divyair âpâna-samgîtaiḥ parihâsaiç ca peçalaiḥ Marubhûty-ârjava-kritai ramate sma ca teshu saḥ. 22 māsa-mātram uvâsa 'evaṃ krīḍann udyâna-bhûmishu Naravâhanadatto 'tra çvaçrû-vidyâ-vibhûtibhiḥ. 23 tato devocitair vastrair alankâraiç ca pûjitaḥ, sabadhûkaḥ sahāmâtyaḥ Kāñcanaprabhayâ tayâ 24 âyayau sa vimânena tenạiva saha sânugaḥ Kauçâmbîṃ, sahito badhvâ pitror dattekshanotsavaḥ. 25

tatra Vasavadattaya Vatsarajasya ca 'agratah Alankaravatim aha mata sa Kancanaprabha: 26 «duhkham sthapyas tvaya bharta na 'irshya-kopena jatucit, «tat-papa-jo hi virahah, putri, gadhanutapa-krit. 27 «irshyavatya maya purvam duhkham yat sthapitah patih, «tato 'dya paçcattapena dahye, tasmin gate vanam.» 28 ity uktva, tam samaçlishya vashpa-samruddha-netraya Kancanaprabhaya jagme, kham utpatya, nijam puram. 29

tatas tasmin dine yate, pratah kritva 'ucitah kriyah Naravahanadatte 'tra sthite sva-sacivanvite, 30 Alankaravatî-parçvam praviçyaiva vilasinî eka 'abravîd: «bhîta-bhîta, devi, strî; raksha raksha mâm! 31 «esha hi brahmano hantum agato mam vahih sthitah; «etad-bhayat pravishţa 'aham palayya çaranarthinî.» 32 «ma bhaishîr! brûhi vrittantam: ko 'yam? kim tvam jighansati?» iti prishţa ca sa vaktum bhûya eva pracakrame: — 33

Açokamâlâ nàma 'aham asyàm eva puri, prabho, Balasenābhidhānasya kshatriyasya 'atmasambhava. 34 så 'aham kanya sati purvam rupa-lubdhena yacita Hathaçarmâbhidhânena viprena 'arthavatà pituh. 35 « na 'aham durâkritim ghora-mukham icchamy amum patim; «datta na 'ase grihe 'sya», 'iti pitaram ca 'aham abruvam. 36 tac çrutvậpy akarot tâvad Hathaçarmâ grihe pituh prâyam, yâvad aham dattâ tena 'asınai badha-bhîrunâ. 37 tato vivâhya 'anicchantîm apy anaishît sa mâm dvijah, aham gatà ca, tam tyaktvaiva, 'anyam kshatriyaputrakam. 38 so 'bhibhûto 'rtha-samdarpâd yat tena Hathaçarmanâ, tad dvitîyo mayâ kshatrakumâro dhanavân critah; 39 tasya tena 'agninâ râtrau gatvaiva 'uddîpitam griham. tatas tena vimuktā 'aham tritīyam kshatriyam gatā; 40 tasyapy adîpitam tena niçi veçma dvijanmana. tatas tenậpy abam tyakta samprapta kandiçikatam, 41 jambukâd avikâ 'iva, atha bibhyatî hantu-kâmatah Hathaçarma-dvijât tasmât padât padam amuñcatah. 42 ihaiva yushmad-bhrityasya balino Vîraçarmanah râjaputrasya dâsîtvam çaranyasya 'aham âçrayam. 43 tad buddhvá, mayi nairácya-vidhuro viraháturah tvag-asthi-çeshah samvritto Hathaçarma sa durmatih. 44