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(1.) pratāpavīraśrīnaranārasihyadevasya<2> pravaddha(rddha)māna vija-

(2.) yarājya saṃvatsa[ra] 2 śrāi . ri(ṛ)ṣabha śukla pornnami soma-

(3.) vāramuna . śrīkūrmmanāthuni bhogaparīkṣā narasi-

(4.) ṃhyadāsu pa ḍitula addhi(dhi)kāramuna narasihyapurā-

(5.) na[mā]ru majī tanaku āyuṣkāmyārtthamugāṇu(nu) śrīku (kū)-

(6.) mmanāthunki peṭṭina modālu 25 . akhaṃḍadīpamu 1 .. ī

(7.) ddha(dha)mmamuṇa(na)ku tirupati śrīvaiṣṇamā(va) rakṣa .. śrī śrī ..

<1. On the east face of the nineteenth pillar, in the Tirchuttu maṇḍapa of this temple.>

<2. Probably he is Narasimha-III whose reign started from A. D. 1327-8. The present inscription gives the first regnal year of the king. So, the corresponding date should be the 23rd May, 1328 A. D., Monday. The Paurnami tithi started in the evening.>