«kâ 'iyam? kim aindavî mûrtih? kântis tasyâ divâ kutah? Ratir vâ vadi, kva Kâmah? kanyakâm tad avaimy aham, 102 «atra râja-grihe kâpi divyâ çâpa-cyutâ bhavet; «jâne janmântare ca 'abhûd nûnam sakhyam mama 'etayâ. 103 aetad hi me vadaty asyâm atisnehâkulam manah. «tad yuktam kartum etâm me svayamvara-sakhîm nunah.» 104 iti samcintya bâlâyâs tasyâh samtrâsa-çankayâ Somaprabhâ sâ gaganâd alakshitam avâtarat. 106 manushya-kanyakâ-bhâvam âçritya 'âçvâsa-kâranam, sâ 'asyâh Kalingasenâyâh çanair upasasarpa ca. 106 «dishtya rajasuta kapi svayam atyadbhutakritih casau mama 'âgatâ pârcvam, ucitâ 'iyam sakhî mama, » 107 iti tad-darçanâd eva vicintya, 'utthâya ca 'âdarât, Kalingasenapy alingat sa tam Somaprabham tada. 108 upavecva ca papraccha kshanad anyaya-namanî; «vakshyàmi sarvam, tishtha!» 'iti tâm ca Somaprabha 'abravît. 109 tatah katha-kramenaiva vaca sakhvam abadhvata tàbhyam ubhabhyam anyonyam hastagraha-purahsaram. 110 atha Somaprabhâ 'avâdît: «sakhi, tvam râjakanyakâ; «rājaputraih samam sakhyam kricchrad apy ativahyate; 111 «alpenâpy aparâdhena te hi kupyanty amàtraya. «râjaputra-banikputra-kathâm, crinv, atra vacmi te: 112

Nagaryam Pushkaravatyam Gudhasenabhidho nripah asit, tasya ca jato 'bhud eka eva kila 'atmajah. 113 sa rajaputro driptah sann ekaputrataya cubham acubham vapi yac cakre, pita tasya 'asahishta tat. 114 bhramyata 'upavane jatu drishtas tenaiva putrakah banijo Brahmadattasya sva-tulya-vibhavakritih. 115 drishtva ca sadyah so 'nena svayamvara-suhrit kritah; tadaiva ca 'eka-rupau tau jatau raja-banik-sutau. 116 sthatum na cekatuh kshipram tav anyonyam adarcanam. acu badhnati hi prema prag janmantara-samstavah. 117 na 'upabhunkte sma tam bhogam rajaputrah kadacana, banikputrasya yas tasya na 'adav eva 'upakalpitah. 118

ekadâ, suhridas tasya niçcitya 'udvâham âditaḥ, Ahichatram vivâhâya sa pratasthe nripâtmajaḥ. 119 mitrena tena sâkam ca gajậrûdhaḥ sasainikaḥ gacchann, Ikshuvatî-tîram prâpya sâyam samâvasat. 120 tatra candrodaye pânam âsevya, çayanam çritaḥ arthito nijayâ dhâtryâ kathâm vaktum pracakrame. 121 upakrânta-katho jahre çrânto mattaç ca nidrayâ, dhâtrî ca tadvat; so 'py âsît snehâj jàgrad baniksutaḥ. 122 tataḥ supteshu ca 'anyeshu strînâm iva mithaḥ-kathâ gagane çuçruve tena banikputrena jâgratâ: 123