ity uktva karayitvaiva tat tatah çringa-mansatah, tasyai Gunavarayai sa curna-migram bhishag dadau. 17

tatas tasya 'atha navatir devyo rājño navādhikāḥ āsan sagarbhāḥ, kāle ca sarvāḥ sushuvire sutān. 18 arvāg-upātta-garbhā ca sā sarvottama-lakshaṇam prasūte sma mahādevī paçcād Guṇavarā sutam. 19 çringa-mānsa-rasotpannam nāmnā Çringabhujam ca tam pitā Vîrabhujaç cakre rājā krita-mahotsavaḥ. 20 vardhamānaḥ saha 'anyais tair bhrātribhir, vayasā param kanishṭhaḥ so 'bhavat teshām, guṇair jyeshṭhatamas tv abhūt. 21 kramāt sa rājaputraç ca rūpe Kāma-samo 'bhavat, dhanurvede 'rjuna-samo, Bhīmasena-samo bale. 22 tataḥ saputrām sutarām drishṭvā Vīrabhujasya tām priyām Guṇavarām rājño, devyo 'nyā matsaram yayuḥ. 23

atha tâsv Ayaçolekhâ nâma râjñî durâçayâ, sammantrya tàbhir anyâbhih saha kritvâ ca samvidam 24 samastâbhih sapatnîbhis, tam râjânam grihâgatam mrishâ-dhrita-mukha-glânih pricchantam kricchrato 'bravît: 25 « âryaputra, katham nâma sahase griha-dûshanam? « parasya rakshitâ 'avadyam, na rakshasy âtmanah katham? 26 «yah Surakshita-nama 'ayam antahpurapatir yuva, «tat-saktâ hi tvadîyâ 'eshâ râjñî Gunavarâ kila. 27 «tad-anyasya na lâbho 'sti sauvidallâbhirakshite «antahpure 'tra puńso yad, ato 'sau tena samgatâ. 28 « sarvantahpure ca 'etat prasiddham iha giyate. » ity uktah sa tayâ râjâ dadhyau ca vimamarça ca, 29 gatvâ ca 'ekaikaço râjîîr anyâh papraccha tâh kramât, tâc ca tasmai tathaiva 'ûcuh sarvâ racita-kaitavâh. 30 tatah sa matimân râjâ jita-krodho vyacintayat: atayoh sambhavyate na 'etat, pravadaç ca 'ayam idriçah; 31 «tarhy aniccitya kâryo me pratibhedo na kasyacit, «yuktyâ tu parihâryau tau sampraty antam avekshitum.» 32 iti niçcitya so 'nyedyur âsthâne 'ntahpurâdhipam Surakshitam tam âhûya krita-kopah samabhyadhât: 33 «brahmahatyâ tvayâ, pâpa, kritâ, 'ity avagatam mayâ; «tat tvâm akrita-sat-tîrthayâtram na drashtum utsahe.» 34 tac çrutvâ tam samudbhrântam, «brahmahatyà kuto mayâ «krita, deva?» 'iti jalpantam sa raja punar abravît: 35 «må sma dharshtyam kritha! gaccha Kaçmiran papa-naçanat, « yatra tad Vijayakshetram, Nandikshetram ca pavanam, 36 «Vârâham yatra ca kshetram, ye pûtâh Çârngapâninâ, « dhatte nama Vitasta 'iti vahantî yatra Jahnavî, 37 « yatra tad Mandapakshetram, yatra ca 'Uttaramanasam; « tat-tîrthayâtrâ-pûto mâm punar drakshyasi, na 'anyathâ. » 38 evam uktvå tam avaçam visasarja Surakshitam sa yuktyâ tîrthayâtrâyâm dûram Vîrabhujo nripah. 39