

Jalandhara said:—

30-31. After uplifting the wheel, I shall be killing you with your Gaṇas. Like Garuḍa killing the serpents I shall kill all the people in the world along with the gods. I can destroy the mobile and immobile along with Indra. O lord Śiva, who is there in the three worlds that can escape being pierced by my arrows ?

32. Even in my childhood, lord Brahmā had been defeated by my vigour. That powerful Brahmā is in my abode now along with the sages and leading gods.

33. Within a trice, the entire universe of the mobile and immobile has been burnt by me. O Śiva, what can be done by you or by your penance? Even lord Brahmā has been defeated.

34. Indra, Agni, Yama, Kubera, Vāyu, and Varuṇa and others were unable to endure my valour like the serpents unable to bear even the odour of the lord of birds.

35. O Śiva, I have never been obstructed either in the heaven or on the earth. I have gone over all the mountains and crushed all the leading Gaṇas.

36. To remove the itching sensation in my arms I have hit the lofty mountain Mandara, the glorious mountain Nila and the lustrous mountain Meru.

37. Just for the sport the river Gaṅgā was checked by me on the Himālaya mountain. Even my servants were victorious over the gods, my enemies.

38. I seized the submarine fire²³⁴ and closed its mouth when the entire ocean became one single unit instantaneously.

39. Airāvata and other elephants have been hurled into the ocean. Lord Indra along with his chariot has been thrown by me a hundred Yojanas away.

40. Even Guruḍa has been bound by me along with Viṣṇu by means of the serpent noose. Urvaśī²³⁵ and other women have been imprisoned by me.

234. The submarine fire (Baḍavā) is a flame with the head of a horse that consumes the water of the rivers falling into the ocean. When it is incapacitated, the water overflows the shore and drowns the universe. The entire units of creation are then drawn together and remain invisible in the ocean.

235. The celestial damsels, Urvaśī, Rambhā, Menakā, Tilottamā and others are the symbols of heavenly beauty.