushē Turkē Kandahāri.
 Mari pha gardaghai bārā 60
 Na gardūn azh Shamē sārā,
 Mayāi Lūnī ma Makhmārā’

Khumēthān läithā lārā,
 Khuthān otak shafī handā ;
 Khumēthān g'hantā cho khandā,
 Zami chandī janagh grandā.
 Girokhi pyādhaghā khandā,
 Hulkeñ dātha pasandā

Badhīyē sajaleñ randā ;
 Charakheñ pyādhaghē khandā 70
 Trafān Shēr Muhammad o Surkhi
 Gushē ki hākimī Turki.
 Sawāhī bēl-athēñ sārā,
 Khunē shart, khunē hārā.
 Phadhlī bāroā maiñ vārā ;
 Hamodhā ki bitaghā sahrā,
 Mirūni go awwal pahrā,
 Hameñ garmen damo pahrā
 Laghoren mard bant sārā !
 Jathō mēsh khuthēñ rāhi,
 Dafā khapta hawēñ wāhi, 80
 Mirj duhmi barā jāhi.
 Sohay bi rosh go ēlā,
 Phadhlā nārāeñ Muskhēlā,
 Mari, sar ma dā maiñ mēshā,
 Gharpish wāzhahāñ phēshā,
 Guđā sar-dē maiñ mēshā.'
 Dama chi Omarā Borā,
 Nayāñ mazh Bamborā,
 Maroshi jhārūni phorā. 90
 Jathē g'hotē shighānāni,
 Thav-ē pēntī mayārāni
 Na-mirē sarhosh yārāni !
 Sukhun khashta Karm Khānā,
 Laghoro mard bant sārā,
 Mariyāñ khir athān khērā,
 Jalab bitha ma hawēñ thērā,
 Khutho Muskhēl ma-nyām bēhrā'
 Samīni pāhanā gwartha.
 Yād khutha Bābul-Hān Lakhī 100
 Jatha ma lakri lañhi,
 Mudhān lahar-ath thai bhattī.
 Mari sobh phirā khattī !
 Sarī bahādhur takorāni ;

Shudhā zūm zorānī,
Phadhā lēnd laghorānī;
Gushē galphānā borānī,
Garīv o langav o lori,
Na bītha-ish saho drori.

Laghorān dāshtaghan g'horī,
Sarē kutān cho syāhmārā :
Kwaṭen thā phadhā langā
Phroshtaiñ badhī jawangā
Dēm-ish khuthā gangā.
Giptā Mariyā pha zūm āndhārā,
Frāti biro' dañ Kandahārā.

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XXXII.

DRISHAK ZARKĀNĪ KARĀKUT.

I.

Hārin Shāhzād gushi : durr-hadis Saidiānī gushi :
Drishakē Zarkāniyē karākutānī gushi : Muhibb, Dāim,
Tārā khosh-rosh gushi : Kēchī Ahmad Khān sobh gushi :
Mirdost Bivaragh sobh gushi.

Nishtagho shukrā guzārānī, lā-shariq dhart-pal,
Mārā phanj-vakhtā maddat-en, nangarē Multān Mal.
Daur darwāren hasadī, ma zirih sorē chal.
Khār kuzrateñ Hudhātī, nā-ghumāna shirr-shor,
Mā go Drishakānī lagāen khanāwānī bhanj-bhor.
Nangaren Sobhā khushta, na shamoshta hon-bēr,
Main khawān lohē charitha, khail-athē jauhān dhēr.
Suny syāh-dēmē Jihānpur, phrushtaghē Jinda zor.
Rāhzanē Suhrāv jangi, 'Dost, mārā na-shamosh'
Thēgh-zanē jangi Suhrāv, khanavē vakhtā anosh ! 10
Karmali hon nēlān ; dar-miyān bai, pardē-posh !
Drēhān hon na ravant, vail tharan' sāl rosh,
Thī Baloch druh pha badhī, har-khasē pha band-bozh.

Khushta Gāmū Jistkānī, bukhta zarānī himān? 2
 Takarē honi hudhābundā, khutha jang samān;
 Rāhzanē Jalūā thēghā, Jistaki dārūgharā.
 Cho mazārān bhīr-khārthan, Zarkān khasē-potravān.
 Sharbat o Jalū o Yārā, ji sadheñ brāhondaghān,
 Kēhari gājān dēāna, Omarā sāndhī khamān.
 Pharaghān goneñ Walidādh, sanj malshānī bihān, 20
 Zirē jandren hathyārān, chārē jaureñ duzhmanān.
 Las Sardāra Fatūhal, zyādhaheñ wadheñ nishān.
 Bag azh koti galliyān, ruvtho bitha ravān.
 Khāyan' bagānī hudhābund, 'nēlant tārī-mādhhaghān.'
 Dāima karzī ravokh-eñ, khāt pha gori pohaghān,
 Maunishareñ Phitokh thakā, bitha gāli go badhān.
 Sūraheñ Shah-Bashk naftā, trādaki cho shihanān.
 Ma-phirā Shāmiyā phirain, zēn drīkokheñ bihān.
 Trān-khutha Mir Ahmadāna, Hoteñ Kēchiyā lurā,
 Nangarē Mirdost Bivaragh, pha amiri mansabā, 30
 Pākar Shāhē Rasūlē, dawāi Pir o Murshidān.
 Khashtaghen chāri kadhhaken, chār-balānī dērawān.
 Rāhzanē hoteñ Karīmdād, Haviv Pahlavān
 Mondarāniyā Hudhādāth, nēst andēsha azh badhān.
 Chhil chaukiyā haiyārē, Hadhrat ākhīr-zamān
 Sobhā sobhānī kh' imām-e, go amiri mansabā.
 Pir Sohri ma-sar-en, go Hān grāneñ lashkarān,
 Saila pha Sindhā khanāna, Ahmad Hān pahlavān.
 Shahr tattiyān phulāna, go hazārī nuzbatān.
 Badā Chuttā lafāshta, gri' pha Suhravā zawān. 40
 Randā gartha gumrāhiya, mēsh ruvta go buzān.
 Ēdhā Drishakānī gēhēnān, trān-khutha wadh-pha-wathān.
 Khashta Tārkhāna Sukhunē, 'chosh nēlūn duzhmanān.'
 Gangalo zaunkhān shamoshē, Drishak sar-khashē alān.
 Ishtaghan' khat go palangā, dost go lālen manjavān.
 Gwashta Rindoā pha mardi, 'chosh nēlūn duzhmanān.'
 Syāl khāyant azh Maravā, sikh zahmānī galān.
 Udr bālādh na charī, Bashkali Sabzal-Hān
 Hoteñ Kaurā o Fatūhal, ma-sari chinda-valān,

Shāngō saigist bahādhur, shingo uzhmār sadhān. 60
 Hoteñ Chatā o Nihālhān, ma-sar-ēthant phe khamān,
 Hamal udr na chāri, ma Balochī lēkhavān.
 Chāk-khadhān savzeñ saghārān, sūrihānī khoparān,
 Kēharenī Jīā o Sadhū, zahmī bahādhureñ alān.
 Bastha ā-bandē jhurtyān, khanavānī mār-mār
 Odhā ki Murchā gadā, ma-sar-ēnt Aliyār.
 Ranakaghā holān poshān, whash Dālūyā tawār,
 Thēgh Kālā mangehānī, Shāhali zarkhawār.
 Shiddato Shāhro honā, sanj athān zēn khunār,
 Hotēn Chohil o Kalandar, Phong drimbokhen mazār, 60
 Udr bālādhā na chāri, durr-hadiseñ Shāhyār,
 Thēgh Lāl-hān mangehānī, bītha zahmāni guzār.
 Shambo go Syāhā Thalēnā, zēn huli go asarā.
 Gāhwarē bachhen Balochān, sūrahen dāwāgarā;
 Khaptaghā ma jang-jhora, bītha nēhiñ ma-sarā.
 Sadh hazār shābas ashkeñ math phuleñ Kalphurā.
 Bahādhur Hānāra hilāl-ant, shaddo bir ma sarā.
 Sohnā darmāna hilāl-ant, ashkāni haīsī sarā.
 Tagyā go Bashkallyā, Mānakā dast gwarā,
 Math Shāhbāzī nivēntha, burithai shāhbazh gwarā. 70
 Bor phauzhā mar-lawāsh-en, bāi ma phauzhānī sarā.
 Bor Allāh Bashkē tulāna, urd grānen chaparā,
 Go Masoriyā Nihāl-Hān, khanavānī mān garā,
 Pākarē Shāhenī 'Aliyē, Rabb rakhā pardawā,
 Pahar Gulshērā hilāl-ant, sundarē shēr-narā.
 Kalphurē hoteñ Ali-sher, bashkathā sobh kādirā;
 Gon Shāhvāz wa' sariyā, go dast-sandī sargalā.
 Bingo, Jām o Phurthos, Bakari dāwāgarā.
 Nāmzađhen Haurān Bodho, sōhuñ phauzhānī sarā,
 Kāsim o Birā mirokhen, zahmo o durrkhirān dhurā, 80
 Dhamal o Hassū Bātil, sohavā ba ma-sarā;
 Duzhmanā dēh lafāshta, thākhto dan Sindh bahara
 Nām bulandeñ Ahmadānē, ākhto sobh khuthā.
 Nindan' Jinda o Haiyāt Hān, mar gēhen bant yagsarā
 Chāpui Kēchiyā jathaghē, mān-ākhtai mañ dafā.

Bandanē shahrān na bandē, burza azh Fatehpurā,
 Gokh dañ Jhalayē na charan', Chēdhaghiyā dañ sarā,
 Dil mani nokhēn chāhē wārth, cho samundari jiharān,
 Gosh Jindā dardvandē, ēsha Hārīn bayām. 89

Niñ tharā dast niyāyant, gwastaghā gwandeñ raghām.
 Nishto shughra-guzāren, ma khāwind bhanjogarān,
 Nosha kharwālī sharāvān, ēkwa nindē digarān,
 Dil thai bodh niyāl, phar watī shāhzādagħān.
 O Jinda Khān Drishak! 94

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Kabūl Gullan gushi: durr-hadiseñ Dombki gushi:
 i-mar Hārīnār, Haddēhārā phasawē dāth gushi: Syāħaf
 thāshagħo rosh gushi: gist-o-chyār mar khushagh rosh
 gushi: bāzen bagānī rosh gushi: Nindo, Jinda, Hayāt
 Hān sobh gushi.

Kunf āwāzen Hudħāt, lā-shariq parwaren,
 Azh kursh Bādshāhen, rahmdilen zorāwaren.
 Jinn, bhut, dēh-malāikh, jun hamo juzindaghen,
 Mund yakh-eñ, lāmb bāzen, har-khas drashk-bar-eñ.
 Mominā bashkeñ Hazürā, dīn Rasūl Paighambareñ,
 Agh parħē phanchen namāzān, si roshaghān dārē,
 Odh gwar Sāhibeñ sitārān, bāz pasind paidāware,
 Shāħħ go shahidān awār bi, agh parhiyāo ālim-ē;
 Sip ma durreñ daryāa, agh sakhi o sūriħ-ē;
 Jannati hūr kasürān, agh shahādatā lahe; 10
 Momin o sunni o dindār, pahlavān dīn-dar ē,
 Kābul o Kashmīr o Kandahār, dar o parbat ē,
 Pūrab o Dilli o Dakhan, bādshāh ald-o-shar ē.
 Gwar Hayāt Hān sagħarrā, shāħ pākar pardav-ē,
 Dast-sakhi o durr-daryāen, phaużg għoro Kēħar-ē,
 Thangaveñ Drishak bāragħen bor, sanj banāt kēzum-ē,
 Isparān, għejha posħak, khārħ kātār jamdarē,
 Jābah cho chilen patangā, grān-grożeñ għorav-ē,
 Thiegħi nokħ-sanjen barākhān, duzħmana dēm daſe,
 Daur-darwāren hasadi, cho karabi kalm bē. 90

Sultānē rafī madateñ, nukrī wāzhah-ē,
 Nindo Mirzi saghārā, zahim-janē dāwāgar-ē,
 Davtariyen surihānī, pākar Panjen Tan-ē,
 Shēr-autār hawārān, chambūrān thashē,
 Mäl māniyē mazārān, hoshaghī gil mushtaghē,
 Ahmad bāzeñ bihānān, khoh pha-nālān shithaghē.
 Jindā karwālī sharāvān, gēshtara mālim thav-ē,
 Thākhtai Syāhāf gwazēna, takht Zarkān-potravē.
 Gist-o-chyār mardē ki khushta, Kalphur o Rahējavē,
 Azh shamē gwāth māiyā, ākhira zhānd bithaghē. 30
 Bagē thañkhān g'hatān, patari bohārthagħē,
 G'horayi dañzān dātān ma mužhān gār bithaghē,
 Khaftaghē ma chhur Chauñkhān, shai gushē ēdhā niyē,
 Azh manī jañg hirāsā, pātr Kāhān thashē,
 Pholē bakkali vahiyān, lēkhavān sar shon niyē.
 Thangāiyā khosh yāt-en, Drishakān gēshtar khushtaghē,
 Maigh o thałghī lagāeh pha-dar bākiyā gañē,
 Guzh-dē, O Harin, hadisān, drogh ma band, ki shāir-ē,
 Drogh pha imānā khatā-en, aghalfāmā ishtaghē,
 Khaftaghē Kirgāl dānā, ma-sarā chāri thashē, 40
 Chikitha g'horō Drishakān, guða bē-was bithaghē,
 Bāitha Mihān o Sanjar, tho chī lajjī zindaghē,
 Hammala Mirzi saghārā sharr nasihat dāthaghē.
 Whazh-gushen qābil darokheñ, nughdaho gālān barē,
 Maiñ salāmā durr-hadisen Haddehār hancho gushē,
 Mard borāni sipayā gēshtara bāz khanē,
 Bug Kaura Bugtiyā thau go Rindā gwar janē,
 Kalphurā Hājī jawēghā, nashk namūdhā diyē,
 Rind ma Phēdi banindān, takht Shorāna sare,
 Dañ rājī Dombkiyē, zāñāth o sarihāl niyē, 50
 Durr-hadis, gind o dihān khan, thau radheñ thirān janē.
 Dāim o Tārā Muhibbā, tek Suhrāvā ganē,
 Mozhagh, tāsen rakħeſān, go sawāsā matt khanē,
 Arshafī, suhrān muhrān, nughra chachhoñ tulē?
 Chi gushān mañ shāirārā? jūfoā Jhat khanē,
 Sith Lāshāri 'Ali Shēr, khēnagh o kivrān athē.

Dāthaghān singh ma dahāna, cho gudān g'hati janē,
 Khoh masteñ Bugtiyā, khanavān sāhmēnthaghē,
 Phursē Lāl-Hān Phadehānā, Haddeh, go mā ēr-ē, 60
 Pir Murshid go Wali Hān, thaghārdā ākhtaghē,
 Thangaveñ Drishakān khutho muhnt, phadhbā tharēn-
 thaghē,

Shirr Jalūā kharo bi, phēdh sangati thav-ē,
 Shirr shumat kharo khudh, khār shaitānī phar-ē,
 Girdagheñ bag azh kilatān, Mēr Jatānī jathē,
 Dāima, Tārā, Muhibbā, sohvē Muhammad pur-ē.
 Geshitara badā zahrā, cho patangi ma jal-ē.

Shānzdah jangi bahādur matt khafta havd-sadhē,
 Phanjāh būt karāi, sisthagħā dēm o das-ē,
 Dāthaghā sar pha manayān, pha shahidī mansabē.
 Nishtagheñ dimā shumārā, farz goyam kalamavē. 71

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KHOSA LEGHĀRĪ JANG.

I.

Sobhā Tēghali gushī : Jarwāren Baloch gushī : Khosagh
 Kaloi karākuṭā gushī : Lēghārī bāutiyān khardē gal
 gushī.

Whazh-gusheñ Rēlān shādjhīhāni shāghā barē,
 Main salām bi shāirā Gāhiya diyē,
 Nishto droghāni zawānā whash khanē,
 Ewakhī serā go manān chachhoñ tulē?
 Bhūcharī Dālān kilāt nām girē,
 Nuñ-manen bārānrā wathjār kans-diyē,
 Jawānak urdānī raghazā roshē khafē,
 Āhiñ shēr hāthi raghasā chit-ärthaghē,
 Shēr chāpulā azh Khararā thalā guzē,
 Go manān hair bī, zaminā jāhi lahē,
 Phēsh guḍā main sailayānī dēmpān thav-ē 10
 Agh tharā wahm bī, zaminā jāiz khanē.

Dav-charen zahmānī nā-washen jāhā rasē!
 'Shingura 'shāngur lashkarān dēmo-dēm khuthē,
 Zahraneñ mardān nodh-dilān sérāfā jathē.
 Jawānak urdānī tawāren goshānī khafī,
 Harchyār dēmā g'horavāni dāto rūdhī,
 Cho thai bachhānī dasānī gonāf hushi,
 Nodhī bērāna bēg'havā biyāyan' thānahi.
 Biyā, O, Lashāri azh gwareyā dar-khaptaghē? 20
 Guđ azh Zunūā g'horavā roshā gār-athē,
 Sailāi Mireñ Chākurā phauzhā ruthaghē,
 Rind nar-borān azh zaminā rēsinthaghe,
 Khushtaghā Rāmēn, damāmo charenthaghē.
 Dē manānī nashkānī, thau khithān rosh khard bithaghē?
 Bakar o Ramēnī khithān ladā gon-athē?
 G'horavo urdān phēlatho Turkānī rukh-ath,
 Doshi ma Jhalā Turk g'horayān grandaghath,
 Añ-dēmā Gandāvagh Hudhā mañ dēm bithaghath,
 Turk shādkām ath, Rind shamēdhā zahr giptaghant, 30
 Hon azh chhamānī chimākā dar-khaptaghant.
 Gwashta māiyān 'Main hudhābund gon-khaptaghant'
 Lajjavo Shorānī dhaniyān grān bithaghant,
 Bijar Phuzh, Chākur, Shāhdhār akhtaghant,
 Allan o miskānī Sahāk mādān athant,
 Jāro, Rēhan o Hasan sānī bithaghant,
 Bagavo lajjānī sarā katār dāthaghant,
 Asp go sonāen zariyā bashkāthaghant,¹
 Pyādhaghā Rindān takht Shorān akhtaghant.
 Thoravē Rindāra oñ Lashāri wur ath, 40
 Mir go Phulā azh Kawarā drikēnthaghant.
 Whash-gusheñ Kēlān, shādhihānī shāghā bizir,
 Mard pha bāuṭān choshant, sardārē manī.
 Gāhwar o Hāneñ Sāhibānā jag sahi.
 Gwar Nawāv Hān kük burtha bāzen barī,
 Gorshāniyā sāngat o Kāhan Mari,
 Burzā go Sumēnzāiā brādhāsgari.

¹ Or Bor-izh ma lajjānī kuñ dāthaghant.

Akhta gwar Hāneñ Jawānakā bāutāñ thai,

'Khosaghāñ, ki ma niyāñ Lēghārī khādhī.'

Go mā chyār sālā nishtaghā bāuṭi sharikh,
Bandavē khoheñ nashka to hapt phushti guzī.
Mānik loghā har-khasī omēdhā durāh,
Mānik khato bihisht jo sarā.

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Gudi samā khotāl pahrāe phadhbā,
Do Balochāni ākhtaghant wākyāñ sarā,
Do shafā bitha gwar thai Khāneñ Mēthirā,
Chham anziyāñ raftaghant¹ grihāna phadhbā.
Do-bahā dāthen markhavē paidā-ish khuthēn,
Lajji bānukhāñ phar wāthi shānā bashkathen.

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Dodā thai nāmūz ma jihānā mashar athen,
Gudi drāhiyē basthai go Hāneñ Shakhalā,
Tūmi gwāzēntha wa ganjeñ Bakharā.—
Jawānak phauzhānī sara Gāji Barbarā,
Shāh māriyā gonēkhā go Shēreñ Haidarā,
Nīn ki ākhta dañ Siri Mithāwanā,
Niyāmaghī zihar maiñ sharikhāñ har do sarā,
Jahl-burzīyā Hikbaiyā² rēsintha alāñ,

Deūñi rēbā, ēr-khaſi jāhiyā bunā,
Shēr ki gwāmēsh phroshi lorhāyā darā,
Bāñz ki simurgh jhatthā maidānā sarā,
Hāneñ Arziyā gwānkhañ bi ambrāhiā jathā,
Khosaghāñ nāl-basthēn galaghā kurkā khuthā,
Lajj whāntkārañ phīl-athī simurghiā burthā,
Ispar o savzeñ nēzagħāñ Bashkyā sāh khuthā,
Hāneñ Dilshād mardiyā bērā tharathā,
Shai phīthā ashik en ki shamār paidā khuthā!
Hardo urdāni nyāmaghā sāmī suhr khuthā,
Doda Hāneñ Jawānakār zithēn hair khuthā.

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¹ Or garthagħant.

² Or Jahl-bursiā hek-byā rēsintha jarāu.

Gāhi Gorish gushī; Kaloī gushī; Sobhār phasavē dāth
gushī.

Whazh-gusheṇ Rēlān shādhīhānī shāghā biyār,
Kaunsh bāng'havā gwar manī bālādhā bidār,
Chambavē sak jan, malghi dilā gham guzār,
Jangī katārā dil ma chandē : jawānān bisār.
Nishtaghē satā whash nish nāmūdh tawār,
Azh waliyānī khashtaghē rand o kissavā.
Hair phadħā. Rāj Hān roshant, jang syāheṇ shafant,
Jang phadħā mard o markhavān jawaiñ rosh niyant,
Gāhwareñ hindi bingaven hotān charant,
Dauraveñ koṭānī sawādā zēl khanant. 10
Chandehān warnā pha-dafā gozān janant,
Jangayo ninjā bi, phadħā pahnādh girant,
Bingaven hotānī raghāmā ambrāh niyant.
Azh phadħā gudā nishto amsodħ warant,
Go doen dastān sar-o-zānā janant!
Jangāni dāhakā har-chyār khundān phirant,
Gwadileñ mar go gindaghā goriyā trahant.
Āshikānī khār-eñ, mēdhānā ravant,
Taukal bēriyā dilār tēlānkā dēant.
Malighi dilā pha zirih o zirih-posh khanant, 20
Kadahān zahrēnā sharābi nosh khanant,
Ma saghārānī thaftaghen jhorān khafant,
Gāhwareñ thēghā phar wathī nāmūdhā janant,
Go wathī Khāneñ Mēthirā miski zarant.
Whazh-gusheṇ Rēlān shādhīhānī shāghā barē
Main salām bī shāirēn Sobhār diyē :
'Mēthirā! randā zīr, ki Bhoimpurā khaiē?
Mañ dilā zān ki tho Khosagha māthi-brāth niyē
Sobh labān nyāmaghi dārān sushe,
Armānā! zānant azh sadheñ sālā gwasthaghē, 30
Hai ganokh ē, hai ya thāna kisthagē!

Bakar o Rāmēnī shaghānā mārā janē,
 Tho khithān roshī Rind Lashāri bīthaghē?
 Ki ma daryāyānī lahravo chalān gār athē.
 Bēghavā Mireñ Chākurā chaukidār athē.
 Mā wathī shān cho mastharen Rind pholatha,
 Ēvakhi sēr go manān har-ro tolatha,
 Mañ thaī hāthī maghazā shon dēān,
 Biyā mēdhānā : chambavā simurgh biān janān.
 Ārava mardān Sawānā lahri rastaghē, 40
 Nokh-nochān phāgh phithī mardum bastaghē,
 Mark nasenthē, pha chihān roshē shādehā,
 Shān phirēnthē, gandaghen gin dostehā ;
 Man dilā zān ki maut tharā nēlī dañ-sarā.
 Dodāi dāng bītha mañ bawren chādharā,
 Mēdh-Māchhiya Hamzahia jori na bē,
 Khosaghān Rinda manavo māniya dar-ē.
 Phutureñ Rind chon khutha bāut phadħā ?
 Goharē hirānī sarā choñ khutha Mireñ Chākurā ?
 Sammiya gokhānī phadħā Doda lurā, 50
 Khoh sar-dēmā kehareñ mānā lurā,
 Sar wathī dāthai garibeh māl sarā ? 52

3.

Sobħā Thēgh 'Ali gushi : Jarwāren Baloch gushi :
 Gāhiyār phasavē dāthi gushi.

Kādir nāmā har sawāhā yād khanān,
 Sagsatāren bandagħi ardāse manān.
 Rēlāni Lori, biyā, hadisānī durr-gēhān,
 Sāz-khanē shāghā, gwash Balochānī nughdahān.
 Dāima nyādh-ē bithen go Sultānī sarān.
 Rind o Lāshāri ma-bunā brāthān dāimā,
 Mākhta Lāshāri Baloch khapta pha shighān.
 Mihānē zirī,¹ roth Panjgūrā dēhā,
 Kēch Panjgūr kissavā gosh-dār ki gushān.
 Mā hawān Rindūn azh Halabā phādh-ākhtaghūn, 10

¹ Or zān ki.

Dubarān jangī go Jazīzā mān-ākhtaghūn,¹
 Dēm rosh-āsān azh sartnā ēr-khaptaghūn,
 Hamzah aulād sobh rasūlā bashkā²thagħūn,
 Shahr Istambol go Imāmā wath chartħaghūn,
 Hārī malħāna pharāhī shāh-dagā ākhtaghūn,
 Ān-gurī dastā thibarē jangā giptaghūn,
 Rabb sahighen ki shi Jabānī Shaiħān khard būn,
 Mol Sistānā go jangi jawān-mārdān gon-athūn,
 Shahr Sistānā wur khamānān bahr-bithaghūn,
 Ma Jagħinā gwar Shams Din Shāh ākhtaghūn;²⁰
 Pha Karim-sāz kuzratā shodħā gwastħaghūn,
 Ān-gurī Kēchā Makurānā bahr bithaghūn,
 Pha-thurā jangi shodħ³ Hārinā khashtaghūn.
 Shēdh pha dēmā mā Baloch thāla bithaghūn.
 Shēdh pha dēmā thau wathī nashkā dē manān.
 Rind ma Kēchā: Kēch thān dēmā nishtagħe?
 Chħil o chyār halkān: go khāi ladā gon athē?
 Nin-ki laqāna khauri sar-haddā ākhtaghūn,
 Las-Belāo Kalmatiyān gi-wārthaghūn,³⁰
 Habb Bārānā pha-muvārik shē-bithaghūn,
 Phēshā Nuhānī azh Naliyā ēr-khaptaghant,
 Jistkānī ma Gaj-syāħafā bukħtagħant,
 Lakh-Salārī Chāndēh Kāchā nishtagħant,
 Chatr Phulejji man-sarā Hotān giptaghant,
 Rind Lashārī Narmukħ rēj bukħtagħant,
 Rind azh Dhādārā sarinā ēr-khaptaghant,
 Lāshār pha Gandavagh sarā-erā bithaghant.
 Jālikān Loi thau khithħān joān bahr-athē?
 Gind! navān, Gāhī, thau radhiyā gon-khaptaghē?
 Arna Hārin bastħagħen baldān gon-athē?⁴⁰
 Thau hawān roshē be-mayāri ākhtaghē.
 Sāhib rosh zurħagħen zarān ārthaghē,
 Shērā mān-dāħha pha-do-handā khard bithaghē.
 Zindagħo druħħā mañ dighārā sar-bithaghē.

¹ Or Axh phadħā bē-dinē Jazīzī gon dāħtagħu.² Or Ma Jagħinā go Shamshahi Shékħa ākhtaghūn.

Phurē Gāhiā! Thau chī maskifī zindaghē,
 Waptaghen mardānī thafākhānī go manī ganē.
 Thau go dah loghā ākhto bāut bithaghē,
 Hān Miryā pha barātā chāri athē,
 Tūpak dastē Umar Hān bashkāthaghē,
 Maṇ-dilā zān ki thau mazeṇ-shān mat niyē, 50
 Tho rāj ahānē, ān thai Sultānī sar-ant,
 Gwar manī mirā ākhto bāut bithaghē,
 Harchyār khundān har hamū rājān dithaghē.
 Khumbhī gokhānī shaghānā mārā janē,
 Khoh phish-burē ambarānī sifat khānē!
 Gwashtaghān gālā Gāhi, thau saharāl na-bē,
 Mēdhira randā zir, pha Bhoimpurā khāyant,
 Mānik halkā hon avo lajjā rikhtaghant, 55
 Daṇ phadh-o-phēsh-i chēḍhaghī nask oshtāthaghant.

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Gāhi Gorish gushī: Kolōen Baloch gushī: Sobhār phasavē dāth gushī.

Biyā O Rēlān shādhīhānt,
 Shāh ghāzī chārawāni,
 Majlis jawāneṇ sarānī,
 Zir manī guftār-gālān,
 Bar gwar jang-dosten syālān,
 Band-bozh gālān dahēnā,
 Phasavān sar-pha-sarēnā,
 Gondalān sērān manēnā,
 Bar da Sobhāen nighoshi,
 Oli guftārān shamoshi, 10
 Ziri randā phirukēghā,
 Bahr khant milkā phithēghā.
 Chī gushānī matī shāirārā,
 Dil-harīṣen sugharāra?
 Khashī Rindānī shaghānā,
 Yād-khan' oli jihānā.

Gosh! Sobhā mañgēhāni,
 Daftari ē Khosaghāni.
 Rand zurthē Makurāni,
 Rind Lāshār dēhāni. 20
 Rind Lashārī awārā,
 Raftaghant azh Kēch shahrā,
 Akhtaghant Hārin malāna,
 Mulk mitāfā girāna,
 Brāth yārī bahr-khanāna,
 Bīthagħūn bahr khamānā.
 Mākhī Jatoī yagsar athūn,
 Sim jo-ā phado athūn,
 Mulk shahrā nēmagh athūn.
 Roz bahār pha thir-dārān. 30
 Chyārakhe ma Dhādar ēthānt,
 Sēr mā ma Khānpur ēthānt,
 Hand ma rēj dēh ēthānt,
 Sar go Mireh Chākur ēthānt.
 E manī pērā o rand-eñ,
 Phuṭureñ Rindāñi hand-eñ,
 Nām ma rājāñ buland-eñ.
 Agh tharā ētibār na bītha,
 Khasā go chhamā na dītha,
 Khattī kuhneñ gwar niyātheñ, 40
 Gwāh shāhid khad̄h niyātheñ;
 Kissavāñi kissavāthānt,
 Har khasē 'shi hanchosh athānt!
 Man sahi āñ, Sobhā, khāp-khāte,
 Nē pha rand pērowātē,
 Sobh drapā Jawānakēghā.
 Jūfo jhatā wathiyā,
 Drogh-bandē zāhiriyā.
 Rāst gushagh rāst riwāh-eñ,
 Drogh pha imānā khatā-eñ, 50
 Ar pha guftārā taiyār bē,
 Shēdh-dēmā gawāhiyā dē,

Khattē mārā khash phē-dē.
 Biyā azh sha'rān karār khan,
 Oli Rindān pha phadħā khan,
 Nina-wakħta kissawā khan.
 Sarphadħjēni pha gwarā khan,
 Maiñ hadisān man dilā khan,
 Sobħā! khaptaghē azh drikh-bālān,
 Thāi nighwāri shēr nālān,
 Sunya thāi Tūvī dālān. 60
 Zurthiyā jangeñ maniyān,
 Zulm zora Sāhibiyā,
 Phrushtaghā bē-ronagħiyā,
 Zurthaghē mardān gēhēnā,
 Chāndēħā juhl-khēnaghēnā,
 Rūnghān Bādor yārān,
 Saṅghar lādi mazārān,
 Shān hilālen khohistānā,
 Muhammad Hān druh-gēhānā,
 Zeb Bozdārā, hilāl-ant 70
 Shaddav o khēs go khawāhān.
 Nind-o-nyādh gwar Umarā Hān.
 Hāl khārthān hāñskāri,
 Gwar mani Sardār o Hānā,
 Gwar mā bauṭi ki ākħta,
 Azh thāi jangī rahēdħā.
 Rūnghān o Kandor Bādor,
 Shān-go Saṅghar dan Siriyā,
 Banda bāzen Bākhariyā, 80
 Rāj-athant simān dariyā,
 Drust khākħtagħant whazhdilijā,
 Gwāñkh Lēghār chariyā.
 Phurs, Sobħā shāirārā,
 Sugħar o lēkhī wathħara,
 'Whāzħā' 'shi medħirārā,
 Whāzħā thei dēm ma shusħte,
 Lashkarān Jāmē ma khusħtē,

Shakulā bēr shamushtē,	
Māngēhī sha'r pha hisāv-ant,	90
Gāl pha uzhmāro kitāv-ant,	
Majlisē ma mēravān bant,	
Dañ nighoshāñ nishtagheñ sat.	
Ākhtagheñ bāuñ ki khāiyant,	
Girdī sardārān gēhēnā,	
Dostān cho chhamān doēnā,	
Azh bachh-brāthāñ bingoēnā,	
Shā pha bāutāñ wathlyā,	
Lajj nēshtha pha phadhiyā,	
Bukho-en shwāi mangēho shāñ ?	100
Khadh na khant cho ma Balochāñ.	
Āktaghē lajjā wathlyā,	
Khashtaghant gudr lavilān,	
Māl madi go galimān.	
Basth khārthant maiñ vakilā,	
Azh thai kotā gaṛhēnā,	
Thai mēdhirā dir-zānaghēnā	
Ditha go chhamān doēnā,	
Gosh, Sobhā o niāzī,	
Ēsh manī guftār-bāzi,	110
Thau ki guftārē kahētha	
Mañ di pha goshāñ sunētha ¹	
Tūpaka-dāṅga gaṇētha,	
Chi ma shānā sar-ākhta ?	
Phursē Sardārā wathlyā,	
Jawānaka bē-āmilēna,	
Bakhmal o bor go khawāhāñ,	
Dāthagheñ maiñ Umarā-Hāñ,	
Hāñ Balochānā Nawāvā,	
Nukari bokhta-ish thānā,	120

¹ Note the use of the verbs *kahagh* and *sunagh*, borrowed from the Urdu *kahnā* and *sunnā*, to say and to hear. Cf. also *rāhēdha* (I. 77), a past form from the root of the Hind. *rahnā*, to remain. None of these verbs have been generally adopted in Balochi.

Dātha Hoteñ Jawānakārā
 Pholathī oli banindān,
 Bithaghē bāut go Kindān,
 Khoh phish-buren nihēngān,
 Phish phara khohā shaghān nēst!

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XXXIV.

SINAMAN-SHA'R.

Nishto shorā guzārān
 man gwar shāhen Mālikā,
 Tērumi¹ san maroshi
 pardavā rakhi Hudhā,
 Gosh, thou Mir Hān Maiūken
 thou mani guptāraghā,
 Man gushān rāsteñ havarē
 thou ma-ranj-e man dilā,
 Shāhiri mirāt mārā
 lahri ātka maiñ dilā,
 Yabarē hoteñ Haviv Khān
 dost-ath-ish har-khasā.
 Zar māl be-kiyāsā
 ash thou gwar bāz burthā,
 Niñ Haviv Khān na gindān
 man ma Mīrā dēravā.
 Zahraneñ hoteñ Haviv Khān
 chukh Soriyā sarā,
 Yabarē dosti bāz-ath
 go hamē khaṭū-galā ;
 Gozhd gamdim bē-kiyāsa,
 thou dātha ma khaṭ sarā.
 Dostihā brāthē hamēsh-ath,
 dubarā thai bagi jathā,

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¹ Note the use of the corrupt form 'tērumi' for 'thirteenth,' instead of 'séntumti.'

Niyatā phushtē murādē,
 bahr khuthai go bandaghā.
 Brāhimo hoteñ Phathchān,
 nishta thai loghā gwarā,
 Nēñ tha lēravē dānī dātha,
 wa' pha khushieñ dilā.
 Ma nishto hairān lotūn
 pha thai haist sarā,
 Thai duzhaman jaureñ hasaddi,
 āñ khafant soreñ zirā ;
 Nangaren Sohari jant-ish
 wa' pha sav-zen nēzagħā ;
 Dallan o Mireñ Salém Khān,
 bātha hairānī thalā,
 Allanā gwar Shāh Mēhrān,
 āñ khisāneñ dānēa,
 Thaī khawān lohēnā chārīth
 Pirān kullā sarwarā.
 Sindhuri thēghā thaīyēñ,
 hukmen Makhdūm Sāhivā,
 Yālī dastē phusht-ē
 bitaghē kullā sawā.
 Thaī rauzā o bhattī balaghen
 bāng'havā dañ begahā,
 Guzhnagho bāzen shudhiyā
 Nīndan Mirā deravā.
 Gosh thau, Mir Hān, malukeñ,
 samajh ma mauzhānē dilā.
 Nind, ma loghā khush bi,
 odh ma Miri daptarā,
 Tha khanē ald-o-sharāyān,
 wa' phara maiñ khudhā,
 Bil-dai drogh o libāsān,
 ālimā pharāmagħā.
 Drogh pha imānā khatā-en,
 barkatē hēchi niyā,

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Tērumi san eñ maroshi,
 jūfawā pāsānavā.
 Brāthā go brāthā dī jangeñ,
 māl milkāni sarā.
 Sāhibī ditha Phiringī
 o hayā hēchī niyā,
 Trān khutha Sindhā gēhēnā,
 hamē sardār-galā,
 Drāhi bastha phā gēhiyā,
 ba-rawūn avur Rājanpurā,
 Ditha jalsa Sāhivānī,
 cho ki ditha har-khasā.
 Sāhivān dāthā salāhē,
 bi hamē sardār-galā,
 'Imbarā rawūnī ma khohā,
 dauravo Phailāwaghā,'
 G'horavān gard o gawāren,
 burz avo miskeñ Shamā,
 Lēravo-galā bahāghant,
 jahlā thañkhānī dasā.
 Sinaman Burjāen jindā
 khol thēghā bēratħā,
 Jahlā dañ Syāhāf shahrān,
 burz dañ Kāhān Bārkhevā.
 Añ nareñ mādhagh khuthaghān
 chapparoāñ yabarā,
 Gartho Sāhiv dī khākhtan,
 jahlā ma Sindhā bunā.
 Naukarī bāz dātha,
 bi hawān sardār-galā.
 Duz khāyan' giptaghiyā,
 daur azh shahr chitarā,
 Burzā zha phullen Mariyā,
 azh Bugti phalayā,
 Ma mani aghl o dihānā,
 azh mulkā shuthā.

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XXXV.

Another poem on the same subject in the Jatki dialect of Western Panjab.

Karai yad pak parwar kuñ,
 Sakhī sardār Sāhib kuñ.
 Sunnan sarkār āwandā,
 Thiā rūh khush abhāwaṇdā,
 Firingī urda bāhaṇdā,
 Baghi de burz dāhaṇdā,
 Paryāki kilē uđāwaṇdā,
 Fatāh kar sob chāwanda.
 Mēdā hī mulk dā zilā,
 Kiti Sinaman thiwis bhalā,
 Dushman kuñ mārkār dhilā,
 Vañjas thi hosh phophilā,
 Na hosī mulk vijh gilā,
 Kiyāmī muhkamē zilā,
 Chiṭṭi kar Burs nē paṭhi,
 Parheā Sinaman agoñ ditti,
 Pahārān kar yakē badhi,
 Laṛān kuñ fauj unheñ kadhi.
 Kāwar-kar josh nāl uthi,
 Kitus chā kuch Dērē tē,

'Isē phulān di sērē tē,
 Vesān maiñ mulk daurē tē
 Ajab Syāhaf phērē tē,
 Dēsān sēk zērē tē,
 Laṛān maidān ghērē tē,'
 Jitehai shahr i Rājanpur,
 Chaṛheā lashkar taiyāri kar,
 Pushākān jor-kar sambhar,
 Thiā Sinaman aguñ bahāzar,
 Turē ghorā bahuñ rāh-bar,
 Arab dā bahuñ zorāwar,

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Hukm kuñ kar puchhan nokar,
 Bahādur shēr Haidar Khān,
 Charheā sangat Mazāran Khān,
 Léghāriyā Jamālan Khān,
 Buzdārān Nūr Muhammad Khān,
 Ajab tolā Sikandar Khān,
 Sakhi dātār Miran Khān,
 Adālat nēk Imām Bakhs̄h Khān.
 Sāhib dē nēk-nāmī dā, 40
 Suneā khalkat jihānī dā,
 Aguñ hā Rūm Shāmī dā,
 Tēdā lashkar kiyāmī dā.
 Lareñ shamshēr zahmī dā,
 Rahē har thē hukāmī dā.
 Aql hañ bahuñ fahmī dā,
 Mujonis urd do akkhar,
 Sāhibe Green dā lashkar;
 Thēin-i yak-jāh do othar,
 Misāl i drakht jūn chapar; 50
 Karē kharkā zamīn kappar.
 Latthe Syāhāf tambū kar,
 Ghulāmē Murtaza mashar.
 Atē nahin khutt rast¹ pānī dā,
 Barūdē tofdāni dā,
 Thilhin galē haiwānī dā,
 Vahe jo mauzh pānī dā,
 Sunañ kanē, na sānī thā,
 Sāhib hē daur mānī dā,
 Atē geāē urd pahārān charh, 60
 Banācas rāh saṛakān ghar,
 Pat̄heas kāshid ki 'Tuñ ā-par,
 Latthā maidān vich jākar,
 Nisāi mulk vich pākar.
 Atē charheā Ghazan ā-mileā,
 Pihchān te urd phir valeā,

¹ For pass.

Duhain te tofakān chaleā,
Phirin shihan vāngeñ kalhā,
Na dēvē matt koi valā.
Hamē sarkār uzhmārā,¹ 70
Jihān draushi zhi dākārā,
Tamām mulkē dan Kandahārā,
Adālat biaghen darbārā,
Hazūri burzī sarkārā,
Ton hē Sāhib kamānān dā,
Ton hē Sāhib samānān dā,
Ton hē Sāhib jawānān dā,
Uchchā jū roh bānān dā,
Jithe baiñeh nishān alā!
Hun muridān Shāh Kalandar dā, 80
Buleā maiñ sifat andar dā,
Mēhtar Isā paighambar dā
Dittus thēlē sakhwat dā,
Khāwind sabh roz-langar dā, 84

XXXVI.

NAWĀB JAMĀL KHĀN WAFĀT SHA'R.

Panjū Bangulāni gushi: Jamāl Hān Lēghārī wafātā
gushi: durr-hadisen Baloch gushi.

Hazrat Sohrān Rusūlā yād khanān,
Yād khanān Pirā, phalavā shāhighā girān,
Man dī go pāken Khāmdā² ardāse khanān,
Lothho imān bachh go shir dīdhaghān.
Bashk gunāhān mā'āf khanē kullen bandaghān,
Sēnzdahmī sameñ ummatē khoṭāeñ zawañ,
Jūfo ē jhateñ droben pha dīn-brādharān.
Phar dasā imān lothha Shāheñ Qādirā,
Do jihān mār bashkan pha rāzikheñ dilā.
Mālikā ardāse khuthē Jāmē Shāhārā, 10

¹ The five lines 70 to 74 are in Balochi.² For Khawānsā.

Saidh auliyā rāh sakhi ānhī bā churā.
 Zir guptārān, gushindaen langavān,
 Sāz-khanē tārān sarodh dambiravān,
 Barē ma Choṭiā, biashkhunē Lēghāri jawān.
 Mir Jamāl-Hānē nēkhio tārifān khanān,
 Rūng'han Bādor dañ Siri o Mithāwanā,
 Khohe Pathānē Bārkhwānā ganjē Nāharān.
 E Jamāl Hān takht sāighā am-jihān
 Pha karēzāen khashaghā Rabb kuzratā,
 Dañ jihān asten nashk, ishti pha kissavān. 20
 Mir Jamāl-Hānā Tagyā-Hānā trān khuthai,
 Las Lēghāri jumla kullān gwān'-jathai,
 Nishtagheñ mardān ash phadhighā mokal khuthai,
 Suhr sonā zar chāndiē lađithai,
 Āg-butān pha samundrāni pand khuthai,
 Nokhsareñ nokhān mizilān jāhi phujithai,
 Hajj darbār wa' sharife zīārat khuthai,
 Jān chī dukhān gunāhān ajā khuthai,
 Do-hazār rupia maulbiārā bashkathai,
 Whazhdil o whashi pha phadhi randā pand khuthai, 30
 Vāg muhāna naukarān bēri chikthaghē,
 Si hazār rūpiā azh Jamāl-Hānā kharch athē,
 Lēravo lokān Dēravā ākhto khēn khuthē.
 Murshido Pīrān Tagyā Shāhā rakhithē,
 Mā Baloch wārā nāghumā burj drākhuthē,
 Rindo Hindustān hākimē mulkē jar-khuthē.
 Pha Jamāl-Hānā kull Balochān armān khuthē,
 Walhareñ mardē go wathi toliē burtha,
 Haddiāni Jāro go jhānjhā tah-diliē:
 Wadh Hudhā-pākā Khāmdār hañcho bhāw-athē, 40
 Mir Jamāl-Hānā thangaven joē dahmathē,
 Phurs bē-pholā phar bihisht-rāh shuthē
 Hazratē dīmān ma kachēhriā nyādh khuthē.
 Jannat bāghān nūn bunā hirān sāh khuthē.
 Saidh, auliyā o mominān shā 'arz khuthēn,
 Mir Jamāl-Hān bihishten Choṭi phujithēn,

Kull Leghārā wa hakimān dārū khutheñ,
 Rabb mēhr bī, Jamāl-Hān chi dhakī bachithēñ.
 Allāh bē-niyāzen, sak o zorākh o 'ālimeñ,
 Kār thaī jawān-añ, thars pha hēch khasē miyāi,
 Jamāl-Hān bānd-bozhē, Sardār dañ Chotīa niyāl.
 Asteñ wad̄h druāhē, kūraveñ roshān o dhar-e.
 Hukm Allāh Arzaillār dēm-diyē,

'Mir Jamāl-Hānā gwād̄h girain, kotā barē,
 Thangaveñ brathāni salāh dīr-e khane.'
 Banda bār zireñ, har ki tho chakhā khanē,
 Mēhr-dawā go āngō phad̄hīghān hairā khanē.
 Jamāl-Hān rājāe ummatā khākht-i pha salāin,
 Zahrān khūni bokhtān chi hākimān,
 Iklāsān gēshtar pha Rindi majlisān,
 Man vaisakhā hand niyath mard o mādhinān.
 Nangar bhaṭṭi chalaghath-i rosh o shafān,
 Rozdar thai bāz-en, mulhr ma hingen kāghazān,
 Suhvi suwāliār bashkaghath bor lēravān.
 Malkamīth neli, ākhirā bārth jawaiñ sarān,
 Bādshāhān, saidh, auliyā o mominān,
 Khāmdār khārān tobah-e chi bāzen barān,
 Thāngaveñ bachhān khard ki ārisen phithān.
 Mālikār ardāsē khutha malkh-phrishtaghān,
 Mir Jamāl-Hān nyāsthaī ma takhtāni sarā,
 Jhul nishtēn, thūl go lālen manjavān.
 Sakhal o shīr dāthēnān zāren kadahān.
 Choṭī sight-eñ pha Jamāl Hān droshamā.
 Er'gen ya khārē khuthēn pākeñ Khāmdā,
 Mir Jamāl-Hān bishtēn o gardēnθ-i phad̄hā,
 Biākhtēn Choṭī thango sonā kanēhār,
 Dol o sharnā-en vajithēn sīrī nau-bahār,
 Khān Jamāl-Hānā basthēnān miri hathyār,
 Hinkaghen aspān, tīlhithēn borāen khurā,
 Jamāl-Hān sūbāe maushareñ, Choṭī-mazār;
 Sadh-barān shābāsheñ thai sohnāeñ chitrā,
 Go syālān syālli khutho gwazēnthaī thurā;

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Wadh go Angrēzān nishta ma kursī sarā,
 Khaith-o hakkāni philavenī roshānenī sharā'.
 Ākhta āwāzē azh Hudhārī Rabb darā,
 'Biyārē Jamāl Hān, kullen Lēghār mastharā,
 Hand-e jorainē ma bīhisht jo sarā.'
 Thangaven shāghē adītha lālen Sarvarā,
 Tūba sāh phar Jamāl-Hān jhūtaghā,
 Turk Durrānī asten mulk bādshāh,
 Yār o dosti go Imām Bakhsī ē gēshtarā, 90
 Sangat o brāthī Rojhān Khānē wāzhā,
 Kāghaz o patr ākhta chi diren ulkahā,
 Āgra, Dilli, Nandanā, Lāhor dēhā,
 Go Jamāl-Hān Sāhibān mēhr-duā,
 Thai hukm rājā wadh dañ Angrēz daptarā.
 Thurs Jamāl-Hān azh har-khasē handā karār,
 Duzhmanenī mard saigh, tafṣīth-ish dīghār,
 Chi zāt-sardār uttam ma Choti Nawāb,
 Thēkhtaghen khārch dastē pha māl jēnaghā, 100
 Lāndaveñ khosheñ phandarān, mēsh o buzā,
 Pha sakhwāt ghat niyā'i 'Ali gharā,
 Jatharān doshē, gēshtar jāndar dān-kār,
 Thālān katāren thangavenī makalāen bunā.
 Lāngavān khārthān sar-rēsh uchalā,
 Sathān dīmānē ma Jamāl-Hān dēravā,
 Duzhman dost pājīthantī chandi hazār,
 Khosagh, Buzdār, Lund, go thālieñ sharif,
 Gorchānī, Khētrān o nawānī Marīgh,
 Las Zārkānī, Drishak bhājī rali. 110
 E barāt-wār ant druh Jamāl-Hān zāhīri.
 Rāst gushagh jawāñ-enī, khasē pha imānā kahī,
 Har khas muhtaj go Jamāl-Hān sadh bari,
 Kūraven gwandenī mizil-enī, gwāth-e guzi,
 Khāi hawān wakhtā ki banda sudh na bī,
 Ummatā zāmineñ Rusūl Muhammad Nabi,
 Muddato jugāñ mausimān chot bāñ, laṛī.
 Jī Jamāl-Hānā āsrā handā har-khasī,

- Go Jamāl-Hānā nishtaghant chandē gharib,
 Roz chittien bāz khamen-i pha nasib. 120
 Bē gumānā ākhta drohāen Arzāil,
 Go Jamāl-Hān dāshtal rājāen amir,
 Sāh pharāhiān ākhirā jagā ilaghi,
 Mir Jamāl-Hān lak-barān kalima bā nasib.
 Whazh-gusheñ Sobhā maññ risalatē gon-barē,
 Bāngahē suhvī phārphugh-dārā sāz-khanē,
 Ma Amiraen daptarā guptārā gushē,
 Bar ma Chotīā, Muhammad-Hān Khānā sar-khanē,
 Ya-nadhar rājā gindē phāgh-wāzhahē.
 Ma-bunā Rindē phāgh Rusūlā bashkāthaghē. 130
 Khoh-suhiā hākimā ikbāl dāthaghē.
 Biyāithē! Mahairā! Raj dir-gindeñ Muhammad-Hān;
 Thai khamān sakeñ charitho ishta murshidān.
 Kādir shērā, Din Panāh o paighambarān,
 Shāirā gāl pholitħo, khashto ma Qurān,
 Ma hawān suwāl 'arz khutho go phanjeñ tanān.
 Muhammad-Hān Khānār thangaveñ bachhā dā Qurān!
 Mahl-māriā jhūti ma shāghen gwānzaghā!
 Gāl maññ āmi bāñ barkatē shams-putravān.
 Yā Hudhā biyāri khokhar, āsbandeñ jhurān, 140
 Allāh lak-paleñ biyāri humboeñ jiharān;
 Mausimā biyāri gwarthaish Choṭi naghor;
 Dā daryā challa machathaghēñ phul banwar.
 Akul samjhā shāire ki rāsteñ hawar.
 Nür-Ahmad-Hānā, rāj durr-kileñ shēr-nar,
 Gāl ma-bar mardē chi Aliāniā ban' zabar,
 Ākhtagheñ mardān bāz ma Chotīā kadar,
 Jhēraveñ syāli Nür-Ahmad-Hān sobh-sar.
 Dēh ch'ān phulē duzhamānān bhorēnthai saghar.
 Raj sardareñ, go amirānī zēb o phar, 150
 Dāthaghēñ dosti Khāmdā ki nēkheñ nadhar.
 Tagyā-Hāne nekh-du'ā-en gālān gushān,
 Go wathī bachhān biyāithē hairānī pahān,
 Ya-thalen tāzi sanjathī malshānī bīhān,

Nughrāen sanjān go banātān **bakhmalā**,
 Shahr Sēhwān Jive Lāl khāithē wāhirā,
 Sarfarāz biyāithē ma kachēhri daptarā.
 Mān-khāl rājē Muhammad-Hān, Nūr-Ahmad-Hān,
 Mashareñ dānā Tagyā o Dīn-Muhammad-Hān,
 Yak-āptiyā dost-dār chi **dīdhaghān**.
 Mizileñ gwandeñ shāhiyār jamin shali,
 Nāmē Allāh hardumē mār-eñ bandaghi,
 Nēn man parheān, nēn namāzi rosh bī!

PART III.

ROMANTIC BALLADS.

XXXVII.

LĒLĀ MAJNĀ

Bamborī nighor humboen,
Nodhān raghām gwarithān,
Dor phur-ant o amrēzān.
Lēlān zirī kadahe mētāeghā,
Ro' dañ shakaleñ nokh-āfā ;
Nindīth o mushi malgorān,
Zhinga khant avr khosagh sarā.
Ro' dañ goraghen chyār-kulā,
Logh kambalān lētēnī.
Dastā jant avr barziyā,
Khashī nughraeñ ādēnē,
Miri zān sarā ēr-khant,
Hīrī droshamāna gindi ;
Whash hēminiyā nindī.
Kulārā dariē bandī.
Majnāeñ saqir charānā,
Dītha Lēlavā lālēnā.
Gwashita Lēlavā lālēnā,
'Tharā bashkūn lēravān lokēnā,
Tāziān kalam-goshēnā,
Bil mani ulkahā miskēnā.'
—Pha hamē gushtanā gālēghā,
Majnāeñ jawāb tharēntha,

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'Na zirān lēravān lokenā,
 Na tāziān kalam-goshēnā,
 Na khilān ulkahā miskēnā.'
 —Pha hamē gushtanā gāleghā,
 Zahr-khutha Lēlavā lälēnā,
 Māth ki Lēlavē jhērāna,
 'E di 'ashiken warnā-en,
 Asten sadariyāen jawāneñ!
 Biyārē kāthulā jaurēnā,
 Shamēna khanūn ma tāsā.'
 Suhvi zurthaghā dāiyā,
 Odh gwar 'ashiken Majnayā.
 Gipto kāthulā ting dāthai,
 Gwashtai 'Dāi, ki ravē dān odhā,
 Odh gwar Lēlavā lälēnā,
 Gokhāni dahi rodh-mādheñ,
 Phar mā Lēlavā shastātha,
 Jaldi kadahē duhmi biyār.'
 —Pha hamē gushtanā gālēghā,
 Zahr-khutha Lēlavā lälēnā;
 Māth ki Lēlavē jhērāna,
 Jogi lotithān dēsāni,
 Syāh-mār giptaghan barrāni.
 Shamēna khutha ma tāsā.
 Suhvi zurthaghā dāiyā,
 Jaur ma kadahā larzāna,
 Syāh-mārī saghar juzāna,
 Odh gwar 'ashiken Majnayā;
 Gipto kāthulā ting-dāthai,
 Gwashtai 'Dāi, ki ravē dān odhā,
 Odh gwar Lēlavā lälēnā,
 Ahdh-en, maigh-o-thai mēlo bi,
 Jauren muhikmae pēch-en.'
 —Pha hamē gushtanā gālēghā,
 Zahr-khutha Lēlavā lälēnā.
 Māth ki Lēlavē jhērāna,

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Ashtāfī khuthāfī jatānrā,
Lokān pha shafī katārān,
Shēdhā ladithāfī māldārān,
Bag goramānī sāngā.

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Majnāen faqirā rapta,
Dast go chīravān hingoeghān.

'Dūr bāsh' khuthāfī bingārā.

Majnāen faqir oshtāfī,
Chonān hushkaneñ dār bītha
Valān wur-sarā sāh bītha,
Bānzānī shikār-jāh bītha.

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Roshē ladithāfī māldārān,
Khākhātānī dañ binindī jāhā,
Batāro shuthā chārāna,
Dārā guðaghā rozgārā,
Mundē dīthaī sarkandē,
Pholāti thafer dinjēnthalai,
Āwāz ākhtaghā ān bundā;

'Bundē man niyān, batāro,
Man dī 'āshiken Majnāyān,
'Ishk Lēlavā oshtāfīhāün.'

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—Pha hamē gushtanā gāleghā
Batāro shuthā larzāna,
Dandān ma dasā karkāna,
Odh gwar Lēlavā lālenā.
Gwashtai 'Mā thai dost dītha,
Chonān hushkaneñ dār bītha,
Valān wur-sarā sāh bītha,
Bānzānī shikār-jāh bītha.'

—Pha hamē gushtanā gāleghā,
Shārā phalawā srēn basthai,
Phādh-mozhagh phirēnthalai;
Nokh-moreñ gwarānī dārāna,
Odh gwar 'āshiken Majnāyā,
Valān wur-sarā sindāna;
Dēmā gāl-khuthā Majnāyā,

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'Valan-ūn ma-sin, O jānt,
 Ash tho nekiēn valāni.
 Shabi chhilavē dēpānan,
 Roshā cho shamēnā sāyan.
 Tha ma dostānī dil o thaukhān-ē,
 Khaṭ o mēhval o baufān-ē.'

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XXXVIII.

BĪVARAGH SHA'R.

Samīnā gwārīth Soriyā doēna,
 Bahir potavān gwar pha-gwarēnān,
 Sawāhā bāng'havē mā phādh khāyān,
 Janē khāi azh mano dēmā rodhāna,
 Doeñ sar khosaghān chāpā janānā.
 Travokhen mādhen-i khandān dēānā,
 Doeñ chham-khadhaen āsi balānā,
 Sarā phonzē ki shai thēghen bahokhen,
 Bisat azh 'ashik jānā guzokhen.
 Manē lohār bāñ wado dēokhen,
 Ma-khan gudh-shodh hamē dorān talēnā,
 Sohāg maigh begahā wath āf khāyān
 Manān do nēsteñ, o bānukh janānī,
 Manān bhā nēn thai jān-gudhāni.
 Tharā-en path o khano āvrēshamāni.
 Bihishtā bāth thai māth makkahāni,
 Tharā paidā khuthā bānukh janānī!
 Biyā, O Pir-Wāli, lori, muzhāni.
 Biyā o zir mani sha'r ralityā,
 Gushē odhā ki Grānāz nigoshi,
 Dunyāl raptaghath kūragh duroshi,
 Nawān mañ kūravā mārā shamoshi,
 Maiñ dil joritha dilā thaiyā.
 Thau bai āshkalo pāttā charokhen,
 Manē topchi bāñ pahnādjh girokhen.

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Thau bai bahranī tāzī thashokheñ,
 Manē avzar bāñ chābuk janokheñ,
 Thau phul-ē ki ma-pattā rūdhokheñ,
 Mañ bēnagh-mahishk dam-dam khanokheñ,
 Hamo phul sarā wās girokheñ.

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Ma khāktāñ bolakē halkā wathīyā,
 Ba-gindāñ Ahmad-Hānā kihavīyā,
 Ravāñ māñ Phabēñ o Bhānī jhokā,
 Mañ shastāñ mahramē bātintīyā,
 Khanē mālūm mani hanjeñ pariyyā.
 Dā mundri go hasā mañ galīyā,
 Gwareñ tāwīz go zareñ hatallyā.
 Phulūhā chāpē ma savzeñ jhuriyā.
 Banātī pab-shēsañ bakhlāmaliyā.

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Rodhāna biyāith̄ dañ dīlā manīyā,
 Shalāna biyāith̄ cho māhē chyārdahiya,
 Binindūñ naukh̄ sālokh̄ wazh-diliyā.
 Manāñ sai pās nyāmā zyādahiya,
 Khuthāñ mokal wathī hanjeñ pariyyā.
 Gulē ānzī trafoz trīñz bīthaghīyā,
 Khafant-i narmagheñ jighā wathīyā.

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XXXIX.

I.

MĪRĀN SHAAR.

Suhvā yād khanāñ Sēhwānā,¹
 Bashk Lāl mani imānā,
 Kahnē o kavot murghānī,
 Hāl mahramē dostānī,
 Direñ mixilo rahiyanī.
 Gwar thau mani minnat-āñ savzeñ murgh,
 Udrē azh wathī shav-drangā,

¹ The allusion is to the shrine of Jiwe Lāl at Sēhwān in Sindh.

Azh murghānī kamundeñ khohā.
 Biro gwar mēravā dostēghā,
 Thau nindē manjava rāstiyā, 10
 Tharā shéfī mañ wathī astiyā,
 Bārth-i mañ wathī chyār-kullā,
 Azh phireñ harraghānī drapā,
 Thau phēshā zor ma dai murghiyā
 Phancheñ changulān thēghenā,
 Ēshān thau ma jan maiñ dostāra,
 Azh thau ya hawālē phursi,
 'Kahnē, thān dēhē murghān-ē?
 Phachē lāghar o hairān-ē?'
 Dēmā gāl-khāiē, savzeñ murgh, 20
 'Mañ Lāhor dēhē murghān-ān,
 Hacho lāghar o hairān-ān,
 Mā shap pha langan o rosh pha pand
 Mā ya patteñ shalān khāiyān.
 Hēch jāh ki niyath Lahrī khaur,
 Phēdhā wath na bī dosto kull,
 Paighām gon-ath-ūn warnāyē,
 Gon-an ludanē Mirānē,
 Rāj thaṅgavenē hirānē.'
 Bēr Bibari gāl-ākhta, 30
 'Gwar thau maiñ minnatān, savzeñ murgh,
 Jhatē savr-khanē, ēdhā nind,
 Maiñ kauli sargipt, gokhān baranth,
 Chukhi whāv barān wasiyā ;
 Turkī ma khavān loghārā,
 Kashān sasātān bazēnā,
 Bakkhalī gur o gandimā,
 Mirzi shakalān whashenān,
 Zikē roghanān zardēnān,
 Gokhi shakalien shirā, 40
 Gaj pambanē thoṛhiyān,
 Ēshān bar phara Mirānā.'
 Mirān rajathiyyā ākhto,

Gon-ath g'horava Mirēghā,
Mir Chākur hazāri phaujān.

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XXXIX.

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Sohva yād khanān Sēhwānā,
Bashk Lāl manān imānā,
Kahnī kahēv murghānī,
Hal mahram dostānī,
Gēshtar birsari hothānī.
Lori zēhmarān ākhta,
Dost dast nishānī ārtha,
Maujdāren dil bodh ākhta,
Kārzi bāraghei singārtha,
Phēshī mullavo bāngā,
Phuleñ sar-mahārē shipta,
Yak-patti shalāna khayān,
Ganjen Bēlo Nür-wahā.
Jatāni bunindī jāhā.
Kullā gorginā gāth (?)
Dost amsaro phal chhāt,
Jēdi amsaro lihavī,
Shasht mardumē pha-phursē,
Rindi bērageñ sagh bandān,
Kull bānzārā letēnān,
Bhauñri wās girth lāliā,
Shazhmāhi zehir thālān bi,
Rozi bā mani bālādhā,
Barkat ilāhi jawān mardā.¹
Rēlē zāhirē darbēshā.
Diwān biyārē kalamawā.

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¹ The last three lines no doubt belong to No. LII., Isi and Bari, where they are given by Leech in the same form as here.

XL.

PĀRĀT O SHIRĒN.

Dēh o ulkahā gindānā,
 Nämē-näm phar Shirēnā.
 Guḍā gwashta Bādshāhā jindā:
 ‘Gwar mā sadh-maneū singē ast,
 Har mar kī hamē sing phroshī,
 Dastā sīr khanān Shirēnā.’

Choṭo walithā almastā,
 Rāsti khosagh o ya dastā.
 Gwashta bānukhen Shirēnā,
 ‘Sing cho mominān bāthē,
 Syāheū sirmughī hirth bāthē,
 Dastā dor ma khan dostēghā.’

Saleā khuthai kāmā-i,
 Sing cho mominān mom bithā,
 Syāheū sirmughī hirth bithā,
 Gwashta Bādshāhā jindā,
 ‘Zarān dēān bē-qailā,
 Suhren thaṅgavā bē-tolā,
 Ān ki ‘ashikā ziyān-āri.’

Gwashta harragheū randiyā,
 ‘Mañ zarān girān bē-qailā,
 Suhren thaṅgavā be-tolā,
 Mañ hamē ‘ashik ziyān-ārān.’

Nin alopān janāna ākhta,
 Ākhta dañ hamē Pārātā,
 ‘Bachak! armān-en thaī dukhāni,
 Thau salēa khutha kāmā-i,
 Ya-roshē na dithāe didār,
 Shirēn bānukhen ziyān-bithā,
 Saughan Khāwindēghā dithā.’

Pārāt bāngohā ziyān-bithā,
 Af ma dobareū sār’ bithā,

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Zurtha- <i>ish</i> hamo kāndhiān,	
Māri bunā gwāzēntha,	
Gwashta bānukheṇ Shīrēnā :	
‘Dāi, pholā khaṇ azh kāndhiān, Patēla chi khasē gon-eṇ.’	
Kāndhiān jawāv tharēntha, ‘Pārāt bangulen ziyān-bītha.’	
Dāi gwān’jathā Shīrēnā,	40
‘Dāi, shodh manī malgorān, Mā burzā tokh-deān chūniyān, Mā pha ‘ashikā thuniyān.’	
Gwashta khēghadheṇ dāiyā, ‘Pārāt ma-bunā drākhān-eṇ, Sind nishtagheṇ Jaghdāl-eṇ.’	
Gwashta bānukheṇ Shīrēnā, ‘Dāi, thau ma-khaṇ ē tātā, ‘Ashiq na-pholān zātā.’	
Shirēn bānukheṇ ziyān-bītha, Saughan Khāwindēghā dītha,	50
Dēmī ān-jihān mēlā bi.	52

XLI.

DOSTĒN O SHĪRĒN.

Dostēn nām Rinde ath kī sāng bīthiyath go Lāl-Hān jinkh ki Shirēn nām ath-i. Hardo, Dostēn di Shirēn fārsi ‘ilm parhithaghant. Roshē Turk ākhto mānrikhta Rindānī halkā, khardē mard khushtai, Dostēn giptai, yakhē thi mard di gon-gipto kaiz khuthaghant-i, Arand shahr ārtho. Hamedhā kaiz bīthiyā bāzeṇ sāl gwasthaghant. Phadh Shirēn māth-phithān sāng khuthai thi Rindēā go, ki āhi nām di Dostēn ath. Guḍā Shirēn sha’re jatho kāghadhā likhtho Dostēn nēghā shasthāthai; faqirēā ārtho Dostēnār dātha. Guḍā biāna ān Turk, ki hamodhā Humāū phalawā hākim ath, Dostēn wathi galagh

chakhā galphān khutha, guđā khidmat khanāna mazaēn galphān dozwāh bithai, do khuragh dāthaghant ki 'ēshān sāmbh, sakiyā sāmbh-ish.' Māđhin ki chyār sāl bithaghant, guđā zēn bastha-ish. Dostēn hawān Rind ki sangat ath-i juzaintha charaintha hoshēnaghā pha. Hawān rosh ki Turk āñhi nēl bokhtaghant, Dostēn-azh kaul giptai ki 'likāna na rawān, ash tho mokalainān guđā rawān.' Hawān doeñ māđhin hoshēntho thahithaghant, guđā 'Id rosh ākhta, galagh-thāshi khutha Turkā, guđā Dostēnār gwashtai ki 'Tharā mokaleh, shawā doeñ baroēth, māđhinān thāshē.' Guđā Dostēnā phol-khutha ki 'Mār mokal-en?' Hākimā gwashta 'Hau, shawār mokal-en.' Guđā shutho āñ doeñ mardān bukhto galagh ishta, nīn ki thāshāna ākhta hākim nazikhā gwashtai, 'Hākim mār mokal-en, mā nīn ravaghāūn,' guđā gur-khuthai. Hākimā phauzhār hukm dātha ki 'Mailēth-i! girēth-i! khushēth-i'; rikhtai-urd pha-dimā. Āñ-mar Chhāchar dagā shutha: Tobavā 'sh-āndēmā nilēn māđhinē khapto murtha, 'shān roshā phadħā āñ hand nām Nili Lakri bitha, dāñ nām hamēsh-en-i. Dēmā Bhurā-phushtā hawān roshē bhūrāen naryān khapto murtha. Guđā Nilā-khundā, Phailāwagh shērl phalawā, hamodħā ya nilaen naryān trakitħo murtha. Har hand nām 'sh-ān wakħtā phakhā bitho shutha.

Guđā azh Phailāwaghā urd gartho phadħā shutha. Dostēn dohmi Rind dī Narmukhā rasithaghant ki logħ hamodħā ath-i. Bēgħā ki hamodħā rasitho darkap>tagħant, ya chħoravā gindant gwarakkhan chārainagħen, grēghā di asteñ. Dostēnā phol-khutha ki 'Chħoro, pharché grēghaē?' Gwashtai 'Main brāthi shutho kaiz bitha dēri-dāni, ānhiyā nokħe ath, thi yakħear dātha-ish, maroshi sir biagħen-i, mañ phawānkha grēghān.' Phursitha-ish 'Chħoro, thai brāthi nām khai ath?' Chħoravā gwashta 'Main brāthi nām Dostēn ath.' Gwashtai 'Tha grē na, thai brāthā Hudħā khāri.' Phol-khuthai ash hawān chħoravā 'Sir ki khanagħen hawān halk bakhū-en?'

Hand dasithai, hakalāna shutho hamodhā ditha-ish ki
sir chalagheñ, gudā hamodhā sir-manhā bi-khaptaghant.
Rindān phol-khutha 'Shawā khai-ēth?' Dostēnā gwashta
'Mā Domb-ūn!' Phol-khutha-ish 'Shawā sha'rān chiē
zānē?'

Dostēnā gwashta 'Sakiyā zānūn, mā Domb-ūn, dambiro
biyāre gudā sha'rān gushān.' Dambiro ārtho dāthaish.
Dostēnā gudā hawān sha'r zurtho jatha ki Shīrēnā kāghadh
lāfā shastāthaghant. Sha'r hamēsh-en ki gwashtai.

Zangi mani bađero,
Gwaharām mani jām o bēl,
Whāntikār shihaneñ shāhiyē,
Ludhokheñ khasha vēliyā.

Saughan pha thai rishānā,
Nokheñ akhtagheñ masānā,
Sigh-en gor-khusheñ syāhārā.
Āfā na wārth bāhnēghā,
Kikh o karjalān Sindhēghā.
Loti bāhirān dashtēghā,
Loti wadl-mahāren jidhān,
Phitokh dafā mādh-gorān,
Dorī phur kumāren āfā.
Suti phuri khaiāvān,
Whāvā kālarā nelān,
Maṛwāri jauān zivirēnān.

Mardē azh Hurāsān akhta,
Lēghār chādar o humboeñ,
Bār rodhanāni gon-ath-i,
Hurjin maidheñ bhangāni,
Sarbār kandahārī misk-ant.
Phaighām gon-ath-i Rindān,
Tahkiken salām Shīrēnē.
—Nodhān shanž-jāthā¹ Konārā,
Dashto dāmanā Mungāchar,

¹ Or gwārthaghan.

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Saniyā naghor humboēn.
 Dor phuranti, amrēzan,
 Larzant¹ cho gwanānī thākhān,
 Chotant cho kawāndi boghān.
 Lađi mān-chatha māldārān,
 Mēshī buzi whāntkārān,
 Mezhdār Sahāk bachhān,
 Bumbār bastaghān bānukhān,
 Sarbār lārithān gwānēchān,
 Bhaunār² khandagho Nagāhū.
 Khondān³ phrushtaghan zardoān,
 Lokān go srafeñ⁴ katārān,
 Khādān go himāren phādhān.
 Mesh azh draninā sēr khān,
 Buz azh gwārighā lāl-phulā,
 Rind azh maidheñ gandimā,
 Pahnwāl azh pānīr-ponchā,
 Lahri azh gwan-photākhā.⁵
 Shīrenā jatha srādheñ kull,
 Ma Narmukh gēāven rejā,
 Gwān-janth dil-sareñ dāiyā,
 Ziri kadahē mētēi,
 Ro' dan shakaleñ nokh-āfā,
 Randīñ mushīñ malgorān,⁶
 Khaithī dan wañī chyār-kullā,⁷
 Kullā dariyā bandīñ,
 Shiskant thaghārd, nishtenth-i,
 Jhul phalawā lētēni.
 Dast janth avr barziyā,

¹ Or drafhant.³ Or yārān.² Or Sarma giptaghan lārkhān.⁴ Or Mol.⁵ Or go phādhān.⁶ Or pha shavi.

⁷ These five lines (39-43) occur only in the Shambhani version, and are inserted between lines 45 and 46, where they are evidently an interruption of the sense.

⁸ Or Malgor shusihagben mahliji.⁹ Or Biyālīñ sēr-murādeñ kulla.

Khashi nughraen adēnā,
 Phulen zān sarā ēr-khant,¹
 Gindi azh wath o gonāfā.²
 Grēgh khanth humāren chhamā,
 Anzi rishant ma dramā,
 Jigh sar katikā mēnān,
 Biyāint-i gohār janiyā,³ 60
 Sharren somaren⁴ chhil o chyār,
 Biyāyant o gwarā ēr-nindant,
 Shār phalawā lētēnī.
 Phursant-i dilā o hālā.

' Pharchē khunalat khor-dēmā,
 Suhrēn man makho nilānā,
 Brikh⁵ thai bambaveñ dañzēnān,⁶
 Thai chham-kadaheñ añzēnān?⁷
 Grēgh bith,⁸ janān tēlānk dāth,
 Dīr bith, o janān, jawānē nā,
 Dīr bith, o janān, dīr nindē,
 Bilān khunal o khor dēma,
 Suhrān man makh o nilā bant,
 Brikh o bambaveñ dañzen bant,
 Dostī shumē pha-kār neñ:
 Ān-mar ki jānā dozwāh ath,
 Suhrā rēa Turkārā,⁹
 Ditha harragheñ bad-duāyān
 Turkān azh Harēb gwāzēntha,¹⁰ 70
 Ganjeñ Ispahān phār bitha,
 Mān zar-josheñ¹¹ Arandā shahreñ,
 Sunjeñ isp-tahālen jafā.
 Bakhtā Mir-janēghā khushta,
 Dost o Ispahānā bokhta.¹²

¹ Or Ēra kāmali sur zinā.

² Or Gindi droshamā hēriyā.

³ Or Much man janān jedi gohār.

⁴ Or birth jedir.

⁵ Or bē-zaukh-an.

⁶ Or zahr gthi.

⁷ Or Suhrāni rūr takht.

⁸ Or Turkān Mughalān gipas.

⁹ Or dīr-pandēn.

Dūng bant janikh Rindānī,
 Malānī phadhā shēf bān,
 Khāyant khargazi krāmānā,
 Nēkhen niyaten gon-deāna,
 Maurān azh kurmān sindānā. 90
 Phatān gwārighī lāl-phulān,
 Nēm jamavenī jīghā jant,
 Nēm khunāl o sarhoshān.
 Nēm pha samāen kauliyā.
 Yakhē pha manī niyatā,
 Chitho mañ wathi mushtā khan,
 Bā' phusht azh badhān jaurēnā.
 'Shīth daz-gohār jediyā,
 Dastān pha Hudhā burz āreñ,
 'Allāh ki biyār Dostēnā, 100
 Sat samāen kauliyā,
 Ēshiyā na, hawān olivā!
 Bor pha lamaghān shēriyā,
 Baro mizilān dirēnā,
 Biyārā wāzhā amirēnā,
 Mēl mardumā hirēnā,
 Nind o nyādh phīth o māthānī,
 Dīmān shakalen brāthānī.
 Rozi bā' Malik Dostēnā,
 Dīdār khashā, rozi bā'. 110

Shirēnā ashkhutho phajyārhai, gwashtai ki 'Hawān mard Dostēn en ki sha'rā janaghen.' Akhto phol-khutha-ish 'Thau khai ē.' Gwashtai ki 'Man Dostēn ān.' Gudā ān gudā Dostēn ki sir biaghāth-i, an-mardā gwashta 'Nīn ki tho akhtaghāc, sāni bithaghāc, Shirēn thai nokh-en; baro sirā khan, ān ki mā kharch khutha tharā bashk-en.' Gudā sir-khutha Dostēn go Shirēnā. Thi hair en.

¹ Or Khoṣtrā } dehān dirēnā.
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PART IV.

LOVE-SONGS AND LYRICS.

XLII.

Sohvān yād khanān satārā,
Rozi rāzikhēn dātārā.
Gozh-dāre' hadisān yārān,
Jām gwashtagheñ guftārān.
Lori! zir mani katārā,
Gon-dai go zhialokhēn tārā,
Bar gwar hākimā sardārā.
Mā roshī raptaghān paikārā,
Ma ganjeñ Dhāḍara darbāra.
Mā shakhsē dīthā ma bāzārā,
Kirith-i sarī goshārā, 10
Janth shānavā zunhārā,
Pēch dāth̄ avo giwārā.
Rakhē rakhtaghan gulnārā,
Sham khanth-i mushāg-dārā.
Phoñz drāzhā cho kātārā.
Ma bāghān dīthaghān sai toti,
Har sai amsaro azh moti.
Gul ma Sāhivī bāghān-an,
Shēr Sultānē saro phāghān-an. 20
Gwashtom ki amulā gindān,
Miri majlisān nindān,
Sālī mahvalāni bandān,
Niñ ki biñaghūn rū-pha-rū.
Dīthūn kasrat o dost khūb,

Gam khashto dilam bodh-ākhta,
 Gulān tāzhaghē phul bītha;
 Har shākhā wathī rang bītha.
 Dostā azh dilā sau bītha,
 Dēm go azizān bashkātha, 30
 Zewā o Jamālā dīha,
 Mā arwāhā badhen khār zītha. 32

XLIII.

Jām Durrah Dombki gushī : sohav-shahid gushī.

Akhtaghan khandāna girokh doshi,
 Kihaviyā azh julgavē phārā,
 Hāl dostāni dāthaghan mārā,
 Mā gulī ginnāshṭan avur jānā,
 Rukha ya drinē dakhanē phārā,
 Pha-gurā istinē ajab-rangē,
 Drust mai dostē mahzabē gonan.
 Ma ganokh-ān ki go dilā jhērān,
 Dil ganokh-en ki go manan jhēri,
 Grēh khañ thango-droshamī bachhi. 10
 Zora khañ shaiho zālimī Turki.
 Ma muzhān zanzir māfarē loti,
 Hazh'-māhān kī ma sadhān yakhe,
 Müla ma gwārān dah-sadh o lachē.
 Mā dilē hāl bi-markhafā dātha,
 Dāh-burtha bahriyā ravokhēnā,
 Zhinga khan mawri zāmureñ dumbā,
 Janth avur sar zānā malükēnā.
 'O mani wāzhā, bangā miskāni,
 Ma thai phāghā misk Hurāsāni, 20
 Kādhirē sawwā rāh nigāh-dār bai.
 Ma tharā bēgahī barān odhā,
 Ma hamān mirī dērai loghā.
 Ān khasē āhū-droshamē mān-en,

Sarva-kadden o gwar gawar grihen.
 Lāl, hirā, o ān-simi boen.
 Farz-khan iz'hār kh'ān-sari gālān,
 Azh wathī muhtājē dilē hālān,
 Nishteyā andohā khanē thālān.

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XLIV.

Doshi ma hiyālē nokheñ,
 Dithom mardumē ludhokheñ,
 Zébā hir phar māh those,
 Murghāni wazir sar-khashen,
 Lāl ma amsaran wadh shāh-en,
 Dāb-ant-i hamo gum-rāh-en,
 Sahth-o-zēwarān zebā-en,
 Wadh-go-en kabuli māhen,
 Kulla goraghen sar-sāh-en,
 Istārān gulē dēmā-en,
 Nēn ki pha-judāi rāh-en,
 Kāsen cho faqirā zurda.
 Hüniya kahē cho raftār,
 Raftārān gisē cho bāzār,
 Paiyān bak̄hmalo thai bulghār.
 Dasti ārizāyān mushtē,
 Pardēshi faqirē khushtē,
 Lāl andohān phēloshtē.
 Dosti daz-nishānē äkhta,
 Gam-khushten dilē bodh-äkhta,
 Raftār pāyān gehenthai,
 Zulf zirih-bureñ theghenthai,
 Chhamān chogh misāli sohan,
 Cho ki ān chirāgh mashrū-en,
 Baghāni bharā khashbū-en,
 Dastinē phurongāni sar,
 Demā droñsh-ant-i murvādhir.
 Ändiyē atakē mān-khan,

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Thangāen khalilāē khañ,
 Grīh thangaven hārā khañ,
 Syāhmāro larho likh o jau,
 Dastē-azh milē pherozau,
 Mārā mañ dilā astē thou.
 Āndēmā ma-khañ yakh atrau,
 Shāngo shadyan o shingo mā,
 Āina na-khanūn jukhto thā,
 Ras giptaghan pāzēbāñ,
 Mahtābā payāsen gēgh-āñ.
 Mozhen dil mani bāgh bithā,
 Ya shākhā hazār shākh bithā,
 Har shākhā wāthi gul bithā,
 Gulān tāzhaghen rang bithā.
 Hūniyē kitabē wānthia,
 Chhamāra chirāghī bithā,
 Dorokhān khanē darmānē,
 Naukar-on̄ thai farmāne,
 Dukhānē gwar-en̄ hārāni,
 Naukar-on̄ thai nāzāni.
 Nāzān kham-khanē, zorāwar,
 Thēghi nāwako bāzigar,
 Nēn ki ash thai dastān dar.
 Mirān 'shī, 'Go mā pyālaē zitheñ war.'

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XLV.

O samīn be phursā bihishtiyē,
 Azh latifā nēmaghā khāiyē.
 Man gulā dēmā mēl khuthē doshī,
 Bairamo āsl sār khutho māh-thos.
 Bo azh brikhān raptaghan whasheñ.
 Hīj̄ manān momin janant pāsān.
 Cho kahirāni āraven āsān.
 Bē-karār-ān man nēmshafi pāsān.
 Pha whashio dost hubbo iklāsān.

Zillatān sāhsārē dēāc jānā, 10
 'Na' na khanān pha dost pharmānā,
 Cho isparān dēmpān manl jānē,
 Chābuko chashm-did paikānē.
 Kahr amulānī giringren nāz-ant,
 Dañ-damē gār-ant, dañ-damē bāz-ant.
 Neñ dasā gir ki gāl khanān roshen,
 Neñ manān kurzat, mazāl chosh-en.
 Pha dasā mahlijā dī jān āyān.
 Nishto duā go hawān roshē.
 Wa' huḍhā mēhrān mañ dilā shēñ ! 20
 Ēr-khafī dost azh thaṅgaven takhtā,
 Biyāl rodhāna cho chyārdahi māhān,
 Masaron bi cho Akbarē Shāhān.
 Guḍā azh durr-chīren dasā phursān,
 O badhashkānī grān-bahā lāl-en,
 Mārā thai loghwāren sareñ saughan,
 Irmiri gon-khaptoñ anāgāhi,
 Phar thai sahth sakhalen nyādhān,
 Hon bahā ban pha sakhalen khulkān. 29

XLVI.

Doshi dil-ravā-en jāni,
 Sartāj o samand khādānī,
 Gwashtom pha dasī phanānī,
 Osā thau ma-char haiwānī,
 Girdi āravān phirwānī,
 Chandi āshkaṇrā ziyānī,
 Kulso phrushtaghan shakānī,
 Ishko manitja hakānī.
 Gwashtom kēghadheñ sāzārā, 10
 • Durr-chino hazār nāzārā,
 Phulkhand o shakar-guptārā.
 Häl ē faqirē ēsh-an,
 Zirde azh phirāthān rēsh-an,

Āñ ki mālik dozdār-an.
 Āñ azh munkirāñ bē-zār-an.
 Jān Jāmavāñ khāksār-an,
 Harzatā darūd khār-an,
 Shāhen kirdagār āsār-an,
 Gwafshē nēmshafāñ nāl-an.'

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XLVII.

Rosh ma jhuriyeñ ki sāh bī satar,
 Sarinā ki bandāñ, sarinī khakar,
 Nodhāñ duāñi 'arzē khanāñ,
 Nodhāñ shalith shādhīhī Narmukhā,
 Domshāh khanant chur khaur go hayā.
 Charant, bastaghant band, dor bant sariāf
 Kūnji amul phādhī-khāi bāng'havā,
 Kūnji kharkant, ma dorāñ ravant,
 Pahrē phroshant, gardant phadhā,
 Much bant kafūtar ma khosagh sarā. 10
 Lēsāñ g'hararant rohēnawāñ,
 Pha-hunar āv-deāñ shaf-jathēñ lādēnā.
 Thāi chhalav mundrī go sončwalāñ,
 Rēh-dāthaghant dasti sonārvāñ,
 Ma rashēb g'harainthagħāñ zargarāñ.
 Thāi phuloh sona-muhren traſi go khajāñ,
 Sarāñ gushi gāl nēm alimā.
 Shēr bī pari-thos, wāsē girāñ. 18

XLVIII.

Phairi azh bāghen Bēlavā,
 Man go ravokhēn Mehlavā,
 Mehlav rakħefāno na dā',
 Pāken khashāñ go dorayāñ.
 Suhvi azh loghā raptaghāñ,
 Hikkabahia gindaghā.

Hikkabahi azh khoh bunā.
 Sārthen ki nodhān shan'jatha,
 Barfān shaf-rosh bērītha,
 Barfān thāriken shafān,
 Barfān jalishkān bothaghī. 10
 Ma zar-hariyen tahtaghān.
 Drākhī ki drangān phakhaghān,
 Limo go harzati barān,
 Saidhān murghān wārthaghan,
 Bānz o shudhiyen kauñtarān,
 Arbāb o arshi phrishtaghān.
 Āsē pariyān bālītha
 Ma khoh bamborī sarē.
 Much bīthaghan arshi pari, 20
 Much bīthaghan chāpā janān,
 Phēsh khaptaghān, yakhī girān.
 Phēsh khapto, phadī kinsthaghan,
 Guḍā arshi pari bāl-giptaghan.
 Mañ go hayālān manthaghān,
 Go shajanē lahmē shamā.
 Bāl gipto burz bīthaghant,
 Arshi pari gäl-ākhtaghant :
 'Ohē faqir, haiwānagh-e,
 Haiwānagh o dēwānagh-e. 30
 Mā ē duni mardum nayūn,
 Mākh-un shahidānī pari.
 Ān rosh ki ādhat biyāi thai,
 Khār-khāna mukimi sambari,
 Nindūn ma thai chyārā sarā
 Zirda thaiyā āv-dēūn,
 Dilā pha maskifā murādh.
 Hālo khanēth kungurān,
 Kungar jareñ brahondaghān,
 Arshi pari sir khanān, 40
 Jān o gunāhān dir-khanān.

XLIX.

Goshēth kungurān,
 Bē-lokēnaghān,
 Shāhī ambalān.
 Gozh-dār guptārān,
 Shāir daptar-ān.
 Lālo ruptaghān,
 Galo gwashtaghān,
 Durrā suptaghān.
 Phairi phanaghā,
 Dithom dil-ravā, 10
 Uzhroā misāl.
 Sinaē dumba mār,
 Postānā bahār,
 Dandānā ānār.
 Thai phullen khandaghān,
 Hirthen jēnāfān,
 Rēshi nalgazān,
 Ainānī makān
 Hardo jind o jān. 19

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I.

Sohnā Bashkali gushī : durr-hadīseñ Sūrihānī gushī.

Maroshi huzhmatā bān ditha dilbar,
 Jamāle tājasar Sultān Shāhpār,
 Nashud misle wakad ashṛās¹ naubar,
 Chi dārad dāwahē shamshād i arwar.
 Parē nāzāna mān-nind azgar.
 Kamun phar khofaghān cho zulf i ambar.
 Parē zēbān shānē Shāh i khūbān,
 Bayān chiktar khanān husn-ō-satāhān,

¹ This obscure word may be a corruption of the Skr. *agnaras*, which in Sindhi takes the form *gakhārā* or *gakhārā*, a fairy or houri.

Anishagh-muhr-eñ cho Sultān Sulaimān,
 Pha hikmat kaiz dārī jinn dēān. 10
 Thahājat dāsht ainā chil rāsān,
 Chi hājat ba khamānē rāb-i-kāsān.
 Zannat bi-āshkān mizhgān chautir,
 Kanat bāzē ghāribān jān i taqbir,
 Biyāfē anfinī cho tēz kātār,
 Miānji ma ainā choki sardār.
 Du moṭiyān dahān-eñ phoñz bāñsar,
 Pariē nishtaghā phar haud Kaunṣar,
 Doeñ lab lāl-ath-i, dandān jāhiwar,
 Dafā i jāh giptaghant durustā pha yagsar. 20
 Gulā guftār shirin-zawānā,
 Nakhat toti shakar-lavzī ēshāni,
 Niānē az thai khandeñ zaniyā,
 Charē mauzeñ dilā zurtha manlyā,
 Ajab sārhān sawārtha sāz rakbat,
 Misāl tāüs āskān bitha azmat,
 Du-fista sēn bar misle anārān,
 Satāhān gēshini zēbāe biānā.
 Hisābān gwar thai gwamzi miānā.
 Kadam zirē pahnād̄h lod raftār, 30
 Rivāj-e bithaghant hasti nigharsār.
 Manān go zālimeñ zēbā pha yagnāth.
 Bi-zurtha dav-dale cho ki gannokhān.
 Charāni lahar majnūā du-tokhān.
 Dil andar dāthagha fazle karīmān,
 Manī hālē gulārā bī cho āghā.
 Had̄hen-i zillatān zithen bāñ druāh. 37

2.

Bashkali Sohnā durr-hadis Sūrihānī gushi : imar hudhāī
 lakhā khārdē gāl gushi : Sohnār phasawē dāth gushi.

Maroshi dost ma dābāni dimāken,
 Gushi grān kīmateñ lālē bi-drashkē,

Niyarzē nirkh cho lake falūshān,
Khālī dārē manān jāhwār-faroshān,
 Zawād-tatē 'atar-dalēiān,
 Jathāt saikalp¹ tēlān phulēlān.
 Trufi ma maizarā grān-kimatēnā,
 Shamāl rokheñ ma koshā bairamēnā,
 Nazr ki mākumā zareñ kumātān,
 Khuthē ma kāmalkān shamshād kull bāñ, 10
 Gulen lālā gulzāren gulistān.
 Kijil bithā kadah sarvē ma bostān,
 Khuthai chandi chakor sar-fareshān,
 Thav-ē Sultān, man̄ thai pāe-khāk-ān,
 Manān hardam ma bāñ zi fikr hoshān,
 Manān Adam azh zirdē shamoshān,
 Nighozh-dār iltimāsē gwar thau wadh shān,
 'Bakhilen sāhivā khas na 'shi jawān.'
 Ummēdwār khanān phēshā gharibān,
 Wathāra pardavē guḍā khanant grān. 20
 Sukhun ki azh dafā durreñ darā bī,
 Misāl khaptagheñ singā gwarā bī,
 Kamund grān cho singāni bārān,
 Naro' go gwāth bāzen haur-hārān.
 Gēhen khāqān rājī tāj-dārān.
 Mani arzā nighoshē, jannati hir,
 Nukābā azh jabinā āzhoā zir,
 Biyāyan mahram o dāgh ban dilā dir.
 Thai dastān jihān pās-pānir,
 Wath² go bī go sātā dil pha jānī, 30
 Rasān dan mizilā hair o amānī,
 Hamodhā ki thurs neñ drapen zālimānī.

¹ For sankalp.

PART V.

RELIGIOUS AND DIDACTIC POEMS AND
LEGENDS OF SAINTS.

LI.

SHĀHZĀD SHA'R.

Shahzād Chākur gushī.

Hamdē khudāwandā gushān,
Madhahē Muhammad Mustafa,
Shāhen 'Ali Shēr-en Hudhā.
Roshē ma hadisī kissavē,
Man ma hibb hablās ashkhuthā.
Ya-shamba¹ gwar ādēnaghā,
Ya tāb atho mislē niyath.
Shāhā pha kāhātē² nazar.
Kursī zareñ rās-khuthā,
Lavr shakhal o dil-momin ath,
Wāj'hē wali-ath roshin-ath. 10
Rosh-o-shafē jāh dāthaghant,
Rosh-o-shafo hirthen hasēv,
Jagha zamin rās-khuthā,
Ān dūd ki bālādhā shutħa;
Neñ arsha būd, neñ kurshē būd,
Neñ loh³ būd, neñ kalam⁴ būd,
Dādī Hawā Dādā na būd,
Ibrāhim khalilu'llāh na būd,

¹ For sham⁶.

² For P. kahar.

³ Ar. *lumāk*, creation.

⁴ Ar. *salimāk*, speech.

Kishti Nūhānī na būd,
 'Isā rūhānī na būd,
Takht Sulaimānī na būd,
Khud būd ast, Hamid 'Ali.
 Mañ nīn pha Balochi gushān.
 Dharti pha chyār karnāñ¹ khuthā.
 Karnē awwal Shāh Kādhīrā,
 Dēh wathī paidā khuthānt.
 Ya lakh o shast o dah hazār.
 Āñ dī wathī naubat khuthā,
 Ya-nindo chhamā būtaghā,
 Nodho raghāmā gwastaghānt,
 Multān nīn Bagpur khuthā.
 Karnē dohmi Shāh kādhīra,
 Bandāen chhileñ sākhtagħant,
 Ānhān zan o farzand niyath,
 Āñ pāk ākhtagħo pāk shuthānt,
 Azh Pāk-phushtā bithaghānt.
 Ānhān dī wathī naubat khuthā,
 Nodho raghāmī gwastaghānt,
 Multān nīn Hasapur khuthā.
 Karnē siām Shāh Kādhīrā,
 Aghdi phrishtagh wathī paidā khuthā,
 Ānhān dī wathī naubat khuthā,
 Ya-nindo chham būtaghā,
 Nodho raghāmī gwastaghānt,
 Multān nīn Syāhpur khuthā.
 Karnē chyārum Shāh kādhīrā,
 Bori² nighārā wajithānt,
 Aspē wathī paidā khuthānt,
 Dañ kiyāmatā oshtāthaghānt,
 Multān nīn Multān khuthānt.

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¹Ar. *garn*.²P. *būrū*, a trumpet.

2. INTINKHĀB AZ KITĀB-I-BAYĀZ-I-BUZURGĀN-I-QAUM
I SYĀLĀN BA SHAHR I JHANG-I-SYĀLĀN.

(a) *Khabar-i-āfrinīsh i zamin wa āsmān.*

Avval Khudāi ta'ala Mārij Dēv az ātash paidā kard, chunānchi dar Qurān-i-majid wa Furqān-i hamid khabar mi-dihad :

'Wa khalaqa'l-jānn min mārijin min an-nārin.'

Khudāi ta'ala az pahlū-i Mārij Mārija biyāfrid. Har-do dar-miyān-i-khud justi kardand. Az ēshān do pisar paidā shud. Yaki nām-i-wai Jinn nihādand, wa az pahlū-i Jinn zan Jinnī paidā shud. Hardo dar-miyān-i-khud justi kardand, az ēshān do pisar paidā shud. Yaki nām 'Izrāil nihādand, pisar-i-duwam-rā Mahāndēv nihādand. Wa az pahlū-i Mahāndēv Korchabari paidā shud. Wa muddat-i-zamīn wa āsmān shast do lak wa hashtād wa panj hazār sāl shuda. Wa az ān bār Multān ābādānī shuda wa ān chahār qirān būda.

Dar qarn i avval Rāhaṇspur¹ nām miguftand, wa dar-ān ābādānī būdan nuh-sad bist chahār lak wa hazhdah-hazār sāl būda. Wa Īsar Mahāndēv-rā dwāzdah pisar būdand. Avval-rā nām Koin bud; duwam-rā nām Nārāyan būd sium-rā nām Vishan, chahārum-rā nām Kishan, panjūm-rā nām Birāhman, shasham-rā nām Parmēsar, hashtum-rā nām Nārsang, nuham-rā nām Bhagwān, dahum-rā nām Lāt, yāzdahum-rā nām 'Uzzā, dwāzdahum-rā nām Īsar Jagannāth. Dwāzdah dukhtarān Īsar Mahāndēv-rā : nām in būd. Avval dukhtar ū-rā nām Mahmāi, duwam-rā nām Dēvi, sium-rā nām Mēsri, chahārum-rā nām Parmēsri, panjum-rā nām Dēvāni, shashum-rā nām Bhagwāni, haftum-rā nām Lankā, hashtum-rā nām Mathurā, nuhum-rā nām Jamnā, dahum-rā nām Totla, yāzdahum-rā nām Ghazz, dwazda-hum-rā nām Lañkā.

¹ Probably this should read :

'Dar qarn-i-avval Multān-rā Hānspur nām miguftand.'

Chūn chandin guzasht ba'duhu, dar qarn-i-duwam Multān-rā nam Makpur mīguftand, wa dar ān ābādāni firshtagān būd hazhdah lak wa bist hazār panj sāl būdand.

Dar qarn-i-sium Multān-rā nām Shāmpur mīguftand. Wa dar qarn-i Bakpur ābādāni chihl ādam būd; wa b'azē goyand ki hashtād ādam būdand: fa-ammā az ēshān tawālud wa tanāsul na būd.

Wa dar qarn-i-chahārum Multān-rā nām Multān shud, wa dar-ān ābādāni aspān būd, hasht-lak wa haft-hazar ēshān dar Multān būd.

Ba'd az hasht lak wa hafsdah hazar (sāl) Mihtar Ādam paighambar,—salātu-'llāhi 'alaihi,—āfrida shud. Az gāh-i-Ādam tā in dam shast hazār wa nuhsad chihl wa panj sāl ast ki guzasht.

(b) *Khabar-i-āfrīnīsh-i-asp.*

Az khwāja Hamidu'd-din Nāgorī (qaddasa-'llāhu sirruhu 'l 'aziz), mazkūr ast ki Haqq Subhānahu Ta'ālā chūn Ādam-rū—'alaihi as-salām—biyāfrīd, wa bāqi gil ki az qālib-i-Ādam—'alaihi as-salām—mānd, chahār chīz āfrīd: avval khurma, duwum angūr, sium anār, chahārum rū-i aspān wa chashm ast. Az lu'ab-i-hūrān bihisht āfrīd; wa tan-i-asp az bihisht āfrīd; wa pusht-i-asp az kursī wa 'arsh-i-majid āfrīd; wa mū-i-asp as Tūbā āfrīd; wa jān-i-asp az 'azmat-i-khud āfrīd. Wa fazilat in ast ki asp-rā pēsh-i-khud bidārad, wa hawālā digarān na-kunad; zērān-ki barā-i-ān Paighambar,—salla 'llāhu 'alaihi wa sallama,—madām pēsh-i-khud midāsht, wa ba jāma wa ridā-i-mubārak-i-khud sar wa rū-i-ū pāk kardē, wa dar ān jāma jau charānīdē.

Wa ba miqdār-i mū-i asp gunāhān.

3. SHĀHZĀD PAIDHĀ-BIAGH HĀL.

Roshēā Maiā, ki Chākur-zāl ath, afa dahmaghath sarā shodhaghath, cho ki nishtiyē dēmā sāyaē gwastha. Guđā

dihān khutha, dēmā, phadhā, hargurā, mardum chī neñ. Guðā nishta rapta sahī khanāna ki maiñ lāf phur bithā, chukh biāna biāna paidhā bithā. Chākur gār ath Dilliā go wathī lashkarā. Paídhā bithā chukhē, ma gwānzaghā loðainagheth, hāl ki Chākur gartho ēr-khapta Choñā. Guðā Māiā Dombār gwashta 'Baro, Mirā muvārakā gwash ki thaī loghā bachh paidhā bithā, nām di Mir Shāhzād bastiaghēni' Mir Chākur ghamnāk bithā, armān khutha ki sai sāl ma safar nyānwān bithā, ē chī bachh en ki paidhā bithā. Guðā wathī urdār hukm dātha ki hamēdhā ēr-khafe, thahre; urd ēr-khapta hamodhā Chākure.

Domb gartho ākhta, Māiār gwashta ki 'Chākurā armān khutha, urd hamodhā thān shutha.' Māiā gwashta 'Tha baro, Mir Chākuriāt gwash "tha biyā loghā, ansosā ma khañ, Mir Shāhzādhar gwash 'salām alaik' ki malān chukh azh wali sāya paidhā bithā.'" Guðā Chākurā hukm dātha ki 'Charhē.' Phauzh charhitho ākhto Sēviā, loghā ēr-khapto gwashta 'Salām alaik, Mir Shāhzād.' Guðā Shāhzādhā ki shazhmāheñ chukh ma gwānzaghā lāfā gwashta 'Wa alaikum salām Mir Chākur bābū, biyā durr shākhtē, mazaiñ safar khuthē, durāh-e, khush-e?' Hāl dāthaghanti, Shāhzādhā gwashta 'Mañ azh Yāli Sāyā paidhā bithaghān.'

LIL

ĪSĀ O BARĪ.

Nodhān ki guzē' savzēnā,
Bashāmī jhurān whashēnā,
Khashē' khokurān sārthēnā,
Bilē' zahriyān bāzēnā,
Chhamānī sarā gwāzēnā.
Mā ki phar thavo tājosar,
Ber shaf-chirāgh¹ parēwar,

¹ Or Chham-chirāgh, light of the eyes.

Syāhmār choṭavo drashkā bar,
Khādāni gishēni kauntar.

Drashkē kissavē chhoṇ bīṭha.

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Īsā dañ-damē¹ charāna,

Mulko kichahān gindāna,²

Bari bēwānā nindāna;

Bari dīṭhai ma bēwānā.

Īsā go Bari gāl-ākhta.³

' Ashkho tho warē īmānā,

Chacho zindaghe bē-tānā ? '⁴

Bariyā jawāb gardēthā,⁵

' Īsā dañ-damē jhatē⁶ nind,

Shāh kurzatā chīē gind.'

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Īsā dañ-damē ēr-nishto,

Rabba kurzatān dīṭha.

Drashkē shēr dighārā rustha,

Bangahī suhavā⁷ sar zurtha,

Taftaghen nērmoshā bür bīṭhen,

Mazaiñ zoharā bar bīṭhen,⁸

Zarden digarā lāl bīṭhen,

Drashkā bar-kano do bīṭhen,

Jawaiñ mardumē whard bīṭhen.

Choki go hawānhā bīṭha,

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Haisi choṭavā hancho bā,

Barkat ilāhī jawaiñ mardā.

Sing o khohā āf bīṭhen,

Rēlen zāhireñ darbēsh-en.

Diwān ! biyārē kalamavā.

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¹ Or akhtagha.

² Or golāna.

³ Or Cho ki phursitha 'Isā.

⁴ Or be-dāni.

⁵ Or {gardentha,
tharenthā.

⁶ Or ēdhā.

⁷ Or drashik dañ begahā lāl bīṭha.

⁸ Or kaunshēn hāng'hava.

LIII.

BRĀHIM SHA'R.

Brāhim Shambānī gushī.

Mañ di Hudhāi bandaghān,
 Nindān Allāhā khanān,
 Nāmā Hudhāi girān,
 Shāh Murtizān sorithā,
 Lahrē dātha mañi dilā.
 Pākeñ nabī takht sarā
 Nishta phara aldi-o-sharā,
 Durreñ Hudhā mērājavā.
 Āñ jūfavo hirs niyā,
 Neñ thangaveñ bachihe phithā, 10
 Neñ māth gohārē pha-gwarā.
 Mañ sahī niyān zātā khai-ā,
 Guj manān mālūm niyā.
 Phanch phrishtagh-ant-i khidmatā,
 Āñ nishtaghant jind gwarā,
 Har wakht ki hukm managhā.
 Yakhē Wahī go Arzclavā,
 Saimi Khwāja Khidarā,
 Āñ chyarumi tütü dasā,
 Gwāth-i ki khashi kūravā. 20
 Shaitān wa' bigārathā,
 Pha ālamā khanēnaghā.
 Āñmar nindi ēkhavā,
 Cho philavā khan' lēkhavā.
 Guđā hukmā dā' Arzclavā,
 Sāhān girthi ya-barā.
 Āñmar na gindi nēk o badhā,
 Mēhrān na manl, miinnatā,
 Bachhān bārth azh māth o phithā,
 Zarān na zirī go mēsh o buzā, 30
 Bārth mardumā haisī sarā.

Thars niyā̄ khoher dilā,
 Āñmar syāl khasi niyā.
 Shāirē ki gwashta Brāhmā ;
 Gosh mani guptāraghā,
 Rabb o Hudhā̄ kissavā.
 Hancho pha goshāna ashkhuthā :
 Na āsmānā neñ zamīn,
 Neñ Mā̄ Hawā go Ādamā.
 Ās-ath̄ hawē mulk o dēhā,
 Burzē ma drikhē jorithā,
 Go kurzatā āf khuthā,
 Jhagē zamin thāhenthaghā,
 Loho kalam phirēnthaghan,
 Āñ pha zamīna dāraghā ;
 Duhon aghar burzā shuṭhan.
 Āzmān haptē sākhtaghan,
 Bāghen bilisht go dozhahā.
 — Bihishti nishānā man dēān.—
 Drashkē avar darwāzagħā,
 Shahrē hamodhā sāh khuthā,
 Bāgh hamo wākht phakhaghan,
 Hinjir o harzati hath-an,
 Āngūr, anār, amb athan,
 Bo khatūri atar-an.
 Odhā̄ pari mān na-ravan.
 Handi sakhiyā̄ merā-eñ,
 Wa' go shahidāñ ya-sarā,
 Shāh Kāsim nindi gwarā,
 Shāhen Husain daptarā.
 Khaṭ o palang nishtenjanan,
 Hūr pari-ish molidan,
 Ma-khidmatā oshtāthaghan.
 Odhā̄ bihishti mardumāñ.
 Bāghāñ bihishtēghā waran.
 Esh-āñ bihishtāñ nishān.
 — Gosh, kisāne kungurān,

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Mañ dithja azh Rabb kurzatān,
 Azh khāwind bhanjgharān,
 Mañ ditho bāhmanthaghān,
 Ki paidā sakān lakh o sadhān,
 Sāhā na-dā bi-khāki butān,
 Rūh milant go mansavān.
 Khardē ma mulkā sāhivān,
 Khardē gharib guzhnaghān.
 Nēn man sakhi rozavān,
 Thursān, hañchosh gushān.
 Phol-khanān azh mullavān,
 Khardē kī dāran roshaghān,
 Bazē namāzān parhan,
 Har-ro dī Allāh khanan.
 Īmān rāhiā sohavān,
 Shāi go Hudhā shāmilān.
 Khardē gharib mān-ravān,
 Ān kalamavā roshē parhān,
 Ān pha shahidi mirān;
 Phullēn shahid-ish gwān'-janān,
 Bāghen bihisht-ish jāh dēan;
 Dādh ināmāna lahant,
 Ān jukhtaghen Hür-ish milant,
 Shāhān hawān phēsh ravant.
 Zahrā ma-khanē, mardumā,
 Mullā o khorēn hāfizān,
 Bihisht go nasibān mili,
 Asteñ go Rabbā khātirā,
 Dātē ki bashkith-i Hudhā.
 Arzeñ manān go murshidān,
 Pākeñ nabīya daptarā;
 Rakheñ manān azh kyāmatā,
 Azh dozhahā garmen jarā!
 Rāh Pur-silāt¹ azh cho puhalē jurā,
 Mā ki guzūn-i ya-barā,

¹ See *Pur-i-Sirat*.

Hukm azh Hudhā-en khādirā,
 Baraūn man bihishtā andarā!
 Īsh manī aldosharā.¹
 —Dimān, shā biyārē kalamavā.

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LIV.

LASHKARĀN SHA'R. 1.

Lashkarān Sumēlān gushī: Shāh dostdārān Jistkānī
 gushī: Imar Hudhāi Rusūl sīpat khant: dwāzdah Imāmānī
 sīpat khant; chyārdah Māsūm sīpat khant: chhil Avdār
 sīpat khant.

Avval nāmē Hudhā yād-en,
 Rasūlā kalamo tāt-en,
 Amir al mūminīn Haidar,
 Jathai bī kāfirā Khaibar.
 Chyāren yār bē-shakk-ant,
 Avo dīn-darā sak-ant.
 Doen gul jannatē lāl-ant,
 Hasan Shāh Husain gāhwār,
 Sakhī Haidarē jāhwār.
 Huzūrē dwāzdaha yār-ant,
 Suhāgen chyārdahē sawār-ant.
 Wasilē chhilē Avdār-ant,
 Huzūrē gāl guftār-ant.
 Thāi ganjiyē darā suwālī,
 Na-garthān pha-phadhdā khālī,
 Wathī pha mihr sambhālī,
 Navi pha ummatā wālī.
 Azh gunāhān khadhdā niya khālī.
 Thāi kahāriyā manān thursī,
 Nakir Munkira phurstī.
 Rudhāna thīwari khāyant,
 Sarē birrān ēr-āyant.

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¹ For "adl o shara".

Manānī ātishī gurzā,
 Du-dastiyā barān burzā,
 Ilāhi rakh mani qilā,
 Ashiyā garmē tavo vilā,
 Ashiyā thankeñ tijā gwastha,
 Aghar dēmā jhurān bastha ;
 Fazl khān dañ hawān wakhtā !
 Wad̄h nindī avo takhtā,
 Tarāji tol-khanagh wastād̄h, 30
 Naviyā wa' deān dastā.
 Hukmā khan' bi sūréjā,
 Hawān phalk damo wakhtā
 Khāith ummat chakhā,
 Ash āhi zālimē chihamā,
 Hawār rokhanē dītha.
 Dighār cho trāmarī tafsi,
 Phithār bachh na sēbāi,
 Judā bī brāth azh brāthā,
 Bizār bī chukh azh māthā, 40
 Avo haisī sarā bār-en,
 Wathī hēdhā giriftār-eñ.
 Hawā o Ādimā rapta,
 Wathī dāst khishtaghe khapta.
 Ilāhi rakh Musulmānā,
 Manān arz-eñ gwar Suhawānā,¹
 Karimē Rabbi Rahmānā.
 Suwāliyā bashik imānā,
 Fazl khañ barkat-mimā,² 50
 Guzūn pha hazrat dīmā,
 Salāt³ khandavo sīmā.
 Hawān müzī, baghā, sār-ant,
 Dil-ish go lēkhavā gār-ant,

¹ For Sali-hān.

² Barkat-mimā probably stands for the Ar. 'amīmū 'l-barakāt, 'universally enriching.'

³ For Širāz.

Dunyā Kārūn murdār-ant,
 Phar sīthān talab-dār-ant,
 Neñ Pir Murshid dār-ant.
 Ghamā gidi wathī nār-ant,
 Bihisht boā bēzār-ant.

Doeñ chham gwara rosh-en,
 Sar ma dozhiyā josh-en!

—Mani brāhondagho yārān,
 Nighoshi Rindē guftārān.
Sakhiyā kissavā chosheñ :
 Gunāhār ē farāmosh-en,
 Shahidān yagsara nindant,
 Azh Tūvā bar sindant,
 Bihisht thangavē mahlā,
 Huzūre Kauñsari joā.

Suwāliyā choṭavā randant.
 Wathī Pirān sambhālān,
 Husainī shams-nūriyā,
 Gharib-parwar huzūriyā.
 Murād Bashk Shāh Aihāe,
 Muridān roshan ēr-āe.
Sakhi Shāhbāz-en go yārān,
 Amiral bastanē bandā.
 Turēl akhta hawān handā,
 Khanāna Haidaro randā.
 Avval panjē tanān sahrā,
 Rusūlo kalamo khārān.

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LV.

LASHKARĀN SHA'R. 2.

Lashkarān Sumēlān gushi : Shāh dost-dāren Jistkāni
 gushi : Imar Hudhāi lakā khardē gäl gushī : Panj-tan
 pāk, dwāzdah Imām sipatān khant, gushī.

Zorāwar-en Sāhiben lā-sharik,
 Wathī khātirā ummatē khalk-ath-i.
 Hudhā bādshāh-en, Muḥammad Wazīr,
 Wasilā imāmat sāki 'Ali.

Chyāren malāikh-mān pāk darā :
 Yakhē wakil-en gwar paighambarā ;
 Duhmī juzi go nodh jhurā ;
 Saimī chari mān bhanjgharā ;
 Chyarumī nafīl mān dafā,
 Srēn bastho, chham gwar whāzhā,
 Gwāth̄ shimālē khāith̄ azh dafā,
 Hukm whāzhāē bī, khanth-i safā.

Avo khalkateñ pāk jind nighāh ;
 Nēm rang lāi cho kārigarā,
 Nēm sādēyen go gīnā halāk.
 Rūhā ! ma-ranjē neñ dārē dilā,
 Jāh kullā yakh-en ma khāki gilā.
 Wāli rasulen pharā ummatā,
 Phanchen namāzen, gunāh roshaghān,
 Dindār zirant wathī toshaghān.

Karzān Hudhāi avo bandaghān,

Tonē ki mast-ant dēvanagh-ant ;

Zorākh wathī wāmā hukman girant.

Omēth̄ ēsh-en gwara zāminā,

Dast-en manān ma thai dāmanā.

Chham zāhiro mārā asten gumān.

Avo takht nindi ākhir-zamān.

Farmūdavē bī azh Imām Jāfarā,

Halān hazūrē avo kāfarā,

Gāvr lēnagh din takor,

Thākhī rishant nyamaghā mard bor,

Phadī lashkarē shāh khant bhanjbhor,

Cho Hazrat 'Isā gīndī bhas bī laghor.

Paighambarē jant pha hukmē Hudhā,

Sar kāfarē bīth̄ azh butā judhā,

Bānē ki drati, khāith̄ bunā,

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Nodh go saminān arshī jhurān,
 Gwarant pha rahmat, sārthī bī dighār,
 Thari hokā naviyā pharo chau-dahā,
 Bī bāgh gulzār, dinā karār.

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LVI.

TAWAKKULI SHA'R.

Tawakkuli gushī: Shērānī Marī gushī.

Phairi pha bēwānē manān khākhtān,
 Rastarānī khoh-bunā khorav,
 Dañ-damē tripān mēr khuthā odhā.
 Mān gwar girdeñ Samaleñ loghā.
 Thīmuro garghūnā gēvēnā,
 Wahm-khuthā shikrān shitavēnā,
 Khaul-khuthā chāriān chyārēnā,
 Bādshāh mālūm bīthā ma takhtā,
 Phakhaghen bāgh pha tālio bakhtā,
 Har-khadhen jāizo bi-moimānī,
 Phauzh ma drāhī jāgahān biyāyān,
 Mār Allāh o Yāli yāt-enī,
 Azh-phadhā dost o duzhmanān tāt-enī,
 Thāngurā girdeñ Samala bēlī?
 Nēn gannokh pahro ispahān gwastha,
 Nēn ki ma kaizānī Phiringēgh-ān,
 Nishta gur Chotīā dēhā dhingā,
 Odh gwara Āli-potravān hotān,
 Shēr Jamāl-Hānī nangāren potān.
 Banghavī sado Sāhivē bīthā,
 Methirān phēshī kamar bastha,
 Sambarāna pha maizireñ rāhē,
 Khākhto ma khaji-ladharen shahrē,
 Dēravo bāzārā girūn bahrē.
 Kanjari murghān sh'hawān muhrān,
 Khāi rudhāna cho chyārdahī māhā,

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Chānt dā khazhbūān avur brikhān,
 Atar o humboen katūri-en,
 Gungur o sohnāen amāēlān.
 Dēravē gandagheṇ ādhatēn ranā, 30
 Samalā ādhat na bhorainān.
 Biyaeth, mani Sardārān khavihēna,
 Zor ma koṭavān ma charainē,
 Dilgireṇ kaifāno ma khāwārē,
 Tretthōn miskāni Malang hotē,
 Zi Bahār Khān ma charaghān ditha,
 'Biyā, ki mardiē tharā mān-en,
 Biyā, thaī dostān phul paighām-en,
 Samalo suhr-chham parēshān-en.'
 —Mā azha Sultāneṇ salām gipta, 40
 Sarwarē darbārā daryāēnā.

LVII.

MĒHTAR MŪSĀ WA SULTĀN ZUMZUM.

Mēthir Mūsā wahm ath go bāzen charaghā,
 Roshē charāna pha shikārānī sailehā,
 Khoparē hađē ditha ma barren bēdihā.¹
 Syāhsareṇ kirmān hand khuthā goshānī bunā,
 Kadahēn chham phur-ant-i azh hākh o nukhā.
 Lokhmen danzān jahā khuthā grānzani tahā,
 Hushken dathān rikhtaghant azh durren dafā,
 Methir Mūsāhā arz khuthā pāken Khāwindā,
 'Thau khan hameṇ arzā. Hāwindā, thai manzūr khuthā,
 Main arz hamēshen, sāhā dai hākhī bandaghā.' 10
 Hukm i Allāhā sāh bītha kuhnaeṇ sarā,
 Methir Mūsā phursithā azh kuhnaeṇ sarā.
 Ha' barān drohi dāthai hađen khopari,
 Hashtami ḏhakā gāl-khāi haden khopari.²

¹ Or, Khoparē dithai avo barro bēdiha.

² Or, Khopari gāl-ākhta wallen brishkhandaghā.

—Bosht thau, mēthir, ma tharā hawālē dēān.
 Ma bādshāh-athān nām mani Sultān Zumzum ath,
 Bādshāh-athān, maiñ bādshāhiyā khor-athān,
 Pha gharivān zulman o zahri zor-athān,
 Maiñ zha Kārūnē dunyā bāz oñ gurā, 20
 Maiñ azh gēdbi gurā jagah gēshtar ath,
 Ikhtar gēdhīā māl ikhtar maiñ mālāni shawānkh,
 Si sadh thai bagen, si-sadh maiñ bāri leravān,
 Si-sadh warnā am-rikēfi gon-athant,
 Yakh pha yakhē thangaven durr-goshān athant,
 Ikhtar thai bēlān, ikhtar maiñ pyālav-nosh athant.¹
 Nīn ki maiñ bārgunen damāmoā hakal ath,
 Bārokhen bāo an suhēli maiñ sai sadh ath,
 Kullāni handēp mānakē moti jamvar-ath,
 Do hazār mar maiñ basthagheñ zangā go ghulām,
 Maiñ panj-sadh ath bing, havt sadh bānzo shikara,² 30
 Bauf nishtēn sar-burā bor-thāshī khuthant,
 Dañz zha borī mohkameñ nālān burz shuthant,
 Ginnavān dañzen Zumzumē phāghā girañt.³
 Ma shikārānī sailihā wahmī bithaghān,
 Lēlrāe dithom pha ladhānī phadħā,
 Bor rēz-dātha lēlrāen chakhā dāthā,
 Lēlrāe arzā burzā azmāno shuthā,
 Ma hawān handā gipta bēhosheñ thaſā,
 Öl Öl giptai manān charokhen zawañ,⁴
 Ālam khāith 'Mā Zumzumā darmānē khanān,'⁵ 40
 Maikamīth darmān gon neñ khasā sangati,⁶

¹ Or, Duh hazār mar maiñ begāh piyālō-nosh athant.

² Pers. əlāsrañ, a hawk.

³ For lines 31-33, version B has the two following lines :

Mān gil nishtēn sar-burā bor-thāshī khuthant,
 Nawān hākh ma Sultanē sarō manjilān rēshant.

⁴ For lines 34 to 36, B has the one line :

Nū-ghumā roshē giptaghān sui-takhtī thaſā.

⁵ B reads : Har tavī khāith 'Ma Zumzumā darmānē dēū.'

⁶ B reads : Maut darmān pha ammatā paidāish na bant.

Thāod¹ o darmān cho khamen singān na rishant
 Si o sadh darmān mān-en ma lāleñ khīsaghā,
 Hinzhaghi bītha ādimē khāithān nā-ghumā.
 Malkamīth ākhta go wathī gandeñ droshamā,
 Chyār-athī phādh, hasht-athī daz go changulān,
 Sha hamān hashtēnān yakhē mai nēghā drānzithai,²
 Shakalen sāh pha hazār adhābān burthai,³
 Khashtai sāh, zurthaish but pha phūraghā.
 Ma hamān läza cho tābutān singārthagħān,
 Bachħān o brāthān nishta go chhamān dithagħān,⁵⁰
 Bachħān o brāthān zurtha pha jāmē kħofagħān,
 Azh mani phēshā thankħ-dafen kabré kaṭithā,
 Īr-khutho mārā sarburā zurtho limbetha,
 Dāhkagħen bītha nēkheñ khändiyān phusht jatha,⁴
 Phūritho but garthaghan khāndi azh phadħā,
 Hāi na bītha ākhtagħān gurz-wāzħā,⁵
 Gurz burz ārtho mani mani bālādhā jathā,
 Jān mani hākhī phuri hirtho dañz khuthā,⁶
 Mor mārān charan pha goshānī bunā,
 Syahāki gwamzān hand khuthā grānzānī tahā,⁶⁰
 Kajaleñ chham phur azh hākhā o sikhā,
 Hushkeñ dathān phopulo phanar jathā.
 Dañ damāghēa mani hawān handā chāh-khuthā.
 Zāl khāyant būzħ sarānī phēlo shuħħagħant;
 E hawān zāl-ant ki chukħ kisāniyān khusħtagħant,
 Jathireñ khohā dāman chakhā drusħtagħant,
 Nilagħen āfānī sarā bāz Jħeritha,
 Dañ damāghēa ma hawān handā chāh khuthā.
 Mard khāyant rish-o-dēmā hushk athħant;⁷⁰
 E hawān mard-ān nāroān khār-ish khuthant,

¹ This is probably corrupted from Ar. *ta'wīlā*, a charm.

² Lines 44 to 47 are found in B only.

³ In B, Maiñ shakalen siħe pha tiri adħawān burthai.

⁴ These six lines, 50-55, are not found in A.

⁵ In B, Ān do warnā go āsinen gurzān phujiħha.

⁶ In B, Āsinen gurzān dīr mani kħas-kħas i khnethā.

Chham avur dushkish nishārān chot khuthant,
 Phādho brāthāni na wathān ēr-khuthant.
 Mān avur gwastho phadhi warnāyān gushān,
 Sokuro satān pha Hudhāi nāmā khushān,
 Bi-riyāen wahna wur mehmānān daēth.
 Niñ manān khilē, mañ gharibān jawain khanān.

Bādshāhē thai bādshāhiyā khor-athē,
 Pha gharibān shara' wakhtā zor-athē,
 Agh thaī shiriyeñ zawañā bolithen,
 Thai hakal o hughah dāñ azmānā shutheñ.

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¹ Lines 60-77 occur in A only, and the concluding four lines, 78-81, in B only.

LVIII.

BAYĀN MI'RĀJ-I-I-RUSŪLU'LЛАH.

Āñ roshā ki Hazrat Rusūlu'lлаh 'arshā shutha mi'rājā, Wahīā zurtha, hapten azmānān burzā gwastha; gudā phrishtaghā gwashta 'Mā dēmā shuth na būn, maiñ phar sushant.' Dastgir Bādshāh, ki Hazrat Pir gwāñ'-janant-i, ākhto khofagh dāthai, khofagh sarā ladjhagh ēr-khuthaghti, charitho shutha. Guđā Hazrat Nabiā pharmaintha Dastgir Bādshāhārā ki 'Maiñ kadam thai chakhā en, thai kadam hamū Pir chakhā en.' Dēmā shutho mazārē oshtāthiyen. Mazārā ki daf phatithai Nabiā vindo azh dastā khashto mazārār ma dafī dathal. Ni ki shutho mi'rājā hāzir bitha, Hudhā pharmaintha ki 'Chādarē nyāmā kharo khanē parda sāngā.' Chādar ki kharo bitha ya-dēmā Hudhā bitha, ya-dēmā Rusūlu'lлаh bitha. Hudhā pharmaintha 'Maiñ Dost' Rusūlu'lлаh gwashta 'Maiñ Dost' Hudhā pharmaintha:

'Mā tharā paidā khutha, mā hawāñ dēh, dīghār, 'arsh-kursh thai khushiyā paidā khuthaghant. Agh mā tharā paidā ma khuthen ta mā bākī jihān paidā na khuth.' Guđā Rusūlā gwashta 'Wāzhā! ma thai gindagh wāstā ākhtaghān.'

Gudā Hudhā pharmaintha 'O maiñ Dost, go tho mā jāiz khutha ki ya-roshē ma wathī dēmā tharā phēndārān; agh wakhtā gindē, ma tharā dēmā nīn phēndārān; kiyāmat roshā go wathī ummatā phajyā agh tho gindē, gudā hawān roshā tharā phēndārān-i.' Nabiā gwashta 'Dīdhār kiyāmat roshā khanān ki maiñ ummat di thai dēmā gindī.'

Chyārgist-dah hazār thaukh-tawār khutha-ish ma ya shafā, hazhdah sälān ya shaf bitha. Rusūl'llāh whard ki ākhta gudā gwashtai 'Wāzhā! mā ēvakhā naghan mundhoñ na wārtha.' Hudhā pharmaintha 'Tho bawar; Yakhe dī go tho phajī wārtha.' Nabiā ki naghan wārtha ya dastē 'sh-hawān chādarā gwasth khākhtath, whard zurthath-i. Hawān vindo ki mazār dasā dāthai ni hawān dast murdānā phajyārthaī ki 'māighen.' Guđā mokal bitha Nabiārā, thartho handā ākhtai. Chonān ākhta ki khundo tākē ludaghēth hawēñ-r'gā ki juzagħ wakhtā ludaghēth. Ākhto kissav khuthai ki 'hawēñ-r'gā tikkaiyā tharthaghān, ya shaf bitha hazhdah sälān.' Guđā bakkaleā gwashta 'Gindān chikhtaren mazain marden, chikhtaren droghē bandaghen!' Roshē hudhāi bitha hawān bakkalā māhiē gipto dātha zālā pha chiilaghā, gwashtai 'Man ravān dhandā jān dī shodhān, af g'haroñ di phur-khuthī khārān.' Shutha ki bakkal daryā kharghā, topi di ēr-khuthai, kaush di ēr-khuthai, g'haro di ēr-khuthai, phēhitha ma daryā lāfā jān shodhaghā pha: tubī ki jathai af-azh dar-khaptā gindi 'man zālān, nēñ maiñ jar ēr-ant, nēñ maiñ g'haro-en, thi dighār-en, thi hand-en, man zāl bithaghān.' Kandiā khindariyā bitho nishta. Ākhta ki auzārē, zurtho mādjhīn zēn-phushtā chārēnthaī, shutho burthaī wathī shahra, sir-khuthai. Havd chukh paidā bithaghant-i. Roshē phadhi chukhē jar zurtho shutha pha shodhaghā daryā kharghā, shustho roshā phirēntha-ghant-i, andarā phēhitha jān shodhaghā, jathai ki tubī, dar-khapto gindi ki man mard-ān, oli hand-en, dilō di ēr-en, kaush di topi di ēr-en, hawān bakkal-ān. Thartho tikkaiyā loghā, gindi hawān māhiā zāl hawēñ-r'gā ya

pahnadħā chillaghen. Guðā zälā gwashta, 'Tha daryā shuthaghāi, yā nēm-rāhā tharthaghāi, ishtāfiā ākhtaghāt.' 'Ran' gwashto 'Man bāz säl gwastaghān,' guðā häl wathī dāthai. Guðā kabūl khuthai ki Paighambar kissav rāst-en, ākhto Musalmān bitha.

Phadhā Rusūlu'l-lāh nā-durāh bitha, mardumē ākhta galōā dastagh jathai kharkenthai. Dātār gwashtai 'Baro, gind-i, chacho-en bandā-en, ēshī nashk (sijill) chi-ant. Daiā ki ākhto ditha, gwashta 'Ēshī sijill ē bandī bandaghānī nēn.' Rusūlā gwashta 'E Arzēl-en, ākhta maiñ sah giraghā. Tho baro gwash kī hazhdah säl maiñ dāñ umra asten, baro azh Hudhā pholā khān.' Dāiā hawān-rāgā gwashta. Arzēlā shutha gwar Hudhā, gwashtai 'Wāzhā! Tha dost gwashaghen ki hazhdah säl maiñ umra dāñ asten; thaī chi hukm-en?' Hudhā pharmaintha 'Baro, maiñ dostār gwash, thaī hazhdahen sälān ya-shafā mi'rāj wakhtā tha gwastaghē; thaī salāh-en ma hazār säl tharā wadaīnān, tha shara' kabūl khanē, thaī wakht hamēsh-en.' Ākhto Arzēlā hawēn-rāgā dasithai. Gwashtai 'Manān manzür-en; gwaz biyā.' Ākhto Arzēlā sēnaghā zor dāthai, sah khashaghā pha. Nabiā gwashta 'Arzēl, tha ki manān zorā dēaghāt, maiñ ummatā di hamikhtareñ zorē dēāi?' Arzēlā gwashta 'Thaī ummatārā ma phancheñ murdānagh zor dēān; tharā ma ya murdānā zor dēaghān.' Gwashta Nabiā 'Har phancheñ murdānagh zorā manān dai, ya murdān zor ummatā dai.' Guðā faut bitha Paighambar.

LIX.

BAYĀN YĀILĪ.

I. BĀNZ O KAPOT.

Bānzē kavot bē-chāragheñ,
Hardo mirāna raptaghant,
Ma Shāha kutā khaptaghant.
Phēshī suwāl bānzā khutha.

—Ji Shāhe-Mardān Yāili!
 Tha bē-shakk manī din-wali,
 Mā chukh shudhiyā ishtaghant,
 Azh Havd-daryā ān kharaghā,
 O ēr-bunen drashkē sarā.
 Ma jhatān dēāna ākh^taghān,
 Jāhē shikārē dast-girān, 10
 Pha guzhnagheṇ chukhān barān
 Main shērī shikārā tho ma zin,
 Ki anhwāl küllān gwar-thav-en.
 —Gudi suwāl khuth^b kauntarā,
 Ji Shāhe-mardān Yāill.
 Tha bē-shakk manī din-wali.
 Chosheṇ anhwāl-en manī.
 Mā chukh shudhiyā ishtaghant,
 O khoh Bamboren sarā. 20
 Khāktān ki chēkhoē chinān,
 Pha guzhnagheṇ chukhān barān,
 Zoreñwarā avristaghān,
 Giptai manān phataghā.
 Nin o guzhnagheṇ bānzār ma dai,
 Añhwāl kullān gwar-thav-en.
 —Gwāñkhē nakhif thihār jaṭha,
 —'Kambar, manī khārchā biyār,'
 Dasti avr zān sarā,
 —'Biyā bānz, tharā gozhdē dēān.' 30
 Chonān wath^b gozhd buritha,
 Mighdār kahni kauntarā,
 Aghdi zarāen ma-sarā.
 Gudā grēghī kapot bē-chāragheṇ.
 —'Ē nēn bānz-en na ma kapot.
 Mā hardo Hudhā phrishtagh-un,
 Pāken Hudhā shastāthaghūn,
 Ān phar thaī äzmütaghā.
 Jawān-en ki giéshtaē sharā!' 39

2. YĀILĪ SAKHĀWAT.

Ahmad Shorān gushī : Yāili sāīn sifatān gushī : Yāili sāīn bahā-biagh rosh gushī.

- Ahmad khaskīth Shāhe-mardānī kissavā,
Shāhe-mardānī kissav, Shāhānī siwat.
Khāi suwālīc, gälēth pha ērmānen dafā,
'Dai manān zarān, ma havd janikh sir-khanān,
Hapt maīn dukhtar nishtaghant ya ās sara,
Māl niyath mārā, hāl niyath ipti lashkarā.'
Yāilia bi Kambarā sohvī gwān'-jathā,
'Kambar bairameñ phāghē band hawēñ phir mard
sara.'
—'Dērav azh khashtaē, ashko khārē paisavān?'
—'Zar manān nēsten, ma tharā bashkishā khanān, 10
Gir manī dastā, khanī bahāi ma kichahān.
Dai hamodhā bān pha sadh mard bahā.
Hastale saken biyārē pha zar dōhaghā.'
Zar khutha Gaurānī malukiānīc janā,
'Ē chi mardē ki bitha pha sadh mard bahā?'
Yāili gälākhta phara durr-chinen dafā,
'Nām-en maīn Haidar, ma hamū khārañ lāik-ān.'
'Zir kuhāravā, baro pha dār buraghā.'
Khākhtān dañ Gaurānī sarini ādānavā,
Whāv-shutha Haidar mañ wathī whāv-shādhīhā, 20
Khaptagho shērān phroshtaghan olāk pha-gwarā,
Sār-khutha Shāh azh wathī whāv-shādhīhā,
Ya phithī olē sai phithī khākhtān azh ladhā,
Gipto ma goshā, ladithaghantī cho syāheñ kharā,
Khākhta dañ Gaurānī sarini darwāzagħā.
Nāraheñ shērān har chyārēnān yag-dafā.
Trakitha mahal khaptaghan cāñi shēr bunā.
—'Dār wathī shērān, mā shahr Musalmān būn yagsarā.'
—'Nim dārān, ki din Muhammadē wadithā.'
Sai pharān kalimo Muhammadā phur-khuthā. 30

Yāili bi Kambarā zīthen gwān'-jathā.

' Biyā tha Kambar, man Madina sāthē barān/
Yak-hazār lēro sha hawān muhrān phur khuthā.
Ān phakir khoreñ nishta ma chyār-rāh sarā,
Ān phakirā azh Murtizā nānē lotithā.

Gwashta Shāhā 'Kambar tho phakirār nānā bi-dai.'

Kambarā gwasht 'Nān ma barki lēravān.'

Gwashta Shāhā 'Lēravā go bārā bi-dai.'

Kambarā gwasht 'Lēro ma katār sar-en.'

Gwashta Shāhā 'Jumlaen katārā bi-bashk.'

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Kambarā shorē zurtha, lokā azh pharīthā,

Hākh pha sultāni daf-o-dēmā jhapithā.

Yāiliā ma Duldul zēnā khandithā,

' Chon-en, O Kambar, thai malighi bālādī halithā ?'

Kambarā gwashta bi wāthi rādhen wāzhahā.

— Mañ kisān-athān, gwashtagan maiñ math-o-phithā,

Khānezāt-e tho Duldulē rādhen wāzhahā-e,

Azh thai bashkān diþho mañ hairān mathaghān,

Nawān go thai bashkān go mazho darbēshān rawān !' 49

LX.

PHIRĀI WARNĀI SHĀR.

Jiwa Kird gushī: imar phirāi warnāi khardē gal
gushi.

Yād khanān Rabbā, kurzatāni malik wadh-e,

Jān mani ranjān azh gunāhān be-jaukhaven,

Hardamē gwānkhan wāhariē Pīr Sāhibe.

Rabb pharmānā khār khanē, banda jāhil e,

Roshaghē phanj-wakhtā namāz jān sihat en,

Mansabē sachoeñ sakhiāni ziādhahen,

Wadh Nabi pākeñ pha badh-o-nēkhān zāmin-en.

— Bandaghē warnāi raghām, 'aish mausim-en,

Bachhakān pahnādhe phaghaz-zireñ phirahen.

Phirāi dast ma kiblē khasēa khutheñ,

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Asaven chāriān huzūriā charithen,
 Trān go ninjen bachhakān warnā khadhen,
 Bāraghen borānī hudhāwand lotāithen,
 Mal go mochī rakhtaghen sanjān pahārithen,
 Phādh ma thāsān doraven jahdī shēfithen,
 Zēn bihānānī gipten; Rabb yād-khuthen,
 Mal go chābuk o khuriān lothārithen,
 Danz go dauliān sarēnī phāghān shuthen,
 Ajariān pha ujarāni dagān jathen,
 Bor sawār khārān pha hukm-pharmānī burthen, 20
 Ma kiblo-khundān har-chyārēnān pholithen,
 Maizileñ syāh-gosheñ samandān dahmolithen,
 Bāraghen borānī dhaniyān drohi jathen,
 Go zamīn-chanden phirahē birān sahr-khuthen,
 Daur-dāwāen phirahē mūri waṭithen,
 Kālivī shikohān azh-dirā jhatithen,
 Lib duhonhā dān gwañkhēa shuthen.
 Gabruā pha phusht demiā pēchithen,
 Phirān nokh-sāj barākhen thēghā jathen,
 Malighi bālādhā judā azh gardan khuthen, 30
 Kanjukhā savzēghā charanz rishā tangithen,
 Bāraghen borān maizilān chandolā burthen,
 Bar bewānā rastharānī hāwā khuthen,
 Langavān shādhkāmī gwārā sardārān jathen,
 Bādshāhān mahal-mārīān biashkhuthen,
 Ummati Rabbā shi balāzīrā chutithen.—
 —Phirēhā waldī datha ki—Gālān gozh-dēāē,
 Shāhiār masteñ, durr-hadiseñ dānā dil ē,
 Ginavān shaitān bētālā aspā charē.
 Dah-sarā wasā Rabb-pharmānā khār khanē, 40
 Mā niyūn ēkhā, jasol bāzān malikē,
 Malkamīth nātharsen, jasolē zorāwar-en,
 Nā-murād vērī, vichorān dostēhā,
 Zor bār' bachhān zareñ, ārifēn phithen,
 Ān hukm jāri-en, polisi¹ ē nāzir-en.

¹ The English word *police*.

Mā hadheñ khāyāñ, daur pha-rashēñ warē,
 Pha dilāñ maskif¹ murādāñ go thatharē,
 Jūfo bilē, tha Hudhāi nāmā diyē.
 —Guđā ma jawāb dāt̄ha āñ balāzireñ phirahē.
 Gabrūani rīmlāsen vēri thav-ē, 50
 Āñ malük-rangeñ sūratāñ badh-hilā khanē,
 Thau miyāithē, cho ki thai chāriē girant.
 Thaukh amīrāni majlisāñ pasandi nāwant!
 Akul o dānāhāñ thiryāl gwānkh janant.
 Shajjanē shāthāñ dañ-damēā zindagh ma-bant,
 Sāmano dēmiā ma-oshtan'; zīthen talant!
 —Ash thau, gurbagheñ rangā, go Arzēā arkāñ gēh-ant,
 Chandehāñ warnā lā-tamāeñ mān-ravant,
 Phirahāñ shikkāñ khanavāñ nokh-sāj khanant,
 Phireñ khaz nēstēñ, lā-sharik banjoghar-ant. 60
 Nodh pha pharmānā Hudhāeghā darishant.
 Basthagheñ abdhāñ Khāwindēghā āfā dēant,
 Hind Sind gwārant, chyāreñ khundāñ shalant.

LXI.

Haidar Bālāchānī gushī: wathī phirahē gushī.

Biyāedh o sālokh-droshameñ bachhāñ,
 O Mazāriē gēdareñ hotāñ,
 Daz-rasā bālādhā ma rangēnē,²
 Azh bihānāni chandanē zēnā,
 Azh amulāni shakhaleñ nyādhāñ,
 Azh amirāni sath diwānāñ,
 Phirehā pahnādhē manāñ dādhā.
 Hēmini mardē pha manī rand-eñ,
 Giptai manī bālādhā malūktyā,
 Ma phēndāñ cho tarzānā mazāriyāñ, 10
 Maiñ zāñ azh mahmēzāñ nariyāñ,
 Bānzik azh phur-khashāñ kamāniyāñ,
 Maiñ dast larzāñ ma simureñ wāgāñ,

¹ Maskif, for Ar. maksūb.

² Cf. XIX., I. 43.

Chambo azh shirazi luren theghān.
 Khushkeñ datħān azh phopulen rakhān,
 Nēñ phroshān cho pheshtareñ roshā.
 Maiñ chham azh direñ gindaghen grān-ant,
 Gwar azh Dāudi zirih o holān.
 Dañ mani bāri ath hadisāni,
 Mā dēravo chyār rāh sarā bastath.
 Maiñ ān kilāt pha daro bandath,
 Har-khadheñ mihmān pha gāl-khāktant.
 Maiñ gwāñkh avo Domb langaveñ mardān,
 Khashtathant shiskān o galē sureh,
 Khārch avo sālwāren gurāndān-ath.
 Dēghchaho bhāttiyān mārā gāh-ath,
 Mā lanjaveñ whān phāgal dāthant,
 Dāthān bī mihmāneñ Balochēnān
 Nosh khuthant gist-sadī ākhtagheñ mardān,
 Ān maiñ go āñhi trāshtagheñ sol-ant,
 Ān maiñ borāni phāgah o sāh-ant,
 Ān mani phanj-wakht namāz jāh-ant.
 Maiñ zēñ avo shirwāren bīhāñān-ath,
 Manān nokareñ mard wasarā thākhtant.
 Mā mir avo māriē sarā dithant,
 Am-nashina go sāhivān nishtān,
 O hamān zilohān chirrakhēnā,
 Nishtagho rāj thoravē basthant.
 Manān bashkitheñ kimkaf o khawā-khāsen.
 Niñ ki azh mirāni darā khākhtān,
 Dañ watjhī miri bandanē rājā,
 Maiñ Marav bāzār ath tanāwāni,
 Sangsila go bukhtaghen joān,
 Gumbaz go Syahāfā giyāfēnā.
 Maiñ bahr go haisiyān mukhi miān.
 Niñ nishtagho duā-goān hawān roshē,
 Shāh mani imānā manān bashki,
 Dañ hamān dēmi-mizilo rāhiyān,
 Guðā Haiderā daur pha sarjamagh wārtha.

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PART VI.

*SHORT SONGS (DASTĀNAGH), CRADLE-
SONGS, PLAY SONGS, RIDDLES.*

LXII.

CRADLE-SONGS.

1.

Lolilo manī phusaghārā,
Whashen whāv manī bachhārā,
Murghē janē sarphost khanī,
Murghē phost manānī phakar-enī,
Zikkī phādhī pha jorēnānī,
Shastānī phar wathī wasiyā,
Gashti pattaro drangi sāh,
Zikkī roghanā zardēnā,
Mēshī dumbaghā gozhdēnā,
Rozī bā' manī bacchānī.
Lolilo bachhērā, thau phir bāthē.

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2.

Ālam Din phul-gudheñ warnā bi,
Bandī har-shashēñ hathyārānī.
Dhāl tūpako kātārā,
Zirī wathī jābah morthēnā,
Shirāzi lura Rindiyā,
Thāshī markavānī trundēnā.
Jaghdālen janānī pharāmi,
Dāth-i dirawānī azēnānī.

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Tharā jarān dēān suhrēnān,
 Zaran dēān naghdēnā, 10
 Hirtheñ poharānī gozhdān,
 Mirzī shakhalān shahreghān,
 Cho Jañi mañ-dilā rāzi bī.
 Go thau hamchosh gäl-khāt,
 ' Rosh ma dighārēn khondā jath,
 Khohāni sarā dolo bī,
 Istār man muzhā sahrā bant.
 Thau sanj khanā wathī markavā trundēnā,
 Hamā drikhokheñ khumēdh chakkā.
 Biyār-i dañ mani pākērā, 20
 Band-i dā munā gazeghā,
 Nind pha mani hil bī.
 Cho Punnū sar-girth jidhā biro',
 Sar-dā bārth wathī gwāmēshān,
 Harragh dāt ni whāv biro'.
 Ma gām o gām khanāna khāyān,
 Khāyān dañ thai bālādhā,
 Nindūn whazhdil o whash-hāla.
 Cho istār bāngohē sahrā bī,
 Mokal dai mani indarā, 30
 Nawān Punnueñ laghor tharī biyāith,
 Nawān randi dāt na hāghā bī.
 Thau baro wathī mēravā Rindiyā.
 Sardār kāshidē shasti dā,
 ' Biyārē rāhzaneñ Ālam Dīnā,
 Main jang-en go doiman jaureñā,
 Dājal o Harrando mardān,
 Zirūn g'horavān grānēnān,
 Jumbēnūn hazarī faujān,
 Bāhān bēl-khanūn honiyān.' 40
 Loltān dēān bachlhārā,
 Bādshāh ki Hudhā āmī khath.

3.

Nāziyā jad̄ha srād̄hen kull,
 Gird Gumbazān jarēnā,
 Syāhāf thanakheñ gazā,
 Wathī phiruk bunindī handā.
 Gwānkāh jath phidh o nākhoāñ,
 Brāthāñ somareñ zangēnāñ,
 Nākhōl mazareñ bachhāñ,
 Tri plusaghen saulēnāñ :

Shawa biyāedh mañ manī chyār-kullā,
 Nodhāñ azh sarīnā bastha, 10
 Nawāñ shwāt miri hathyār misant,
 Nawāñ shwāt murtheñ jābaha namb girth,
 Molid be-nango dī tureñ,
 Gokhāñ mañ-lad̄hā mēshēntha,
 Bagā Güjaro gwāzēntha.
 Loliān deāñ wathī jinikhārā. 16

4.

A PLAYING SONG.

—Falānkhī ! Jinikh loṭāiyant,
 Pha whashen Gumbaz naze khañ.
 —Falānkhī na khāith o janikhāñ !
 Dast ma guzāren khāren.
 Wathī brāth sutanā shalwāri gushāden,
 Ārifā khawāhe doshi,
 Pha nākhoā khamāni jhalē,
 Pha māthā kuchithowen phashki,
 Pha wadh jamaveñ jighi khath. 9

LXIII.

DASTĀNAGHĀN.

1.

Girdēn jānī, man thai rand-ān,
 Saimī sāl-en, man thai rand-ān,
 Ma astān laṅghanān, man thai rand-ān,
 Ma lāf dod-en, man thai rand-ān,
 Ma dil ganokh-en, man thai rand-ān,
 Ma rūhā be-was ān, man thai rand-ān.

2.

Yārān, chotī phulān dai,
 Sherānā salāmā dai.
 Maiñ sohnā dostī vērhān dai,
 Sohnā chotī phulān dai,
 Sohnā mahri pechān dai,
 Sohnā zahmī hulān dai,
 Āfā phir chhāthā biyā,
 Yārā maiñ salāmā dai,
 Dastān band, ghulām-ān thai.

3.

Ji o ji maiñ Bibāl,
 Mēndbē nāl, maiñ Bibāl,
 Gēndhāri khohā, maiñ Bibāl,
 Zangī chhāthā, maiñ Bibāl,
 Phaidhā til, maiñ Bibāl,
 Dilbar lahn, maiñ Bibāl,
 Umarkotā, maiñ Bibāl.

4.

Chalrā thai dast-en, niñ na phirāi;
 Olā maiñ yār-en, niñ na phirāi,
 Thai vērh maiñ dast-en, niñ na phirāi,
 Nēn ath khoṭā, niñ na phirāi.

5.

Zāl gushi.

Chalrā thai nashk-ān, maiñ Allāh bēlī!
Has-ān be-was-ān, manān bhāri neli,
Hawān rūpiā thai nashk-en, maiñ Allāh bēlī,
Khandaghen khand, maiñ dilri khush bi.

Mard gushi.

Sohniā, ēkhā na ravē, maiñ kūnjān tolī.

6.

Mauth nashān garmē thaf-en,
Haur nashān dañz-o-muzh-en,
Ishk nashān brishkhandagh-en.

7.

Nodhān bitha grand,
Lađi kulli trand,
Zangi khutha hand,
Biyāithi dilān band,
Nokhān khutha trand,
Gendhāri khutha hand.

Or,

Gyāndār sarā band.

8.

Zawāren Zarkāni tho g'horav khai-ē?
Shāho sar-muhr-en, g'horav khai-ē?
Gal sar-muhr-en, g'horav khai-ē?
Shēra Bakhmāra, g'horav khai-ē?

9.

Girdeñ jāni thai yār biān,
Maiñ kalāmī-en, thai yār biān,
Ma bol pālān, thai yār biān,

Mēndhēwālī, thai yār biān,
 Rad nazi bī, thai yār biān,
 Phārā cho dārān, thai yār biān,
 Dag dasē, nawān gāt biān.

10.

Jawain dēh Mariēghen,
 Achā dēh Mariēghen !

11.

Bhimbar phādhi thaunkh-en,
 Kalar wāri trāthā,
 Kachhā ya bētā,
 Bhimbar phādhi thaunkh-en.

12.

Vērha kull sahi-en,
 Ravaghi giyal drāhiyā ;
 Tonē ladān tonē nindān,
 Ravaghi-ān drāhiyā ;
 Tonē khandān tonē girayā,
 Ravaghi-ān drāhiyā ;
 Dēmā Jatānī mēr-en,
 Ravaghi-en drāhiyā ;
 Tonē bandān tone phirne,
 Ravaghi-en drāhiyā.

13.

Lah, mañ zālānī sardār,
 Lud, mañ drāhariyā biyā,
 Lai, mañ bolānī sachā,
 Lud, mañ drāhariyā biyā,
 Zālān būlewālī lud,
 Mañ drāhariyā biyā,
 Haroān thai chārī,
 Lud, mañ drāhariyā biyā

14.

Ubhar lauñg būta,
 Sambhar drāhariyā biyā,
 Marda band go tindān,
 Sambhar drāhariyā biyā,
 Tindā band ma mundhā,
 Gudā drāhariyā biyā,
 Mundhā jan ma dhandā,
 Guḍā drāhariyā biyā,
 Roshā thēiyā chāri,
 Sambhar drāhariyā biyā,
 Phēdhā band jhūtā,
 Sambhar drāhariyā biyā,
 Zālā mēndhewālī,
 Sambhar drāhariyā biyā.

15.

Sāvi mard giraghi-en,
 Giraghi-en janaghi-en,
 Rēlā zawār khanaghi-en,
 Sēviā baraghi-en,¹
 Jēl-khāna mān-khanaghi-en,
 Nāi gwān'-janaghi-en,
 Phuṭ-gal ēr-khanaghi-en,
 Rishā gaur-khanaghi-en,
 Charoen gozhd mushaghi-en,
 Nēka nokh khanaghi-en,
 Janaghi-en, giraghi-en.

16.

Chāchi, chhorav topi gār-en,
 Chirān, chhorāv topi gār-en,
 Bhirān, chhorav topi gār-en,
 Rulān, chhorav topi gār-en,

¹ Or, Ēdha Rojhān di baraghi-en.

Chhorav topī dhuggav bār-eñ.
 Khush-ān, chhorav topī dithom,
 Bonsh-ān chhorav topī dithom.

17.

Rejan tili, Mastāni,
 Phopat bi, Mastāni.
 Tupak zurtha badānī,
 Thai mardā man satānī,
 Khard ārān thai dastānī.
 Chalrā dāt̄ha nashkānī,
 Tobān dil maīn, Mastāni,
 Rojhān shahrā, Mastāni,
 Ji o ji maīn Mastāni,
 Thai zar en bāz, Mastāni.

18.

Zawārī trundeñ borānī,
 Yāri sayzeñ mindānī,
 Jhatē phalkē nindānī,
 Girdeñ dēmā gindānī,
 Chireñ thārē sindānī.

19.

Adhrā, thai naukar-ān,
 Halk vērhā sogav-eñ,
 Mard murtha thai zindagh-eñ,
 Shēr puchhā drimbagheñ,
 Drimbaghā māin dav na bi,
 Ās chakhā jhunjagheñ.

20.

Bāragheñ bēlī naukar bān,
 Kadahēñ chhamā naukar bān,
 Valvaleñ jīghā naukar bān.

Savzeñ rakh-en naukar bāñ,
 Sēnagh-gulā naukar bāñ,
 Bāñzūbandāñ naukar bāñ,
 Chitti dandāñ naukar bāñ.

21.

Lahrē lang, khadho phēdhāgheñ,
 Nāri, yārē gindaghā phēdhāgheñ,
 Nāri, vērhā bar, khadho phēdhāgheñ,
 Yār gindaghā phēdhāgheñ,
 Mudho chunijund khadho phēdhāgheñ.

22.

Janari¹ maññ rūh-en-i,
 Khandaghā maññ rūh-en-i,
 Marā thai sareñ go rūh-en-i,
 Marā thai sareñ, mūnjhā na bī,
 Marā thai sareñ, mūnjhā niyāñ,
 Thai nindaghā mūnjhā niyāñ,
 [Thai mar mīrī mūnjhā niyāñ],
 Go tilhaghā maññ rūh-en-i,
 Go nindaghā maññ rūh-en-i,
 Thai gindaghā maññ rūh-en-i,
 Phir bī maññ rūh-en-i,
 Dir bī maññ rūh-en-i.

23 (α).

Go mā drogh khuthā, drohrā,
 Azh mā khard khuthā, drohrā,
 Mā tharā sahi khuthā, drohrā,
 Yārē thi khuthā drohrā,
 Nin lađi bithā, drohrā,
 Azh mā dir bithā, drohrā,
 Nashke phēr-dai bē-hayā.

¹ Or, Būjarū.

23 (b).

Man tharā sahī khuth̄ha, drohrā,
 Yāre thi khuth̄ha, drohrā,
 Nashikē phēr dai, drohrā,
 Chhamā khor biē, drohrā,
 Phādhā lang biē, drohrā,
 Dastān tund biē, drohrā,
 Manān doh nēn, drohrā.

24 (a).

Bagī, mūmalān thaī ling,
 Jhatē indēmā bī nind ;
 Jhatē nar sawādā gind,
 Bagī, indēmā bī nind ;
 Thaī sūratā pasind,
 Bagī, indēmā bī nind.
 Thaī thangaveñ di būl,
 Bagī, indēmā bī nind ;
 Chiē Rabb khārā gind,
 Bagī, indēmā bī nind ;
 Chiē mard daurā gind,
 Bagī, bhirak nazī nind.

24 (b).

Bagī, mumalān thaī ling,
 Bagī, dhuk nazī nind ;
 Chiē Rabb noghā gind,
 Bagī, dhuk nazī nind.
 Thaī suraten pasind,
 Bagī, dhuk nazī nind ;
 Jhatē nar sawādā gind,
 Bagī, dhuk nazī nind ;
 Thaī phopatān chi ling,
 Thaī shēfaghen thaī phonz,
 Bagī, dhuk nazī nind.

Thai lēravāni ling,
Bagī, dhuk nazi nind.

25.

Phirān sor ma sauli bān,
Nāri yār mañ dauri bān,
Chalā gung dai, ghālī dā,
Chalā mēndhanēwālī dā.

26.

Mēhro tili, sadān dhilli,
Mardā bili, go mā tilhi,
Sadān tili, mērhān tili,
Halkān tili, mērhān tili.

27.

Shawā jēdi khanē Allāh,
Mañ yārā Hudhā biyār,
Mañ rūhā bēwas-ān,
Rawān yārē gindān khāyān,
Mañ girdoh thai halaken,
Rawān hā dī janān khāyān,
Shawā gokhē khanē vandi,
Mañ yārē Hudhā biyārā,
Doeñ dastān khanē burzā,
Mañ yārē Hudhā biyārā.

28.

Phādh thai dor khanth, narmiyā biyā,
Juti thai chī khanē, narmiyā biyā,
Bahādhur en thai nām, narmiyā biyā,
Phādh thai dor khanth, narmiyā biyā.

29.

Dilgoshi dār, Thagī, thai mardā mañ sak-ān,
Mañ pattanā gardān, thai mardā mañ sak-ān,
Thai gobar-jan lūhān, thai chunriā drūhān,
Gobar-jan satān, thai mardā mañ jhakān.

30.

Sinnaman Sāhib mañ yār-eñ kullāeñ,
 Zarāñ daūnē ki nathā garāhen,
 Sahtħāñ kullāñ thangav kanāheñ,
 Thangav na biāñ guḍā mārā sunāeñ.

DASTĀNAGHS IN THE JATKĪ DIALECT.

31.

Lāl kirāri bülēwali,
 Kirāri jhamkēwali,
 Kirāri hassiwali,
 Kirāri mēndhiānwali,
 Kirāri shahreñwali.

32.

Dardi āñ ki mardi āñ,
 Dillē jōr bharēndi āñ,
 Sajjī bāñh ludēndi āñ,
 Khabbā pair chulēndi āñ,
 Sina gul karēndi āñ,
 Ruthā yār manēndi āñ,
 Chalrā pāo maiñ tildi āñ,
 Pai kanūñ maiñ dardī āñ,
 Tikkā thi, maiñ valdi āñ.

33.

Yār charhyā rēl-tē, phārat hai yār dā,
 Naukar ē khāñ dā, phārat hai yār dā,
 Yār charhyā bēri-tē, phārat hai yār dā.

A DASTĀNAGH IN KHETRĀNĪ.

34.

Phēroz Shāh ēthāñ thi,
 Nathira bēgā ēthāñ thi,
 Marura begā ēthāñ thi.

LXIV.

BUJHĀRATĀN.

I.

Ya shai jawaiñ ulkahā astā,
 Duzhmanēa rēsēntha-ish khashta,
 Bāng'hawā pahrē rāh sarā gwastha,
 Go minnat mēhrāñ niyadñ dastā,
 Ē bujhārat Brāhimā bastha.

Bozh. Warnāi o phirāi.

2.

Ya shai jawaiñ ulkahā yakā,
 Go jhēravē jangān sadh-barē sakā,
 Har-khasē khāith, jathī wathī chakhā,
 Mañ na gindāni jägahē dhakkā,
 Gosh dānāhā shāra bozh wa hakkā.

Bozh. Chhāth.

3.

Brāhimā phairi gwashtaghā galē,
 Dīthaghāñ chiē, rangā bē-halē,
 Rangeñ kojhā, andar-en lälē.

Bozh. Ās-khoh.

4

Hudhāi kurzat o khārā,
 Zamin nēstath o dighārā,
 Bē-khishtaghen khishhārā,
 Hudhāi kurzat o khārā,
 Sabzo phul bahārā,
 Pha phashaghā dl taiyārā.

5.

Zī khākhtān ba nāmzadhi dagā,
 Bē-sālīn chīē tharathō agā,
 Bithaghān hairān go hamē agā.
 Gind, hamēshī akul o sagā,
 Go janokhān biantī lagā.

6.

Phakhaghen churānī ravāt syāhen,
 Maṇ-bunā saigīst rēzam jāh-en,
 Dān ma burzā hoshaghā druāh-en.

Bosk. Thigni.

7.

Phāro-en shafā khor-en,
 Yakē pha zulm zor-en,
 Pāsāno takor-en,
 Butā dī shā laghor-en.

Bosk. Phuri.

8.

Ya drashkē jorēntha pāken Hudjhān,
 Ma zamin phushtā pha jindeñ razaiā.
 Bund yak-en-i, lāmb-en duaiā,
 Yakē rēkh bitha, yakē sawaiā.

9.

Pyālāē phureñ dītha mā jāhē,
 Ništaghā lāl o nēstathi dāi,
 Pyālāē wārtha lāl shahid bitha,
 Chonān ki kullen alimā dītha.

10.

Do gwahārān dītha ambāzi,
 Ajab khush ant gwar-ambāzi,
 Nēn-i sūratā khami,
 Yakē khor, digar chhami.

11.

Phairi khākhtān pha gidhār,
 Mañ Bakari shahr gwarā,
 Boli ath-i whashen tawār,
 Dastān gipti nar-mazār.

Bosk. Mār.

12.

Doshi manān bānzeñ bihāñ,
 Chārī ma loghāñ bi aghāñ |,
 Sinjānavār rēsēnthaghāñ,

Bosk. Shaf-chirāgh.

13.

Roshē mano bānzeñ bihāñ,
 Khākhtān azh dīren ulkahāñ,
 Guđā mañ dī nazar charēnthaghāñ,
 Mān dītha suhāgen mēhir-en,
 Nyāmā shawāñki mān-ravant,
 Go dast-bahokheñ nēzagħāñ,
 Lāfā go dastān chāñkh khanant,
 Honā ma hirāni girant,
 Akhir dī banda-ish warant.

Bosk. Afim.

14.

(1) Bujhāratē ki Khidr Shāir bastha.

Āshik wasith ma zirih lahrā,
 Māshūk wasith ma hamū shahrā,
 Āpti gindant, ziān khanant khārā.

(2) Husain Hānā Bālāchānī ki bhōrenthal, ērgā gwashta.

Nāmzadheñ Khidr, tha shāir-ē tikkā,
 Pha shitim bānzigari drikkā,
 Azh mān gwar chachon khanē likkā?

Mañ daryā gär-khanē randā,
Di bēh nēlantī bastaghēn bandā,
Tha mañ samundrā ditha chamak-wat̄j,
Ān jahazānī āsinā phati.

15.

Bujhāratē kī Ghulām Muhammād Bālāchānīñ̄ bastha.

Dīthom kilātē bastaghā,
Phureñ azh jauren badhān,
Sar sogaven go duzhanā.
Ē pha mīragh zahr khanant,
Phēshā wathār gār-khanant,
Gudā badhiā sār-khanant.

Bozh. Tiliān dabli.

16.

Roshē Khidr Shāirā band bastha throngal sarā.

- (t) Roshē manān zanden naryān,
Khäkhtān azh direñ ulkahān.
Jangi mirokheñ bidukhān,
Gipta ma baro bē-dihān.
Man di wathī zanden naryān,
Bastha pha trät o chābukan,
Jāhe wasandiē rasan,
Sāh wathiyā dar-barān.

Gudā Husain Hān dī bozhaghēn-i.

- (2) Jāi tho zandeñ naryān,
Shā khäkhtē azh direñ ulkahān,
Nodhān äv-banden jhurān,
Arshi rishokhen throngalān,
Tharā gipto ma baro bē-dihān,
Guðā tha dī wathī zandeñ naryān,
Bastha pha trät o chabulkān,
Jāhe wasandie rasān,
Sāh wathivā dar-barān.

17.

Ya bangulā ē Kaltāri,
 Havd daragh, thi chyār dāri,
 Dānāl ē, tha bozh shon-dārē.

Bozh. Mardumen.

18.

Syāheñ, agha syāh na bī,
 Whasheñ, agha wārth niyāi,
 Charith avo mārākhavāñ,
 Khuli kizānēñ kharghazāñ.

Bozh. Katūri.

19.

Syāheñ mād̄hīn sanj bītha.
 Chukhāñ dil ganj bītha.

Bozh. Thāfagh ki wur bī,
 Guḍā chukh khush bī.

20.

- (a) Gorī ma garāmb khafī.
- (b) Gokh dhikhi, roj phadāth.
- (c) Halk lađi, dēm phadh-ēn-i.

21.

Mälā sar-dai vārā dosh.

Bozh. Mäl bēnagh-mahisk-en.

22.

Savzeñ cho hith-en, charpi cho mēshi dumbaghāñ.
Bozh. Gwan.

23.

Talabi naukar-ant khardē ajab bhat,
 Kadam pha lēkhav-ant-ish khār o khidmat,

Hamē phauj dhurā bē-hathyār-en,
 Phithī phoshindaghān yāk o tawār-en,
 Hamodhā lashkar khosh o khushār-en.

24.

Nishto dīthom pha nadhar,
 Ān shahr be-sāh watan,
 Āhānī adh jang o jadal,
 Nyāmji nawant yakē digar.

25.

Dān ki shāhā parwaren, khapta man logh bunā,
 Nīn ki bandaghān rāzēntha, bitha pha husn o pharā,
 Whash hadis o khush lisān,
 Roth go phulen ambalān.

26.

Hudhā pakho kurzat-en bandā pālith,
 Rusūl Muhammad-en ummat wāli;
 Hazāren bandagh yak-en thāli,
 Chamodhā khas na-roth horg o khāli,
 Hamodhā gipto harchi dī wārtha-ish,
 Hamā whān zurtho loghā dī ārtha-ish,
 Guđā jatho bhorēntha thāli ujārtha-ish.

27.

Zī raptā azh Thāliyā Shahrā,
 Bor bastaghān bēbara sāyā,
 Dān 'sh-awān dānā ki gulā dātha,
 Sharr khumethān ma thiraghā chartha,
 Phithī mani khohī mardumā dost-en,
 Brāth azh grāmbah-en madrikhānē,
 Gohār azh hamrangeñ gahan-bār-en,
 Nām guindānē rahmat-en jānē.

28.

Wilāyat thars-en, dost bar-karār-en,
 Ravaghā gohār kisānaken tāiyār-en,
 Na-rothī māthī, bachhī olā sawār-en,
 Phith nēsten-i, phiruk haiyāt-en.

29.

Sardār ki duz yār bī,
 Nāmūz nāmē gār bī.

30.

Sāhib kī insāf khanant,
 Chandī gunāh māaf khanant,
 Odhā kī sāhib zor khanant,
 Bē gwashtaniyā shor khanant.

31.

Bakhileñ sāhibā khas na 'shī jawāñ.¹

32.

Kahnē litir o phireñ zal,
 Warnā sarā sār-bār.

33.

- (a) Chonāñ phanērāñ sokhtaghāñ, āfā phukāna warāñ.
- (b) Khañāñ sokhta āfā phūki wārth.

34.

Wail, wākyā dukh paighambarāñ biāna ākhtaghant.

¹ Cf. XLIX. 2, L. 18, where this saying is quoted.

THE LANGUAGE OF BALOCHI POETRY.

FOR a general account of the Balochi language I may refer those interested to Professor Geiger's account,¹ which gives a full list of all works on the subject, and to my own text-book, which contains a grammar and vocabulary. I do not wish here to do more than to indicate the points in which the language used in poetry differs from that of ordinary life (specimens of which will be found in the prose narratives included in this volume), and especially to draw attention to those points in which the language of the older poems differs from that of the later compositions.

A conventional poetic dialect appears to have become gradually recognized as the medium of expression, and this has continued with some modifications to the present day in the use of many words and phrases which are not commonly heard in the spoken language.

These words are of two classes: those which formed part of the older language and are now obsolete or obsolescent, and those which never were common, but are introduced by the poets to give variety or picturesqueness to their style. The latter class is drawn mainly from Sindhi, often no doubt dialectical or obsolete Sindhi; and the love-poems contain many unfamiliar Persian words. There are several instances of a word occurring once only, and such words are not always easy of interpretation. In the older poetry we have in addition the survival of old grammatical forms, and an unfamiliar syntax. It is not

¹ In *Grundriss der Iranischen Philologie*, vol. i. pt. 2.

indeed to be supposed that the language of the early sixteenth century has been preserved in its purity. It would be impossible that this should happen in compositions which have never before been reduced to writing and have been handed down by word of mouth for four hundred years. The bards inevitably and unconsciously modify the form and pronunciation of words to suit the standard of their own tribe and period, and a certain modernization must thus have taken place; but, nevertheless, a good deal survives, as will be shown by a comparison of the language of the poems we know to be early with that used in verse of a later date.

The following are the principal points:

(a) In the inflection of nouns the terminations have not always the same force as at present.

The inflection in *ē* has a wider range of meaning than at present. It may be used for the genitive in any position, and not only at the end of a clause as at present. For instance :

Matthe Goharē hirāti. IV. 67.
In exchange for *Gohar's* young camels.

Where the modern language would simply prefix the word *Gohar* without inflection, as :

Gohar hirāti; *Gohar's* young camels.

Sometimes *ē* forms a locative or dative, in neither of which senses it can now be employed, as :

Brahnaghen dānē. XI. (1 a) 1.
On the bare plain.

Wāhi dostē.
To my love.

The termination *ē*, not now found in the inflection of nouns, is also used in the same way as *ē*, as :

Mai lekhavē. XVIII. (2).
A counting of the cattle.

Pha thēghī rāhā. XVII. (7) 21.
With the edge of the sword.

Māthī bachhī. IV. 110.
Mother's son.

Where the modern language would have:

Māl-lēkhavē, thēgh-rāhā, and māth-bachhī.

T may also be used at the end of a clause:

Jangē na dāthom tholaghtī. XVIII. (3).
I did not wage a *jackal's* war.

Kutho kahireñ hangari. XVIII. (2).
A log of kakir-wood charcoal.

Bauf dighārtī thahtaghantī. XVIII. (3)
My pillow was made of *the ground*.

This may be lengthened into *iğhā*, which has an ablative as well as a genitive signification:

Narshēr kotaghīghā khapta. IV. 186.
The tiger fell *into pieces*.

The termination *ānī* is singular as well as plural, and is not confined to the genitive meaning, as:

Chārtī khashtaghantī barānī. IV. 94.
They sent forth spies *into the desert*.

Hāl dostānī. XLIII. 3.
News of my love.

The dative termination *ār* is generally found in the fuller form *ārā*, as:

Cho bi Chākūrārā gwashtai. IV. 187.
Thus he spoke to Chākur,

Nouns which now terminate in a consonant often have the termination *ō*, as:

Hirāntī jaghīno bithā. IV. 46.
A misfortune has fallen on the young camels.

Sārthenī sailaho bor thāshī. IV. 50
Rindo bihāy. The Rind's fillies.

Kutho bangart. A log of charcoal.	VI. 51.
Manān kadro khumēthānī niyath—	XV. 12.
I was not worthy of the bay mares.	

the present forms being jaghin, sailah, Rind, kuth, kadr.

This *o* termination has nothing to do with the *o* found in words borrowed from Sindhi, which is still found, and in Balochi is treated as an integral part of the word, becoming *av* when followed by another vowel.

(b) *Pronouns.*

1st pers. singular. The form *zih* for I occurs once only. This is the Zend *azem*, analogous to the Pashto *zah*.

Mā Rind niyān Lāshār zih-yān.	VI. 57.
I am not a Rind, I am a Lāshāri.	

1st pers. plural. *Mākh*, we (or sometimes I), appears to be an older form of *mā*, and to preserve the guttural of the Zend *ashmākham*:

Mākh na jēnūn alimā.	VI. 35.
I will not have the people slain.	

Mākh-om zahm jāneñ Lashāri.	V. 36.
While we were slaying the Lashāris with our swords.	

Mākh o Nakhifo raptaghūn.	XVIII. (3) 14.
1 and Nakhifo went forth.	

2nd pers. plural. *Shumē* is sometimes found instead of *sharwā*, you. Example:

Bagāñ balā surtha shumē.	X. 14.

Pronominal suffixes. *ē* sometimes takes the place of *i*, as:

Ki man-ē noshān.	XX. 78.
That I may drink <i>it</i> .	

Sardār wāg-ē ishtaghant.	VII. 12.
He let go the chief's bridle.	

ish is often affixed to nouns, as:

Pakhagbeñ dīl dāth- <i>ish</i> wur bitha.	II. 4.
<i>His</i> sickle was laid to the ripened pulse.	

(c) *Adjectives.*

In addition to the termination in *en* used now with an adjective preceding a noun, the form *ān* is also found. More frequently the adjective follows the noun and takes the termination *ēnā* or *ēnān*, sometimes even *ānī*. E.g.:

- Biroth dan birjākā rādhēnā. XVIII. (4) 37.
It goes in (*i.e.* the dagger) up to the trusty hilt.
- Mēsh shi sham-sarā miskēnā. IV. 85.
Sheep from the thymy (*lit.* musky) sham.
- Biyārē kāthulā jaurenā. XXXVII. 32.
Bring the poisoned cup.
- Thau ki shēr bārānī laghorānī. XI. (2) 30.
You are under shameful burdens.

(d) *Verbs.*

The particle *bi* is much more generally prefixed than in the modern language, and its use rather corresponds with that of Makrāni Balochi than with that of the modern northern language, in which it is now confined to the imperative, and occasionally the conditional, of verbs beginning with a vowel, the only others taking it being *waragh*, to eat, and *ravagh*, to go. With these exceptions it is not found with verbs beginning with consonants. Its use in the earlier language was very general. Examples:

- Amsara thiħānī bi-er-rikħtan. XI. (1) 6.
Together with their slaves they alighted.
- Nathū mal bigipt Shāhzāda. XVII. (9) 20.
Nathu may struggle with Shāhzāda.
- Sirmugħi gwāmħshān bicharēnī. XI. (1 a) 11.
Let him pasture the slate-coloured buffaloes.
- Rāje arħ Bhēniya bigardēnħa,
Khoh sarō għajjān bitapēnħha. XL (1 δ) 9.
You turned your tribe away from Bhēni,
And fled over the mountain gorges.

Shartān bi jallakē bicharēnāñ.	XI. (2) 40.
I will spin a top for a wager.	
Biyāeth, shējhā bilaqñāñ.	VIII. 15.
Come, let us march hence.	
Biyāyanto.	XI. (3) 4.
Let them come.	
G'hānoē bigardēnūñ.	XVII. (3) 16.
I will make a slaughter.	
Bimān ki noshān giptaghāñ.	XVII. (7) 22.
Think, what draughts (of grief) I have drunk.	
Malik Sohrīv bigind.	XVII. (8).
Look on Malik Sohrīb.	
Phādhāñ bichukh.	XVII. (8).
Kiss his feet.	

The particle *bī* may be separated from the verb, as :

Gohar bi shawēdhā laqith.	IV. 58.
Let Gohar march hence.	

The negative *na* or *ni* or *ma* with the imperative, when applicable to two verbs, is sometimes expressed only with the second of the two, instead of with the first. Example :

Biyaith o ma loti amrīshā.	XIV. 54.
Let him not come and ask me for a wife.	
Zāñh niyārt khuraghā.	XIV. 24.
She (the mare) will not give birth nor produce a foal.	

In the usual language the prefixes *kh* and *bi* are omitted with negatives, but in poetry with an emphatic negative they are retained, as :

Neñ khiliñ (for neliñ).	IV. 76.
We will not leave.	

Verbal Nouns resembling in form the Persian infinitive in *-tax* or *-dan* are occasionally found, as *gwashtan*, speaking, *dādan*, giving, in the following:

Pha hamē gwashtanā gulḡhā, XXXVII. 89.
On the utterance of this speech.

Ē dādant chīē niyāt, XIV. 56.
There are none of these gifts to be had.

Abnormal forms.

Shortened forms of verbs are occasionally met with, as:

Gwazh-bi, says. IV. 27.

Chākura phurs^t, instead of phursitha. IX. 18.

Zhil-bi, went out.

Burz-bi, ascended. XI. (3) 30.

Gwāh-bant, they appear. XI. (3) 35.

The optative is occasionally found:

Bāth, bā', may he be.

Rozī bā, let him appear. XL. 110.

Loghā thaiyā ās khafā', XXII. 120.
Bora thaiyā dus barā'.

May fire fall upon thy house,
May thieves carry off thy horses.

Suny bāth, sunya rawāth. Vol. I. p. 55.
Let it be barren, may it lie waste.

Nēn gor bāth-i nēn Gandāvagh. IV. 211.
May he have neither grave nor Gandāva.

Thau niyāyathē. XIX. 17.
Would that thou hadst not come.

The participial form in *o*, as *akhto*, come, is often used in the same sense as the participle in *a*, i.e. as an indefinite past tense.

(e) *Prepositions.*

In addition to the prepositions *go*, with; *man*, in; *dan*, till; *pha*, on or by; *ash*, from; *phar*, for; and *gwar*, with,

in possession of, which are still in use, we find *avur* or *wur*, upon, into, and *bi*, to:

These are common in the older verse, and are still found occasionally in modern poetry. Examples:

Dast jath avur barziyā.	XLI.
She puts her hand into the bag.	
Dai bi kadanā zivirēnā.	XVII. (4) 3.
Apply it to the harsh grindstone.	
Gwāñkh jatha jodhān bi kadanā.	VIII. 29.
The warriors called to the women.	

(f) *Epithets.* Descriptive epithets are numerous, and there is a conventional uniformity in their use, as is frequent in ballad poetry in all countries. The principal actors in the epic ballads have their own proper appellations, as in Homeric poetry. Thus, Nodjbandagh is known as *zar-zuwāl*, gold scattering. Gwaharām is *thēghā* or *luren thēghā*, with the sword, or with the sharp sword. Jāro is *jaur-jawāv*, bitter in reply. Bivaragh is *mangahī*, the brave, a term also used for Mīr-Hān, while Chākur himself is simply known as the 'Mir' or the 'Nawāb.' Among women Gohar is the *Maktri*, the shepherdess, and is also known as *durr*, good, while Lelā is called *tāl* or ruby. A father is generally spoken of as *ārif*, venerable; a mother as *makkāh*, respected; brothers and sons are called *bingo* and *saul*, young, or *shāhī*, beloved, and sons are also called *thango-drosham*, golden-fronted, and sometimes simply *drosham*, *thango* being implied.

Mares, more generally ridden than horses by Baloches, are generally spoken of by their colour, the word for mare being understood. Thus we find them called:

Khumēth,	-	Bay.
Bor,	-	Chestnut.
Nill,	-	Grey.
Syāb,	-	Black.
Kulang,	-	Roan.
Savz,	-	Green, i.e. Dun.

Other epithets are *tāzi* and *Arabī*, both meaning Arab; *trund*, spirited; *bāragh*, slender; *bahran*, swift; *shīhan*, tigress; and we find such phrases as *bāraghen bor*, a slender chestnut; *bahrānē tāzi*, a swift Arab; *mazār baur*, a white tiger; *gor-khuslēn syāh*, a wild-ass-slaying black.

When a horse, as distinct from a mare, is spoken of he is called *zanden naryān*, fat or stout horse.

A man's beard is always a *curly beard* (*brinjanēn rish*); a friend or relation is spoken of as *miskāñi* or musk-scented; enemies are *jauren badhān*, bitter (or poisonous) foes.

Swords are known by a great variety of terms, among which *zakhm*, now the common word only occasionally appears. We find *thēgh*, *lur* (sharp), *tur*, *khamīwa*, *Mirāt* or *Mirsī* (i.e. Misri or Egyptian), *Hindī* (or Indian), *Sindhī* or *Sindhuri* (from Sindh), *Shirāzī* (a sword of Shirāz), and these again have their special distinctive epithets, as *mazēn-thapen lur*, wide-wounding sword; *jauharī thēgh*, jewel-like or glittering brand; *sawzen lura*, with green-flashing blade; *arjalen thēgh*, a diamond-like sabre; *saghār*, white-flashing; *napt*, lightning or thunderbolt (which in the earlier poems means a sword, and in the later a firelock); and *bajārī*, a term of doubtful derivation.

The Lashāris scornfully call the Rinds *nawath-rish*, matted beards, and they retaliate by calling the Lashāris thin-beards (*thanakkh-rish*) and *hirth-phādh*, little-feet, meaning no doubt that they were like women. The Rinds are often called *lāl-moshaghen*, red-booted, and the Lashāris sometimes *lāl-jukhtaghen*, red-scabbarded. The phrase *baraghen borān*, with slender chestnuts, is often associated with the Rinds.

The Mazāris are *mazār-potravān* or *sher-potravān*, descendants of tigers, and this form is often used for other tribes, as *Lashār-potravān*, the children of Lashār, i.e. Lashāris; *Mirāl-potravān*, the children of Mirāl, i.e.

the Mirâlis or Buledhis. The Drishials are spoken of as *thangaven* or golden, and also nicknamed *gwand-phâdhagh*, short-footed.

Warriors and heroes are called by a great number of names. *Hot*, the most usual, is in use throughout, while *kungur*, *mangeh*, *manayâni*, *pahlewân*, *jodh* and *khavîh* are common in the older poetry, and *sûrih*, *dâwâgar*, *mirokh*, *malandri*, and *mohari* in the later ballads. Forms like *gêhen mard*, good men; *walharen sûrih*, valiant hero; *jawâvgîr*, demander of answers, are also found.

Bows and arrows are frequently alluded to in the early ballads; the bow (*khamân*) and quiver (*jâbah*) are part of every warrior's equipment. Arrows are known as *thîr* (which in later poetry means a bullet), *gondal*, *tik*, and *sand*. Coats of chain armour, *zirih*, and helmets, *hol*, were worn by the warriors, and their arms were also protected by armour (*dast-kalâr*). Spears were much used (*bal* and *nêzaghi*), and knives and daggers (*khârchi*, *kâtâr*) are also mentioned. We find the epithets *sudhaven bal*, thrusting-spear; *savzen nêzaghi*, green-flashing spear.

Matchlocks or firelocks come in later on, and are known as *tupak* and *napt* (i.e. lightning), while a bullet is *thîr*, formerly an arrow.

ACCENT.

The accent in Balochi is strongly marked, and is of great importance in the correct reading of both prose and poetry.

There are many short words, parts of the verb *to be*, pronominal suffixes, etc., which are of the nature of enclitics and have no independent accent of their own; these are treated in pronunciation as integral parts of the words to which they are attached. In the text I have always shown them as connected with such words by hyphens. On the other hand prepositions prefixed to nouns often take the accent, as in the phrases *phâ-wathân*, among

themselves, and *mā-bunā*, at bottom. The negative *ma* used with imperatives, and the imperative particle *ba* in *bāro* and *bāwar*, the imperatives of *ravagh* and *waragh* follow the same rule.

Certain forms, such as *man-āñ*, I am; *thav-ē*, thou art, have only one accent, but it may fall either on the pronoun or the verb.

These rules apply to prose as well as to poetry. The following examples will illustrate their application in some of the older poems:

Ash-phadhā.	From behind.	II. 12.
Ē go Rindā yagsar-en.		I. 28.
Rind Lashārt mā-bunā brāth-en.		II. 29.
Gōhar phā-zawān gāl-ākhto,		IV. 11.
Zālē bun jāthā-ish shirrānt.		IV. 68.
Gō-mā Lashārt Jhērava mān-en.		IX. 10.
Bivaragh mā-phirā phirēnthat.		IV. 120.
Ya-barē bōshīt, gāl mayā gō-mā.		IX. 58.
Dānā thav-ē.		XXX. 33.
Hār-khasē shī hanchōshī-athant.		XXXIII. 44.
Valanōñ mā-sin, o jāni.		XXXVII. 96.
Paighām gōn-ath-i Rindāni.		XLI. 22.
Kādam pha lēkbav-ant-ish khār-o khidmāt.		LXIV. 23.
Phith nēsten-i.		LXIV. 28.
Dēm-phādhi-en-i.		LXIV. 20.
Mā-sarā bithā.		XI. (3) 6.

Compound words of all classes, whether compounds of nouns with verbal roots or adjectives, or verbs with adverbs prefixed, follow the following rules:

If the first member of the compound is monosyllabic, it takes the accent. If the second member of the compound has more than one syllable, a secondary accent may fall on the second or third syllable.

If the first member of the compound has more than one syllable each member keeps its own natural accent.

Examples:

mehr-sirān.	Head herdsmen.	IV. 16.
dīr-sareñ.	Numerous.	IV. 62.
gwādh-gireñ.	Wind-catching.	IV. 72.
phūr-kashen.	Tightly strung.	LXI. 12.
phādh-kizagh.	To retreat.	IV. 107.
chug-sükhtān.	Grandchildren.	IV. 80.
yāg-rahen.	Of one sort, equal.	IV. 158.
wādh-mireñ.	Natural death.	V. 13.
sār-batākī.	Headstrong.	V. 28.
Chham-jathā dūrr-goshēñ Mabēriya.		IX. 24.
gūr-khanāna.		IX. 59.
ēr-khafī dost.		XLV. 21.
hirth-phādh, thanakh-rishāñ.		XI. (4) 24.
nawath-rishāñ.		XI. (1 &) 12.
katōr-phādhet.		XI. (3) 26.
kurāñ-whāñ.		XII. 22.
Lishār-potravāñ.		XII.

The above are the principal points requiring notice. The normal accent in words of two or three syllables falls on the first syllable, and this is generally adhered to unless the word is affected by one of the rules given above. There are some exceptions when the first syllable is light and the second has a long vowel, as in *saghār*, *kilāt*, but the tendency is always to draw the accent forwards. Occasionally at the end of a line a word normally accented on the first syllable will take the accent on the last for the sake of the rhyme, as in

Chham-āñlyāñ raftaghant grīhāna phādhā.	XXXIII. (1) 57.
Go doēñ dastāñ saro zāñā janāñt.	XXXIII. (2) 15.

where the words *phādhā* and *janāñt* would normally be accented on the first syllable.

GLOSSARY OF RARE AND OBSOLETE WORDS FOUND IN THE POEMS.

THIS glossary must be considered as supplementary to the vocabularies of Balochi already published, such as those contained in my Text-book (1891), and Douie's translation of Hētū Rām's *Bilucht-nama* (1885). There is also a vocabulary in my *Sketch of the Northern Balochi Language* (1881), but it is less complete than that in the text-book.

A.

- Adagh, *ப*. *aditha*, To set up, to erect.
 'Ādhat, *s.* Death, fate.
 'Ādhat, *s.* Custom, manner.
 Af-band, *adj.* Filled with water.
 Aghifim, *s.* Intellect (Ar. 'aql-wa-fahm.)
 Āberzagh, *v.* To tie up, to tether.
 Āhū, *s.* A deer. (P. cf. āśak.)
 Akbat, *adv.* Somehow, anyway.
 Al, *s.* A leader.
 Alidoshari, *s.* Judgment and justice.
 Ar. 'adl-wa-shara'.
 Alkinf, } *s.* Mountain, crag, cliff.
 Alkah, }
 Āman-deagh, *v.* To sharpen or temper a weapon.
 Ārāv, *s.* Rest, quiet (for ārām).
 Ārāvī khanāh, I will remain quiet.
 Arjal, *s.* A diamond. Flashing like a diamond (of a sword).
 Ashkar, An earthen waterpot.
 Ashkar dohagh, To carry water-pots, *i.e.* to fetch water.
 Asti, *s.* A sleeve. See Āstīn.

B.

- Badh, *s.* An enemy.
 Badh, *adj.* Evil, wicked.
 Bahār, *s.* A line, series, row.
 Bairam, *s.* Lightning.
 Bairam, *adj.* White, clean.
 Baithal, *adj.* Strong, hardy.
 Baj, *s.* A kind of cloth. Ar. bazz.
 Bālādh, *s.* Height.
 Bālādh, *s.* Shape, form, figure, face.
 Bala-khash, *s.* A spearman.
 Bambor, *s.* A peak. (Also the proper name of a mountain.)
 Bān, *s.* A peak, mountain.
 Bangul, *s.* A youth, a warrior.
 Bānz, *s.* A hawk. See Bāz.
 Bāsk, *s.* The arm.
 Baur, }
 Bāwar, } *adj.* White, light-coloured.
 Bāzg, *s.* The arm. See Bāsk.
 Be-hidhagh, *adj.* Countless, incalculable.
 Bēm, *s.* Fear.
 Bē-nang, *adj.* Shameless, without honour.
 Bēr, *s.* Enmity. See Bair.

Bhanj, *s.* Splitting.
 Bhanj-bhor, *s.* Splitting and bursting.
 Bhanjoghar, *s.* Breaking and mending.
 Bhar, *s.* Bank of a river.
 Bharjāl, *s.* A warrior.
 Bhāw, *s.* Regard, affection.
 Bhir, *s.* A leap, spring.
 Bhir-āragh, *v.* To spring (as a tiger).
 Bhirak, *interj.* Quick ! hurry !
 Bi, *prep.* To, on.
 Bidukh, *adj.* Fierce. (P. bīdakh.)
 Bingo, *adj.* Youthful, heroic.
 Birjak, *s.* The hilt of a dagger or sword.
 Biro, } *s.* The notch of an arrow.
 Biro, *s.* Scent, musk.
 Bodh, *s.* Feeling, perception.
 Bodh, *s.* Love, beloved.
 Bor-thāshī, *s.* Horse-racing.
 Borī, *s.* A trumpet. (P. burū.)
 Boragh, *p.p.* bokhtā, *v.* To open, untie, unlade, guess (a riddle).
 Brinjan, *adj.* Curled, curly (applied especially to the beard).
 Bun-giragh, *v.* To set on fire.
 Bungrān, *s.* Conflagration.
 Bun-janagh, *v.* To lay the foundation.
 Būjh, *s.* Hair of the head.

C.

Chamak-waṭṭī, *s.* Diamond, adamant.
 Chandēnagh, *v. tr.* To shake. Dil-chandēnagh, To shake the heart, i.e. to be afraid.
 Chant-deagh, *v.* To sprinkle, to splash.
 Chāpagh, *v. intr.* To flash.
 Chapo, *s.* Palm of the hand.
 Charah, *s.* Bucket.

Charāñ, *adj.* Grey.
 Charāñ-rish, Greybeard.
 Charēnagh, *v.* causal of charagh, To cause to go round, to spin (a top), to graze (cattle).
 Chaukh, *s.* The palms of the hands.
 Chēkho, *s.* Peckings for birds.
 Chham-didh, *s.* Sight of the eyes, something worthy of being seen, a remarkable event.
 Chham-kadah, *s.* The eye sockets.
 Chilak, *s.* A token.
 Chindaval, *s.* A hero.
 Chindr, *s.* Fear.
 Chir, *s.* Time, duration, delay.
 Chirāk, *s.* (for chirāgh), Lamp.
 Chirāk-nir (for chirāgh-nir), Lamp-light.
 Chirrakh, *adj.* Dirty, torn.
 Chof khanagh, *v. tr.* To thrash.
 Choto, *s.* A waistcloth, 'langoti.'
 Chundagh, chunditha, *v. tr.* To chew.
 Chunī, *s.* A woman's veil or chadar.
 Chunī-jind, *adj.* With veiled face.
 Chunī, *s.* Hair of the head.

D.

Dabavi, *s.* A milk-seller.
 Daf-phajagh, *v. tr.* To open the mouth wide, to gape.
 Dahmagh, *v. tr.* To summon, to send for.
 Dahmēnagh, *v. tr.* causal of dahmagh.
 Dalekjhī, *adj.* Powerless, unable.
 Dambagh, *s.* Flight.
 Dānā, *adj.* Wise (P.).
 Danagh, *v. intr.* (of animals), To low, to bellow.
 Dapagh, *s.* Sharp edge.
 Dāth, *s.* Sickle (a more correct form than dās).
 Dātār, *s.* The Giver, God.

Daur, *s.* Time, age, season. Daur-dawā, Time-devouring.
 Daur, *s.* Wealth, property.
 Dauri, *adj.* Wealthy.
 Daz, sometimes used for *dast* in composition.
 Démpān (or Dépān), *s.* Protection, guardianship (from dém, face, and pān or bān, protector).
 Dhuk, *interj.* Come here!
 Dilri, *s. dim.* of dil, heart.
 Dradī, *s.* Storm-cloud.
 Drāhārī, *s. dim.* of drāhī, promise.
 Drañz, in the compound sar-drañzai, Hot-headed.
 Drānsagh, *v.* To strike a blow.
 Drausagh, *v. intr.* To tremble.
 Drimbagh, } *v. intr.* To devour, to
 Drimbagh, } ravin.
 Drohārī, *adj. dim.* of drohī, false.
 Drohī, *adj.* False, lying.
 Drūhagh, *v. tr.* To drag.
 Drushādh, *s.* from drushagh, to grind, Grinding of corn, hence a banquet.
 Dul-daryā. See Durr-daryā.
 Duldul, the name of 'Ali's horse, corrupted from the Arabic dhu'-janāb.
 Durr-daryā, *s.* Sea of pearls.
 Durr-gul, *s.* Fair one, wife, mistress.
 Durr-khil, *s.* Firm post or peg.
 Durshād, *interj.* Welcome.
 Dushk, } *s.* Mother-in-law.
 Dushkīsh, }
 Duzhan, *s.* Sting. (P. dūzhanā.)

G.

Gahni, *s.* Slaughter, destruction. See Ghāno.
 Garagh, *v. intr.* To neigh.
 Garokh, *adj.* Neighing.
 Garakhēnagh, *v. tr.* To cause to be slain.

Gaughā, *s.* A child.
 Gaur-khanagh, *v. tr.* To shave.
 Gedār, *adj.* Valiant.
 Gedht, *s.* The people, folk, foreigners, strangers, enemies.
 Gēgh, *s.* State, condition.
 Ghāno, *s.* Slaughter, destruction.
 Ghas, *s.* Shoving, pushing aside.
 Ghut-khanagh, *v. tr.* To stab.
 Gi, *s.* Choice.
 Gi-waragh, *v. intr.* To choose.
 Gil, *s.* A taunt.
 Gināragh, *p.p. gināshta, v. tr.* To hold, take possession of, pull (a bridle).
 Ginavān, *conj.* Perhaps, lest, let not. (See Nawān.)
 Girah, *s.* Weeping. See Grēh.
 Girākh, *adj.* Intoxicating.
 Gird, *adj.* Round.
 Gird-durr, *s.* Round pearl earring.
 Girtagh, *adj.* Grazing, browsing.
 Girdob, *s.* Lover, friend.
 Giyal, *s.* Lover.
 Go, *s.* The hilt of a sword.
 Gobi, *s.* Discussion.
 Gobi-janagh, To discuss.
 Goghā, *s.* A bribe.
 Gonokh, *s.* A fool. See Gannokh.
 Gophānkh, *s.* Cowherd; also the name of a tribe (now Gophāng).
 Gor-khush, *adj.* Slaying wild asses.
 Gosh-bun, *s.* Lobe or tip of the ear.
 Goz, *s.* Boasting.
 Goz-janagh, *v. intr.* To boast.
 Grambah, *s.* A socket (in which a jewel is set).
 Grēainagh, *v. tr.* causal of grēgh, To cause to weep.
 Grēh, *s.* Weeping.
 Grēh-khanagh, *v. intr.* To weep.
 Grīnbagh, } *adj.* Deep, yawning.
 Grīnbokh,

Grof, *s.* Band, troop. (P. *giroh*).
 Guftāragh, *s.* Song, poem.
 Gul, *s.* A flower. *Met.* a fair one, a sweetheart.

Gunās, *s.* Fault, sin. Bē-gunās,
 Faultless.

Gunāsk, *s.* Fault, sin. Be-gunāsk,
 Faultless.

Gunāskār, *s.* Sinner.

Gushādagh, *v. tr.* To sew, mend.

Gwādh-gir, *adj.* Windy.
 Gwarfānd, *s.* Shield (*lit.* breast-protector, from *gwar*, breast, and *fān* or *fān*, protector. Cf. *dempān*, *shefānk*, *gophānk*, etc.).
 Gwarpān,

H.

Halak, *s.* Creature, creation. (Ar. *khalaq*.)

Hanj, *adj.* Graceful, pretty.

Hār, *adj.* Connected with cattle.
 See Hārt.

Hitrēhārt, *s.* Any grazing animal, such as cattle.

Hāren goram, Horned cattle.

Hāri, *s.* Cattle.

Hāri, *adj.* Hungry.

Harmāl, *s.* Flocks and herds.

Hasagh, *p.p.* hastha, *v. intr.* To run.

Hasht, *s.* A high mountain.

Hawash, *s.* Desire.

Hind, *s.* and *adj.* Indian, especially an Indian sword, often used for swords generally.

Hing, *s.* A lover.

Hīrhagh, *v. intr.* To swoop down (as a bird of prey).

Hīrhaghi, *s.* A swoop or dart down.
 Hoi, *interj.* Alas!

Hukam, *s.* The quarters of a horse.

I.

Istēragh, Istinzagh, } *s.* A hailstorm.

J.

Jaghn, *s.* Calamity, misfortune, pestilence.

Jāh, *s.* A place.

Jāhē, Somewhere.

Jār, It is true.

Jalagh, *p.p.* jalitha, *v. intr.* To pass or spend time.

Jalaki, *s.* A top (for spinning).

Jamo, *adj.* Fitting, well-shaped.

Jāndar, *s.* A millstone, mill. See Jandar.

Jasol, *s.* An attack.

Jehal, *adj.* Sharp, keen, cruel.

Jenāf, *s.* Grace, distinction. (Ar. *janāb*.)

Jhakagh, *v. tr.* To frighten.

Jistagh, *v. intr.* To flee.

Jumbainagh, *v. tr.* (causal of jum-bagh), To cause to stay, to halt an army.

K.

Kājan, *s.* A whetstone.

Kahagh, *v. intr.* To say. (This is the Urdu *kahna*, and is found in one place only in the form *kuhtha*.)

Kaif, *s.* Intoxication.

Kaif, *adj.* Drunken, excited.

Kaltār, *s.* Creator.

Kāndhi, *s.* Corpse-bearer at a funeral.

Kanjukh, *s.* The leather thongs of a saddle-girth.

Karabbi, *s.* The stalk of millet or jowar.

Karwali, *adj.* Strong (drink), intoxicating.

Kāthul, *s.* Poison. (Ar. *qātil*.)

Kaul, *s.* Promise, engagement. (Ar. *qaūl*.)
 Kault, *s.* One bound by agreement, a husband or wife.
 Kaunsh, *s.* A cold wind.
 Khād-khanagh, *s. intr.* To eat into, bite.
 Khāndā, for Khāwindā, the Lord (from Pers. *Khāwand*).
 Khamund, *s.* Cliff, rock.
 Kharkāvagh, *s.* Thorns, thorny bush.
 Khasē-potray, *s.* Grandson of somebody, a man of good birth. (Cf. Spanish *hidalgo*, from *hijo d'algo*.)
 Khash, *s.* The armpit. Alāen-khash, under the armpit.
 Khatik, *s.* A woman's bodice or 'choli.'
 Khavīh, *s.* A warrior, mighty man.
 Khawāh, *s.* An overcoat.
 Khāwāragh, *v. intr.* To quench the thirst. (P. *Kuwārdan*.)
 Khēnagh, *v. tr.* causal of *khanagh*, To let do.
 Khēnagh, *v. intr., p.p.* khēntha, To leave, to fail, to abandon; to go out, ascend.
 Khēnagh, *s.* Rage, envy, wrath. (P. *kīna*.)
 Khērī, *s.* Guarding, warding off blows.
 Khēhaviya, } *adj.* Drunken, stupefied, intoxicated. (Ar. *kayft*.)
 Khihaviyā, }

Khil, *s.* A peg, nail.
 Khilagh, *s.* Country.
 Khodi, *s.* Cup. See *Kadah*.
 Khoṭs, *adj.* False.
 Khundal, *s.* Leaf of the dwarf-palm.
 Khupt, *s.* Hip-joint.
 Kivir, *s.* Malice, spite.
 Kuchithagh, *v. tr.* To embroider.

Kull, *s.* A small hut or tent: also, Chyār-kull, a four-sided hut.
 Kuṇḍ, *s.* A log of wood.

L

Ladhar, *adj.* (fr. *ladh*, jungle), Overgrown, surrounded with trees.
 Khajī-ladhāren, Embowered in palm-groves.
 Lafishagh, *p.p.* lafishta, *v. tr.* and *intr.* To kill, to be killed, to devour.
 Lahmen, *adj.* Numerous.
 Lakh, *s.* Knowledge, information.
 Lakha, *prep.* With regard to, on the subject of.
 Lak-pāl, *s.* Protector of thousands (Hindi), occurs once only.
 Lakṛī, *s. dim.* of *lak*, a small plateau.
 Langan, *s.* Hunger.
 Lāng'hav, *s.* A minstrel (Si.).
 Lanjo, *adj.* Full.
 Lāsh, *adj.* Worthy.
 Laughār, *s.* Long hair.
 Lawāh, *v.* They praise (found in this form only).
 Lēla, } *s.* A kid, a goat, a wild goat.
 Lēlra, }

Lend, *s.* Account, reckoning.
 Liḥav, *adj.* Modest (Si. *līha*).
 Lok, *s.* A male camel, a strong camel.
 Lokhm, *adj.* Fine, powdered.
 Loh, *s.* A lullaby.
 Lotāragh, *v. tr.* To urge on, to make a horse gallop.
 Lujan, *adj.* Beloved.
 Lāhagh, *v. tr.* To burn, to scorch.

M

Māfar, *s.* Woman's hair.

- Maghund, *s.* Buttocks.
 Mähaur, *s.* Lines of clouds, strata.
 Mahért, *s.* Herdswoman (applied to Gohar).
 Mahr-wär, *s.* Eater of corpses.
 Mähval, *s.* Saddle.
 Maizar, } *s.* A stage, journey. See
 Maizil, } *s.* Mizil.
 Mal, *s.* Fighter, athlete, wrestler.
 Malhagh, *v. intr.* To crowd, to throng.
 Maishán, *s.* A powerful warrior.
 Manchagh, *p.p.* manchitha, *v. intr.*
 To join battle, to engage.
 Mandri, *s.* Market, bazaar (Si.). Cf.
 H. mandt.
 Mäni, *s.* Bread (a Sindhi word,
 rare).
 Mashänd, *s.* Fear, dread.
 Mawâli, *s.* Drunkard.
 Mehr-sir, *s.* Head herdsman.
 Menagh, *p.p.* mëntha, *v. intr.* To become wet or moist.
 Mésénagh, *p.p.* mésénta, *v. tr.* To moisten.
 Mirat, } *s.* An Egyptian sword, also
 Minzi, } used for a sword generally. (Ar. misrl.)
 Mokho, *s.* Outcry, accusation.
 Moli, *adj.* Wanting, desiring. (Cf.
 Ar. muwla')
 Mughém, *adj.* Great, mighty.
 Mughém, *adj.* Stingy, miserly.
 Munsir, *s.* Funeral banquet.
 Mürl, *s.* A fight, struggle.
 Mürl-wâjagh, To engage in a struggle.
 Murth } *s.* Arrow.
 Morth, }
 Mushág, } *s.* Walnut-bark, used
 Mushág-dár, } by women to give
 a bright colour to
 the lips.
- N.
 Naghor. See Nighor.
 Nalgar, *s.* Narcissus. (P. nargas.)
 Napt, *s.* Lightning. (P. naft.) *Met.*
 a sword in early poetry and a gun in more modern times.
 Naso, *s.* A fowl's beak.
 Nasثار, *adj.* Finer, thinner; comparative of Naz.
 Nath, *s.* Nosering (H.); rare, the ordinary word being *phulah*.
 Nawâñ, *conj.* Perhaps, least. (Probably a contracted form of *gina-avân*. Now the usual word.)
 Nawath, *s.* Pride, honour. (Ar. *nakhwat*.)
 Nawathî, *s.* Felt. (P. namad.)
 Nawath, *adj.* Thick, matted.
 Nawath-rish, With matted beards.
 Naz, *adj.* Fine, thin.
 Nést, *v.* Is not. (Now only found in the plural form *néstant* or *néstén*.)
 Nibéragh, *p.p.* nibértha, *v. tr.* To conquer, overthrow.
 Nigeragh, *p.p.* nigértha, *v. tr.* To slay.
 Nighrân, *adj.* Sad, grieved.
 Nighor, } *s.* Side, direction.
 Naghor, }
 Nimon, *s.* A juggler's trick; by trickery.
 Nodh, *s.* A storm-cloud. *Met.* a sword.
 Nohat, *s.* Beard.
 Nohatâ Janagh, To stroke the beard.
 Nokhsar, *s.* New man, stranger, foreigner.
 Nukh, *s.* Dirt, filth.
- O.
 Ol-ol, *adv.* First of all. (Ar. *awwal*.)

P.

- Pab, *s.* Ball of the foot (Si.).
 Padhakti, *s.* Long hair.
 Pagāst, *adj.* Stopping, hindering.
 Pagħaz, *s.* Chance, opportunity.
 Pagħaż-żir, Destroying chances, taking away opportunities.
 Pahnād̥. See Pahnād̥.
 Palairi, *adj.* With the legs crossed (Si.).
 Pamħan, *s.* Wheat (Si.).
 Pāndh, *s.* Knot, corner or skirt of garment.
 Pārsi, *adj.* Persian, Pārsi lafzā, In the Persian tongue.
 Patēla, *s.* A bier.
 Payāf, *adj.* Beautiful, slender.
 Pēnd, *s.* Fetters, used for camels.
 Phadħ, *adv.* Back, backwards, hind, hence.
 Phadħa, *prep.* Behind or after.
 Phadħ-kizagh, *v. intr.* To retreat.
 Phägħ, *s.* A horse's stall.
 Phägal-dēagh, *v. tr.* To give away.
 Phaldah, *adj.* Mighty.
 Phämbani, Red (only in the phrase phämbaniet luuġt, a red veil, in IV. 198).
 Phän or Fän, in composition only, meaning protector, guardian, or protection, as in shafän-kh, go-phän-kh, däm-pän, gwar-fän-d.
 Pharesthā, *adj.* Polished, shining.
 Phärēnagh, *p.p.* pharēsthā, *v. intr.* To refrain from.
 Philo, *s.* Twisting. (Si. phero.)
 Phewath, *adj.* Answerable, responsible. (P. pivaż.)
 Phirāth, *s.* Complaint. (P. faryād.)
 Phopat, *s.* Butterfly.
 Phur-khash, *adj.* Fully drawn, tightly strung (of a bow).

Phur-khashagh, *v. intr.* To taunt.
 Phuzh, *s.* Wool. (The name of a tribe.)

R.

- Rādh, *adj.* True, trusty.
 Raghħam, *s.* Season, opportunity, time of waiting, threatening weather.
 Raghħam, *s.* Rank, dignity.
 Raikhtu, *adj.* In the phrase rakh-tagħen chham, red or angry eyes.
 Rashēf, *s.* Clearness, thoroughness.
 Pha-rashēf, Pha-rashēfi, Pha-rashēv, } Clearly, thoroughly.
 Rāwach, *s.* A herdsman, messenger.
 Rētagħ, *s.* A scarf, a garment worn over the shoulders.
 Rimiħas, *adj.* Manifest.
 Rodħagh, causal of rudħagh, To bring up, cause to grow, nurse, dandle, to sway, to move.
 Rodħi, *adj.* Apparent, visible.
 Rodħi-biagh, To appear.

S.

- Saghħar, *adj.* White, bright, flashing (of a sword), white-faced (of a horse).
 Sambħalagh, *v. tr.* To keep, take care of (Si.).
 Sanjath, *adj.* Born together, twin.
 Sar-drañ, *adj.* Hot-headed, fiery.
 Sar-għix, *adj.* Circling, encompassing.
 Sar-jamagh, *s.* Completion, comfort.
 Sar-khanagh, *v. intr.* To leave, to place, to set out.
 Sasat, *s.* Goods, property.
 Seal, *adj.* Young.
 Sh. Words beginning with sh, see under Sh. (separate heading).

- Sik, *adj.* Desirous of.
 Sinjānī, *s.* Recognition (Si.).
 Sirmagh, *s.* Powdered antimony used as collyrium for the eyes. (P. surma.)
 Sirmugh, *adj.* The colour of antimony, slate-coloured.
 Som, *s.* Swelling.
 Somar } *s.* Companion.
 Somur } *s.* Companion.
 Sraf, *adj.* Narrow, small.
 Srafī, *prop.* For the sake of.
 Sudhav, } *adj.* Thrusting (applied
Sudhavo,) to a spear).
 Suheīl, *s.* A female companion, concubine.
 Sultānfār, *adj.* Belonging to a sultān, kingly, royal.
- Sh.
- Shagīkh, *s.* Axe of a millstone.
 Shahrak, *s.* A small town, village.
 Shākāragh, *v. intr.* To order, instruct.
 Shalagh, *s. tr.* To rain on, to moisten.
 Shāml, *adj.* Asleep.
 Shāro, *s.* Hatred.
 Shavgur, *adj.* Powerful.
 Shēf, *s.* Lower part, descent, slope.
 Shēf-blagh, *v. intr.* To descend.
 Shēfagh, *p.p.* shipta, *v. tr.* To put in, to put on (a garment), to hide.
 Shēfogh, *adj.* Slender, finely shaped (applied to the nose of a woman).
 Shengal, *adj.* Naked.
 Shēnkerē, *adv.* Weakly, feebly.
 Shēr, *s.* Lion or tiger.
 Shēr-gumbaz, *adj.* Bounding like a tiger.
 Shiagh, *p.p.* shitha, *v. tr.* To eat, devour, to rub away, wear down, to prick, to shear a sheep. Shitha-ghēn phurh, horned wool.
- Shil, *adj.* Sharp.
 Shir-didhagh, *adj.* Milky-eyed.
 Shisk, *s.* A plaited mat.
 Shufagh, *p.p.* shupta, *v. intr.* To be angry.
 Shuptaghiyā, Enraged.
 Shufagh, *v. tr.* To thrash.
- T and T.
- Takar, *s.* A band, assembly.
 Takor, *s.* A gong, drum.
 Tandilān, *s.* Warp and woof.
 Tātā, *s.* Nonsense, idle talk.
 Tatti, *s.* A village.
 Tēk, *s.* Vaunt, brag.
 Tēk, *s.* Arrow, dart, brand.
 Tēkān phuit, Feathered arrows.
 Thāl, } *s.* Tray, dish, hedge round
Thālt, } a threshing-floor.
 Thālār, *adj.* Broad (applied to a shield).
 Thangrū, *adj.* Boasting, bragging.
 Thāod, *s.* Charm or medicine. (Cf. Ar. *ta'widh, charm.)
 Thāri, *s.* Young camel.
 Thāri-mādhagh, Female young camel.
 Thāvdān, *s.* Forge, stove. (P. tābdān.)
 Thēgh, *s.* Sword, sabre. (P. tēgh.)
 Thi-phirē, *adv.* Somewhere else, some other time.
 Thoṛhi, *s.* Beardless wheat (Si.).
 Thosagh, *v.* To extinguish. *In comp.* Māh-thos, extinguishing the moon; pari-thos, eclipsing fairies;—terms applied to women in love poetry.
 Thūni, *s.* A pillar, column. (P. sitūn.)
 Tokh-dēagh, *v. tr.* To clothe, wrap.
 Tokal, *s.* Trust (in God). (For Ar. tawakkul.)

Trād, *s.* Speaking, voice, shout.

Trād-khanagh, *v. intr.* To speak, to shout.

Trafox, *s.* A drop.

Trat, *s.* A stick.

Trinz, *s.* Dripping, dropping.

Triп, *s.* A drop.

Trufan, *s.* Hoof-beats of a horse.

Tulagh, *v. tr.* To weigh, to compare (Si.).

U.

Ubdaht, *s.* Betrothal.

V.

Vādt, *s.* Disputing.

Vaisākh, *s.* Courtyard of a house (W. Panjabī).

Vērh, *s.* A ring.

Vērhā, *s.* A courtyard, enclosure.

Vēri, *s.* Enemy.

Vichoragh, *v. tr.* To separate.

W.

Wa', shortened form of 'wadh' or 'wath,' self.

Wa'-rodhen, *adj.* Self-sounding (applied to a drum).

Wadh-mirī, *s.* Self-dying, i.e. natural death.

Wal, *prep.* On, upon. See Wur.

Walagh, *v. tr.* To wind, twist, bind.

Wās, *s.* Scent, perfume.

Warwaz, *s.* Dream, imagination (Ar. waswās).

Wur, *prep.* On, upon.

Wur-biagh, *v.* To be upon, to be incumbent on.

Wur-khanagh, *v.* To apply, to sprinkle.

Z.

Zaghar, *adj.* Fresh, quick, calm, clear.

Zaghāth, *s.* Alms. (Ar. zakāt.)

Zaghāth-wār, *adj.* Dependent on alms.

Zang, *s.* Glory, beauty, *adj.* glorious, splendid.

Zarib, *s.* Lamentation.

Zaunk, *s.* Delight, pleasure.

Zēdh, *s.* Enemy.

Zēl, *adj.* Empty, bare.

Zēmir, *s.* Song, poem.

Ziloh, *s.* A blanket.

Ziyān, *s.* Hurt, injury, death.

Ziyān-āragh,

Ziyān-khanagh, } To hurt, to kill.

Ziyān-biagh, To be hurt, to die.

Zong, *s.* A strong mare.

Zunhārt, *adj.* Woolly, hairy (sheep and goats).

Zh.

Zhalangēnagh, *v. tr.* To urge on, let go (a horse).

Zhil-biagh, } *v. intr.* To go forward, Zhil-giragh, } to charge.

KEY TO THE PRONUNCIATION.

As Balochi has never been a literary language it has no recognized alphabet of its own. The few Baloches who can read or write have usually received their education through the medium of Persian or Urdu, and employ the Persian alphabet, as used in those languages, when they attempt to write Balochi. But there is no recognized standard or uniformity in its use such as exists in languages like Urdu, Sindhi or Pashto, and no attempt has been made to adapt the Arabic letters to the sounds of the Balochi language. I have, therefore, adhered to the Roman alphabet, as in my former publications on this language. There is a large range of sounds both vowel and consonant, and any adequate representation of them in the Arabic or Persian system of writing is impracticable.

The system followed is, with some slight modifications, one generally understood by Oriental scholars, and corresponds nearly with that laid down till lately in the transliteration scheme of the Royal Asiatic Society.

The modifications found necessary arise from the abundance of dental and guttural sounds.¹

Among the dentals are found the ordinary sounds *t* and *d*, their aspirates *th* and *dh* (as in Sanskrit and modern Indian languages), and *ṭ* and *ḍ* (as in English *breathe* and *breath*). To these we must add the cerebral sounds, *t̄*, *th̄*, *d̄* and *dh̄*, all of which are met with.

In the same way we have the gutturals *k* and *g*, with their aspirates as in Indian languages, and also the spirants *kh* and *gh*, as found in Arabic and Persian.

I have endeavoured to indicate all these sounds correctly without undue multiplication of diacritical marks. The *gh* sound (*ghain*) has been left without underlining, as it is extremely common, and never

¹ For a full discussion of the sounds, see Geiger's *Lautlehre des Baluchi*, Munich, 1891, also *Die Sprache der Balutschen in Grundriss d. Iranischen Philologie*, 1898.

occurs initially, while the Indian aspirated *g* only occurs initially in a few borrowed Indian words. There is, therefore, no danger of the two sounds being confused.

ALPHABETICAL TABLE OF SOUNDS.

[The letters in Column I. are those used in this book; those in Column II. are the corresponding signs in the *Oxford English Dictionary*; and those in Column III. are the signs used in *Grundriss d. Iranischen Philologie*.]

I.	II.	III.
a	(v)	a The short obscure vowel corresponding to the <i>a</i> of Sanskrit and the <i>fatka</i> of Arabic, as the <i>u</i> in English <i>run, summer</i> .
ā	(ā and a)	ā Long as in <i>almes</i> , or the short broad sound as in Ger. <i>Mann</i> .
b	(b)	b As in European languages.
bh	(bh)	b aspirated, found only in borrowed Indian words.
ch	(tʃ)	č As in Eng. <i>church</i> , Spanish <i>hecho</i> .
chh		č The same sound aspirated.
d	(d)	d The dental <i>d</i> as found in Persian and Indian languages.
dh		d' The same sound aspirated. Only in borrowed Indian words.
dh	(ð)	ð The sound of <i>th</i> in Eng. <i>with, breathe</i> , of Mod. Greek <i>ð</i> , and Arabic <i>ð dh</i> . Never found as an initial, only as a medial and final.
ɖ	(ɖ)	ɖ The cerebral Indian sound, like English <i>d</i> .
ɖh		ɖ' The same aspirated. These cerebrals are mainly found in borrowed Indian words.
e	(e, ē)	e Short open e, as in English <i>ten, moment</i> .
ē	(e and ē)	ē Long e, as in English <i>there, survey</i> . Open e before r, otherwise close.
f	(f)	f As in European languages generally. Not found as an initial.
g	(g)	g As in <i>go</i> .
g'h		g' g aspirated as in Indian languages. Only found in a few borrowed words.

r	rr.	III.	
gh	(γ)	γ	The Arabic and Persian <i>ghain</i> , Ger. <i>g</i> in <i>sagen</i> . Never found as an initial, very common as a medial and final.
h	(h)	h	The simple aspirate.
ḥ		ḥ	The strong Arabic aspirate (ḥ). Only used for Arabic proper names. In borrowed words ordinarily it becomes h.
i	(i)	i	The short open i as in Eng. <i>hill</i> .
ī	(ī)	ī	The long ī, as Eng. <i>ee</i> in <i>see</i> .
j	(dʒ)	J	As j in Eng. <i>judge</i> .
jh		J'	The same aspirated. Only in borrowed Indian words.
k	(k)	k	As Eng. k.
kh		k'	k aspirated, as in the Indian languages.
ḳh	(χ)	X	As Persian Ḳā, Ger. ch.
t	(t)	t	The ordinary sound of t.
m	(m)	m	The ordinary sound of m.
n	(n)	n	The ordinary sound of n.
ṇ		ṇ	The cerebral Indian ṇ.
ñ	(ñ)	ñ	below the vowel, as ñ Gives a nasalized sound to the vowel (<i>anussvāra</i>).
o	(ə, ö)	ö	The sound of close o; open before r.
p	(p)	p	The ordinary sound of p.
ph	(ph)	p'	The same, aspirated as in the Indian languages.
q		q	Used for the Ar. qaf. in proper names. In borrowed Arabic words it is replaced by k.
r	(r)	r	The ordinary trilled r.
ṛ		ṛ	The cerebral ṛ as in Modern Indian languages.
s	(s)	s	The ordinary sound of s, as in <i>song</i> , <i>glass</i> .
š		š	Arabic ش. Only found in proper names. Usually becomes s.
sh	(ʃ)	t	As Eng. sh, Ger. sch, Fr. ch.
t		t'	The dental t, as in Indian languages and Persian.
th		t'	The same aspirated as in Indian languages.

L	IL	III.
th	(þ)	θ Eng. <i>th</i> in <i>heath</i> , Greek θ, Ar. <i>th</i> , ظ. Never found as an initial.
t	(t)	t The Indian cerebral sound, Eng. <i>t</i> .
þ		t' The same aspirated. These cerebrals are found in borrowed Indian words.
‡		‡ Ar. ل is used in proper names only. It generally becomes <i>t</i> .
u	(u)	u The short <i>u</i> , as in Eng. <i>full</i> .
ü	(ü)	ü The long <i>u</i> , as in Eng. <i>frugal</i> .
v		w Purely labial <i>v</i> (as heard dialectically in Ireland). As Punjābi and Sindhi <i>v</i> .
w	(w)	v As Eng. <i>w</i> (Urdu and Arabic <i>w</i>).
wh	(hw.)	v' Pronounced <i>hw</i> , as Eng. <i>wh</i> .
y	(y)	y As Eng., French and Spanish <i>y</i> consonant; German and Italian <i>j</i> .
z	(z)	z The sonant sound of <i>z</i> . Eng. and Fr. <i>z</i> .
zh	(ʒ)	ʒ As French <i>j</i> , Persian <i>ژ</i> ; Eng. <i>s</i> in <i>treasure</i> .
ȝ or ȝ		ȝ As Ar. ﻕ and ل become ȝ, and are used only in Arabic proper names.

DIPHTHONGS.

ai	(ai)	ai As Eng. <i>i</i> in <i>line</i> , <i>ai</i> in <i>aisle</i> , Ger. <i>ei</i> .
au	(ou)	au As Eng. <i>eu</i> or <i>ow</i> in <i>foul</i> , <i>cow</i> ; Ger. and It. <i>au</i> .

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OF the poems in this collection a certain number are anonymous. These are Nos. I, II, IV, V, VI, VII, XII, XVIII (1), XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII, XXX, XXXI, XXXIV, XXXV, XXXVII, XL, XLVII, XLVIII, XLIX, LII, LVII, LIX, LXII, LXIII, and the greater part of the riddles included under LXIV. The remaining sixty-five poems are ascribed to the following authors :

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Bālāch, Gorgézh,	-	-	-	XVIII, (2 and 3).
Bashkālī, Sūrihānī,	-	-	-	I, (2).
Bijar, Rind,	-	-	-	XVII, (1, 5 and 7).
Bivaragh, Rind,	-	-	-	XX, XXXVIII.
Brāhim, Shambānl,	-	-	-	LIII, LXIV, (1 to 5).
Chākur (Mir),	-	-	-	XI, (2, 4 and 5), XIII, (1).
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Dostēn,	-	-	-	XII.
Durrak (Jām), Dombkt,	-	-	-	XLII, XLIII, XLV, XLVI.
Gāhi, Kaloi,	-	-	-	XXXIII, (2 and 4).
Gbulām Muhammād, Bālāchānī,	-	-	-	LXIV, (15).
Gwaharām (Mir),	-	-	-	XI, (1a, 1b and 3).
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Hājikhān, Dodāl,	-	-	-	XVII, (6).
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Hārin, Saidiānī,	-	-	-	XXXII, (1).
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Jāro, Phuzh,	-	-	-	XIII, (2).
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Khidr,	-	-	-	LXIV, (14, 1; 16, 1).

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