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The Briginal Frisian Text

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# TRANSLATOR'S PREFACE.

The work of which I here offer an English translation has excited, among the Dutch and German literary societies, a keen controversy in regard to its authenticity—a controversy not yet brought to a conclusion, some affirming that it contains internal evidence of truth, while others declare it to be a forgery. But even the latter do not insist on its being the work of a modern fabricator. They allow it to be one hundred, or perhaps one hundred and fifty, years old. If they admit that, I do not see why they refuse it a greater antiquity; and as to the improbability of the stories related in it, I refer the reader to the exhaustive inquiry in Dr Ottema's Preface.

Is it more difficult to believe that the early Frisians, being hardy and intrepid marine adventurers, sailed to the Mediterranean, and even proceeded farther, than that the Phœnicians sailed to England for tin, and to the Baltic for amber? or that a clever woman

became a lawgiver at Athens, than that a goddess sprang, full grown and armed, from the cleft skull of Jupiter?

There is nothing in the narratives of this book inconsistent with probability, however they may vary from some of our preconceived ideas; but whether it is really what it pretends to be—a very ancient manuscript, or a more modern fiction—it is not the less a most curious and interesting work, and as such I offer it to the British public.

In order to give an idea of the manuscript, I have procured photographs of two of its pages, which are bound with this volume.

I have also followed Dr Ottema's plan of printing the original Frisian opposite to the translation, so that any reader possessing a knowledge of the language may verify the correctness of the translation.

In addition to the Preface which I have translated, Dr Ottema has written two pamphlets on the subject of the Oera Linda Book (1. Historical Notes and Explanations; 2. The Royal Academy and Het Oera Linda Bok), both of which would be very valuable to any one who wished to study the controversy respecting the authenticity of the work, but which I have not thought it necessary to translate for the present publication.

There has also appeared in the "Deventer Courant" a series of twelve letters on the same subject. Though written anonymously, I believe they are from the pen of Professor Vitringa. They have been translated into German by Mr Otto.

The writer evidently entered upon his task of criticism with a feeling of disbelief in the authenticity of the book; but in his last letter he admits that, after a minute examination, he is unable to pronounce a positive conviction either for or against it.

His concluding remarks are to the following effect:—

"If the book is a romance, then I must admit that it has been written with a good object, and by a clever man, because the sentiments expressed in it are of a highly moral tendency; and the facts related, so far as they can be controlled by regular history, are not untruthful; and where they deal with events of which we have no historical records, they do not offend our ideas of possibility or even probability."

WM. R. SANDBACH.

# INTRODUCTION.

C. OVER DE LINDEN, Chief Superintendent of the Royal Dockyard at the Helder, possesses a very ancient manuscript, which has been inherited and preserved in his family from time immemorial, without any one knowing whence it came or what it contained, owing to both the language and the writing being unknown.

All that was known was that a tradition contained in it had from generation to generation been recommended to careful preservation. It appeared that the tradition rests upon the contents of two letters, with which the manuscript begins, from Hiddo oera Linda, anno 1256, and from Liko oera Linda, anno 803. It came to C. over de Linden by the directions of his grandfather, Den Heer Andries over de Linden, who lived at Enkhuizen, and died there on the 15th of April 1820, aged sixty-one. As the grandson was at that time barely ten years old, the manuscript was taken care of for him by his aunt, Aafje Meylhoff, born Over de Linden, living at Enkhuizen, who in August 1848 delivered it to the present possessor.

Dr E. Verwijs having heard of this, requested permission to examine the manuscript, and immediately recognised it as very ancient Fries. He obtained at the same time permission to make a copy of it for the benefit of the Friesland Society, and was of opinion that it might be of great importance, provided it was not supposititious, and invented for some deceptive object, which he feared. The manu-

script being placed in my hands, I also felt very doubtful, though I could not understand what object any one could have in inventing a false composition only to keep it a secret. This doubt remained until I had examined carefully-executed facsimiles of two fragments, and afterwards of the whole manuscript—the first sight of which convinced me of the great age of the document.

Immediately occurred to me Cæsar's remark upon the writing of the Gauls and the Helvetians in his "Bello Gallico" (i. 29, and vi. 14), "Græcis utuntur literis," though it appears in v. 48 that they were not entirely Greek letters. Cæsar thus points out only a resemblance—and a very true one—as the writing, which does not altogether correspond with any known form of letters, resembles the most, on a cursory view, the Greek writing, such as is found on monuments and the oldest manuscripts, and belongs to the form which is called lapidary. Besides, I formed the opinion afterwards that the writer of the latter part of the book had been a contemporary of Cæsar.

The form and the origin of the writing is so minutely and fully described in the first part of the book, as it could not be in any other language. It is very complete, and consists of thirty-four letters, among which are three separate forms of a and u, and two of e, i, y, and o, besides four pairs of double consonants—ng, th, ks, and gs. The ng, which as a nasal sound has no particular mark in any other Western language, is an indivisible conjunction; the th is soft, as in English, and is sometimes replaced by d; the gs is seldom met with—I believe only in the word segse, to say, in modern Fries sidse, pronounced sisze.

The paper, of large quarto size, is made of cotton, not very thick, without water-mark or maker's mark, made upon a frame or wire-web, with not very broad perpendicular lines.

An introductory letter gives the year 1256 as that

in which this manuscript was written by Hiddo overa Linda on foreign paper. Consequently it must have come from Spain, where the Arabs brought into the market paper manufactured from cotton.

On this subject, W. Wattenbach writes in his "Das Schriftwesen im Mittelalter" (Leipzig, 1871), s. 93:—

"The manufacture of paper from cotton must have been in use among the Chinese from very remote times, and must have become known to the Arabs by the conquest of Samarcand about the year 704. In Damascus this manufacture was an important branch of industry, for which reason it was called Charta Damascena. By the Arabians this art was brought to the Greeks. It is asserted that Greek manuscripts of the tenth century written upon cotton paper exist, and that in the thirteenth century it was much more used than parchment. To distinguish it from Egyptian paper it was called Charta bombicina, gossypina, cuttunea, xylina. A distinction from linen paper was not In the manufacture of the cotton paper yet necessary. raw cotton was originally used. We first find paper from rags mentioned by Petrus Clusiacensis (1122-50).

"The Spaniards and the Italians learned the manufacture of this paper from the Arabians. The most celebrated factories were at Jativa, Valencia, Toledo, besides Fabriano in the March of Ancona."\*

In Germany the use of this material did not become very extended, whether it came from Italy or Spain. Therefore the further this preparation spread from the East and the adjoining countries, the more necessity there was that linen should take the place of cotton. A document of Kaufbeuren on linen paper of the year 1318 is of very doubtful genuineness. Bodman considers the oldest pure

<sup>\*</sup> Compare G. Meerman, Admonitio de Chartæ nostralis origine. Vad. Letteroef. 1762. P. 630.

J. H. de Stoppelaar, Paper in the Netherlands. Middelburg, 1869. P. 4.

linen paper to be of the year 1324, but up to 1350 much mixed paper was used. All carefully-written manuscripts of great antiquity show by the regularity of their lines that they must have been ruled, even though no traces of the ruled lines can be distinguished. To make the lines they used a thin piece of lead, a ruler, and a pair of compasses to mark the distances.

In old writings the ink is very black or brown; but while there has been more writing since the thirteenth century, the colour of the ink is often grey or yellowish, and sometimes quite pale, showing that it contains iron. All this affords convincing proof that the manuscript before us belongs to the middle of the thirteenth century, written with clear black letters between fine lines carefully traced with lead. The colour of the ink shows decidedly that it does not contain iron. By these evidences the date given, 1256, is satisfactorily proved, and it is impossible to assign any later date. Therefore all suspicion of modern deception vanishes.

The language is very old Fries, still older and purer than the Fries Rjuchtboek or old Fries laws, differing from that both in form and spelling, so that it appears to be an entirely distinct dialect, and shows that the locality of the language must have been (as it was spoken) between the Vlie and the Scheldt.

The style is extremely simple, concise, and unembarrassed, resembling that of ordinary conversation, and free in the choice of the words. The spelling is also simple and easy, so that the reading of it does not involve the least difficulty, and yet with all its regularity, so unrestricted, that each of the separate writers who have worked at the book has his own peculiarities, arising from the changes in pronunciation in a long course of years, which naturally must have happened, as the last part of the work is written five centuries after the first. As a specimen of antiquity in language and writing, I believe I may venture to say that this book is unique of its kind.

The writing suggests an observation which may be of great importance.

The Greeks know and acknowledge that their writing was not their own invention. They attribute the introduction of it to Kadmus, a Phenician. The names of their oldest letters, from Alpha to Tau, agree so exactly with the names of the letters in the Hebrew alphabet, with which the Phenician will have been nearly connected, that we cannot doubt that the Hebrew was the origin of the Phenician. But the form of their letters differs so entirely from that of the Phenician and Hebrew writing, that in that particular no connection can be thought of between them. Whence, then, have the Greeks derived the form of their letters?

From "thet bok thera Adela folstar" ("The Book of Adela's Followers") we learn that in the time when Kadmus is said to have lived, about sixteen centuries before Christ, a brisk trade existed between the Frisians and the Phenicians, whom they named Kadhemar, or dwellers on the coast.

The name Kadmus comes too near the word Kadhemar for us not to believe that Kadmus simply meant a Phenician.

Further on we learn that about the same time a priestess of the castle in the island of Walcheren, Min-erva, also called Nyhellenia, had settled in Attica at the head of a Frisian colony, and had founded a castle at Athens. Also, from the accounts written on the walls of Waraburch, that the Finns likewise had a writing of their own—a very troublesome and difficult one to read—and that, therefore, the Tyrians and the Greeks had learned the writing of Frya. By this representation the whole thing explains itself, and it becomes clear whence comes the ex-

terior resemblance between the Greek and the old Fries writing, which Cæsar also remarked among the Gauls; as likewise in what manner the Greeks acquired and retained the names of the Finn and the forms of the Fries writing.

Equally remarkable are the forms of their figures. We usually call our figures Arabian, although they have not the least resemblance to those used by the Arabs. The Arabians did not bring their ciphers from the East, because the Semitic nations used the whole alphabet in writing numbers. The manner of expressing all numbers by ten signs the Arabs learned in the West, though the form was in some measure corresponding with their writing, and was written from left to right, after the Western fashion. Our ciphers seem here to have sprung from the Fries ciphers (siffar), which form had the same origin as the handwriting, and is derived from the lines of the Juul?

The book as it lies before us consists of two parts, differing widely from each other, and of dates very far apart. The writer of the first part calls herself Adela, wife of Apol, chief man of the Linda country. This is continued by her son Adelbrost, and her daughter Apollonia. first book, running from page 1 to 88, is written by Adela. The following part, from 88 to 94, is begun by Adelbrost and continued by Apollonia. The second book, running from page 94 to 114, is written by Apollonia. Much later, perhaps two hundred and fifty years, a third book is written, from page 114 to 134, by Frethorik; then follows from page 134 to 143, written by his widow, Wiljow; after that from page 144 to 169 by their son, Konereed; and then from page 169 to 192 by their grandson, Pages 193 and 194, with which the last part must have begun, are wanting, therefore the writer is He may probably have been a son of Beeden. unknown.

On page 134, Wiljow makes mention of another writing of Adela. These she names "thet bok thêra sanga (thet

boek), thêra tellinga," and "thet Hellênia bok;" and afterwards "tha skrifta fon Adela jeftha Hellênia."

To fix the date we must start from the year 1256 of our era, when Hiddo overa Linda made the copy, in which he says that it was 3449 years after Atland was sunk. This disappearance of the old land (âldland, âtland) was known by the Greeks, for Plato mentions in his "Timæus," 24, the disappearance of Atlantis, the position of which was only known as somewhere far beyond the Pillars of Hercules. From this writing it appears that it was land stretching far out to the west of Jutland, of which Heligoland and the islands of North Friesland are the last barren remnants. This event, which occasioned a great dispersion of the Frisian race, became the commencement of a chronological reckoning corresponding with 2193 before Christ, and is known by geologists as the Cimbrian flood.

On page 80 begins an account in the year 1602, after the disappearance of Atland, and thus in the year 591 before Christ; and on page 82 is the account of the murder of Frana, "Eeremoeder," of Texland two years later—that is, in 589. When, therefore, Adela commences her writing with her own coming forward in an assembly of the people thirty years after the murder of the Eeremoeder, that must have been in the year 559 before Christ. the part written by her daughter Apollonia, we find that fifteen months after the assembly Adela was killed by the Finns in an attack by surprise of Texland. This must accordingly have happened 557 years before Christ. Hence it follows that the first book, written by Adela, was of the year 558 before Christ. The second book, by Apollonia, we may assign to about the year 530 before Christ. The latter part contains the history of the known kings of Friesland, Friso, Adel (Ubbo), and Asega Askar, called Black Adel. Of the third king, Ubbo, nothing is said, or rather that part is lost, as the pages 169 to 188 are missing. Frethorik, the first writer, who appears now, was a contemporary of the occurrences which he relates, namely, the arrival of Friso. He was a friend of Liudgert den Geertman, who, as rear-admiral of the fleet of Wichhirte, the sea-king, had come with Friso in the year 303 before Christ, 1890 years after the disappearance of Atland. He has borrowed most of his information from the log-book of Liudgert.

The last writer gives himself out most clearly as a contemporary of Black Adel or Askar, about the middle of his reign, which Furmerius states to have been from 70 before Christ to 11 after the birth of Christ, the same period as Julius Cæsar and Augustus. He therefore wrote in the middle of the last century before Christ, and knew of the conquest of Gaul by the Romans. It is thus evident that there elapsed fully two centuries between the two parts of the work.

Of the Gauls we read on page 84 that they were called the "Missionaries of Sydon." And on page 124 "that the Gauls are Druids." The Gauls, then, were Druids, and the name Galli, used for the whole nation, was really only the name of an order of priesthood brought from the East, just as among the Romans the Galli were priests of Cybele.

The whole contents of the book are in all respects new. That is to say, there is nothing in it that we were acquainted with before. What we here read of Friso, Adel, and Askar differs entirely from what is related by our own chroniclers, or rather presents it in quite another light. For instance, they all relate that Friso came from India, and that thus the Frisians were of Indian descent; and yet they add that Friso was a German, and belonged to a Persian race which Herodotus called Germans (Γερμάνιοι). According to the statement in this book, Friso did come from India, and with the fleet of Near-

chus; but he is not therefore an Indian. He is of Frisian origin, of Frya's people. He belongs, in fact, to a Frisian colony which after the death of Nijhellenia, fifteen and a half centuries before Christ, under the guidance of a priestess Geert, settled in the Punjab, and took the name of Geertmen. The Geertmen were known by only one of the Greek writers, Strabo, who mentions them as Γερμάνες, differing totally and entirely from the Βραχμάνες in manners, language, and religion.

The historians of Alexander's expeditions do not speak of Frisians or Geertmen, though they mention Indoscythians, thereby describing a people who live in India, but whose origin is in the distant, unknown North.

In the accounts of Liudgert no names are given of places where the Frieslanders lived in India. We only know that they first established themselves to the east of the Punjab, and afterwards moved to the west of those rivers. It is mentioned, moreover, as a striking fact, that in the summer the sun at midday was straight above their heads. They therefore lived within the tropics. We find in Ptolemy (see the map of Kiepert), exactly 24° N. on the west side of the Indus, the name Minnagara; and about six degrees east of that, in 22° N., another Minnagara. This name is pure Fries, the same as Walhallagara, Folsgara, and comes from Minna, the name of an Eeremoeder, in whose time the voyages of Teunis and his nephew Inca took place.

The coincidence is too remarkable to be accidental, and not to prove that Minnagara was the headquarters of the Frisian colony. The establishment of the colonists in the Punjab in 1551 before Christ, and their journey thither, we find fully described in Adela's book; and with the mention of one most remarkable circumstance, namely, that the Frisian mariners sailed through the strait which in those times still ran into the Red Sea.

In Strabo, book i. pages 38 and 50, it appears that Eratosthenes was acquainted with the existence of the strait, of which the later geographers make no mention. It existed still in the time of Moses (Exodus xiv. 2), for he encamped at Pi-ha-chiroht, the "mouth of the strait." Moreover, Strabo mentions that Sesostris made an attempt to cut through the isthmus, but that he was not able to accomplish it. That in very remote times the sea really did flow through is proved by the result of the geological investigations on the isthmus made by the Suez Canal Commission, of which M. Renaud presented a report to the Academy of Sciences on the 19th June 1856. that report, among other things, appears the following: "Une question fort controversée est celle de savoir, si à l'époque où les Hebreux fuyaient de l'Egypte sous la conduite de Moïse, les lacs amers faisaient encore partie de la mer rouge. Cette dernière hypothèse s'accorderait mieux que l'hypothèse contraire avec le texte des livres sacrés, mais alors il faudrait admettre que depuis l'époque de Moïse le seuil de Suez serait sorti des eaux."

With regard to this question, it is certainly of importance to fall in with an account in this Frisian manuscript, from which it seems that in the sixteenth century before Christ the connection between the Bitter Lakes and the Red Sea still existed, and that the strait was still navigable. The manuscript further states that soon after the passage of the Geertmen there was an earthquake; that the land rose so high that all the water ran out, and all the shallows and alluvial lands rose up like a wall. This must have happened after the time of Moses, so that at the date of the Exodus (1564 B.C.) the track between Suez and the Bitter Lakes was still navigable, but could be forded dryfoot at low water.

This point, then, is the commencement of the isth-

mus, after the forming of which, the northern inlet was certainly soon filled up as far as the Gulf of Pelusium.

The map by Louis Figuier, in the "Année scientifique et industrielle" (première année), Paris, Hachette, 1857, gives a distinct illustration of the formation of this land.

Another statement, which occurs only in Strabo, finds also here a confirmation. Strabo alone of all the Greek writers relates that Nearchus, after he had landed his troops in the Persian Gulf, at the mouth of the Pasitigris, sailed out of the Persian Gulf by Alexander's command, and steered round Arabia through the Arabian Gulf. As the account stands, it is not clear what Nearchus had to do there, and what the object of the further voyage was. If, as Strabo seems to think, it was only for geographical discovery, he need not have taken the whole fleet. One of two ships would have sufficed. We do not read that he returned. Where, then, did he remain with that fleet?

The answer to this question is to be found in the Frisian version of the story. Alexander had bought the ships on the Indus, or had had them built by the descendants of the Frisians who settled there—the Geertmen and had taken into his service sailors from among them, and at the head of them was Friso. Alexander having accomplished his voyage and the transport of his troops, had no further use for the ships in the Persian Gulf, but wished to employ them in the Mediterranean. He had taken that idea into his head, and it must be carried into He wished to do what no one had done before him. For this purpose Nearchus was to sail up the Red Sea, and on his arrival at Suez was to find 200 elephants, 1000 camels, workmen and materials, timber and ropes, &c., in order to haul the ships by land over the isthmus. work was carried on and accomplished with so much zeal and energy that after three months' labour the fleet was launched in the Mediterranean. That the fleet really came to the Mediterranean appears in Plutarch's "Life of Alexander;" but he makes Nearchus bring the fleet round Africa, and sail through the Pillars of Hercules.

After the defeat at Actium, Cleopatra, in imitation of this example, tried to take her fleet over the isthmus in order to escape to India, but was prevented by the inhabitants of Arabia Petræa, who burnt her ships. (See Plutarch's "Life of Antony.") When Alexander shortly afterwards died, Friso remained in the service of Antigonus and Demetrius, until, having been grievously insulted by the latter, he resolved to seek out with his sailors their fatherland, Friesland. To India he could not, indeed, return.

Thus these accounts chime in with and clear up each other, and in that way afford a mutual confirmation of the events.

Such simple narratives and surprising results led me to conclude that we had to do here with more than mere Saga and Legends.

Since the last twenty years attention has been directed to the remains of the dwellings on piles, first observed in the Swiss lakes, and afterwards in other parts of Europe. (See Dr E. Rückert, "Die Pfahlbauten;" Wurzburg, 1869. Dr T. C. Winkler, in the "Volksalmanak," t. N. v. A. 1867.) When they were found, endeavours were made to discover, by the existing fragments of arms, tools, and household articles, by whom and when these dwellings had been inhabited. There are no accounts of them in historical writers, beyond what Herodotus writes in book v. chapter 16, of the "Paeonen." The only trace that has been found is in one of the panels of Trajan's Pillar, in which the destruction of a pile village in Dacia is represented.

Doubly important, therefore, is it to learn from the writing of Apollonia that she, as "Burgtmaagd" (chief of the virgins), about 540 years before Christ, made a journey

up the Rhine to Switzerland, and there became acquainted with the Lake Dwellers (Marsaten). She describes their dwellings built upon piles—the people themselves—their manners and customs. She relates that they lived by fishing and hunting, and that they prepared the skins of the animals with the bark of the birch-tree in order to sell the furs to the Rhine boatmen, who brought them into commerce. This account of the pile dwellings in the Swiss lakes can only have been written in the time when these dwellings still existed and were lived in. In the second part of the writing, Konerèd oera Linda relates that Adel, the son of Friso (± 250 years before Christ), visited the pile dwellings in Switzerland with his wife Ifkja.

Later than this account there is no mention by any writer whatever of the pile dwellings, and the subject has remained for twenty centuries utterly unknown until 1853, when an extraordinary low state of the water led to the discovery of these dwellings. Therefore no one could have invented this account in the intervening period. a great portion of the first part of the work—the book of Adela—belongs to the mythological period before the Trojan war, there is a striking difference between it and the Greek myths. The Myths have no dates, much less any chronology, nor any internal coherence of successive The untrammelled fancy develops itself in every poem separately and independently. The mythological stories contradict each other on every point. "Les Mythes ne se tiennent pas," is the only key to the Greek Mythology.

Here, on the contrary, we meet with a regular succession of dates starting from a fixed period—the destruction of Atland, 2193 before Christ. The accounts are natural and simple, often naïve, never contradict each other, and are always consistent with each other in time and place. As, for instance, the arrival and sojourn of Ulysses with the

Burgtmaagd Kalip at Walhallagara (Walcheren), which is the most mythical portion of all, is here said to be 1005 years after the disappearance of Atland, which coincides with 1188 years before Christ, and thus agrees very nearly with the time at which the Greeks say the Trojan war took place. The story of Ulysses was not brought here for the first time by the Romans. Tacitus found it already in Lower Germany (see "Germania," cap. 3), and says that at Asciburgium there was an altar on which the names of Ulysses and his father Laërtes were inscribed.

Another remarkable difference consists in this, that the Myths know no origin, do not name either writers or relaters of their stories, and therefore never can bring forward any authority. Whereas in Adela's book, for every statement is given a notice where it was found or whence it was taken. For instance, "This comes from Minno's writings—this is written on the walls of Waraburch—this in the town of Frya—this at Stavia—this at Walhallagara."

There is also this further. Laws, regular legislative enactments, such as are found in great numbers in Adela's book, are utterly unknown in Mythology, and indeed are irreconcilable with its existence. Even when the Myth attributes to Minos the introduction of lawgiving in Crete, it does not give the least account of what the legislation consisted in. Also among the Gods of Mythology there existed no system of laws. The only law was unchangable Destiny and the will of the supreme Zeus.

With regard to Mythology, this writing, which bears no mythical character, is not less remarkable than with regard to history. Notwithstanding the frequent and various relations with Denmark, Sweden, and Norway, we do not find any traces of acquaintance with the Northern or Scandinavian Mythology. Only Wodin appears in the person of Wodan, a chief of the Frisians, who became the

son-in-law of one Magy, King of the Finns, and after his death was deified.

The Frisian religion is extremely simple, and pure Mo-Wr-alda or Wr-alda's spirit is the only eternal, unchangeable, perfect, and almighty being. Wr-alda has created everything. Out of him proceeds everything—first the beginning, then time, and afterwards Irtha, the Earth. Irtha bore three daughters—Lyda, Finda, and Frya—the mothers of the three distinct races, black, yellow, and white-Africa, Asia, and Europe. As such, Frya is the mother of Frya's people, the Frieslanders. She is the representative of Wr-alda, and is reverenced accordingly. Frya has established her "Tex," the first law, and has established the religion of the eternal light. The worship consists in the maintenance of a perpetually-burning lamp, foddik, by priestesses, virgins. At the head of the virgins in every town was a Burgtmaagd, and the chief of the Burgtmaagden was the Eeremoeder of the Fryasburgt of Texland. The Eeremoeder governs the whole country. The kings can do nothing, nor can anything happen without her advice and approval. The first Eeremoeder was appointed by Frya herself, and was called Fasta. we find here the prototype of the Roman Vestal Virgins.

We are reminded here of Velleda (Welda) and Aurinia in Tacitus ("Germania," 8. Hist., iv. 61, 65; v. 22, 24. "Annals," i. 54), and of Gauna, the successor of Velleda, in Dio Cassius (Fragments, 49). Tacitus speaks of the town of Velleda as "edita turris," page 146. It was the town Mannagarda forda (Munster).

In the county of the Marsians he speaks of the temple Tanfane (Tanfanc), so called from the sign of the Juul. (See plate I.)

The last of these towns was Fastaburgt in Ameland, temple Foste, destroyed, according to Occa Scarlensis, in 806.

If we find among the Frisians a belief in a Godhead

and ideas of religion entirely different from the Mythology of other nations, we are the more surprised to find in some points the closest connection with the Greek and Roman Mythology, and even with the origin of two deities of the highest rank, Min-erva and Neptune. Minerva (Athénè) was originally a Burgtmaagd, priestess of Frya, at the town Walhallagara, Middelburg, or Domburg, in Walcheren. And this Min-erva is at the same time the mysterious enigmatical goddess of whose worship scarcely any traces remain beyond the votive stones at Domburg, in Walcheren, Nehallenia, of whom no mythology knows anything more than the name, which etymology has used for all sorts of fantastical derivations.\*

The other, Neptune, called by the Etrurians Nethunus, the God of the Mediterranean Sea, appears here to have been, when living, a Friesland Viking, or sea-king, whose home was Alderga (Ouddorp, not far from Alkmaar). His name was Teunis, called familiarly by his followers Neef Teunis, or Cousin Teunis, who had chosen the Mediterranean as the destination of his expeditions, and must have been deified by the Tyrians at the time when the Phenician navigators began to extend their voyages so remarkably, sailing to Friesland in order to obtain British tin, northern iron, and amber from the Baltic, about 2000 years before Christ.

Besides these two we meet with a third mythological person—Minos, the lawgiver of Crete, who likewise appears to have been a Friesland sea-king, Minno, born at Lindaoord, between Wieringen and Kreyl, who imparted to the Cretans an "Asagaboek." He is that Minos who, with his brother Rhadamanthus and Æacus, presided as

<sup>\*</sup> Min-erva was called Nyhellenia because her counsels were ny and hel, that is, new and clear. In Paul's epitome of S. Pomponius Festus, de verborum Significatione, we find "Min-erva dicta quod bene moneat." See Preller, Roman Mythology, p. 258.

judges over the fates of the ghosts in Hades, and must not be confounded with the later Minos, the contemporary of Ægeus and Theseus, who appears in the Athenian fables.

The reader may perhaps be inclined to laugh at these statements, and apply to me the words that I myself have lately used, fantastic and improbable. Indeed at first I could not believe my own eyes, and yet after further consideration I arrived at the discovery of extraordinary conformities which render the case much less improbable than the birth of Min-erva from the head of Jupiter by a blow from the axe of Hephæstus, for instance.

In the Greek Mythology all the gods and goddesses have a youthful period. Pallas alone has no youth. She is not otherwise known than adult. Min-erva appears in Attica as high priestess from a foreign country, a country unknown Pallas is a virgin goddess, Min-erva is a to the Greeks. The fair, blue-eyed Pallas, differing thus in Burgtmaagd. type from the rest of the gods and goddesses, evidently belonged to Frya's people. The character for wisdom and the emblematical attributes, especially the owl, are the same for both. Pallas gives to the new town her own name, Athènai, which has no meaning in Greek. Min-erva gives to the town built by her the name Athene, which has an important meaning in Fries, namely, that they came there as friends—" Athen."

Min-erva came to Attica about 1600 years before Christ, the period at which the Grecian Mythology was beginning to be formed. Min-erva landed with the fleet of Jon at the head of a colony in Attica. In later times we find her on the Roman votive stones in Walcheren, under the name of Nehallenia, worshipped as a goddess of navigation; and Pallas is worshipped by the Athenians as the protecting goddess of shipbuilding and navigation.

Time is the carrier who must eternally turn the "Jol" (wheel) and carry the sun along his course through the

firmament from winter to winter, thus forming the year, every turn of the wheel being a day. In midwinter the "Jolfeest" is celebrated on Frya's Day. Then cakes are baked in the form of the sun's wheel, because with the Jol Frya formed the letters when she wrote her "Tex." The Jolfeest is therefore also in honour of Frya as inventor of writing.

Just as this Jolfeest has been changed by Christianity into Christmas throughout Denmark and Germany, and into St Nicholas' Day in Holland; so, certainly, our St Nicholas' dolls—the lover and his sweetheart—are a memorial of Frya, and the St Nicholas letters a memorial of Frya's invention of letters formed from the wheel.

I cannot analyse the whole contents of this writing, and must content myself with the remarks that I have made. They will give an idea of the richness and importance of the contents. If some of it is fabulous, even as fabulous it must have an interest for us, since so little of the traditions of our forefathers remains to us.

An internal evidence of the antiquity of these writings may be found in the fact that the name Batavians had not yet been used. The inhabitants of the whole country as far as the Scheldt are Frya's people—Frieslanders. The Batavians are not a separate people. The name Batavi is of Roman origin. The Romans gave it to the inhabitants of the banks of the Waal, which river bears the name Patabus in the "Tabula Pentingeriana." The name Batavi does not appear earlier than Tacitus and Pliny, and is interpolated in Cæsar's "Bello Gallico," iv. 10. (See my treatise on the course of the rivers through the countries of the Frisians and Batavians, p. 49, in "De Vrije Fries," 4th vol. 1st part, 1845.)

I will conclude with one more remark regarding the language. Those who have been able to take only a superficial view of the manuscript have been struck by the polish of the language, and its conformity with the present Friesland language and Dutch. In this they seem to find grounds for doubting the antiquity of the manuscript.

But, I ask, is, then, the language of Homer much less polished than that of Plato or Demosthenes? And does not the greatest portion of Homer's vocabulary exist in the Greek of our day?

It is true that language alters with time, and is continually subject to slight variations, owing to which language is found to be different at different epochs. change in the language in this manuscript accordingly gives ground for important observations to philologists. not only that of the eight writers who have successively worked at the book, each is recognisable by slight peculiarities in style, language, and spelling; but more particularly between the two parts of the book, between which an interval of more than two centuries occurs, a striking difference of the language is visible, which shows what a slowly progressive regulation it has undergone in that period of time. As the result of these considerations, I arrive at the conclusion that I cannot find any reason to doubt the authenticity of these writings. They cannot be In the first place, the copy of 1256 cannot be. Who could at that time have forged anything of that kind? Certainly no one. Still less any one at an earlier date. At a later date a forgery is equally impossible, for the simple reason that no one was acquainted with the language. Except Grimm, Richthofen, and Hettema. no one can be named sufficiently versed in that branch of philology, or who had studied the language so as to be able to write in it. And if any one could have done so. there would have been no more extensive vocabulary at his service than that which the East Frisian laws afford. Therefore, in the centuries lately elapsed, the preparation of this writing was quite impossible. Whoever doubts this let him begin by showing where, when, by whom, and with what object such a forgery could be committed, and let him show in modern times the fellow of this paper, this writing, and this language.

Moreover, that the manuscript of 1256 is not original, but is a copy, is proved by the numerous faults in the writing, as well as by some explanations of words which already in the time of the copyist had become obsolete and little known, as, for instance, in page 82 (114), "to thera flete jefta bedrum;" page 151 (204), "bargum jefta tonnum fon tha besta bjar."

A still stronger proof is that between pages 157 and 158 one or more pages are missing, which cannot have been lost out of this manuscript, because the pages 157 and 158 are on the front and the back of the same leaf.

Page 157 finishes thus: "Three months afterwards Adel sent messengers to all the friends that he had gained, and requested them to send him intelligent people in the month of May." When we turn over the leaf, the other side begins, "his wife, he said, who had been Maid of Texland." had got a copy of it.

There is no connection between these two. There is wanting, at least, the arrival of the invited, and an account of what passed at their meeting. It is clear, therefore, that the copyist must have turned over two pages of the original instead of one. There certainly existed then an earlier manuscript, and that was doubtless written by Liko oera Linda in the year 803.

We may thus accept that we possess in this manuscript, of which the first part was composed in the sixth century before our era, the oldest production, after Homer and Hesiod, of European literature. And here we find in our fatherland a very ancient people in possession of development, civilisation, industry, navigation, commerce, litera-

ture, and pure elevated ideas of religion, whose existence we had never even conjectured. Hitherto we have believed that the historical records of our people reach no farther back than the arrival of Friso the presumptive founder of the Frisians, whereas here we become aware that these records mount up to more than 2000 years before Christ, surpassing the antiquity of Hellas and equalling that of Israel.

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## VERGELIJKENDE

#### VAN DE OUD FRIESCHE WETTEN,

Dyo forme need is: hweerso en kynd jongh is finsen ende fitered noerd wr hef, jefta (sud) wr birgh. Soe moet die moder her kindes eerwe setta ende sella ende her kynd lesa ende des lives bihelpa.

Dioe oder need is: jef da jere diore wirdat, ende di heta honger wr dat land faert, ende dat kynd honger stere wil, so moet dio moder her kindes eerwe setta ende sella ende capia her bern ky ende ey ende coern deerma da kinde des lives mede helpe.

Dyo tredde need is: Als dat kind is al stocnaken, jefta huus laes, ende dan di tiuestera nevil ende calde winter oen comt sa faert allermanick oen syn hof ende oen sin huis ende an waranne gaten, ende da wiilda dier seket diin holla baem ende der birgha hlii, aldeer hit siin liif oen bihalda mey. Soe weinet ende scryt dat onieriga kind ende wyst dan syn nakena lyae ende syn huuslaes, ende syn fader deer him reda schuld, to ienst dyn honger ende winter nevil cald, dat hi so diepe ende dimme mitta fiower neylen is onder eke ende onder da eerda bisloten ende bitacht, so moet dio moder her kindes eerwe setta ende sella omdat hio da bihield habbe ende biwaer also lang so hit onierich is, dat hit oen forste ner oen honger naet forfare.

Anjumer druk. e.i.i. (1466.)

## TAALPROEVE

#### EN DE TAAL VAN HET HANDSCHRIFT.

Thju forma nêd is: Sâhwersa en bârn jvng is fensen ând fêterad northward vr-et hef jeftha sûdward vr tha berga, sa âch thju mâm hjara bârns erva to settande ând to seljande ând hjra bârn to lêsane ând thes lives to bihelpane.

Thju ôthera nêd is: jef tha jêra djura warthat and thi hête hvnger wr thet lând fârth and that barn stjera wil, sa mot thju mam hjara barns erva setta and selja and kapja hiri barne ky and skêp and kêren thêr mitha man thet barn thes lives bihelpe.

Thju tredde nêd is: sâhwersa thât bârn is stoknâked jefta hûslâs ând then thi tjustera nêvil ând kalda winter ankvmth, sa fârth allera mânnalik an sin hof ând an sin hus ând an wârande gâta, ând thet wilde kwik sykath thene hola bâm ând thêre berga hly thêr-it sin lif an bihalda mêi, sa wênath ând krytath thât vnjêrich bârn ând wyst then sin nâkeda litha ând sin hûslâs-sâ ând sin tât thêr him hrêda skolde tojenst tha hvnger ând tha kalda winter nêvil, that hi sa djap ând dimme mith fjuwer nêilum vndera êke ând vnder tha irtha bisletten ând bidobben is, sa mot thju mâm hjara bârns erva setta and selja vmbe that hju tha bihield hâve ând tha wâringa al sa long sa hit vnjêrich sy, til thju-t hor an frost ner an hvnger navt vmkvma ne mêi.

Vertaald door J. G. O.

# ADELA.

#### OKKE MIN SVN-

Thissa boka mot i mith lif ånd sêle wârja. Se vmbifattath thju skêdnise fon vs êle folk âk fon vsa êthlum. Vrlêden jêr håb ik tham ut-er flod hred tolik mith thi ånd thinra moder. Tha hja wêron wet wrden; thêr thrvch gvngon hja åfternei vrdarva. Vmbe hja navt to vrlysa håb ik-ra vp wrlandisk pampyer wrskrêven. Sa hwersa thu se erve, mot thu se åk wrskryva. Thin bårn alsa til thju hja nimmerthe wêi navt ne kvma.

Skrêven to Ljuwert. Nëi âtland svnken is\* that thria thû sond fjywer hyndred and njugon and fjywertigoste jêr, that is nei kersten rêknong that tvelfhyndred sex and fiftigoste jêr. Hidde tobinomath oera Linda.—Wâk.

Ljawa ervnôma. Vmb vsa ljawa êthlas wille ånd vmb vsa ljawa fridoms wille, thusånd wåra så bidd-ik to jo. Och ljawa ne lêt tha ågon ênis påpekappe tach nimmerthe over thissa skrifta ne wêja. Hja sprêkath swêta wirda: men hja tornath vnmårksêm an alles hwat fon vs fryas trefth. Vmbe rika prebende to winnande så hêlath hja mith tha poppa kêninggar. Thissa wêtath that wi hjara grâteste fianda send. thrvchdam wi hjara liuda to sprêke thvra vr frijdom, rjucht ånd forstne plicht. Thervmbe lêtath hja alles vrdiligja, hwat fon vsa êthlum kvmt ånd hwat thêr jeta rest fon vsa alda sêdum. Och ljawa ik håv by tham et hove wêst. Wil Wr.alda-t thjelda ånd willath wi vs navt sterik ne måkja hja skilun vs algådur vrdiligja.

Skrêven to Ljudwerd. Acht hondred and thrju jêr nei kersten bigrip. Liko tonômath ovira Linda.

<sup>\* 3449-1256=2193</sup> voor Chr.

#### OKKE MY SON-

You must preserve these books with body and soul. They contain the history of all our people, as well as of our forefathers. Last year I saved them in the flood, as well as you and your mother; but they got wet, and therefore began to perish. In order not to lose them, I copied them on foreign paper.

In case you inherit them, you must copy them likewise, and your children must do so too, so that they may never be lost.

Written at Liuwert, in the three thousand four hundred and forty-ninth year after Atland was submerged—that is, according to the Christian reckoning, the year 1256. Hiddo, surnamed Over de Linda.—Watch.

Beloved successors, for the sake of our dear forefathers, and of our dear liberty, I entreat you a thousand times never let the eye of a monk look on these writings. They are very insinuating, but they destroy in an underhand manner all that relates to us Frisians. In order to gain rich benefices, they conspire with foreign kings, who know that we are their greatest enemies, because we dare to speak to their people of liberty, rights, and the duties of princes. Therefore they seek to destroy all that we derive from our forefathers, and all that is left of our old customs.

Ah, my beloved ones! I have visited their courts! If Wr-alda permits it, and we do not shew ourselves strong to resist, they will altogether exterminate us.

LIKO, surnamed Over de LINDA.

Written at Liudwert, Anno Domini 803.

<sup>\* 3449-1256</sup> is 2193 before Christ.

#### THET BOK THÊRA ADELA FOLSTAR.

Thrittich jêr aftere dêi that thju folksmoder wmbrocht was thrych thêne vreste Mâgy stand et er årg vm to. Alle stâta thêr-er lidsa anda ôre syde thêre Wrsara, wêron fon vs ofkêrth and vnder-et weld thes Magy kêmen, and-et stand to frêsane, that er weldig skolde wertha vr-et êlle Vmbe that vnluk to wêrane hêde man êne mêna âcht bilidsen, hwêr gâdurath wêron âllera mannelik, thêr ann-en gode hrop stande by tha fâmna. Tha néi thât-er mår vrlåpen wêron as thrjv etmelda, was al go-rêd anda tys ånd al-ên sa by hjara kvmste. Thâ to tha lesta frêge Adela that wird, ande kêth. J alle wêt-et that ik thrjv jêr burchfâm wêsen sy. Ak wêt j that ik kêren sy to moder, and ak, that ik nen moder nesa\* navt nilde,\* thrvchdam ik Apol to min êngâ jêrde. Thach hwat j navt nête,\* that is, that ik alle bêrtnisa nêigvngen haw, êvin as ik en wrentlike folksmoder wêsen wêre. Ik hav al-an fon and witherfaren to sjande hwat-er bêrde. Thêr thrych send my fêlo sêka bâr wrden, thêr ôra navt nête. J haweth jester sêith, thát vsa sibba an tha ôra syd thêre Wrsara njvt ånd låf wêre. Thå ik mêi sedsa to jv, thåt-er Mågyt se nên yne gâ of wnnen heth thrych that weld synra wêpne, men blåt thrvch årgelestige renka, ånd jeta mår thrych that gyrich sa thera hyrtogum and thera ethelinga. Frya heth sêit wi ne skoldon nên vnfrya ljvd by vs tolêta, thâ hwat havon hja dên? hja havon vsa fjand nêi folged: hwand an stêd fon hjara fensenum to dêiande, jeftha fry to lêtane, håvon hja Fryas rêd minacht ånd se to hjara slåfonum måked. Thrvchdam hja sok dêdon, macht Frya navt longer wâka ovir hjam: hja håvon ynes ôtheris frydom binimen, ånd thåt is êrsêke, thåt hja hjara

<sup>\*</sup> nêsa=ne wêsa. nilde=ne wilde. nête=ne wête.

<sup>†</sup> Magy, Koning der Magyaren en Finnen.

#### THE BOOK OF ADELA'S FOLLOWERS.

THIRTY years after the day on which the Volksmoeder was murdered by the commander Magy, was a time of great distress. All the states that lie on the other side of the Weser had been wrested from us, and had fallen under the power of Magy, and it looked as if his power was to become supreme over the whole land. To avert this misfortune a general assembly of the people was summoned, which was attended by all the men who stood in good repute with the Maagden (priestesses). Then at the end of three days the whole council was in confusion, and in the same position as when they came together. Thereupon Adela demanded to be heard, and said:—

You all know that I was three years Burgtmaagd. You know also that I was chosen for Volksmoeder, and that I refused to be Volksmoeder because I wished to marry Apol; but what you do not know is, that I have watched everything that has happened, as if I had really been your Volksmoeder. I have constantly travelled about, observing what was going on. By that means I have become acquainted with many things that others do not know. You said yesterday that our relatives on the other side of the Weser were dull and cowardly; but I may tell you that the Magy has not won a single village from them by force of arms; but only by detestable deceit, and still more by the rapacity of their dukes and nobles.

Frya has said we must not admit amongst us any but free people; but what have they done? They have imitated our enemies, and instead of killing their prisoners, or letting them go free, they have despised the counsel of Frya, and have made slaves of them.

Because they have acted thus, Frya cared no longer to watch over them. They robbed others of their freedom, and therefore lost their own.

<sup>\*</sup> Nêsa, contraction for ne wêsa, nilde for ne wilde, nête for ne wête.

<sup>+</sup> Magy, King of the Magyars or Finns.

Thach that ella is jo selva aken. Men ik wil sedsa to jo, ho hja nêi grâdum sâ lêg vrsylth send. num hjara wiva krêjon barn. Thissa waxton vppa mith vsa frya bårn. Altomet tvildon and joldon hja to samne vppa hêm, jeftha hja wêron mith ekkorum by thêre hêrd. Thêr hêrdon hja mith lustum nêi tha vrdwâlska finna sågum, thrvchdam hja thjvd ånd nëi wêron. Så send hja vntfryast vnthônkes thene wald hjarar aldrum. bårn gråt wrdon ånd sagon thåt tha finna-ra bårn nên wêpne hantêra machte, and blât warka moste, tha krêjon hja anneth wårka en gryns ånd wrdon hårde håchfårande. Tha bâsa ånd hjara storsta svnum krupton by tha lodderiga finna mangêrtum; and hjara ajne toghatera thrvch that vvle fârbild fon-a wêi brocht, lêton hjara selva bigorda thrvch tha skênesta finna knâpa, hjara vvle aldrum to spot. Tha thêne Magy that anda nôs kryg, tha nam-er tha skênesta sinar Finna and Magyara vrlovende râ ky mith golden horna, sa hja ra thrvch vs folk fata dêdon, åfterdam sina Men sin ljuda dêdon mâr: bern wrdon to sok makad, nei vpsalåndum wêibrocht, and sahwersa hja vpbrocht wêron an sina vvla lêr, thân wrdon hja to bek Thâ tha skinslâvona vsa tâl machtich wêron, thâ klivadon hja tha hêrtoga and êthelinga an bord, and kêthon, hja moston thene Magy hêroch wertha, sa kvndon hjara svnum vpfolgja tham, oni \* .thrvch-et folk kêron Thêra thêr vmbe goda dêdum en fârdêl to-ra hus kryen hêde-vrlovadon hja fon sinant wêgum jeta-n åfter-dêl bij; hoka tham en fâr ånd åfter-dêl kryen hêde sêidon hja en rond-dêl to, and tham en rond-dêl hêde en êlle stât. Wêron tha êthla to harde fryas, tha wendon hia tha stèwen and hildon vppar vrbastera svnum an. Jesterdêi wêron-er mong† jo tham allet folk to hâpa hropa wilde

<sup>\*</sup> Oni, oud Holl. ane, Duitsch ohne = zonder.

<sup>+</sup> Mong, among, emong = onder.

This is well known to you, but I will tell you how they came to sink so low. The Finn women had children. These grew up with our free children. They played and gamboled together in the fields, and were also together by the hearth.

There they learned with pleasure the loose ways of the Finns, because they were bad and new; and thus they became denationalised in spite of the efforts of their parents. When the children grew up, and saw that the children of the Finns handled no weapons, and scarcely worked, they took a distaste for work, and became proud.

The principal men and their cleverest sons made up to the wanton daughters of the Finns; and their own daughters, led astray by this bad example, allowed themselves to be beguiled by the handsome young Finns in derision of their depraved fathers. When the Magy found this out, he took the handsomest of his Finns and Magyars, and promised them "red cows with golden horns" to let themselves be taken prisoners by our people in order to spread his doctrines. His people did even more. Children disappeared, were taken away to the uplands, and after they had been brought up in his pernicious doctrines, were sent back.

When these pretended prisoners had learned our language, they persuaded the dukes and nobles that they should become subject to the Magy—that then their sons would succeed to them without having to be elected. Those who by their good deeds had gained a piece of land in front of their house, they promised on their side should receive in addition a piece behind; those who had got a piece before and behind, should have a rondeel (complete circuit); and those who had a rondeel should have a whole freehold. If the seniors were true to Frya, then they changed their course, and turned to the degenerate sons. Yesterday there were among you those who would have called the whole people together,

<sup>\*</sup> Oni, in Old Dutch, is one; in German, ohne or zonder.

<sup>†</sup> Mong, among, or emong, is, in Dutch, onder; in English, among.

vmb tha åstlike ståta wither to hjara plyga to tvangande. Thach nêi min ynfalda myning skolde thât falikant \* utkvmma. Thank ynes thêr was wêsen en harde lyngsyakte among-eth fja, and that-er ther jeta arg vvde, skolde j-eth than wel wagja vmbe jvw hêlena fja to farande among hjara syaka fja? åmmer nå. Såhwersa allra månnelik nw biåma ånd bijechta mot, thåt-eth thêr mitha stapel årg of kyma skolde, hwa skolde than alsa dryst wêsa vmbe sina barn to wagande among en folk that êlle and al vrdêren is. Macht ik jo rêd jêva, ik skolde sedsa to jo, j moste bifara alle dingum jo en nêie folksmoder kyasa. Ik wêt wel that j thêrmitha anda brvd sitte, vt hawede that-er fon tha thredtine burchfâmna than wi jeta ower have wel achte send thêr nêi thêre êra dinge, men that skold ik navt ne melda. Tüntja thêr fâm is et-er burch Mêdêasblik het er nammer nêi tâlth : tach is hja fol witskip ånd klarsyan, ånd wel sa hårde vppir folk ånd usa plyga stålth as all ôthera etsamne. Forth skoldik rêda j moste nêi tha burgum gâ, ånd thêr vpskrywa alle êwa fryas tex, bijvnka alle skydnisa, jâ ella that er to finda sy vppa wâgum, til thju ella navt vrlêren ni gâ, ånd mitha burgum alsa vrdên navt ne werth. Thêr ståt askriwen: thiu moder and jahwelik burchfam skil hava buta helpar and senda bodon, yn and twintich famna and sjugon Macht ik thêr hwat to dvande, thâ skol-ik skrywa, and alsa fêlo êrsêma toghatera vmbe to lêrane, sa thêr vppa burgum wêsa müge; hwand ik seg an trowe ånd tid skil-eth jechta, såhwersa j åfta Fryas bårn wille nåmmer to winnande, hor thrych lesta ner thych wêpne, sa hagath j to nvdande that jvwe toghatera afta frya Bårn mot mån lêre, ho grât vs lând êr wiva wrde. wêsen sy, hokke grâte månniska vsa ethla wêron, ho grât wi jeta send, sa wi vs dâl ledsath bij ôra, mân

<sup>\*</sup> Falikant, få likande = weinig gelijkende, niet conform.

to compel the eastern states to return to their duty. According to my humble opinion, they would have made a great mistake. Suppose that there was a very serious epidemic among the cattle, would you run the risk of sending your own healthy cattle among the sick ones? Certainly not. Every one must see that doing that would turn out very badly for the whole of the cattle. Who, then, would be so imprudent as to send their children among a people wholly depraved? If I were to give you any advice, it would be to choose a new Volksmoeder. I know that you are in a difficulty about it, because out of the thirteen Burgtmaagden that we still have remaining, eight are candidates for the dignity; but I should pay no attention to that.

Teuntia, the Burgtmaagd of Medeasblik, who is not a candidate, is a person of knowledge and sound sense, and quite as attached to our people and our customs as all the rest together. I should farther recommend that you should visit all the citadels, and write down all the laws of Frya's Tex, as well as all the histories, and all that is written on the walls, in order that it may not be destroyed with the citadels.

It stands written that every Volksmoeder and every Burgtmaagd shall have assistants and messengers—twenty-one maidens and seven apprentices.

If I might add more, I would recommend that all the respectable girls in the towns should be taught; for I say positively, and time will show it, that if you wish to remain true children of Frya, never to be vanquished by fraud or arms, you must take care to bring up your daughters as true Frya's daughters.

You must teach the children how great our country has been, what great men our forefathers were, how great we still are, if we compare ourselves to others.

<sup>\*</sup> Falikant, or få likande, is very improbable or unlikely.

mot tâla hjam fon tha wicharda ând fon hjara wichandlika dêdum, âk wra fâra sêtochta. Al thissa tâllinga hagath dên to werthande bij thêre hêrd, vppa hêm ând hwêr-et wêsa mêi, sâ bij blyskip as bij târum. Men skilet standfâst kvma an dat bryn ând andât hirta, thân moton alle lêringa overa wêra jvwera wiva ând toghatera thêr-in strâma. Adelas rêd is vpfolgath.

Thit send tha nâma thêra grêvetmanna, vnder hwammis wald thit bok awrochten is. Apol, Adelas man, Thria is-er sêkening wêsen, nw is-er grêvetman over Ast-flylând ând ovir-a Linda-wrda. Tha bvrga Ljvdgârda, Lindahêm, ând Stâvja send vnder sin hod.

Ther Saxman Storo, Sytjas man, grêvetman ovir-a hâga fenna ând walda. Njvgun wâra is-er to hêrtoga, thât is to hyrman, kêren. Tha burga Bvda ând Manna-gârda-forda send vnder sin hod.

Abêlo, Jaltjas man, grêvetman ovir tha Sudar Flylânda. Fjywers is-er hyrman wêsen. Tha burga Aken, Ljydburch ånd Kâtsburch send vnder sin hod.

Enoch Dywek his man, grêvetman ovir West-flylând ånd Texland. Njvgun mel is-er to sêkening kêren. Thiu Wâraburch, Mêdêasblik, Forâna ând ald Fryasburch send vnder sin hod.

Foppa, man fon Dunrôs, grêvetman ovir tha Sjvgon êlânda. Fif mel is-er sêkening wêsen. Thju burch Walhallagâra is vnder sin hod.

Thit stand vppa tha wâgum et Fryasburch to Texland askrywen, that stêt âk to Stâvia and to Mêdêas blik.

That was Frya his dêi and to there stonde was et vrleden sjvgun wara sjvgun jer, that Fasta was anstald as folksmoder nei Fryas jerta. Thju burch Medeasblik was red and en fam was keren. Nw skolde Fasta thju neja foddik vpstêka, and that dên was an ajnwarda fon that folk,

You must tell them of the sea-heroes, of their mighty deeds and distant voyages. All these stories must be told by the fireside and in the field, wherever it may be, in times of joy or sorrow; and if you wish to impress it on the brains and the hearts of your sons, you must let it flow through the lips of your wives and your daughters.

Adela's advice was followed.

These are the Grevetmen under whose direction this book is composed:—

Apol, Adela's husband; three times a sea - king; Grevetman of Ostflyland and Lindaoorden. The towns Liudgarda, Lindahem, and Stavia are under his care.

The Saxman Storo, Sytia's husband; Grevetman over the Hoogefennen and Wouden. Nine times he was chosen as duke or heerman (commander). The towns Buda and Manna-garda-forda are under his care.

Abêlo, Jaltia's husband; Grevetman over the Zuiderflylanden. He was three times heerman. The towns Aken, Liudburg, and Katsburg are under his care.

Enoch, Dywcke's husband; Grevetman over Westflyland and Texel. He was chosen nine times for sea-king. Waraburg, Medeasblik, Forana, and Fryasburg are under his care.

Foppe, Dunroo's husband; Grevetman over the seven islands. He was five times sea-king. The town Walhallagara is under his care.

This was inscribed upon the walls of Fryasburg in Texland, as well as at Stavia and Medeasblik.

It was Frya's day, and seven times seven years had elapsed since Festa was appointed Volksmoeder by the desire of Frya. The citadel of Medeasblik was ready, and a Burgtmaagd was chosen. Festa was about to light her new lamp, and when she had done so in the presence

thå hrop Frya fon hira wåkståre, så thåt allera månnalik thåt hêra machte: Fåsta nim thinra stifte ånd writ tha thinga thêr ik êr navt sedsa ne machte. Fåsta dêde alsa hja boden wårth. Så send wy Fryas bårn an vsa forma skêdnise kêmen.

That is vsa forma skêdnise.

Wr. alda\* tham allena god ånd evg is, måkade t.anfang, dana kem tid, tid wrochte alle thinga åk jrtha. Jrtha bårde alle gårsa, krûdon ånd boma, allet djara kwik ånd allet årge kwik. Alhwat god ånd djar is, brocht hju by degum ånd alhwat kwåd ånd årg is, brocht hju thes nachtis forth. After-et twilifte jol-ferste bårde hja thrja mangerta.

Lyda warth ut glyande,

Finda warth ut hêta and

Frya ut warme stof.

Thá hja blát kémon spisde Wr.alda hjam mith sina ádama; til thju tha månneska an him skolde bynden wêsa. Ring as hja rip wêron krêjon hja früchda ånd nochta anda drâma Wr.aldas. Od† trád to-ra binna: ånd nw bârdon ek twilif syna ånd twilif togathera ek joltid twên. Thêrof send alle månneska kêmen.

Lyda was swart, krolhêred alsa tha lômera: lik ståra blonken hjra ôgon; ja thes gyrfügels blikkar wêron vnmodich by hjras.

Skårpe Lyda. Annen sanåka kvn hju kruppa hera, and hwersa ther fiska invr weter were n-vntgong that hira nostera navt.

Rådbvwde Lyda. En store bâm kvn hju bûgja ånd sahwersa hja run ne bråk nêne blomstål vnder hjara fyt.

Weldige Lyda. Hård was hjra steme ånd krêt hju ut grimme så run ek flux wêi.

<sup>\*</sup> Wr.alda. Altijd geschreven als zamengesteld woord beteekent: de overoude, het oudste wezen.

<sup>+</sup> Od, wortel van het Lat. odi, ik haat.

of all the people, Frya called from her watch-star, so that every one could hear it: "Festa, take your style and write the things, that I may not speak." Festa did as she was bid, and thus we became Frya's children, and our earliest history began.

This is our earliest history.

Wr-alda, who alone is eternal and good, made the beginning. Then commenced time. Time wrought all things, even the earth. The earth bore grass, herbs, and trees, all useful and all noxious animals. All that is good and useful she brought forth by day, and all that is bad and injurious by night.

After the twelfth Juulfeest she brought forth three maidens:—

Lyda out of fierce heat.

Finda out of strong heat.

Frya out of moderate heat.

When the last came into existence, Wr-alda breathed his spirit upon her in order that men might be bound to him. As soon as they were full grown they took pleasure and delight in the visions of Wr-alda.

Hatred found its way among them.

They each bore twelve sons and twelve daughters—at every Juul-time a couple. Thence come all mankind.

Lyda was black, with hair curled like a lamb's; her eyes shone like stars, and shot out glances like those of a bird of prey.

Lyda was acute. She could hear a snake glide, and could smell a fish in the water.

Lyda was strong and nimble. She could bend a large tree, yet when she walked she did not bruise a flowerstalk.

Lyda was violent. Her voice was loud, and when she screamed in anger every creature quailed.

<sup>\*</sup> Wr-alda, always written as a compound word, meaning the Old Ancient, or the Oldest Being.

<sup>+</sup> Od, the root of the Latin odi, I hate.

Wonderfvlle Lyda. Fon êwa nilde hju navt nêta: hjra dêda wrdon thrvch hjra tochta stjvrat. Vmbe tha têdra to helpâne, dâde hju tha stôra ând hwersa hju-t dên hêde grâjde hju by-t lik.

Arme Lyda. Hju warth gris fon-t vnwisse bihjelda and vpp-it ende sturf hja fon hirtser vmbe tha barn-ra kwad.

Vnwisa bârn. Hja tichtegadon ekkorum, fen måm-ra dåd, hja gråjadon lik wolva, fjychtadon alsa ånd dahwile hja that dêdon êton tha fügelon thåt lik. Hwâ mêi sin tåra hwither to haldane.

Finda. Was gêl ând hjr hêr sâ tha mâna êner hors: êne thrê ne kv hja navt ni bûgja; men hwêr Lyda annen lavwa macht to dêjande, thêr dâde hja wel tjån.

Vrledalike Finda. Svet was hjra stemme and nannen fügel kvn sjonga lik hju. Hjra egon lokton and lordon, men therer ansach warth slaf.

Vnrêdalika Finda. Hju skrêf thûsande êwa, tha hju ne folgde nên er fon vp. Hja vrfyade tha goda vmbe hjara frymod, thâ an slikmamkes jêf hju hjr selva hast wêi.

That was hir vnluk. Hjra hâved was to fvl: tha hjr hirte to ydel; hju ne minde nimmån sa hja selva ånd hju wilde that ek hja lyaf håwe skolde.

Falske Finda. Hüning swet wêron hjra wirda, thâ hok tham hja trjvwade wêre vnluk nêi by.

Selvsjochta Finda. Ovir ella wilde hju welda, ånd hjra svnum wêron lik hju; fon hjara susterum lêton hja ra thjanja ånd ekkorum slogon hja vmb-et måsterskip dåd.

Dubbelhirta Finda. Vmbe skotse wirda warth hju yre, and tha argste dêda ne rorde hja navt. Sach hju en nyndask en spinne vrslynna, than warth hju omm-et hirte sa ys; men sach hju hjra barn en fryas vrmorde sa swol hjra bosm fon nocht.

Wonderful Lyda! She had no regard for laws; her actions were governed by her passions. To help the weak she would kill the strong, and when she had done it she would weep by their bodies.

Poor Lyda! She turned grey by her mad behaviour, and at last she died heart-broken by the wickedness of her children. Foolish children! They accused each other of their mother's death. They howled and fought like wolves, and while they did this the birds devoured the corpse. Who can refrain from tears at such a recital?

Finda was yellow, and her hair was like the mane of a horse. She could not bend a tree, but where Lyda killed one lion she killed ten.

Finda was seductive. Her voice was sweeter than any bird's. Her eyes were alluring and enticing, but whoever looked upon them became her slave.

Finda was unreasonable. She wrote thousands of laws, but she never obeyed one. She despised the frankness of the good, and gave herself up to flatterers.

That was her misfortune. Her head was too full, but her heart was too vain. She loved nobody but herself, and she wished that all should love her.

False Finda! Honey-sweet were her words, but those who trusted them found sorrow at hand.

Selfish Finda! She wished to rule everybody, and her sons were like her. They made their sisters serve them, and they slew each other for the mastery.

Treacherous Finda! One wrong word would irritate her, and the cruellest deeds did not affect her. If she saw a lizard swallow a spider, she shuddered; but if she saw her children kill a Frisian, her bosom swelled with pleasure.

Vnluke Finda. Hju sturf anda blomtid fon hjra lêva, and-t is jeta tjvester ho hju fallen sy.

Skinheliga bårn. Vnder kestlike stena leidon hja hjra lik del, mit kwabbjana skriftum smukton hja tham vppa, togråjande vmbe herath to wårthande men an stilnise ne wenadon hja nenen enge tår.

Vrijfalik folk. Thi tex thêr Finda nêi lêt was in golden blêder wryt: thach tha besta hwêr-far i mâkad was, wêr i nammer to not. Tha goda êwa wrdon utfâgad ând selfv sjocht wryte thêr kwâda far in.

O Finda. Tha warth jrtha fvl blod, and tha haveda ther manneska majadon thin barn lik gars halma of. Ja Finda that send tha früchda thinera ydlenise. Sjan dål fon thinre wakstar and wen.

Frya. Was wit lik snêi bij-t môrnerâd ând thát blâw hjrar ôgnum wn-et jeta thêre rêinbôge of.

Skêne Frya: Lik strêlon thêre middei svnne blikadon hjra hêron, thêr sa fin wêron as rach.

Abela Frya. Vntlvkton hjra wêra, than swêgon tha fügelon and ne rordon tha blêdar navt mar.

Weldige Frya. Thrvch thêne krâft hjrar blikkar strêk thene lâwa to fara hjara fyt dâl ând held thene addur sin , gif tobâk.

Rêne Frya. Hjra yta was hüning ånd hjra drank was dâwa, gâdvrad anda bôsma thêra blommur.

Lichte Frya. That forma hwat hju hjra barn lerde was selv-twang, that ôthera was lyafte to düged, and tha hja jêroch wrdon, tha lêrde hju hjam thju wêrtha fon tha frijdom kanna: hwand sêide hju svnder frijdom send alle ôthera dügedon allêna god vmbe jo to slavona to makjande, jvwe of kvmste to êvge skantha.

Milde Frya. Nåmmer lyt hju metal ut jrtha dålva vmb åjnbåt, men såhwersa hja-t dede wer-et to jahwelikis not.

Unfortunate Finda! She died in the bloom of her age, and the mode of her death is unknown.

Hypocritical children! Her corpse was buried under a costly stone, pompous inscriptions were written on it, and loud lamentations were heard at it, but in private not a tear was shed.

Despicable people! The laws that Finda established were written on golden tables, but the object for which they were made was never attained. The good laws were abolished, and selfishness instituted bad ones in their place. O Finda! then the earth overflowed with blood, and your children were mown down like grass. Yes, Finda! those were the fruits of your vanity. Look down from your watch-star and weep.

Frya was white like the snow at sunrise, and the blue of her eyes vied with the rainbow.

Beautiful Frya! Like the rays of the sun shone the locks of her hair, which were as fine as spiders' webs.

Clever Frya! When she opened her lips the birds ceased to sing and the leaves to quiver.

Powerful Frya! At the glance of her eye the lion lay down at her feet and the adder withheld his poison.

Pure Frya! Her food was honey, and her beverage was dew gathered from the cups of the flowers.

Sensible Frya! The first lesson that she taught her children was self-control, and the second was the love of virtue; and when they were grown she taught them the value of liberty; for she said, "Without liberty all other virtues serve to make you slaves, and to disgrace your origin."

Generous Frya! She never allowed metal to be dug from the earth for her own benefit, but when she did it it was for the general use. Lukigoste Frya. Alsa tha ståra om jrtha omswyrmia swirmadon hjara bårn om hja.

Wise Frya. Thá hju hjra bårn vpbrocht hêde alto thêre sjugonde kny, thá hrop hju-ra alle a Flyland to samne. Thêr jêf se hjam hjra tex, and sêide, lêt tham jvwe wêiwisar wêsa, thá ne skil thát jo ná navt kwalik ni gâ.

Utforkêrena Frya. Thâ hju-t sêid hêde, bêvade jrtha lîk Wr.aldas sê, Flylândis bodem svnk an grâda vnder hjara fyt dâl. Thju loft wârt swart ând nylof \* fon târa to stirtane ând thâ hja nêi moder omsâgon, was hju al lang vppira wâkstår. Thâ to tha lesta språk tongar ut-a wolka ând blixen schrêf an thât loftrym, wâk.

Farsjanda Frya. That lând fon hwêr hju was vpfaren was nw en strâm and buta hira tex was thêr in ella bidvlwen hwat fon hjra hôndum kêmen was.

Hêriga bârn. Thâ hja to-ra selva wêron, thâ mâkadon hja thit hâge therp, bywadon thâs burch thêryppa, an da wâgrum thessa wryton hja thene tex, ând ymbe that allera mannalik hja skolde müga finda, hâvath hja thât lând rondomme Texlând hêten. Thêrymbe skil-ât bilywa al wenne jrtha jrtha sy.

#### TEX FRYAS.

Held bêid tha Frya, to tha lesta skilun hja my hwiter sja. Thach thêra allêna mêi ik as fry kanna thêr nên slâf is fon ên ôther ni fon sine tochta. Hyr is min rêd.

Såhwersa thju ned årg sy ånd gode red ånd gode ded nawet mår ne formüge, hrop thån thi gåst Wr.aldas an, men j ne mot-im navt anhropa bifåra alle thinga prvvath send. Tha ik segs to jo mith redene ånd tid skil-et wåra, tha modelåsa skilun åmmar swika vnder hjar åjn led.

<sup>\*</sup> Nylof; de kleur van nieuw loof? geel groen.

Most happy Frya! Like the starry host in the firmament, her children clustered around her.

Wise Frya! When she had seen her children reach the seventh generation, she summoned them all to Flyland, and there gave them her Tex, saying, "Let this be your guide, and it can never go ill with you."

Exalted Frya! When she had thus spoken the earth shook like the sea of Wr-alda. The ground of Flyland sunk beneath her feet, the air was dimmed by tears, and when they looked for their mother she was already risen to her watching star; then at length thunder burst from the clouds, and the lightning wrote upon the firmament "Watch!"

Far-seeing Frya! The land from which she had risen was now a stream, and except her Tex all that was in it was overwhelmed.

Obedient children! When they came to themselves again, they made this high mound and built this citadel upon it, and on the walls they wrote the Tex, and that every one should be able to find it they called the land about it Texland. Therefore it shall remain as long as the earth shall be the earth.

## FRYA'S TEX.

Prosperity awaits the free. At last they shall see me again. Though him only can I recognise as free who is neither a slave to another nor to himself. This is my counsel:—

1. When in dire distress, and when mental and physical energy avail nothing, then have recourse to the spirit of Wr-alda; but do not appeal to him before you have tried all other means, for I tell you beforehand, and time will prove its truth, that those who give way to discouragement sink under their burdens.

<sup>\*</sup> Nylof; the colour of new foliage, bright green.

- 2. Wr.aldas gâst mêi mån allêna knibuwgjande thânk to wya, jâ thrju wâra far hwat jv fon him noten have, far hwat jv nith, ånd fara hâpe thêr hy jo lêt an ånga tida.
- 3. J håwed sjan ho ring ik helpe lênde, dva al ên mith jo nêston, men ne tof navt til mån jo bêden heth, tha lydande skolde jo floka, min fåmna skoldon jvwa nåma utfaga ut-åt bok ånd ik skolde jo lik vnbikånnade ofwisa mota.
- 4. Nim nåmmar knibuwgjande tånk fon jv nåston an, thjus ågath Wr.aldas gåst. Nid skolde j bikrjupa, wisdom solde j bilåka ånd min fåmna skoldon jo bityga fon fåderråv.
- 5. Fjuwer thinga send to jvwe not jêven, mith nâma, loft, wêter, lând ând fjur. Men Wr.alda wil thêr allêna bisittar of wêsa. Thêrvmbe rêd ik jo, j skilun jo rjuchtfêrdiga manna kyasa, tham thju arbêd ând tha früchda nêi rjuchta dêla, så that nâmman fry fon wârka ni fon wêra sy.
- 6. Såhwersa ther åmman among jo fvnden warth, ther sin åjn frydom vrsellath, tham-n-is navt fon jvw folk: hi is en horning mith basterd blod. Ik rêde jo that j him ånd sin måm to that lånd utdriva, sêgs that to jvwa bårn, thes mornes, thes middeis ånd thes ewendes, til thju hja therof drame thes nachtis.
- 7. Allera månnalik thår en öther fon sine frydom biråwath, al were thene ore him skeldech, mot ik anda bårntåm ener slåfinne fåra leta. Thach ik rede jo vmbe sin
  lik ånd that sinera måm vpp ene kåle sted to vrbarnande,
  åfternei hjara aske fiftich fyt anda grvnd to dålvane, til
  hju ther nenen gårshålm vp waxa ni mei, hwand aldulkera
  gårs skolde jvw diaroste kvik deja.
- 8. Ne grip nå thåt folk fon Lyda ner fon Finda an. Wr.alda skolde helpa hjm, sa that-åt weld that fon jo utgong vppa jvwa åjne håveda skolde witherkvma.

- 2. To Wr-alda's spirit only shall you bend the knee in gratitude—thricefold—for what you have received, for what you do receive, and for the hope of aid in time of need.
- 3. You have seen how speedily I have come to your assistance. Do likewise to your neighbour, but wait not for his entreaties. The suffering would curse you, my maidens would erase your name from the book, and I would regard you as a stranger.
- 4. Let not your neighbour express his thanks to you on bended knee, which is only due to Wr-alda's spirit. Envy would assail you, Wisdom would ridicule you, and my maidens would accuse you of irreverence.
- 5. Four things are given for your enjoyment air, water, land, and fire—but Wr-alda is the sole possessor of them. Therefore my counsel to you is, choose upright men who will fairly divide the labour and the fruits, so that no man shall be exempt from work or from the duty of defence.
- 6. If ever it should happen that one of your people should sell his freedom, he is not of you, he is a bastard. I counsel you to expel him and his mother from the land. Repeat this to your children morning, noon, and night, till they think of it in their dreams.
- 7. If any man shall deprive another, even his debtor, of his liberty, let him be to you as a vile slave; and I advise you to burn his body and that of his mother in an open place, and bury them fifty feet below the ground, so that no grass shall grow upon them. It would poison your cattle.
- 8. Meddle not with the people of Lyda, nor of Finda, because Wr-alda would help them, and any injury that you inflicted on them would recoil upon your own heads.

- 9. Sâhwersa that machte bêra that hja fon juwe rêd jefta awet owers wilde, alsa aghat j to helpane hjam. Men kvmath hja to rawande; fal than vppa tham nither lik blixenande fjvr.
- 10. Såhwersa annen fon hjam ener jvwer toghaterum to wif gerth and hju that wil, than skolun j hja hjra dvmhed bitjvtha; thach wil hju toch hjra frejar folgja, that hja than mith fretho gå.
- 11. Willath jvw svna fon hjara toghaterum, så mot j alsa dva as mith jvwa toghaterum. Thach hor tha êna nor tha ôthera mêi witherkvma; hwand hja skoldvn uthêmeda sêda ånd plêga mith fara; ånd drêi thessa by jo heldgad wrde, mêi ik navt longer ovir jo wâka.
- 12. Vppa minre fåm Fåsta håv ik min håp fåstegth, thërvmbe most j hja to ëremoder nëma. Folgath j min rëd, thån skil hju nëmels min fåm bilywa ånd alla fråna fåmna thër hja folgja; thån skil thju foddik nåmer utgå thër ik far jo vpstoken håv. Thåt ljucht thëra skil thån ëvg jvwe bryn vpklarja, ånd j skilun thån ëvin fry bilyva fon vnfrya weld as jvwa swite rinstråma fon thåt salte wëter thër åndelåse së.

## THET HET FASTA SÊID.

Alle setma thêr en êw, thắt is hvndred jêr, omhlåpa müge mith tha krodar ånd sin jol, thêra mügon vppa rêd thêre moder, ånd by mêna willa vppa wêgar thêra burgum writ hwertha; send hja uppa wêgar writ, thân send hja êwa, ånd thắt is vsa plicht vmbe altham an êra to haldande. Kvmth nêd ånd tvang vs setma to jêvane, stridande wither vsa êwa ånd plêgum, så mot månneska dva alsa hja askja; thach send hja wêken, thân mot mån åmmer to thåt alda witherkêra. Thåt is Fryas willa, ånd thåt mot wêsa tham fon al hjra bårn.

- 9. If it should happen that they come to you for advice or assistance, then it behoves you to help them; but if they should rob you, then fall upon them with fire and sword.
- 10. If any of them should seek a daughter of yours to wife, and she is willing, explain to her her folly; but if she will follow her lover, let her go in peace.
- 11. If your son wishes for a daughter of theirs, do the same as to your daughter; but let not either one or the other ever return among you, for they would introduce foreign morals and customs, and if these were accepted by you, I could no longer watch over you.
- 12. Upon my servant Fasta I have placed all my hopes. Therefore you must choose her for Eeremoeder. Follow my advice, then she will hereafter remain my servant as well as all the sacred maidens who succeed her. Then shall the lamp which I have lighted for you never be extinguished. Its brightness shall always illuminate your intellect, and you shall always remain as free from foreign domination as your fresh river-water is distinct from the salt sea.

#### THIS HAS FASTA SPOKEN.

All the regulations which have existed a century, that is, a hundred years, may by the advice of the Eeremoeder, with the consent of the community, be inscribed upon the walls of the citadel, and when inscribed on the walls they become laws, and it is our duty to respect them all. If by force or necessity any regulations should be imposed upon us at variance with our laws and customs, we must submit; but should we be released, we must always return to our own again. That is Frya's will, and must be that of all her children.

#### FASTA SÊIDE.

Alle thinga, thêr mån anfangja wil, hoka thåt-åt môga wêsa, vppa tha dêi, thêr wy Frya heldgad håwa, tham skilun êvg falykant utkvma: nêidam tid nw biwysd heth thåt hju riucht hêde, så is thåt en êwa wrdon, thåt mån svnder nêd ånd tvang a Frya hjra dêi nawet owers ni dva ne mêi, tha blyda fêrsta fyrja.

# THAT SEND THA ÊWA THÊR TO THÊRA BURGUM HÊRA.

- 1. Såhwersa ther årne ene burch bywet is, så mot thju foddik thera an tha forma foddik et Texland vpsteken wrda. Thach that ne mei nammer owers as troch tha moder sken.
- 2. Ek moder skil hjra åjn fâmna kjasa; alsa thêra thêr vppa thêra ôthera burgum as moder send.
- 3. Thju moder to Texlând mêi hjra folgster kjasa, thach sâhwersa hju falth êr hju-t dên heth, sa mot thas kêren hwertha vppa êna mêna acht, by rêdum fon alle stata et sêmne.
- 4. Thju moder to Texland mêi ên and tvintich famna and sjvgun spille mangêrta hava, til thju thêr ammer sjvgun by thêre foddik muge wâkja dêilikes and thes nachtes. By tha famna thêr vppa ora burgum as moder thjanja alsa fêlo.
- 5. Såhwersa en fåm annen gåda wil, sa mot hju-t thêre moder melda, ånd bistonda to tha månniska kêra, êr hju mith hjra tochtige ådama thåt ljucht bivvlath.
- 6. Thju moder ånd alrek burchfam skil mån tofogjande en ånd tvintich burcheran, sjvgun alda wisa, sjvgun alda kåmpar, ånd sjvgun alda sekåmper.

## FASTA SAID-

Anything that any man commences, whatever it may be, on the day appointed for Frya's worship shall eternally fail, for time has proved that she was right; and it is become a law that no man shall, except from absolute necessity, keep that day otherwise than as a joyful feast.

# THESE ARE THE LAWS ESTABLISHED FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITADELS.

- 1. Whenever a citadel is built, the lamp belonging to it must be lighted at the original lamp in Texland, and that can only be done by the mother.
- 2. Every mother shall appoint her own maidens. She may even choose those who are mothers in other towns.
- 3. The mother of Texland may appoint her own successor, but should she die without having done so, the election shall take place at a general assembly of the whole nation.
- 4. The mother of Texland may have twenty-one maidens and seven assistants, so that there may always be seven to attend the lamp day and night. She may have the same number of maidens who are mothers in other towns.
- 5. If a maiden wishes to marry, she must announce it to the mother, and immediately resign her office, before her passion shall have polluted the light.
- 6. For the service of the mother and of each of the Burgtmaidens there shall be appointed twenty-one townsmen—seven civilians of mature years, seven warriors of mature years, and seven seamen of mature years.

- 7. Ther fon skilun alle jêron to honk kêra thrim fon elik sjvgun, thach hja ne mügon navt vpfolgath ne wertha thrveh hjara sibtal nêjar sa tha fjarda kny.
  - 8. Aider mêi thrê hvndred jonga burchwêrar hava.
- 9. Far thissa thjanesta skilun hja lêra Fryas tex ånd tha êwa, fon tha wisa mannon thêne wisdom, fon tha alda hêrmannon thene kunst fon tha orloch ånd fond tha sêkeningar thene kunsta thêr bi thåt butafära nêthlik send.
- 10. Fon thissa wêrar skilun jêrlikes hvndred to bek kêra. Thach send thêr svme vrlåmth wrden, sa mügon hja vpper burch bilywa hjara êlle lêva long.
- 11. By that kjasa fon tha wêrar ne mêi nimmen fon thêra burch nên stem navt ne hava, ni tha grêvetmanna jefta ôthera hâveda, man that blata folk allêna.
- 12. Thju moder et Texlând skil mån jêva thrja sjvgun flinka bodon mith thrja twilif rappa horsa. Vppa ora burgum ek burchfâm thrê bodon mith sjvgun horsa.
- 13. Ak skil åjder burchfâm håva fiftich bywara thrych that folk akêren. Men thêrto mêi man allêna jêva sokka, thêr navt abel and stora for wêra ner to butafârar send.
- 14. Ajder burch mot hiri selva bidruppa and genera fon hjra ajn ronddel and fon that del that hju fon that mark-jeld burth.
- 15. Is thêr âmman kêren vmbe vppa burgum to thjanjande ând nil-er navt, thân ne mêi-er na nên burchhêr wertha, ând dus nên stem navt ni hâva, is er al burchhêr sa skil hi thju êr vrljasa.
- 16. Sâhwersa âmman rêd gêrt fon thêre moder, tha fon êne burchfâm, sa mot hi him selva melde by tha skrivwer. Thesse brangth-im by tha burchmâster.

Forth mot-i nêi tha lêtsa, that is thêne hêlener. Thêr mot sja jef er ak bisêken is fon kvada tochtum. Is-er god sêid,

- 7. Out of the seven three shall retire every year, and shall not be replaced by members of their own family nearer than the fourth degree.
- 8. Each may have three hundred young townsmen as defenders.
- 9. For this service they must study Frya's Tex and the laws. From the sages they must learn wisdom, from the warriors the art of war, and from the sea-kings the skill required for distant voyages.
- 10. Every year one hundred of the defenders shall return to their homes, and those that may have been wounded shall remain in the citadels.
- 11. At the election of the defenders no burgher or Grevetman, or other person of distinction, shall vote, but only the people.
- 12. The mother at Texland shall have three times seven active messengers, and three times twelve speedy horses. In the other citadels each maiden shall have three messengers and seven horses.
- 13. Every citadel shall have fifty agriculturists chosen by the people, but only those may be chosen who are not strong enough to go to war or to go to sea.
- 14. Every citadel must provide for its own sustenance, and must maintain its own defences, and look after its share of the general contributions.
- 15. If a man is chosen to fill any office and refuses to serve, he can never become a burgher, nor have any vote. And if he is already a burgher, he shall cease to be so.
- 16. If any man wishes to consult the mother or a Burgtmaid, he must apply to the secretary, who will take him to the Burgtmaster. He will then be examined by a surgeon to see if he is in good health. If he is passed,

tha vndvath hi him selva fon sinum wêpna, and sjvgun wêrar brangath him by thêre moder.

- 17. Is thju sêk vr êne stâte sa ne mügon thêr navt miner thân thrê bodon kvma: is-t vr-t êlla Fryaslând, thân moton thêr jeta sjvgun tjuga bywêsa. Thêrumbe thât er nên kva formvda navt risa ne mêi nor skalkhêd dên ne wrde.
- 18. By alle sêkum mot tha moder walda ånd njvda thåt hjra bårn, thåt is Fryas folk, så mêt-rik bilywa as thåt wêsa mêi. Thåt is thi grâtesta hjrar plichta, ånd vs alra vmb-er thêr an to hêlpande.
- 19. Håt mån hja by êne rjuchtlika sêke anhropen vmb-er utsprêk twisk annen grêvetman ånd tha mênte, ånd findath hju thju sêke tvivelik, så mot hju to båte fon thêr mênte sprêka til thju thêr frêtho kvma, ånd thrvchtham thåt bêtre sy that ên man vnrjucht dên wrde thån fêlo.
- 20. Kvmth hwa vmb rêd ånd wêt thju moder rêd, sa âch hju tham bystonda to jêvane, wêt hju bystonda nên rêd, sâ mêi hju wachtja lêta sjvgun dêgum. Wêt hju thân nach nên rêd, sa mügon hja hinne brûda, ånd hja mügon hjra selva navt biklagja, til thju nên rêd bêtre is thân kva rêd.
- 21. Heth en moder årge rêd jêven ut kvada willa, så mot mån hja dêja jefta ut of låndum dryva stoknaken ånd blåt.
- 22. Send hjra burchhêra mêdeplichtich, than dvath man alsa mith tham.
- 23. Is hjra skild tvivelik jefta blåt formoda, så mot mån thêr-vr thingja ånd sprêka, is-t nêdich, ên ånd twintich wyka long. Stemth tha halfdêl skildich, så halde mån hja vr vnskildich, twêde så wacht mån jeta en fvl jêr. Stemth mån thån alsa, så mêi mån hja skildich halda, tha navt ni dêja.

he shall lay aside his arms, and seven warriors shall present him to the mother.

- 17. If the affair concerns only one district, he must bring forward not less than three witnesses; but if it affects the whole of Friesland, he must have twenty-one additional witnesses, in order to guard against any deceptions.
- 18. Under all circumstances the mother must take care that her children, that is, Frya's people, shall remain as temperate as possible. This is her most important duty, and it is the duty of all of us to help her in performing it.
- 19. If she is called upon to decide any judicial question between a Grevetman and the community, she must incline towards the side of the community in order to maintain peace, and because it is better that one man should suffer than many.
- 20. If any one comes to the mother for advice, and she is prepared to give it, she must do it immediately. If she does not know what to advise, he must remain waiting seven days; and if she then is unable to advise, he must go away without complaining, for it is better to have no advice at all than bad advice.
- 21. If a mother shall have given bad advice out of illwill, she must be killed or driven out of the land, deprived of everything.
- 22. If her Burgtheeren are accomplices, they are to be treated in a similar manner.
- 23. If her guilt is doubtful or only suspected, it must be considered and debated, if necessary, for twenty-one weeks. If half the votes are against her, she must be declared innocent. If two-thirds are against her, she must wait a whole year. If the votes are then the same, she must be considered guilty, but may not be put to death.

24. Såhwersa svme among that thrimna send tham hja alsa ser vnskildich mene that hja hja folgja wille, så mügon hja that dva mith al hjara driwande and tilbara hava and namman acht hjam ther ovir min to achtiane, til thju that mara del alsa blyd kan dwala sa that minra del.

# Mêna Êwa.

- 1. Alle frya bårn send a êlike wysa bårn. Thêrvmbe moton hja åk êlika rjuchte håva, alsa blyd vpp-åt lånd as vpp-åth ê, thåt is wêter ånd vp ella thåt Wr.alda jefth.
- 2. Allera mannalik mêi-t wif sinra kêsa frêja ånd ek toghater mêi efter hjra helddrynk bjada thêr hju minth.
- 3. Heth hwa en wif nimth, så jêft mån bjam hus ånd wårv. N-is ther nen; sa mot-åt bywat wrde.
- 4. Is-er nêi en ôther thorp gongon vmb en wif ånd wil hi thêr bilywa, så mot mån him thêr en hus en wårf jêwa bijonka thåt not fon tha hêmrik.
- 5. Allera mannalik mot mån en åfterdel as wårf by sina hus jêva. Tha nimman ne mei en fardel by sin hus nåva, fül min en ronddel. Allena ief hwa en dåd den heth to mena nitha, så mei him thåt jeven wrde. Ak mei sin jongste svn that erva. After tham mot thåt thorp that wither nima.
- 6. Ek thorp skil en hêmrik håva nêi sina bihof ånd thêne grêva skil njvda that alra ek sin dêl bidongth ånd god hald, til thju tha åfter kvmmande nên skåde navt ne lyda ne muge.
- 7. Ek thorp mêi en mårk hava to kap and to vrkap iefta to wandelja. Alle-t ôra land skil byw and wald bilyva. Tha tha bama thêra ne mêi nimman navt falla, buta mêna rêda and buta wêta thes waldgrêva, hwand tha walda send to mêna nitha. Thêrymbe ne mêi nimman thêr master of sa.

24. If any of the one-third who have voted for her wish to go away with her, they may depart with all their live and dead stock, and shall not be the less considered, since the majority may be wrong as well as the minority.

## UNIVERSAL LAW.

- 1. All free-born men are equal, wherefore they must all have equal rights on sea and land, and on all that Wr-alda has given.
- 2. Every man may seek the wife of his choice, and every woman may bestow her hand on him whom she loves.
- 3. When a man takes a wife, a house and yard must be given to him. If there is none, one must be built for him.
- 4. If he has taken a wife in another village, and wishes to remain, they must give him a house there, and likewise the free use of the common.
- 5. To every man must be given a piece of land behind his house. No man shall have land in front of his house, still less an enclosure, unless he has performed some public service. In such a case it may be given, and the youngest son may inherit it, but after him it returns to the community.
- 6. Every village shall possess a common for the general good, and the chief of the village shall take care that it is kept in good order, so that posterity shall find it uninjured.
- 7. Every village shall have a market-place. All the rest of the land shall be for tillage and forest. No one shall fell trees without the consent of the community, or without the knowledge of the forester; for the forests are general property, and no man can appropriate them.

- 8. As mårkjeld ne måi thåt thorp navt mår ni nimma sa tha tillifte dål fon tha skat, hor fon tha inhemar ner fon tha tërhëmande. Ak ne mëi tha mårk skat navt er vrsellath\* ne wertha as thåt ôra god.
- 9. Alle-t mårkjeld mot jërlikes dëlath wrde, thrja dëgan far thëre joldëi, an hvndred dëlun to dëlande.
- 10. Thi grevetman mit sinum grevum skil ther of büra twintich dela; thene mark rjuchter tian dela, and sinum helpar, fif dela; thju folkesmoder en del; thju gå moder fjywer dela; that thorp tian dela; tha årma, that is thera tham navt warka ni kunna ni müge, fiftich dela.
- 11. Thêra, tham to marka kvma, ne mügon navt ni wokeria, kvmath thêr svm, sa is-t thêra famna plicht hjam
  kanbêr to makjana in-vr that êlle lând, til thju hja nimmerthe kêren navt wrde to eng ampt, hwand soka havath
  en gyra-lik hirte, vmbe skat to garja skolde hja ella vrrêda,
  that folk, thjv moder, hjara sibben and tho tha lesta hjara
  selva.
- 12. Is ther amman alsa arg that-er sjycht-siak fja jeftha vrderen wer vrsellath vr hel god, sa mot thene mark-rjuchtar him wera and tha famna him noma invr-et elle land.

In êra tyda hêmadon Findas folk mêst algadur invr hjara moders bårta-lånd, mit nôma ald-lånd that nw vnder-ne sê lêith; hja wêron thus fêr-of, thêrvmbe nêdon wi âk nên orloch, tha hja vrdrêven send ånd hêinda kêmon to râwane, thâ kêm-er fon selva låndwêr hêrmanna kêninggar ånd orloch, vr altham kêmon setma ånd uta setma kêmon êwa.

Hyr folgath tha Êwa thêr thêrut tavlikt send.

1. Ek Fryas mot-a lêtha jeftha fyanda wêra mith aldulkera wapne as-er forsinna, bikvma and handtêra mêi.

<sup>\*</sup> De mårkskat werd in goederen betaald.

- 8. The market charges shall not exceed one-twelfth of the value of the goods either to natives or strangers. The portion taken for the charges shall not be sold before the other goods.
- 9. All the market receipts must be divided yearly into a hundred parts three days before the Juul-day.
- 10. The Grevetman and his council shall take twenty parts; the keeper of the market ten, and his assistants five; the Volksmoeder one, the midwife four, the village ten, and the poor and infirm shall have fifty parts.
  - 11. There shall be no usurers in the market.

If any should come, it will be the duty of the maidens to make it known through the whole land, in order that such people may not be chosen for any office, because they are hard-hearted.

For the sake of money they would betray everybody—the people, the mother, their nearest relations, and even their own selves.

12. If any man should attempt to sell diseased cattle or damaged goods for sound, the market-keeper shall expel him, and the maidens shall proclaim him through the country.

In early times almost all the Finns lived together in their native land, which was called Aldland, and is now submerged. They were thus far away, and we had no wars. When they were driven hitherwards, and appeared as robbers, then arose the necessity of defending ourselves, and we had armies, kings, and wars.

For all this there were established regulations, and out of the regulations came fixed laws.

#### HERE FOLLOW THE LAWS WHICH WERE THUS ESTABLISHED.

1. Every Frisian must resist the assailants with such weapons as he can procure, invent, and use.

<sup>\*</sup> The market dues were paid in kind.

- 2. Is en boi twilif jer, sa mot-i tha sjvgunde dêi miste fon sin lêr-tid vmbe rêd to werthande mith-a wapne.
- 3. Is hi bikvmen, sa jêve mân him wâpne ând hi warth to wêrar slâgen.
- 4. Is hi thrê jêr wêrar, sâ wârth-i burch-hêr ând mêi hi hêlpa sin hâwed-manna to kjasane.
- 5. Is hwa sjvgun jêr kjasar, sâ mêi hi hêlpa en hêrman jeftha kêning to kjasane, thêr to âk kêren wrde.
  - Alle jêr mot-er ovir kêren wertha.
- 7. Buta tha kêning mügon alle ambtmanna wither kêren wertha, tham rjucht dva ånd nêi fryas rêd.
- 8. Annen kêning ne mêi navt ni lônger as thrê jêr kêning bilywa, til thju hi navt biklywa ne mêi.
  - 9. Heth-i sjvgun jêr rest, sâ mêi hi wither kêren wertha.
- 10. Is thi kêning thruch thene fyand fallen, sâ mügon sina sibba âk nêi thêre êre thinga.
- 11. Is-er vppa sin tid ofgvngen jeftha binna sin tid sturven, så ne mêi nên sibba him vpfolja, thêr-im nêiar sy sa tha fjarde kny.
- 12. Thêra tham strida mitha wapne an hjara handa ne kunnath navt forsinna and wis bilywa, thêrvmbe ne fochteth nêne kêning wapne to hantêra an tha strid. Sin wisdom mot sin wapen wêsa and thju ljafte sinra kampona mot sin skyld wêsa.

# Hyr send tha Rjuchta thêre Moder and thêra Kêninggar.

- 1. Sahwersa orloch kumth, send tha moder hira bodon nêi tha kêning, thi kêning send bodon nêi tha grêvetmanna vmbe lând-wêr.
- 2. Tha grêvetmanna hropath alle burch-hêra et sêmne and birêdath ho fêlo manna hja skilun stjura.

- 2. When a boy is twelve years old he must devote one day in seven to learning how to use his weapons.
- 3. As soon as he is perfect in the use of them they are to be given to him, and he is to be admitted as a warrior.
- 4. After serving as a warrior three years, he may become a citizen, and may have a vote in the election of the headman.
- 5. When he has been seven years a voter he then may have a vote for the chief or king, and may be himself elected.
  - 6. Every year he must be re-elected.
- 7. Except the king, all other officials are re-eligible who act according to Frya's laws.
- 8. No king may be in office more than three years, in order that the office may not be permanent.
- 9. After an interval of seven years he may be elected again.
- 10. If the king is killed by the enemy, his nearest relative may be a candidate to succeed him.
- 11. If he dies a natural death, or if his period of service has expired, he shall not be succeeded by any blood relation nearer than the fourth degree.
- 12. Those who fight with arms are not men of counsel, therefore no king must bear arms. His wisdom must be his weapon, and the love of his warriors his shield.

# THESE ARE THE RIGHTS OF THE MOTHERS AND THE KINGS.

- 1. If war breaks out, the mother sends her messengers to the king, who sends messengers to the Grevetmen to call the citizens to arms.
- 2. The Grevetmen call all the citizens together and decide how many men shall be sent.

- 3. Alle bisluta thêra moton ring nêi thêre moder senden wertha mith bodon and tjugum.
- 4. Thju moder lêth alle bisluta gaderja ånd jêfth et guldnetal, that is that middeltal fon alle bisluta etsêmne, thêrmitha mot man far that forma frêto ha and thene kening alsa.
- 5. Is thju wêra a kâmp, thân hoft thi kêning allêna mith sinum havedmanna to rêda, thach thêr moton âmmerthe thrê burch-hêra fon thêre moder fôrana sitta synder stem. Thissa burch-hêra moton dêjalikis bodon nêi thêre moder senda, til thju hju wêta müge jef thêr awet dên wârth, stridande with-a êwa jeftha with Fryas rêdjevinga.
- 6. Wil thi kêning dva ånd sina rêda navt, så mêi hi thåt navt vnderstonda.
- 7. Kvmth-ene fyand vnwarlinga, than mot man dva sa thene kening bith.
- 8. Nis thene kêning navt vppet pat, så mot mån sin folgar hêrich wêsa of tham-is folgar alont tha lesta.
  - 9. Nis thêr nên havedman, sâ kjase mån hwa.
- 10. Nis thêr nên tid, sâ wârpa hi him to havedman thêrim weldich fêleth.
- 11. Heth thene kêning en frêsalik folk ofslagen, sâ mügon sina after kvmande sin nâma âfter hjara âjne fora; wil thene kêning, sâ mêi-er vppen vnbibv.wade stêd en plâk utkjasa to hus ând erv. Thât erv mêi en rond-dêl wêsa sa grât thât hi fon alle sidum sjvgun hvndred trêdun ut of sine hus mêi hlapa, êr hi an sina rêna kvmth.
- 12. Sin jongste svn mêi that god erva, afte tham thamis jongste, than skil man that wither nimma.

# Hyr send tha Rjuchta aller Fryas vmbe Sêkur to Wêsande.

1. Sahwersa thêr êwa vrwrocht wrde jefta nêja setma

- 3. All the resolutions must immediately be sent to the mother by messengers and witnesses.
- 4. The mother considers all the resolutions and decides upon them, and with this the king as well as the people must be satisfied.
- 5. When in the field, the king consults only his superior officers, but three citizens of the mother must be present, without any voice. These citizens must send daily reports to the mother, that they may be sure nothing is done contrary to the counsels of Frya.
- 6. If the king wishes to do anything which his council opposes, he may not persist in it.
- 7. If an enemy appears unexpectedly, then the king's orders must be obeyed.
- 8. If the king is not present, the next to him takes command, and so on in succession according to rank.
  - 9. If there is no leader present, one must be chosen.
- 10. If there is no time to choose, any one may come forward who feels himself capable of leading.
- 11. If a king has conquered a dangerous enemy, his successors may take his name after their own. The king may, if he wishes, choose an open piece of ground for a house and ground; the ground shall be enclosed, and may be so large that there shall be seven hundred steps to the boundary in all directions from the house.
- 12. His youngest son may inherit this, and that son's youngest son after him; then it shall return to the community.

# HERE ARE THE RULES ESTABLISHED FOR THE SECURITY OF ALL FRISIANS.

1. Whenever new laws are made or new regulations

tavlikt, alsa mot-et to mêna nitha skên, men nammer to bâta fon enkeldera manniska, her fon enkeldera slachta, ner fon enkeldera stâta, nach fon awet that enkel sy.

- 2. Sahwersa orloch kvmt ånd ther wrde husa homljat jeftha skepa, hok that et sy, sy-et thrvch thene fyand, tha by mena redum, så ach tha mena menta, that is al-et folk to semne that wither to helene; ther vmbe that namman tha mena seka skil helpa vrijasa vmbe sin åjn god to bihaldane.
- 3. Is orloch vrthejan, and send ther svm, alsa vrderen that hja navt longer warks ne mügon, så mot tha mena mente hjam vnderhalda, by tha ferstum achon hja forana to sittana, til thju tha jüged skil era hjam.
- 4. Send thêr wêdvon ând wêson kêmon, sâ mot mân hja âk vnderhalda ând tha svna mügon thi nâma hjarar tâta vpp-ira skildum writa hjara slachtha to êrane.
- 5. Send thêr svm thrvch thene fyand fat and kvmath hja to bak, sa mot man hjam fêr fon that kamp of fora, hwand hja machton fry lêten wêsa by arge loftum and than ne mügon hja hjara lofta navt ni halda and toch êrlik bilywa.
- 6. Jef wi selwa fyanda fâta, sâ brânge mon tham djap anda landa wêi, mân lêrth hja vsa frya sêde.
- 7. Lêt mån hja åfternêi hlåpa, så lêt mån thåt mith welhêd thrvch tha fâmna dva, til thju wi åtha ånd frjunda winna fori lêtha ånd fyandun.

### UT MINNOS SKRIFTUN.

Sahwersa thêr ênman is thêrmêta ârg that hi vsa swetsar birawath, morth-dedun dvat husa barnth, mangêrtha skânth, hok thât-et sy, thât ârg sy, ând vsa swetnata willon thât wroken hâva, sâ is thât rjucht thât mân thene dêder fâtath ând an hjara âjn-

established, they must be for the common good, and not for individual advantage.

- 2. Whenever in time of war either ships or houses are destroyed, either by the enemy or as a matter of precaution, a general levy shall be assessed on the people to make it good again, so that no one may neglect the general welfare to preserve his own interest.
- 3. At the conclusion of a war, if any men are so severely wounded as to be unable to work, they shall be maintained at the public expense, and shall have the best seats at festivals, in order that the young may learn to honour them.
- 4. If there are widows and orphans, they shall likewise be maintained at the public expense; and the sons may inscribe the names of their fathers on their shields for the honour of their families.
- 5. If any who have been taken prisoners should return, they must be kept separate from the camp, because they may have obtained their liberty by making treacherous promises, and thus they may avoid keeping their promises without forfeiting their honour.
- 6. If any enemies be taken prisoners, they must be sent to the interior of the country, that they may learn our free customs.
- 7. If they are afterwards set free, it must be done with kindness by the maidens, in order that we may make them comrades and friends, instead of haters and enemies.

### FROM MINNO'S WRITINGS.

If any one should be so wicked as to commit robbery, murder, arson, rape, or any other crime, upon a neighbouring state, and our people wish to inflict punishment, the culprit shall be put to death in the presence warda dêjath, til thju thêr vr nên orloch ne kvme, wêrthrvch tha vnskêldiga skolde bota fori tha skêldiga. Willath hja him sin lif bihalda lêta ând thju wrêka ofkâpja lêta, sâ mêi mân thât dâja. Thach is then bona en kêning, grêvetman, grêva hwa thât-et sy, tham ovira sêda mot wâka, sâ moton wi thât kwad bêterja men ta bona mot sin straf hâ.

Forth hi en êrenama vppa sine skeld fon sina êthelun, sa ne mügon sina sibba thi nama navt longer ne fora. Thêrvmbe that hi êne sibba svrg skil hava ovira sêda thêra ôthera.

# Êwa fara Stjurar. Stjurar is thi Êrenoma thêra Butafarar.

Alle fryas svna håva lika rjuchta, thêrvmb mügon âlle flinka knapa hjara self as butafarar melda by tha ôldermôn ånd thisse ne mêi him nit ofwisa, wara that er nên sted is.

- 2. Tha stjurar mügon hjara åjn måstrun noma.
- 3. Tha kâpljvd moton kêren ând binomath wertha thrvch tha mênte thêr-et god hêreth ând tha stjurar ne mügon thêr by nên stem håva.
- 4. Jef mån vppe rêis bifinth that thene kêning årg jefta vnbikvmmen is, så mügon hja en ôra nimma; kvmon hja to båk, så mêi thene kêning him self biklagja by tha ôldermôn.
- 5. Kvmth thêr flâte to honk ånd sin thêr bâta, sâ moton tha stjurar thêr of en thrimene hâva, althus to dêlande, thi witkêning twilf môn-is dêla, thi skolt by nacht sjugun dêla, tha bôtmônna ek twa dêla, thi skiprun ek thrê dêla, that ôra skip-is folk ek ên dêl. Tha jongste prentar ek en thrimnath, tha midlosta ek en half-dêl ând tha ôldesta ek en twêdnath.
- 6. Sin thêr svme vrlameth, så mot-a mêna mênte njvda far hjara lif, åk moton hja fôrana sitta by tha mêna fêrsta, by huslika fêrsta, jå by alle fêrsta.

<sup>\*</sup> Stjurar, van ... de naam Sturii by Plinius.

of the offended, in order that no war may arise, and the innocent suffer for the guilty. If the offended will spare his life and forego their revenge, it may be permitted. If the culprit should be a king, Grevetman, or other person in authority, we must make good his fault, but he must be punished.

If he bears on his shield the honourable name of his forefathers, his kinsmen shall no longer wear it, in order that every man may look after the conduct of his relatives.

#### LAWS FOR THE NAVIGATORS.

Navigator is the title of those who make foreign voyages.

- 1. All Frya's sons have equal rights, and every stalwart youth may offer himself as a navigator to the Olderman, who may not refuse him as long as there is any vacancy.
  - 2. The navigators may choose their own masters.
- 3. The traders must be chosen and named by the community to which they belong, and the navigators have no voice in their election.
- 4. If during a voyage it is found that the king is bad or incompetent, another may be put in his place, and on the return home he may make his complaint to the Olderman.
- 5. If the fleet returns with profits, the sailors may divide one-third among themselves in the following manner: The king twelve portions, the admiral seven, the boatswains each two portions, the captains three, and the rest of the crew each one part; the youngest boys each one-third of a portion, the second boys half a portion each, and the eldest boys two-thirds of a portion each.
- 6. If any have been disabled, they must be maintained at the public expense, and honoured in the same way as the soldiers.

<sup>\*</sup> Stjurar, from this is derived the word Sturii in Pliny.

- 7. Sin thêr vppa tocht vmkume, så moton hjara nêstun hjara dêl erva.
- 8. Sin thêr wêdven and wêson fon kvmen, sa mot thju mênte hja vnderhalda; sin hja an ênre kase felth, sa mügon tha svna thi nôma hjarar tâta vppira skeldun fora.
- 9. Sin ther prentara \* forfaren, sa moton sina erva en el mannis del hava.
- 10. Was hi forsêith, så mêi sin brud sjugun mannis dêlun aska vmbe hira fryadulf en stên to to wjande, mar thân mot hja for tha êre wêdve bilyva lêva lông.
- 11. Sahwersa en mênte en flâte to rêth, moton tha rêdar njvda fâra beste liftochtun ând fâr wif ând bârn.
- 12. Jef en stjurar of ånd årm is, ånd hi heth hus nach erv, så mot im that jon wertha. Nil hy nên hus nach erv, sa mügon sin friundun hem tus nêma ånd thju mênte mot et bêtera nêi sina ståt, wara thåt sin friunda thene bâta weigerja.

## NETLIKA SÊKA UT-A NÊILÊTNE SKRIFTUM MINNOS.

Minno† was en alde sêkêning, sjaner ånd wisgyrich. An tha Krêtar heth-i êwa jêven. Hi is bårn an tha Lindawrda, ånd nêi al sin witherfåra heth hi thåt luk noten umbe to Lindahêm to sterva.

Sahwersa vsa swethnata en dêl lând hâve jeftha wêtir, that vs god tolikt, sa focht-et vs vmbe that a kâp to frêja, nillath hja thât navt ne dva, than mot mân hja that bihalda lêta. That is nêi Frya-his tex ând-et skolde vnrjucht wêsa to vnthandana that.

Sahwersa thêr swethnata et sêmna kyva ånd sana vr enga sêka, tha vr lånd, and hja vs frêja en ordêl to sprêka, sa ach man thåt rêder åfterwêja to lêtane,

<sup>\*</sup> Prentar, nog op Texel een (stuurmans) leerling.

<sup>†</sup> Minno, Minos (de oude).

- 7. If any have died on the voyage, their nearest relatives inherit their portion.
- 8. Their widows and orphans must be maintained at the public expense; and if they were killed in a sea-fight, their sons may bear the names of their fathers on their shields.
- 9. If a topsailman is lost, his heirs shall receive a whole portion.
- 10. If he was betrothed, his bride may claim seven portions in order to erect a monument to her bridegroom, but then she must remain a widow all her life.
- 11. If the community is fitting out a fleet, the purveyors must provide the best provisions for the voyage, and for the women and children.
- 12. If a sailor is worn out and poor, and has no house or patrimony, one must be given him. If he does not wish for a house, his friends may take him home; and the community must bear the expense, unless his friends decline to receive it.

USEFUL EXTRACTS FROM THE WRITINGS LEFT BY MINNO.

Minno was an ancient sea-king. He was a seer and a philosopher, and he gave laws to the Cretans. He was born at Lindaoord, and after all his wanderings he had the happiness to die at Lindahem.

If our neighbours have a piece of land or water which it would be advantageous for us to possess, it is proper that we should offer to buy it. If they refuse to sell it, we must let them keep it. This is Frya's Tex, and it would be unjust to act contrary to it.

If any of our neighbours quarrel and fight about any matter except land, and they request us to arbitrate, our best course will be to decline; but if

<sup>\*</sup> Prentar, still used in Texel to designate a pilot's apprentice.

<sup>†</sup> Minno, Minos (the Aucient).

tach sa man thêr navt buta ne kan, sa mot man thát erlik ånd rjuchtfêrdich dva.

Kvmth thêr hwa ånd sêith, ik håv orloch, nw most-v mi helpa; jeftha en ôra kvmth ånd sêith, min svn is vnjêrich ånd vnbikvmmen, ånd ik bin ald, nw wild-ik thi to wâranstew ovir hini ånd ovir min land stålla, til hi jêrich sy, sa ach man that wêigarja, til thju wi nawt an twist ne kvme ne müge vr sêka stridande with vsa frya sêdum.

Sahwersa thêr kvmth en vrlandisk kapman vppa tolêtmårk et Wyringga tha to Almanland ånd hi bidroght, sa
warth-er bistonda mårk-bêten ånd kanbêr måkad trvch tha
fåmna invr et êle land. Kvmth-er thån to båk, sa ne skil
nimman kåpja fon him, hy mêi hinne brûda sa-r kvmen is.
Thus, sahwersa-r kåpljud kêren wrde vmbe wr-a merka to
gå, jeftha mith-e flåt to fårane, sa ach man allena aldulkera
to kjasane tham mån tyge by tyge kånth ånd an en goda
hrop ståne by tha fåmna. Bêrth-et navt to min that-er en
årg man mông sy, tham tha ljud bitrogha wil, sa agon tha
ora thåt to wêrane. Het-i-t-al dên sa mot mån thåt bêterja,
ånd thene misdêdar ut of låndum banna, til thju vsa nåma
vral mith êrane skil wertha binomath.

Men jef wir vs vppen vrlandiska mårkt finda, sy-et heinde jeftha fer, ånd berth-et thåt-et folk vs let dvath jeftha bistelleth, så agon wy mith haste hei to to slåna, hwand afsken wy ella agon to dvande vmbe fretho willa, vsa halfbrothar ne mügon vs nimmer minachtja nach wåna that wi ange send.

In min jüged håv ik wel ênis mort overa bånda thêra êwa, åfter håv ik Frya often tanked vr hjra tex, ånd vsa êthla vr tha êwa thêr thêrnêi tavlikt send.

Wr.alda jeftha Alfoder heth mi fêlo jêren jêven, invr fêlo landa ând sêa hâv ik omme fâren ând nêi al hwa ik sjan hâ, bin ik vrtjûgad that wi allêna they insist upon it, it must be done honourably and justly.

If any one comes and says, I am at war, you must help me; or another comes and says, My son is an infant and incompetent, and I am old, so I wish you to be his guardian, and to take charge of my property until he is of age, it is proper to refuse in order that we may not come into disputes about matters foreign to our free customs.

Whenever a foreign trader comes to the open markets at Wyringen and Almanland, if he cheats, he must immediately be fined, and it must be published by the maidens throughout the whole country.

If he should come back, no one must deal with him. He must return as he came.

Whenever traders are chosen to go to trading stations, or to sail with the fleets, they must be well known and of good reputation with the maidens.

If, however, a bad man should by chance be chosen and should try to cheat, the others are bound to remove him. If he should have committed a cheat, it must be made good, and the culprit must be banished from the land in order that our name may be everywhere held in honour.

If we should be ill-treated in a foreign market, whether distant or near, we must immediately attack them; for though we desire to be at peace, we must not let our neighbours underrate us or think that we are afraid.

In my youth I often grumbled at the strictness of the laws, but afterwards I learned to thank Frya for her Tex and our forefathers for the laws which they established upon it. Wr-alda or Alvader has given me many years, and I have travelled over many lands and seas, and after all that I have seen, I am convinced that we alone

trych Alfoder utforkeren send, ewa to havande. Lydas folk ne mêi nên êwa to mâkjande ni to hâldande, hja send to dym and wild therto. Felo slachta Findas send snod enoch, men hja send gyrich, håchfårande, falsk, vnkûs ånd mort-Poga blêsath hjara selva vppa, and hja ne müsjochtich. gath nawet than krupa. Forska hropath wark, wark, and hia ne dvath nawet as hippa and kluchtmakja. hropathspår, spår, men hja stêlon ånd vrslynath al wat vnder hjara snavela kvmath. Lik al tham is that Findas folk, hja bogath immer ovir goda êwa; ek wil setma makja vmbet kwâd to wêrane, men selva nil nimman theran bonden wêsa. Thêra hwam-his gâst that lestigoste sy and thêrtrych sterik, tham-his hône krêjath kêning and tha ôro moton alwenna an sin weld vnderwurpen wêsa, til en ôther kvmth thêr-im fon-a sêtel drywet. That word êwa is to frân vmbe Thervmbe heth mån vs êvin an mêna sêka to nomande. sega lêrth. Ewa that sêit setma thêr bi aller manniska êlik an hjara mod prenth send, til thju hja müge wêta hwat rjucht ånd vnrjucht sy ånd hwêrtrhych hja weldich send ymbe hjara åjne dêda ånd tham fon ôrum to birjuchtande, that wil sedsa alsanâka hja god ånd navt misdêdich vpbrocht send. Ak iser jet-en ôra sin an fast. Ewa seit ak, êlik wêter-lik; rjucht and sljucht as weter that thruch nen stornewind jeftha awet owers vrstoren is. Warth wêter vrstoren, sa warth-et vnêwa, vnrjucht, mem et nygt êvg vmbe wither êwa to werthande. that lêith an sin fonselvhêd, alsa tha nygung to rjucht and frydom in Fryas bern leith. Thessa nygung havath wi trych Wr. aldas gåst, ysa foders, thêr in Fryas bern bogth. thêrvm be skil hju vs âk êvg biklywa. Êwa is âk thet ôra sinnebyld fon Wr.aldas gåst, thêr êvg rjucht and vnforstoren bilywath, afskên-et an lichême årg to gêit. Èwa ånd vnforstoren send tha mårka thêra wisdom ånd rjuchtfêrdichhêd are chosen by Alvader to have laws. Lyda's people can neither make laws nor obey them, they are too stupid and uncivilised. Many are like Finda. They are clever enough, but they are too rapacious, haughty, false, immoral, and bloodthirsty.

The toad blows himself out, but he can only crawl. The frog cries "Work, work;" but he can do nothing but hop and make himself ridiculous. The raven cries "Spare, spare;" but he steals and wastes everything that he gets into his beak.

Finda's people are just like these. They say a great deal about making good laws, and every one wishes to make regulations against misconduct, but does not wish to submit to them himself. Whoever is the most crafty crows over the others, and tries to make them submit to him, till another comes who drives him off his perch.

The word "Eva" is too sacred for common use, therefore men have learned to say "Evin."

"Eva" means that sentiment which is implanted in the breast of every man in order that he may know what is right and what is wrong, and by which he is able to judge his own deeds and those of others; that is, if he has been well and properly brought up. "Eva" has also another meaning; that is, tranquil, smooth, like water that is not stirred by a breath of wind. If the water is disturbed it becomes troubled, uneven, but it always has a tendency to return to its tranquil condition. That is its nature, just as the inclination towards justice and freedom exists in Frya's children. We derive this disposition from the spirit of our father Wr-alda, which speaks strongly in Frya's children, and will eternally remain so. is another symbol of Wr-alda, who remains always just and unchangeable.

Eternal and unalterable are the signs wisdom and rec-

thêr fon alla frêmo månniska socht ånd trych alla rjuchtera bisêten wrden mot. Willath tha manniska thus setma and domar måkja, thêr alan god bilywa ånd allerwêikes, sa moton hja êlik wêsa to fara alle manniska; nêi thisse êwa achath tha rjuchtera hjara ordêl ut to kêthande. Is thêr eng kwâd dên, hwêrvr nên êwa tavlikt send, sa mot mån êne mêna acht bilidsa; thêr ordêlth man nêi tha sin thêr Wr.aldas gåst an vs kêth vmbe over ella rjuchtfêrdich to birjuchtande, althus to dvande ne skil vs ordêl nammer falikant ut ne kvma. Ne dvath mån nên rjucht men vnrjucht, alsa rist thêr twist and twispalt emong tha manniska and stata, thêrut sprût inlandiska orloch, hwêrthrych ella homljath ånd vrdåren wårth. Men, o dvmhêd. Dâhwila wi to dvande send ekkorum to skådane, kvmth-et nidige folk Findas mith hjara falska presterum jvw hava to rawande, jvwa toghatera to skåndane, jvwa sêda to vrdva ånd to tha lesta klåppath hja slåvona banda om jahwelikes frya hals.

### UT-A SKRIFTA MINNOS.

Tha Nyhellênia \* tham fon hira ajn nôme Min-erva hête, god sêten was and tha Krêkalander † hja to met even harde minade as vs ajn folk, tha kêmon thêr syme forsta and prestera vppe-ra burch and frejon Min-erva hwer of hjra erva lêjon. Nyhellênia andere, mina erva drêg ik om in mina bosm, hwåt ik urven håv is ljafde vr wisdom, rjucht ånd frydom, håv ik tham vrlêren, alsa ben ik êlik an tha minniste jvvar slâvonena. Nw jêv ik rêd vm nawet, men than skold ik vrkâpja tham. Tha hêra gvngon wêi, and hripon al lakande, jvwer hêroga thjanra, wisa Hel-Thach thermitha miston hja hjara dol, hwand that folk that hja minnade and hja folgade, nam this nôme to-n êre nôme an. Tha hja sågon that hjara skot mist hêde,

<sup>\*</sup> Nyhellenia, Nehalennia.

<sup>+</sup> Krekaland, het Krekenland, zoowel Groot Griekenland als Griekenland zelf.

titude, which must be sought after by all pious people, and must be possessed by all judges. If, therefore, it is desired to make laws and regulations which shall be permanent, they must be equal for all men. The judges must pronounce their decisions according to these laws. If any crime is committed respecting which no law has been made, a general assembly of the people shall be called, where judgment shall be pronounced in accordance with the inspiration of Wr-alda's spirit. If we act thus, our judgment will never fail to be right.

If instead of doing right, men will commit wrong, there will arise quarrels and differences among people and states. Thence arise civil wars, and everything is thrown into confusion and destroyed; and, O foolish people! while you are injuring each other the spiteful Finda's people with their false priests come and attack your ports, ravish your daughters, corrupt your morals, and at last throw the bonds of slavery over every freeman's neck.

### From Minno's Writings.

When Nyhalennia, whose real name was Min-erva, was well established, and the Krekalanders loved her as well as our own people did, there came some princes and priests to her citadel and asked Min-erva where her possessions lay. Hellenia answered, I carry my possessions in my own bosom. What I have inherited is the love of wisdom, justice, and freedom. If I lose these I shall become as the least of your slaves; now I give advice for nothing, but then I should sell it. The gentlemen went away laughing and saying, Your humble servants, wise Hellenia. But they missed their object, for the people took up this name as a name of honour. When they saw that

Nyhellenia or Nehalennia.

<sup>†</sup> Krekaland, the Krekenland means Magna Grecia as well as Greece.

tha gyngon hja hja bihlyda and seidon that hju-t folk hexnad hêde, men vs folk ånd tha goda Krêkalandar wêrde aller wêikes that-et laster wêre. Enis kêmon hja and frêgon, as thy thân nên thjonster ne biste, hwat dêist thân mitha ajar tham the altid bi thi heste. Min-erva andere. thisse ajar send that sinebyld fon Fryas rêdjêvinga, wêrin vsa tokvmste forholen hlêit and fon êl that manneskalik slachte; tid mot hja utbroda ånd wi moton wåka thåt-er nên lêth an ne kvmth. Tha prestera, god sêid; men hwêrto thjanath thene hund an thina fêra hand. andere, heth thene hårder nên skêper vmbe sin kidde at sêmene to haldande? hwat thene hvnd is inna thjanest thes skêphårder, bin ik in Fryas tjanest, ik mot ovir Fryas kidde wâka. That likath vs god to, sêdon tha prestera; men seg vs, hwat is thju bitjytenise fon thi nachtule, ther immer boppa thin hole sit, is that ljuchtskywande djar altomet thet têken thinra klârsjanhêd. Nêan andere Hellênia, hi helpt my hügja that er en slach fon månuiska ovir hirtha omme dwålth, thêr evin lik hi in kårka and hola hêma; thêr an tjuster frota, tach navt as hi, vmb vs fon mûsa ånd ôra plåga to helpane, men renka to forsinna, tha ôra manniska hjara witskip to rawane, til thju hja tham to bêtre müge fâta vmber slavona fon to mâkjande ånd hjara blod ut to sûgane, even as vampyra dva. kêmon hja mith en benda folk. Pest was over-et land kymen, hja sêidon, wi alle send to dvande, tha Goda to offerja, til thju hja pest wêra müge. Nilst thv then navt ne helpa hjara grimskip to stilane, jeftha hethste pest selva ovir-et lând brocht mith thinra kunsta. Nêan sôide Minerva, men ik ne kån nêne goda, thêr årg dvande send; thêrvmbe ne kan ik navt frêja jef hja beter wrda willa. kån ên gode, that is Wr.aldas gast; men thrvch tham er god is, dvath er åk nen kwåd. Hwanath kvmth-et kwåd

their shot had missed they began to calumniate her, and to say that she had bewitched the people; but our people and the good Krekalanders understood at once that it was calumny. She was once asked, If you are not a witch, what is the use of the eggs that you always carry with you? Min-erva answered, These eggs are the symbols of Frya's counsels, in which our future and that of the whole human race lies concealed. Time will hatch them, and we must watch that no harm happens to them. The priests said, Well answered; but what is the use of the dog on your right hand? Hellenia replied, Does not the shepherd have a sheep-dog to keep his flock together? What the dog is to the shepherd I am in Frya's service. I must watch over Frya's flocks. We understand that very well, said the priests; but tell us what means the owl that always sits upon your head, is that light-shunning animal a sign of your clear vision? No, answered Hellenia; he reminds me that there are people on earth who, like him, have their homes in churches and holes, who go about in the twilight, not, like him, to deliver us from mice and other plagues, but to invent tricks to steal away the knowledge of other people, in order to take advantage of them, to make slaves of them, and to suck their blood like leeches. Another time they came with a whole troop of people, when the plague was in the country, and said: We are all making offerings to the gods that they may take away the plague. Will you not help to turn away their anger, or have you yourself brought the plague into the land with all your arts? No, said Min-erva; I know no gods that do evil, therefore I cannot ask them to do better. I only know one good spirit, that is Wr-alda's; and as he is good he never does evil. Where, then, does evil come from? asked than wêi, frejath tha prestera. Allet kwad kvmth fon jow ånd fon thêre dvmhêd thêra månniska, tham hjara selva fon jow fensa lêta. Jef thin drochten than sa bjustre god is, wêrvmb wêrther-et kwâd thân navt, frêjath tha prestera. Hellenia andere, Frya het vs vppe wêi brocht and thene kroder that is tid, tham mot that ovrige dva. With alle rampun is rêd and help to findande, tha Wr.alda wil that wi hja selva soka skilon, til thju wi sterik skile wertha ånd wis. Nillath wi navt, thån lêt-er vsa trul ut trulla, til thju wi skilon erfåra, hwat nêi wisa dêdum ånd hwat nêi dvma dêdum folgath. Tha sêide-ne forst, ik skolde wana, that were betre, that to werande. Hwel müglik, endere Hellênia, hwand than skolde tha månniska bilywa lik tåmade skêpa; thy ånd tha prestera skolde-r than hoda willa, men åk skêra ånd nêi thêra slacht benke fora. alsa nil-t vs drochten navt, hi wil that wi ekkorum helpa, men hi wil ak that jahweder fry sy and wis wrde. âk vsa wille, thêrvmbe kjasth vs folk sin forsta, grêva, rêdjêvar and alle basa and mastera ut-a wisesta thêra goda månniska, til thju allemånnalik sin best skil dva vmbe wis and god to werthande. Althus to dvande skilun wi ênis wêta and anda folka lêra, that wis wêsa and wis dva allêna lêith to salichhêd. That likt en ordêl, sêidon tha prestera, men aste nv mênste, that pest thrvch vsa dvmhêd kvmth, skolde Nyhellênia than wel sa god wêsa wille, vmbe vs ewat fon that nya ljucht to lênande, hwêr vppa hju sa Jes sêide Hellênia; tha rokka and ôra füglon kvmath allêna falla vp vûl âs, men pest minth navt allêna vûl ås, men vûla sêd-plegum ånd fangnisa. Wilstv nv that pest fon-i wika and na wither ne kvma, than mostv tha fangnisa wêi dva, and that i alla rên wrde fon binna and fon bûta. Wi willath bilâwa that thin red god sy, sêidon tha prestera, men seg vs, ho skilum wi thêr alla the priests. All the evil comes from you, and from the stupidity of the people who let themselves be deceived by If, then, your god is so exceedingly good, why does he not turn away the bad? asked the priests. lenia answered: Frya has placed us here, and the carrier, that is, Time, must do the rest. For all calamities there is counsel and remedy to be found, but Wr-alda wills that we should search it out ourselves, in order that we may become strong and wise. If we will not do that, he leaves us to our own devices; in order that we may experience the results of wise or foolish conduct. Then a prince said, I should think it best to submit. Very possibly, answered Hellenia; for then men would be like sheep, and you and the priests would take care of them, shearing them and leading them to the shambles. This is what our god does not desire, he desires that we should help one another, but that all should be free and wise. That is also our desire, and therefore our people choose their princes, counts, councillors, chiefs, and masters among the wisest of the good men, in order that every man shall do his best to be wise and good. Thus doing, we learn ourselves and teach the people that being wise and acting wisely can alone lead to holiness. That seems very good judgment, said the priests; but if you mean that the plague is caused by our stupidity, then Nyhellenia will perhaps be so good as to bestow upon us a little of that new light of which she is so Yes, said Hellenia, but ravens and other birds of prey feed only on dead carrion, whereas the plague feeds not only on carrion but on bad laws and customs and If you wish the plague to depart wicked passions. from you and not return, you must put away your bad passions and become pure within and without. admit that the advice is good, said the priests, but how shall we induce all the people under our rule

månniska to krêja, thêr vnder vs weld send. Tha stand Hellênia vp fon hira sêtel and kêth: Tha muska folgath thene sêjar, tha folka hjara goda forsta, thêrvmbe ach-stv to bijinnande mith thin selva alsa rên to makjande, that stv thinna blikka in ånd utward mêi rjuchta svnder skåmråd to werthande to fara thin åjn mod. Men in stêde fon that folk rên to makjande heste vûla fêrsta utfonden, hwêr vppa thát folk al sa nâka sûpth, that hja to lesta lik tha barga annath slip frota, vmbe that stv thin vûla lusta bota mêi. That folk bigost to jolande and to spotande. Thêr thrych ne thuradon hja nên strid wither an to spinnande. Ny skolde åjder wåna, thåt hja vral-et folk to hape hropen hêde vmbe vs algadur to-t land ut to driwande. Nêan an stêde fon hja to bihluda gyngon hja allerwêikes, åk to tha hêinde Krêkalana til tha Alpa ut to kêthane, that et thene allervrste drochten hagth hêde sin wisa toghater Min-erva, to nômth Nyhellênia êmong tha manniska to sendane in overa sê mith-en ulk, vmbe tha manniska gode rêd to jêvane and that allermannalik, thêr hja hêra wilde, rik ånd lukich skolde wertha, ånd ênis bâs skolde wertha ovir alle kêningkrik irtha.s. Hira byldnese ståldon hja vppe hjara åltårum, jeftha hja vrsellade-t anda dyma månniska. Hja kêthon allerwêikes rêd-jêvinga, thêr hju nimmer jêven hêde, and taladon wondera, thêr hju na dên hêde. Thrych lesta wiston hja-ra selva master to måkjande fon vsa êwa ånd setma, ånd thrvch wankêthinga wiston hja alles to wisa and to vrbruda. Hja staldon ak fâmma vnder hjara hode, tha skinber vndere hoda fon Fåsta\* vsa forma êre moder, vmbe over that frana ljucht to wakane. Men that ljucht hêde hja selva vpstoken, and in stêde fon tha famkes wis to makjande, and afternêi êmong thát folk to senda, ta sjaka to lêvande ånd tha bårn to lêrande, måkadon hja-ra dvm ånd dimme bi-t ljucht ånd ne machten hja nå buta ne kvma. Ak wrdon

<sup>\*</sup> Fâsta, Vesta, en de Vestaalsche maagden.

to agree to it? Then Hellenia stood up and said: The sparrows follow the sower, and the people their good princes, therefore it becomes you to begin by rendering yourselves pure, so that you may look within and without, and not be ashamed of your own conduct. Now, instead of purifying the people, you have invented foul festivals, in which they have so long revelled that they wallow like swine in the mire to atone for your evil passions. people began to mock and to jeer, so that she did not dare to pursue the subject; and one would have thought that they would have called all the people together to drive us out of the land; but no, in place of abusing her they went all about from the heathenish Krekaland to the Alps, proclaiming that it had pleased the Almighty God to send his clever daughter Min-erva, surnamed Nyhellenia, over the sea in a cloud to give people good counsel, and that all who listened to her should become rich and happy, and in the end governors of all the kingdoms of the earth. erected statues to her on all their altars, they announced and sold to the simple people advice that she had never given, and related miracles that she had never performed. They cunningly made themselves masters of our laws and customs, and by craft and subtlety were able to explain and spread them around. They appointed priestesses under their own care, who were apparently under the protection of Festa, our first Eeremoeder, to watch over the holy lamp; but that lamp they lit themselves, and instead of imbuing the priestesses with wisdom, and then sending them to watch the sick and educate the young, they made them stupid and ignorant, and never allowed them to come out. They were em-

<sup>\*</sup> Fasta is Vesta, or the Vestal Virgins.

hja to rêdjêvstare brukath, tach thi rêd was by skin ut hjara mvlun; hwand hjara mvla wêron navt owers as tha hropar, hwêr trych tha prestera hjara gêrta utkêthon.

Tha Nyhellênia fallen was, wilden wi en ore moder kjasa, svme wilden nêi Texlând vmbe thêr êne to frêjande, men tha prestera tham by hira âjn folk thât rik wither in hêde, nilden that ni hengja ând kêthen vs by-ra folk as vn-frâna ut.

### III. UT-A SKRIFTA MINNOS.

Tha-k althus wêi faren was mith mina ljvd fon Athenia, kêmon wi to tha lesta an en êland thrych min ljyd Krêta hêten vm-a wilda krêta tham et folk anhyv by vsa kvmste. Tha as hja sagon that wi nen orloch an-t skeld foron, wrdon hja mak, alsa-k et lest far en bota mit yserark en havesmode ånd en stada land wandelde. Thach tha wi en stut sêten hêde and hja spêradon that wi nên slavona nêde, tha wêron hja vrstålath, men tha-k-ra nw talt hêde that wi êwa hêdon êlik to birjuchtande vr alla, tha wilde-t folk åk fon sokka hå. Tach skers hedon hja tham, jefta that êlle land kêm anda tys. Tha forsta and prestera kêmon bârja, that wi hjara tjvth over hêrich mâkad hêde and that folk kêm to vs vmbe hul and skul. tha forsta sagon that hja hjara rik vrljasa skolda, tha jêvon hja that folk frydom and kêmon to my vmb-en êsega bok. Thach that folk was nên frydom wenth and tha hêra bilêvon welda nêi that ir god thochte. Tha thi storn wr wêr, bigoston hjatwispalt among vs to sêja. Hja sêidon to min folk that ik hjara help anhropen hêde vmbe standfåst kening to werthande. Enis fand ik gif in min met, thå as er ênis en skip

ployed as advisers, but the advice which seemed to come from them was but the repetition of the behests of the priests. When Nyhellenia died, we wished to choose another mother, and some of us wished to go to Texland to look for her; but the priests, who were all-powerful among their own people, would not permit it, and accused us before the people of being unholy.

### From the Writings of Minno.

When I came away from Athenia with my followers, we arrived at an island named by my crew Kreta, because of the cries that the inhabitants raised on our arrival. When they really saw that we did not come to make war, they were quiet, so that at last I was able to buy a harbour in exchange for a boat and some iron implements, and a piece of land. When we had been settled there a short time, and they discovered that we had no slaves, they were very much astonished; and when I explained to them that we had laws which made everybody equal, they wished to have the same; but they had hardly established them before the whole land was in confusion.

The priests and the princes declared that we had excited their subjects to rebellion, and the people appealed to us for aid and protection. When the princes saw that they were about to lose their kingdom, they gave freedom to their people, and came to me to establish a code of laws. The people, however, got no freedom, and the princes remained masters, acting according to their own pleasure. When this storm had passed, they began to sow divisions among us. They told my people that I had invoked their assistance to make myself permanent king. Once I found poison in my food. So when a ship from

fon-t Fly by vs vrsêilde, ben ik thêrmith stolkens hinne brith. — Tach min witherfara to lêtande, sa wil-k mith thesa skêdnesa allêna sêga, that wi navt müge hêma mith et Findas folk fon wêr that et sy, hwand that hja fvl send mith falska renka, êwa to frêsane as hjara swête wina mith dêjande fenin.

Ende wra skrifta Minnos.

# HIR VNDER SEND THRÊ WÊTA, THÊR AFTER SEND THISSA SETMA MAKAD.

- 1. Allera mannalik wêt, that i sin bihof mot, men warth ammon sin bihof vnthalden, sa nêt nên man hwat er skil dva vmbe sin lif to bihaldande.
- 2. Alle elte minniska werthat drongen a bårn to têlande, warth that wêrth, sa nêt nim man wath årges thêrof kvme mei.
- 3. Alrek wêt that-i fry and vnforlêth wil lêva, and that ôre that ak wille. Umbe sekur to wêsande send thesa setma and domar makad.

That folk Findas heth ak setma and domar: men thissa ne send navt nei tha rjucht, men allena to bata thera prestera and forsta, thana send hjara stata immerthe fvl twispalt and mord.

- 1. Sahwersa imman nåd heth ånd hi ne kan him selva navt ne helpe, sa moton tha fämna thåt kvndich dva an tha grêva. Thêrfar thåt et en stolte Fryas navt ne focht thåt selva to dva.
- 2. Sa hwa årm wårth thrvch tham hi navt wårka nil, thêr mot to that land ut drêven wertha, hwand tha lafa ånd loma send lestich and årg tankande: thêrvmbe ach mån to wårane tham.
- 3. Jahwêder jong kerdel ach en brud to sêka and is er fif and twintich sa acht-er en wif to hava,

Flyland sailed past, I quietly took my departure. Leaving alone, then, my own adventures, I will conclude this history by saying that we must not have anything to do with Finda's people, wherever it may be, because they are full of false tricks, fully as much to be feared as their sweet wine with deadly poison.

Here ends Minno's writing.

# THESE ARE THE THREE PRINCIPLES ON WHICH THESE LAWS ARE FOUNDED. .

- 1. Everybody knows that he requires the necessaries of life, and if he cannot obtain them he does not know how to preserve his life.
- 2. All men have a natural desire to have children, and if it is not satisfied they are not aware what evil may spring from it.
- 3. Every man knows that he wishes to live free and undisturbed, and that others wish the same thing.

To secure this, these laws and regulations are made.

The people of Finda have also their rules and regulations, but these are not made according to what is just—only for the advantage of priests and princes—therefore their states are full of disputes and murder.

- 1. If any man falls into a state of destitution, his case must be brought before the count by the maidens, because a high-minded Frisian cannot bear to do that himself.
- 2. If any man becomes poor because he will not work, he must be sent out of the country, because the cowardly and lazy are troublesome and ill-disposed, therefore they ought to be got rid of.
- 3. Every young man ought to seek a bride and to be married at five-and-twenty.

- 4. Is hwa fif and twintich, and heth er nên ênga, sa ach ek man him ut sin hus to wêrane. Ta knapa achon him te formyda. Nimth er than nach nên ênga, sa mot man hin dad sêga, til thju hi ut of lande brude and hir nên argenese nêva ne mêi.
- 5. Is hwa wrak, thân mot-er avbêr sêga, that nimman fon him to frêsane nach to duchtane heth. Sâ mei er kyma hwêr er wil.
- 6. Plêcht er åfternêi hordom, så mêi-r fluchta, ne fluchter navt, så is er an tha wrêke thêr bitrogna vrlêten, ånd nimman ne mêi helpa him.
- 7. Sahwersa âmmon eng god heth, ând en ôther likt that thermête that i him thêran vrfate, sa mot-i thât thrja vrjelda. Stêlth-i jeta rêis, thân mot hi nêi tha tinlânum. Wil thene bistêlne him fry jêva, sâ mêi-r thât dva. Tha bêrth et wither sa ne mêi nimman him frydom jêva.

### THISSA DOMAR SEND MAKAD FARA NYDIGA MANNISKA.

- 1. Sa hwa in hâste mode tha ut nid an nen otheris lêja brekth, âgna ut stât, jeftha thoth, hok thât et sy, sa mot thi lêtha bitallja hwat thene lêdar askth. Ne kan hi hât ni dva, sâ mot-er avbêr an im dên wertha, sa hi an thene ôre dêth. Nil hi thât navt ut ne stonda, sa mot-i him to sina burch-fâm wenda, jef-i inna yser jeftha tin lâna mêi werka til sin skeld an sy, nêi thêr mêne dom.
  - 2. Jef ther imman fvnden warth alsa arg that-i en Fryas felth, hi mot et mit sina lif bitallja. Kan sina burch-fam hin far altid nei tha tinlana helpa êr er fat wrde, sy mêi that dva.
    - 3. Sahwersa thi bona mêi biwisa mith vrkanda tju-

- 4. If a young man is not married at five-and-twenty, he must be driven from his home, and the younger men must avoid him. If then he will not marry, he must be declared dead, and leave the country, so that he may not give offence.
- 5. If a man is impotent, he must openly declare that no one has anything to fear from him, then he may come or go where he likes.
- 6. If after that he commits any act of incontinence, then he must flee away; if he does not, he may be given over to the vengeance of those whom he has offended, and no one may aid him.
- 7. Any one who commits a theft shall restore it three-fold. For a second offence he shall be sent to the tin mines. The person robbed may forgive him if he pleases, but for a third offence no one shall protect him.

#### THESE RULES ARE MADE FOR ANGRY PEOPLE.

- 1. If a man in a passion or out of illwill breaks another's limb or puts out an eye or a tooth, he must pay whatever the injured man demands. If he cannot pay, he must suffer the same injury as he has done to the other. If he refuses this, he must appeal to the Burgtmaagd in order to be sent to work in the iron or tin mines until he has expiated his crime under the general law.
- 2. If a man is so wicked as to kill a Frisian, he must forfeit his own life; but if the Burgtmaagd can send him to the tin mines for his life before he is taken, she may do so.
  - 3. If the prisoner can prove by proper witnesses that

gum that et by vnluk skên is, sa skil hi fry wêsa, men bêrth et jetta rêis, sa mot-i tach nêi tha tinlânum, til thju mân thêr thrvch formitha all vnerimde wrêka ånd fêitha.

### THIS SEND DOMAR FARA HORNINGA.

- 1. Hwa en ôtheris hvs ut nid thene râde hôn anstekt nis nên Fryas, hi is en horning mith basterde blod. Mêi mån hin bi thêr dêd bifåra, sa mot mån hin vppet fjvr werpa. Hy mêi flya sa-r kån tach nårne skil-i sêkur wêsa fara wrêkande hand.
- 2. Nên åfta Fryas skil ovira misslêga sinra nêste malja nach kalta. Is hwa misdêdoch far-im selva, tha navt frêselik far en ôra, så mêi hi him selva riuchta. Wårth-i alsa årg that er frêslik wårth, sa mot mån-t anda grêva bara; men is thêr hwa thêr en ôther åfterbåkis bitighat in stêde fon-t to dvande by tha grêva, tham is en horning. Vpper mårk mot-i anda pêle bvnden wrde, sa that et jong folk im anspêja mêi; åfter lådath mån him overa mårka, men navt nêi tha tinlåna, thrvch that en êreråwer åk is to frêsane.
- 3. Sahwersa thêr ênis imman wêre sa årg that i vs gvng vrrêde by tha fyand, påda ånd to påda wes, vmbe vsa flyburga to nåka, jeftha thes nachtis thêrin to glupa, tham wêre allêna wrocht ut Findas blod. Him skolde mån mota barna. Tha stjurar skoldon sin mån ånd al sina sibba nêi en fêr êland mota brånga ånd thêr sin ask forstuva, til thju-r hyr nên feninige krûdon fon waxa ne müge. Tha fâmna moton thån sin nåm utspêja in vr al vsa ståta, til thju nên bårn sin nåm ne krêje ånd tha alda him müge vrwerpa.

the death was accidental, he may go free; but if it happens a second time, he must go to the tin mines, in order to avoid any unseemly hatred or vengeance.

### THESE ARE THE RULES CONCERNING BASTARDS.

- 1. If any man sets fire to another's house, he is no Frisian, he is a bastard. If he is caught in the act, he must be thrown into the fire; and wherever he may flee, he shall never be secure from the avenging justice.
- 2. No true Frisian shall speak ill of the faults of his neighbours. If any man injures himself, but does no harm to others, he must be his own judge; but if he becomes so bad that he is dangerous to others, they must bring it before the count. But if instead of going to the count a man accuses another behind his back, he must be put on the pillory in the market-place, and then sent out of the country, but not to the tin mines, because even there a backbiter is to be feared.
- 3. If any man should prove a traitor and show to our enemies the paths leading to our places of refuge, or creep into them by night, he must be the offspring of Finda; he must be burnt. The sailors must take his mother and all his relations to a desolate island, and there scatter his ashes, in order that no poisonous herbs may spring from them. The maidens must curse his name in all the states, in order that no child may be called by his name, and that his ancestors may repudiate him.

Orloch was vrtigen, men nêd was kvmen an sin stêd. Nw wêron hyr thrê manniska thêr-ek en buda kêren stêlon fon asvndergane êjnhêra. Tha hja wrdon alle fat. gong there erosta to and brocht there thiaf by tha skelte. Tha fâmna thêr-vr kêtande sêidon allerwêis, that i dên hêde nêi rjucht. Thi ôra nom thene thiaf that kêren of and lêth im forth mith frêto. Tha famna sêidon, hi heth wel dên. Men thi thredde êjnhêr gvng nêi tha thjaf sin hus thâ. Asser nw sach ho nêd thêr sin sêtel vpstålth hêde, thâ gyng hi to bak and kêrde wither mith en wêin fol nêdthreftum, thêr hi nêd mith fon thêre hêrd of driwe. Fryas fâmua hêdon by him omme wârath and sin dêd an dat êvge bok skrêven, dahwile hja al sina lêka ut fâchth hêde. Thju êremoder was et sêid and hju lêt het kvndich dva thrvch that êle land.

# THAT HYR VNDER STAT IS IN UT THA WAGAR THÊRE WARABURCH WRITEN.

# (Zie plaat I.)

Hwat hyr boppa ståt send thi têkna fon thåt jol. Thåt is thåt forma sinnebild Wr.aldas, åk fon t-anfang jeftha-t bijin, wêrut tid kêm, thåt is thene Kroder thêr êvg mith thåt jol mot ommehlåpa. Thana heth Frya thåt standskrift måkad, thåt hja brukte to hira tex. Thå Fåsta êremoder wêre, heth hju-r thåt run ieftha hlåpande skrift fon måkad. Ther Witkening thåt is Sêkening, Godfreiath thene alda heth thêr asvndergana telnomar fon måkad får stand ånd rvnskrift bêde. T is thervmbe navt to drok that wi-r jerliks ênis fêst vr fyrja. Wy mügon Wr.alda êvg thank to wya thåt hi sin gåst sa herde in vr vsa êthla heth fåra lêtn. Vnder hira tid heth Finda åk en skrift

War had come to an end, but famine came in its place. There were three men who each stole a sack of corn from different owners, but they were all caught. The first owner brought his thief to the judge, and the maidens said everywhere that he had done right. The second owner took the corn away from his thief and let him go in peace. The maidens said he has done well. The third owner went to the thief's house, and when he saw what misery was there, he went and brought a waggon-load of necessaries to relieve their distress. Frya's maidens came around him and wrote his deed in the eternal book, and wiped out all his sins. This was reported to the Eeremoeder, and she had it made known over the whole country.

# What is written hereunder is inscribed on the Walls of Waraburgt.

## (See Plate I.)

What appears at the top is the signs of the Juul—that is, the first symbol of Wr-alda, also of the origin or beginning from which Time is derived; this is the Kroder, which must always go round with the Juul. According to this model Frya formed the set hand which she used to write her Tex. When Fasta was Eeremoeder she made a running hand out of it. The Witkoning—that is, the Sea-King Godfried the Old—made separate numbers for the set hand and for the runic hand. It is therefore not too much that we celebrate it once a year. We may be eternally thankful to Wr-alda that he allowed his spirit to exercise such an influence over our fore-fathers.

In her time Finda also invented a mode of writing,

utfvnden, men thåt wêre sa hågfårende ånd fvl mith frisla ånd krolum, thåt tha afterkvmanda thêrof thju bitjudnese ring vrlêren håve. Afternêi håvon hja vs skrift lêred binoma tha Finna, tha Thyrjar ånd tha Krekalander. Men hja niston navt god, thåt-et fon et jol måkad was ånd that-et thêrumbe altid skrêven wrde moste mith son om. Thêrby wildon hja thåt hjara skrift vnlêsbêr skolde wêsa far ora folkum, hwand hja håvath altid hêmnesa. Thus to dvanda send hja herde fon-a wis råkath, thêrmêtha, that ta bårn tha skriftun hja-rar aldrum amper lêsa en mûga; dahwile wy vsa alderaldesta skriftun êvin rêd lêsa mûga as thêra thêr jester skrêven send.

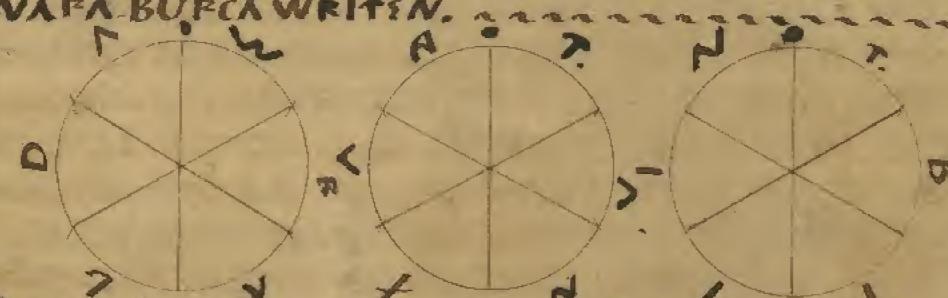
Hir is that stand skrift, thervnder that run skrift, forth tha talnomar a byder wisa.

(Zie plaat II.)

THAT STÊT VP ALLE BURGUM ESKRÊVEN.

Er thêre årge tid kêm was vs lând that skênneste in Svnne rês hager and ther was sjelden frost. wr.alda. Anda bâma ånd trêjon waxton frügda ând nochta, thêr nw vrlêren send. Among tha gårs-sêdum hedon wi navt alena kêren, ljaver ånd blyde, men åk swete thêr lik gold blikte ånd thåt mån vndera svnnastrêla bakja kvste. Jêron ne wrde navt ne telath, hwand that êne jêr was alsa blyd as et ôthera. An tha êne side wrdon wi thrych Wr.aldas sê bisloten, hwêrvp nên folk buta vs navt fara ne mochte nach kvnde. Anda ôre side wrden wi thrvch that brêde Twiskland vmtunad, hwêr thrvch that Findas folk navt kvma ne thvradon, fon ovira tichta walda and ovir it wilde kwik. By morne paldon wi ovir it uter ende thes aster-sê, by êvind an thene 45.

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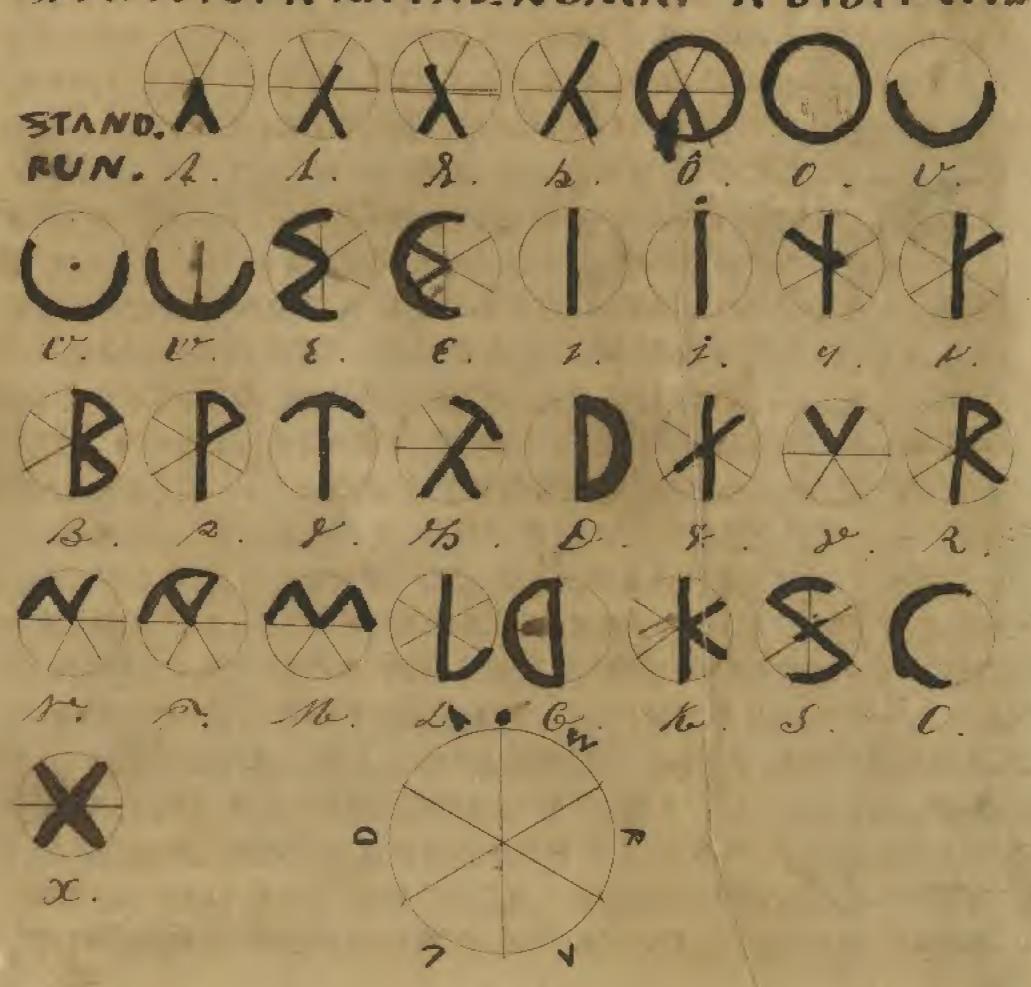
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AWAT A IP BOPPA STAT SIND ALTERNA FON TATIOL RATISTATIORMA SINNEBILD WEAL DAS, AKTONIANTANT BIETRAT BILLIN WERUT TID KEM. KAT IS KINI KRODEF KER EVO MIK RATIOL MOTOMMERLAPE, RANALER FETA KATSTANDSKRITT KATKIN BRUKTETO KIRA PEX. KA YNSTA ERE MODER WERE KERKIU PRAT RUN ISTAN LAPANDE SKRIFTSON MAK - AD. LER WITKENIA. TATIS'SEKENIA. GOD-FREINZ KENEALDA. LEX KERASVNDERGANA TEL NOMAR YON MAKAD YAR STAND AND PUNSEPITE BEDE . TIS KERVINBE NAVITO DEOK TAT WITEFULKS ENIS YEST VETTEIN . WH MUO ON WEALDA EVO TANKTOWIA TATKISIN CIAST SAKEPOS.INVR VSAGALAKERTAFA LETN. VNDERKIRATIDKERTINDA AKENSER - HT UTTUNDEN, MEN KAT WERE SALKAGTAR -ANDE AND FUL MIX FRISLA AND KROLUM ANT AN AFTERKUMANUA REPOR LIU BITIVD NESS PIR VELEPEN LAVE. ATERNEI LAVON LIAVS SKRIFT LERED BINOMA TA FINNE. RA RYPIAR AND RAKEEKA LANDAR . MENLIA NISTON NAVI GOD KATET FON ST IOL MAKAD WAS ANDANTS LERVINGS ALTID SKEEVEN

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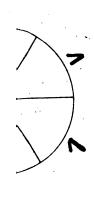
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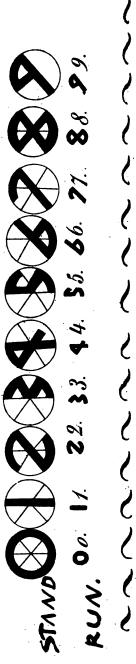
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but that was so high-flown and full of flourishes that her descendants have soon lost the meaning of it.

Afterwards they learned our writing—that is, the Finns, the Thyriers, and the Krekalanders—but they did not know that it was taken from the Juul, and must therefore always be written round like the sun. Furthermore, they wished that their writing should be illegible by other people, because they always had matters to conceal. In doing this they acted very unwisely, because their children could only with great difficulty read the writings of their predecessors, whereas our most ancient writings are as easy to read as those that were written yesterday.

Here is a specimen of the set hand and of the running hand, as well as of the figures, in both.

(See Plate II.)

THIS STANDS INSCRIBED UPON ALL CITADELS.

Before the bad time came our country was the most beautiful in the world. The sun rose higher, and there was seldom frost. The trees and shrubs produced various fruits, which are now lost. In the fields we had not only barley, oats, and rye, but wheat which shone like gold, and which could be baked in the sun's rays. The years were not counted, for one was as happy as another.

On one side we were bounded by Wr-alda's Sea, on which no one but us might or could sail; on the other side we were hedged in by the broad Twiskland (Tusschenland, Duitschland), through which the Finda people dared not come on account of the thick forests and the wild beasts.

Eastward our boundary went to the extremity of the East Sea, and westward to the Mediterranean middelsê, alsa wi buta tha littiga wel twelif grâta swete rinstrama hêdon, vs thrvch Wr.alda jêven vmb vs lând elte to haldane ând vmb us wigandlik folk tha wêi to wisana nêi sina sê.

Tha owira thissar rin strama wrdon tomet algadur thrvch vs folk biseton, ak tha fjelda an thju Rene fon t ena enda alon et ôre ende tha.

To jenst-vr tha Dênamarka and that Juttarland hedon wi folkplantinga mith en burchfâm, dâna wonon wi kâper ånd yser, bijvnka tår, påk ånd svma ôr bihof. vr vs formêlich Westland thêr hêdon wi Brittanja mith Brittanja that was that land thera bannasina tinlâna. linga, thêr mith hulpe hjarar burchfâm wêi brith wêron vmbe hira lif to bihâldana. Thach for that his navt to båk kyma ne skolde, warth er êrost en B to fåra hjara står priked, tha bana mith råde blod farve ånd tha ôra misdêdar mith blawe farve. Buta and bihalva hêdon vsa stjurar ånd kâpljvd mêni loge anda hêinde Krêkalanda ånd to Lydia. In vr Lydia thêr send tha swarta minniska. Thâ vs lând sâ rum ånd grât wêre, hêdon wi fêlo asondergana nâmon. Thêra tham saton biâsten tha Dênemarka wrdon Jutta hêton, uthâvede hja tomet navt owers ne dêdon as barn-stên juta. Hja tham thêr saton vppa êlanda wrdon Lêtne hêten, thrychdam hja mêst al yrlêten Alle strånd ånd skor hémar fon-a Dênemarka alont thêre såndfal nw Skelda wrdon Stjurar,\* Sêkåmpar,† ånd Angelara ‡ hêton. Angelara så hêton mån to fora tha butafiskar vmbe that hja alan mith angel jefta kol fiskton ånd nimmer nen netum. thâna til tha hêinde Krêkalânda sâton, wrdon blât Kâdhêmar hêten, thrych tham hja ninmerthe buta foron. Thêra thêr in da hâge marka sâton, thêr anna Twisklanda pålon, wrdon Saxmanna hêton, uthåwede hja immer wêpned wêron vr that wilde kwik and vrwildarda Britne.

<sup>\*</sup> Stjurar, Sturii.

<sup>†</sup> Sêkâmpar, Sicambri.

Sea; so that besides the small rivers we had twelve large rivers given us by Wr-alda to keep our land moist, and to show our seafaring men the way to his sea.

The banks of these rivers were at one time entirely inhabited by our people, as well as the banks of the Rhine from one end to the other. Opposite Denmark and Jutland we had colonies and a Burgtmaagd. Thence we obtained copper and iron, as well as tar and pitch, and some other necessaries. Opposite to us we had Britain, formerly Westland, with her tin mines.

Britain was the land of the exiles, who with the help of their Burgtmaagd had gone away to save their lives; but in order that they might not come back they were tattooed with a B on the forehead, the banished with a red dye, the other criminals with blue. Moreover, our sailors and merchants had many factories among the distant Krekalanders In Lydia (Lybia) the people are black. and in Lydia. As our country was so great and extensive, we had many different names. Those who were settled to the east of Denmark were called Jutten, because often they did nothing else than look for amber (jutten) on the shore. Those who lived in the islands were called Letten, because they lived an isolated life. All those who lived between Denmark and the Sandval, now the Scheldt, were called Stuurlieden (pilots), Zeekampers (naval men), and Angelaren (fishermen). The Angelaren were men who fished in the sea, and were so named because they used lines and hooks instead of nets. From there to the nearest part of Krekaland the inhabitants were called Kadhemers. because they never went to sea but remained ashore.

Those who were settled in the higher marches bounded by Twisklanden (Germany) were called Saxmannen, because they were always armed against the wild beasts and the savage Britons. Besides

<sup>\*</sup> Stjurar, in Latin Sturii. † Stkâmpar, in Latin Sicambri. ‡ Angelara, in Latin Angli.

boppa hêdon wi tha nôma Landsâton, Mârsata,\* ånd Holtjefta Wodsâta.

### Ho Arge Tid kêm.

Hêl thene sümer was synne aftere wolkum skolen, as wilde hja irtha navt ne sja. Wind reston in sina bûdar, werthrych rêk and stom lik sêla boppa hus and polon Loft warth althus drov and dimme, and inna tha hirta thêra månniska was blydskip nach früchda. midden thisre stilnise fång irtha an to bêvande lik as hju stårvande wêre. Berga splyton fon ekkorum to spejande fjyr ånd logha, ôra synkon in hira skåt del, ånd ther hju êrost fjelda hêde; hêjade hju berga vppa. Aldland † trvch tha stjurar Atland hêten synk nyther and that wilde hef ståpton alsa nåka wr berg ånd dêlon, that ella vndere sê bidvlwen wêre. Fêlo månniska wrdon in irtha bidobben, ånd fêlo thêr et fjyr ynkêmen wêron, kêmon thêrnêi innet wêter vm. Navt allêna inda landa Findas spêidon berga fjyr, men åk in-t Twisk-land. Walda bårnadon therthrych åfter ekkorum ånd thå wind dåna wêi kêm, thå wâjadon ysa landa fyl ask. Rinstrâma wrdon vrlêid and by hjara myda kêmon nêja êlanda fon sand ånd drivande kwik, Thrju jêr was irtha alsa to lydande; men tha hju bêter wêre macht mån hira vvnda sja. Fêlo landa wêron vrsvnken, ôra uta sê rêsen and that Twisk-land to fara-n halfdêl vntwalt. Bånda Findas folk kêmon tha lêtogha rumtne bifåra. Vsa wêibritne vrdon vrdelgen jefta hja wrdon hjara harlinga. Thâ warth wâkandom vs dvbbeld boden and tid lêrd vs that endracht vsa starikste burch is.

Thit stêt inna Waraburch by thêre Aldega Myda wryt.

Thju Wâraburch nis nên fâmnaburch, men thêr in wrdon

<sup>\*</sup> Mârsata, Marsacii.

these we had the names Landzaten (natives of the land), Marzaten (natives of the fens), and Woud or Hout zaten (natives of the woods).

### How the Bad Time came.

During the whole summer the sun had been hid behind the clouds, as if unwilling to look upon the earth. There was perpetual calm, and the damp mist hung like a wet sail over the houses and the marshes. The air was heavy and oppressive, and in men's hearts was neither joy nor cheerfulness. In the midst of this stillness the earth began to tremble as if she was dying. The mountains opened to vomit forth fire and flames. Some sank into the bosom of the earth, and in other places mountains rose out of the plain. Aldland, called by the seafaring people, Atland, disappeared, and the wild waves rose so high over hill and dale that everything was buried in the Many people were swallowed up by the earth, and others who had escaped the fire perished in the water.

It was not only in Finda's land that the earth vomited fire, but also in Twiskland (Germany). Whole forests were burned one after the other, and when the wind blew from that quarter our land was covered with ashes. Rivers changed their course, and at their mouths new islands were formed of sand and drift.

During three years this continued, but at length it ceased, and forests became visible. Many countries were submerged, and in other places land rose above the sea, and the wood was destroyed through the half of Twiskland (Germany). Troops of Finda's people came and settled in the empty places. Our dispersed people were exterminated or made slaves. Then watchfulness was doubly impressed upon us, and time taught us that union is force.

THIS IS INSCRIBED ON THE WARABURGT BY THE ALDEGAMUDE.

The Waraburgt is not a maiden's city, but the place where

<sup>\*</sup> Marsata, in Latin Marsacii.

<sup>+</sup> Aldland, in Latin Atlantis.

alla uthémeda ånd vrlandeska thinga wårath, thér mitbrocht binne thrvch tha stjurar. Hju is thri pêla, thåt is en half ty sûdwarth fon Mêdêa-sblik lêgen. Alsa is thåt fôrword: berga nygath thinna krunna, wolka ånd stråma wên. Jes. Skênland blôst, slåvona folka stôppath vppat thin klåt, o Frya.

## Alsa is thju skêdnesse.

100 ånd 1 jer † nei that âldland synken is, kem ther ut-et åsta en folk wêi. That folk was vrdreven thrych en ôther folk, åfter vs twisk land krêjon hja twispalt, hja skifton hjara selva an twam håpa, ek hêr gvng sines Fon-t êne dêl nis nên tâl to vs ne kêmen, men thåt ôre dêl fyl åfter to vs Skênland. Skenland was sunnich bifolkath, and anda after-kad that sunnichste fon Thervmbe machton hja-t synder strid wrwinna, and uthåwede hja ôwers nên lêth ne dêdon, nildon wi thêrvr nên orloch ha. Nw wi hjam hâvon kanna lêred, sa willath wi ovir hjara sêda skriwa, åfternêi ho-t vs mith hjam forgungen is. That folk was navt ne wild lik fêlo slachta Findas, men élik anda Égipta-landar, hja håvath prestera lik tham and nw hja karka have ak byldon. Tha prestera send tha engosta hêra, hja hêton hjara selva Mâgjara, hjara aller ovirste hêt Magy, hi is håvedprester ånd kêning mith ên, allet ôre folk is nul in-t siffer and ellik and al vnder hjara weld. That folk neth navt enis en nôme, thrych vs send hja Finna hêten, hwand afskên hjara fêrsta algadur drov and blodich send, thach send his ther alsa fin vp, that wi ther bi after stane, forth ne send hja navt to binydane, hwand hja send slavona fon the presterum ånd jeta fül årger fon hjara mêninga. Hja menath that ella fvl kvada gåston is, ther inda månniska ånd djara gluppe, men fon Wr.aldas gåst nêton hja nawet. Hja håvath stêne wêpne, tha Magjara kâpra. tellath that his tha Tha Magjara årge gåston

<sup>\*</sup> Skênland, Scania, Scandinavia.

all the foreign articles brought by sailors were stored. It lies three hours south from Medeasblik.

## Thus is the Preface.

Hills, bow your heads; weep, ye streams and clouds. Yes. Schoonland (Scandinavia) blushes, an enslaved people tramples on your garment, O Frya.

### This is the History.

One hundred and one years after the submersion of Aldland a people came out of the East. That people was driven by another. Behind us, in Twiskland (Germany), they fell into disputes, divided into two parties, and each went its own way. Of the one no account has come to us, but the other came in the back of our Schoonland, which was thinly inhabited, particularly the upper part. fore they were able to take possession of it without contest, and as they did no other harm, we would not make war about it. Now that we have learned to know them, we will describe their customs, and after that how matters went between us. They were not wild people, like most of Finda's race; but, like the Egyptians, they have priests and also statues in their churches. The priests are the only rulers; they call themselves Magyars, and their headman Magy. He is high priest and king in one. The rest of the people are of no account, and in subjection to them. This people have not even a name; but we call them Finns, because although all the festivals are melancholy and bloody, they are so formal that we are inferior to them in that respect. But still they are not to be envied, because they are slaves to their priests, and still more to their creeds. They believe that evil spirits abound everywhere, and enter into men and beasts, but of Wr-alda's spirit they know nothing. They have weapons of stone, the Magyars of copper. The Magyars affirm that they can exorcise

<sup>\*</sup> Skênland or Scandinavia.

banna ånd vrbanna mügon, ther vr is-t folk ôlan in ange frêse ånd vppira wêsa nis nimmer nên blydskip to bisjan. Thâ hja god sêten wêron, sochton tha Magjara athskip bi vs, hja bogadon vp vsa tâl ånd sêdum, vp vs fja ånd vppa vs vsere wêpne, thêr hja gêrn to fori hjara goldun and sulvere syrhedum wandela wilde, and hjara tjoth hildon hja immerthe binna tha pêlon, men that vrskalkton vsa wâkendom. Achtantich jêr forther, just wêr-et jolfêrste, thêr kêmon hja vnwarlinge lik snêi thrych stornewind drêwen ovir vsa landa to runnande. Ther navt flya machton wrdon vrdên, Frya warth anhropen, men tha Skênlandar hêdon hira rêd warlâsed. Thâ wrdon krafta sâmlath, thri pêlun fon Goda-hisburch, wrdon hja wither stonden, tha orloch bilêv. Kât jefta Kâter-inne, alsa hête thju fâm, thêr burchfâm to Goda burch was. Kât was stolte and hachfaranda, thervmbe ne lêt hju nên rêd ni follistar anda Moder ne frêja. Men thâ tha burchhêra that fâta, tha syndon hja selva bodon nêi Texland nêi thêre Moder thâ. Minna alsa was thêre Moder-is nôme, lêt âla tha stjurar mânja ând âl-et othera jongk folk fon Ast-flyland and fon the Dennemarkum. Ut thesse tocht is thju skydnese fon Wodin bern, sa-r vppa burgum wryten is ånd hir êskrêven. Anda Alder-gâmude† thêr reste en alde sêkåning. Sterik was sin nôme and tha hrop vr sina dêda was grât. Thisse alde rob hêde thrê nêva; Wodin thene aldeste hêmde to Lumka-mâkja‡ bi there E-mude to Ast-flyland by sin eldrum t-us. Enes was er hêrman wêst. Tünis ånd Inka wêron sêkâmper ånd just nw bi hjara fåderja anda Aldergå-mude t-vs. As tha jonga kåmpar nw bi ekkôrum kêmon, kêron hja Wodin to hjara hêrman jefta kåning ut, ånd tha sêkåmpar kêron Tünis to-ra sêkåning ånd Inka to hjara skelte bî thêr Tha stjurar gyngon thâ nêi tha Dênnemarka fâra, thêr namon hja Wodin mith sin wigandlika landwêr in.

<sup>\*</sup> Goda-hisburch, Gothenburg.

<sup>†</sup> Alderga, Ouddorp (bij Alkmaar).

<sup>‡</sup> Lumkamākja bithêre Emuda, Embden.

and recall the evil spirits, and this frightens the people, so that you never see a cheerful face. When they were well established, the Magyars sought our friendship, they praised our language and customs, our cattle and iron weapons, which they would willingly have exchanged for their gold and silver ornaments, and they always kept their people within their own boundaries, and that outwitted our watchfulness.

Eighty years afterwards, just at the time of the Juulfeest, they overran our country like a snowstorm driven by the wind. All who could not fiee away were killed. Frya was appealed to, but the Schoonlanders (Scandinavians) had neglected her advice. Then all the forces were assembled, and three hours from Godasburgt they were withstood, but war continued. Kat or Katerine was the name of the priestess who was Burgtmaagd of Godasburgt. Kat was proud and haughty, and would neither seek counsel nor aid from the mother; but when the Burgtheeren (citizens) knew this, they themselves sent messengers to Texland to the Eeremoeder. Minna—this was the name of the mother-summoned all the sailors and the young men from Oostflyland and Denmark. From this expedition the history of Wodin sprang, which is inscribed on the citadels, and is here copied. At Aldergamude there lived an old sea-king whose name was Sterik, and whose deeds were famous. This old fellow had three nephews. Wodin, the eldest, lived at Lumkamakia, near the Eemude, in Oostflyland, with his parents. He had once commanded troops. Teunis and Inka were naval warriors, and were just then staying with their father at Aldergamude. young warriors had assembled together, they chose Wodin to be their leader or king, and the naval force chose Teunis for their sea-king and Inka for their admiral. The navy then sailed to Denmark, where they took on board Wodin and his valiant host.

<sup>\*</sup> Goda-hisburch is Gothenburg.

<sup>+</sup> Alderga is Ouddorp, near Alkmaar.

<sup>‡</sup> Lumkamākja bithêre Emuda is Embden.

Wînd was rum ånd alsa wêron hja an en âmerîng \* to Thâ tha northeska brothar ra selva by-m fogath hêde, dêlde Wodîn sin weldich hêr an thri wiga. Frya was hjara wêpenhrop and sa hi bakward sloch tha Finnen ånd Mågjara as of et bårn wêron. Thå thene Mâgy fornôm ho sin livd al ombrocht wrdon, thâ sand hi bodon mith ståf ånd krone. Hja sêidon to Wodin, o thy alra grâteste thêra kåningar, wi send skeldich, thach al, hwat wi dên have is ut nêd dên. Je mêne that wi jvw brothar willengklik anfat håve, men wi send thrych vsa fyanda forth-fêtereth ånd thi alle send vs jeta vppa hakka. Wi havath often helpe an thinre burchfam frêjath, men hja neth vs navt ne meld. Thene Magy seith, så hwersa wi ekkôrum to tha hålte vrdva, så skilun tha wilda skephårdar kêmon ånd vs algådur vrdva. Thene Mågy heth fül rikdom, men hi heth sjan that Frya weldiger is as al vsa gåston et sêmine. Hi wil sin håved in hira skåt del Thy bist thene wigandlikste kåning irthas, thin folk is fon yser. Warth vsa kåning ånd wi alle willath thin slâvona wêsa. Hwat skolde that êr-rik fâr-i wêsa, aste tha wilda wither to låk driwa koste, vsa sêfyra skolde-t rondblêsa ånd vsa mâra skoldon jv vral fârut gâ.

Wodin was sterik, wostånd wigandlik, men hi nas navtklår sjande, therthrvch warth i in hjar mera fvngen ånd thrvch thene Mågy kroneth. Rju felo stjurar ånd land-werar, tham thisse ker navt ne sinde, brûdon stolkes hinne, Kåt mith nemande, men Kåt ther navt to fåra there Moder ner to fåra there mena acht forskine nilde, jompade wr bord. Thå kem stornewind ånd fêtere tha skepa vppa skorra fonna Dennemar kum del svnder enkel man to mistane. Afternei håvon hjathastret Kåtsgat† heten. Thå Wodinkroned was, gvng-er

<sup>\*</sup> Amering, nog in N.-Holland in gebruik, beteekent daar: ademtocht, oogenblik. Cf. Kiliaan in voce.

<sup>+</sup> Kâtsgat, het Kattegat.

The wind was fair, so they arrived immediately in Schoonland. When the northern brothers met together, Wodin divided his powerful army into three bodies. Frya was their war-cry, and they drove back the Finns and Magyars like children. When the Magy heard how his forces had been utterly defeated, he sent messengers with truncheon and crown, who said to Wodin: O almighty king, we are guilty, but all that we have done was done from necessity. You think that we attacked your brothers out of illwill, but we were driven out by our enemies, who are still at our heels. We have often asked your Burgtmagd for help, but she took no notice of us. Magy says that if we kill half our numbers in fighting with each other, then the wild shepherds will come and kill all the rest. The Magy possesses great riches, but he has seen that Frya is much more powerful than all our spirits together. He will lay down his head in her lap. You are the most warlike king on the earth, and your people are of iron. Become our king, and we will all be your slaves. What glory it would be for you if you could drive back the savages! Our trumpets would resound with your praises, and the fame of your deeds would precede you everywhere. Wodin was strong, fierce, and warlike, but he was not clear-sighted, therefore he was taken in their toils, and crowned by the Magy.

Very many of the sailors and soldiers to whom this proceeding was displeasing went away secretly, taking Kat with them. But Kat, who did not wish to appear before either the mother or the general assembly, jumped overboard. Then a storm arose and drove the ships upon the banks of Denmark, with the total destruction of their crews. This strait was afterwards called the Kattegat. When Wodin was crowned, he

<sup>\*</sup> Amering, still in use in North Holland to signify a breath or a twinkling of an eye.

† Kåtsgat is the Kattegat.

vppa wilda lôs; thi wêron al rutar, lik een hêjel buje kêmon hja ajn Wodin-is hêr, men lik en twyrne wind wendon hja omme ånd ne thvradon nå wither forskina. As Wodin nw to bak kêm, jav thene Magy him sin toghater to-n wîf. Afternei warth-i mith krûdon birêkad, men thêr wêron tawerkrûdon mong, hwand Wodin warth bi grâdum alsa sêr vrmêten, that-i Frya and Wraldas gåst miskåna ånd spota thyrade, thawyla hi sin frya hals bog to fåra falska drochten-likande byldum. hilde sjygun jêr, thâ vrdwind-ir, Thene Mâgy sêide thater mong hjara godon\* vpnimeth wêre, and that hi fon thêr over hjam welda, men vs folk lakton vmbe tin tâl. Thâ Wodin en stût wêi wêst hêde, kêm thêr twispalt, wi wildon en ôra kåning kjasa, men thåt nilde thene Mågy navt me hengja. Hi wêrde that et en rjucht wêre, him thrych sina drochtne jeven. Buta and bihalva thissa twist, sa was thêr jet-ên emong sin Mâgjara and Finna, thêr Frya ner Wodin êra navt nilde, men thi Mâgy dêde as-t im sinde, hwand sin toghater hêde en svn bi Wodin wynen, ånd nw wilde thene Mågy that thisse fon en håge kom-of wêsa skolde. Thawyla alle sanade and twista, krônade hi thene knap to kaning and stalade hin sels as foged and foramond jefta rêdjêvar an. Thêra thêr mâr hildon fon hjara balg as fon that rjucht, tham lêton him bidobba, men tha goda brûdon wêi. Fêlo Mâgjara flodon mith hjara ljvda båk ward, ånd tha stjurar gvngon to skip ånd en hêr fon drista Finna gyngen as rojar mitha.

Nw kvmath tha skêdnese fon nêf Tünis ånd sin nêf Inka êrost rjucht vppet pat.

THIT ELLA STET NAVT ALLÊNA VPPER WARABURCH MEN OK TO THÊRE BURCH STAVIA, THÊR IS LIDSEN AFTERE HAVE FON STAVRE.

Tha Tünis mith sinum skepum to honk kera wilde, gvng-i thet forma vppa Dannemarka of, men hi ne macht ther navt

<sup>\*</sup> Wodin, Odin, Wodan.

attacked the savages, who were all horsemen, and fell upon Wodin's troops like a hailstorm; but like a whirlwind they were turned back, and did not dare to appear again. When Wodin returned, Magy gave him his daughter Whereupon he was incensed with herbs; but they were magic herbs, and by degrees he became so audacious that he dared to disavow and ridicule the spirits of Frya and Wr-alda, while he bent his free head before the false and deceitful images. His reign lasted seven years, and then he disappeared. The Magy said that he was taken up by their gods and still reigned over us, but our people laughed at what they said. When Wodin had disappeared some time, disputes arose. We wished to choose another king, but the Magy would not permit it. He asserted that it was his right given him by his idols. But besides this dispute there was one between the Magyars and Finns, who would honour neither Frya nor Wodin; but the Magy did just as he pleased, because his daughter had a son by Wodin, and he would have it that this son was of high descent. While all were disputing and quarrelling, he crowned the boy as king, and set up himself as guardian and counsellor. Those who cared more for themselves than for justice let him work his own way, but the good men took their departure. Magyars fled back with their troops, and the sea-people took ship, accompanied by a body of stalwart Finns as

Next comes upon the stage the history of Neef Teunis and Neef Inka.

ALL THIS IS INSCRIBED NOT ONLY ON THE WARABURGT, BUT ALSO ON THE BURGT STAVIA, WHICH LIES BEHIND THE PORT OF STAVRE.

When Teunis wished to return home, he went first towards Denmark; but he might not land there, for so the

<sup>\*</sup> Wodin is Odin or Wodan.

ne landa, that hede thju Moder bisjowath. Ak et Flyland ne macht-er navt ne landa and forth narne. Hi skold alsa mith sinum ljvdum fon lek ånd brek omkomth håve, thêr vmbe gyngon hja thes nachtis tha landa birawa and fâra bi dêi. Alsa alinga thêre kâd forth farande kêmon hja to there folkplanting Kadik,\* althus heten vmbe that hjara have thrvch êne stênene kâdik formath Hir selladon hja allerhanne liftochta, men Tutja thju burchfâm nilde navt dâja that hja-ra selva nither Thâ hja rêd wêron krêjon hja twist. Tünis wilde thrych thju strête fon tha middelsê ymbe to fârane fâr tha rika kåning fon Egiptalandum, lik hi wel er den hêde, men Inka sêide, that-i sin nocht hêde fon al et Inka mênde that er byskin wel en hach dêl Findas folk. fon Atland by wysa fon êland vrbilêwen skolde wêsa, thêr hi mith tha ljvdum frêthoch lêva machte. As tha bêda nêva-t-althus navt ênes wrde koste, gvng Tünis to ånd stek en råde fône in-t strånd, ånd Inka êne blåwe. Thêr åfter macht jahwêder kjasa, hwam ek folgja wilde, ånd wonder, by Inka thêr en gryns hêde vinbe tha kåningar fon Findas folk to thjanja, hlipon tha masta Finna and Mågjara ovir. As hja nw that folk tellath and tha skepa thêr nêi dêlath hêde, tha skêdon tha flâta fon ekkorum; fon nêf Tünis is afternêi tal kêmen, fon nêf Inka ninmer.

Nêf Tünis for allinggen thère kâd al thrvch thju porte thère middelsê. Tha Atland svnken is, was-t-inna middelsê ra owera âk ârg to gyngen. Thêrthrvch wêron thêr fêlo mânniska fon-t Findas land nêi vsa hêinde ând fêre Krêkalanda kvmen ând âk fêlo fon Lyda-his land. Thêr åjn wêron âk fêlo fon vs folk nêi Lydas land gyngon. Thât ella hêde wrocht, that tha hêinde ând fêre Krêkalanda far thât weld hêre Moder vrlêren was. Thêr hêde Tünis vp rêkned. Thêrvmbe wilde hi thêr en gode hâve kjasa ând fon ther ut fara

<sup>\*</sup> Kådik, Cadix.

mother had ordered, nor was he to land at Flyland nor anywhere about there. In this way he would have lost all his people by want and hardship, so he landed at night to steal and sailed on by day. Thus coasting along, he at length arrived at the colony of Kadik (Cadiz), so called because it was built with a stone quay. Here they bought all kinds of stores, but Tuntia the Burgtmaagd would not allow them to settle there. When they were ready they began to disagree. Teunis wished to sail through the straits to the Mediterranean Sea, and enter the service of the rich Egyptian king, as he had done before, but Inka said he had had enough of all those Finda's people. Inka thought that perchance some high-lying part of Atland might remain as an island, where he and his people might live in peace. As the two cousins could not agree, Teunis planted a red flag on the shore, and Inka Every man could choose which he pleased, and to their astonishment the greater part of the Finns and Magyars followed Inka, who had objected to serve the When they had counted the kings of Finda's people. people and divided the ships accordingly, the fleet sepa-We shall hear of Teunis afterwards, but nothing more of Inka.

Neef Teunis coasted through the straits to the Mediterranean Sea. When Atland was submerged there was much suffering also on the shores of the Mediterranean, on which account many of Finda's people, Krekalanders, and people from Lyda's land, came to us. On the other hand, many of our people went to Lyda's land. The result of all this was that the Krekalanders far and wide were lost to the superintendence of the mother. Teunis had reckoned on this, and had therefore wished to find there a good

<sup>\*</sup> Kādik is Cadiz.

rikka forsta fåra, men thrychdam sine flåte ånd sin folk sa wanhaven utsagon, mêndon tha Kâdhêmer that hja râwera wêron, and thêrvmbe wrdon hja vral wêrath. to tha lesta kêmon hja an to Phonisivs kâd, that wêre 100 ånd 93 jêr \* nêi âtland synken is. Nêi bi thêre kâd fvndon hja en êland mith twam diapa slinka, alsa-t as thrju êlanda utsach. Vppet midloste thêra staldon hja hjara skula vp, afternêi bywadon hja thêr en burchwal om to. As hja thêran nw en nôme jêva wilde, wrdon hja vnênes, svme wild-et Fryasburch hêta, ôra Nêf tünia, men tha Mågjara ånd tha Finna bådon thåt skolde Thyrhisburch † Thyr talsa hêton hja ên hjarar drochtena and vppe tham-is jêrdêi wêron hja thêr land, to wither-jeld wildon hja Tünis êvg as hjara kåning bikånne. im bilêsa ånd tha ôra nildon thêrvr nên orloch ne hâ. Thâ hja nw god sâton, thâ sandon hja svme alde stjvrar ånd mågjara ana wål ånd forthnêi thêre burch Sydon, men that forma nildon tha Kâdhêmar nawet fon-ra nêta. Thy bist fêrhêmanda swarvar sêidon hja, thêr wi navt hachta ne müge. Tha tha wi hjam fon vsa ysera wêpne vrsella wilde, gyng to lersta ella god. âk wêron hja sêr ny nêi vsa bårnstenum ånd thåt freja ther nei nam nen ende. Men Tünis thêr fårsjande wêre, bårde that er nên ysere wêpne ner bårnstêne mâr hêde. Thâ kêmon tha kâpljvd ånd bådon hi skolde twintich skêpa jêva, thêr hja alle mith-a finneste wêrum tho hrêda wilde, and hja wildon him alsa fêlo ljvda to rojar jêva as-er jêrde. Twê-lif skêpa lêt-i-to hrêda mith win hvning and tomåkad lêther, thêr bi wêron tåmar ånd sitlun mith gold wrtêin sa man hja ninmer nêde sjan. thi skåt fyl Tünis thåt Flymar binna. Thi grêvaman fon Westflyland warth thrvch al thessa thinga bigastered, hi

<sup>\* 2193-193 = 2000</sup> v. Chr. † Thyrhisburch, Tyrus. ‡ Thyr, de zoon van Odin.

haven from which he might go and serve under the rich princes; but as his fleet and his people had such a shattered appearance, the inhabitants on the coasts thought that they were pirates, and drove them away. At last they arrived at the Phœnician coast, one hundred and ninety-three years after Atland was submerged. Near the coast they found an island with two deep bays, so that there appeared to be three islands. In the middle one they established themselves, and afterwards built a city wall round the place. Then they wanted to give it a name, but disagreed about it. Some wanted to call it Fryasburgt, others Neeftunia; but the Magyars and Finns begged that it might be called Thyrhisburgt.

Thyr was the name of one of their idols, and it was upon his feast-day that they had landed there; and in return they offered to recognise Teunis as their perpetual king. Teunis let himself be persuaded, and the others would not make any quarrel about it. When they were well established, they sent some old seamen and Magyars on an expedition as far as the town of Sidon; but at first the inhabitants of the coast would have nothing to do with them, saying, You are only foreign adventurers whom we do not respect. But when we sold them some of our iron weapons, everything went well. They also wished to buy our amber, and their inquiries about it were incessant. But Teunis, who was far-seeing, pretended that he had no more iron weapons or amber. Then merchants came and begged him to let them have twenty vessels, which they would freight with the finest goods, and they would provide as many people to row as he would require. ships were then laden with wine, honey, tanned leather, and saddles and bridles mounted in gold, such as had never been seen before.

Teunis sailed to the Flymeer with all this treasure, which so enchanted the Grevetman of Westflyland that he induced

wrochte that Tünis bi thêre mvde fon-t Flymar en loge bywa mâchte, âfternêi is thju stêd Almanaland\* heten ând tha mark thêr hja âfternei to Wyringg↠vp wandelja machton tolêtmark. Thju Moder rêde that wi ra ella vrkâpja skolde buta ysere wêpne, men mân ne melde hja navt. Thâ tha Tyrjar thus fry spel hêdon, kêmon hja âlan wither to farand vsa wêron sâ hêinde as fêre vsa ajn sêkâmpar to skâdne. Thêrâfter is bisloten vpper mêna acht, jêrlikes sjygun Thyrjar skêpa to to lêtane ând navt mar.

### HWAT THÊR OF WRDEN IS.

Inner northlikste herne fon tha Middelsê, thêr lêid en êland by thêre kâd. Nw kêmon hja that a kap to frejande. Thêrvr warth ene mêna acht bilêid. Moder-is rêd warth wnnen, men Moder sach ra lyast fêr of. Thêrvmbe mênde hju that er nên kwâ an stek, thach as wi åfternêi sågon ho wi misdên hêde håvon wi that êland Missellja ! Hirafter skil blika ho wi ther to rede hede. Gola, § alsa heton tha såndalinga prestera Sydon-is. tha Gola hêdon wel sjan thet et land thêr skares bifolkad was ånd fêr fon thêre Moder wêre. Vmb ira selva nw en gode skin to jêvane, lêton hja ra selva in vsa tâl ana trowe wydena hêta, men that wêre bêtre wêst, as hja ra selva fon thêre trowe wendena nômath hêde, jefta kirt wei trjuwendne lik vsa stjurar lêter dên håve. Thâ hja wel sêton wêron, tha wandeldon hjara kâpljuda skêne kâpre wêpne and allerlêja syrhêdon to fara vsa ysere wêpne and wilde djara huda, wêrfon in

<sup>\*</sup> Almanaland, Ameland.

<sup>‡</sup> Missellja, Marseille.

<sup>†</sup> Wyringga, Wieringen. § Gola, Galli, Gaulois.

Teunis to build a warehouse at the mouth of the Flymeer. Afterwards this place was called Almanaland, and the market where they traded at Wyringen was called Toelaatmarkt. The mother advised that they should sell everything except iron weapons, but no attention was paid to what she said. As the Thyriers had thus free play, they came from far and near to take away our goods, to the loss of our seafaring people. Therefore it was resolved in a general assembly to allow only seven Thyrian ships and no more in a year.

## WHAT THE CONSEQUENCE OF THIS WAS.

In the northernmost part of the Mediterranean there lies an island close to the coast. They now came and asked to buy that, on which a general council was held.

The mother's advice was asked, and she wished to see them at some distance, so she saw no harm in it; but as we afterwards saw what a mistake we had made, we called the island Missellia (Marseilles). Hereafter will be seen The Golen, as the missionary what reason we had. priests of Sidon were called, had observed that the land there was thinly peopled, and was far from the mother. In order to make a favourable impression, they had themselves called in our language followers of the truth; but they had better have been called abstainers from the truth, or, in short, "Triuwenden," as our seafaring people afterwards called them. When they were well established, their merchants exchanged their beautiful copper weapons and all sorts of jewels for our iron weapons and hides of wild beasts, which were abundant in our southern

<sup>\*</sup> Almanaland is Ameland.

<sup>‡</sup> Missellja is Marseilles.

<sup>+</sup> Wyringa is Wieringen.

<sup>§</sup> Gola are the Galli or Gauls.

vsa suder landa fêlo to bikvma wêron. Men tha Gola fyradon allerhâna wla drochtenlika fêrsta ând to tyadon tha kadhêmar thêra thrvch todvan hjarar horiga manghêrtne ånd tha swêt hêd fon hjara fininnige win. Was thêr hwa fon vs folk thêret alsa årg vrbrud hêde, that sin lif in frêse kêm, than lênadon tha gola him hul and foradon him nêi Phonisia, that is palmland. Was hi thêr sêten, thân most-i an sina sibba ånd åtha skriwa, that-et land så god wêre and tha manniska sa luklik, as ninman hin selva mocht forbylde. A Brittannja wêron rju fêlo manna, tha lith wiva, tha tha Gola that wiston, lêton hja alweis manghêrtne skâka ånd thessa javon hja tha Britne vmb nawet. Thach al thissa manghêrtne weron hjara thjansterum, thêr tha bern fon Wrâlda stolon vmb-ar an hjara falske drochtne to jêvane.

# Nw willath wi skriwa vr tha Orloch thêra Burchfamna Kalta and Min-erva,

And ho wi thêr thrych al vsa sûderlanda ånd Brittanja anda Gola yrlêren håve.

Bi thêre Sûder-rên-mvda ând thêre Skelda, thêr send sjvgun âlanda, nômath nêi Fryas sjvgum wâkfâmkes there wêk. Middel vppet êne âland is thju burch Walhallagâra,\* inut tha wâgrum thêra is thju folgjande skêdnesse wrîten. Thêr byppa stêt: lês, lêr ând wâk.

563 jêr† nêi âldland svnken is, sat hir en wise burch fâm, Min-erva was hira nôma. Thrvch tha stjurar Nyhellênja tonômath. This tonôma was god kêren, hwand tha rêd, thâer hju lênade, was ny ând hel byppa alle ôtherum. Overa Skelda et thêre Flyburch sat Syrhêd. Thjus fâm was fyl renka, skên was r-anhlith ând kwik was

<sup>\*</sup> Middelburg.

<sup>† 2193-563=1630</sup> v. Chr.

countries; but the Golen celebrated all sorts of vile and monstrous festivals, which the inhabitants of the coast promoted with their wanton women and sweet poisonous wine. If any of our people had so conducted himself that his life was in danger, the Golen afforded him a refuge, and sent him to Phonisia, that is, Palmland. When he was settled there, they made him write to his family, friends, and connections that the country was so good and the people so happy that no one could form any idea of it. In Britain there were plenty of men, but few women. When the Golen knew this, they carried off girls everywhere and gave them to the Britons for nothing. So all these girls served their purpose to steal children from Wr-alda in order to give them to false gods.

# Now we will write about the War between the Burgtmaagden Kalta and Min-erva,

And how we thereby lost all our southern lands and Britain to the Golen. .

Near the southern mouth of the Rhine and the Scheldt there are seven islands, named after Frya's seven virgins of the week. In the middle of one island is the city of Walhallagara (Middelburg), and on the walls of this city the following history is inscribed. Above it are the words "Read, learn, and watch."

Five hundred and sixty-three years after the submersion of Atland—that is, 1600 years before Christ—a wise town priestess presided here, whose name was Min-erva—called by the sailors Nyhellenia. This name was well chosen, for her counsels were new and clear above all others.

On the other side of the Scheldt, at Flyburgt, Sijrhed presided. This maiden was full of tricks. Her face was

<sup>\*</sup> Walhallagara is Middelburg, in Walcheren.

<sup>† 2193-563</sup> is 1630 years before Christ.

hira tvnge, men thi rêd thêr hju jef, was immer in thjustere Thêr vmbe warth hju thrych tha stjurar Kålta hêten, tha landsâta mênadon that et êrnôma wêra. ûtroste wille thêre vrsturvene Moder stand Rôsa-mvda thet forma, Min-erva thet twêde and Syrhêd thet thredde as folgstere biskreven. Min-erva nêde thêr nên wit fon, men Syrhêd was er thrych knaked. Lik en wrlandeske forstinne wilde hju êrath frêsath and bêden wêsa, men Min-erva wilde enkel minth wêsa. To tha lesta kêmon alle stjurar hiri hjara held bjada, selva fon tha Denamarka ånd fon t Flymar. That vvnde Syrhêd, hwand hju wilde byppa Min-erva utminthja. Til thju mån en grôte thånk ovir hira wåkendum håva skolde, myk\* hju ennen hôna vpper fâne. Thá gvng Min-erva to ånd myk en hårder hvnd ånd en nachtul in vppira fåne. Thene hvnd sêide hju wâkt ovir sin hêr and ovira kidda and thene nachtul wakt ovira fjelda til thju hja thrvch tha musa navt vrdên ne wrde. Men thene hôna neth far nimman frjundskip, ånd thrych sin vntocht ånd håchfårenhêd is er vaken thene bana sinra neista sibba wrden. As Kalta sach that er wark falikant ut kêm, to gyng hju fon kwad Stolkes lêt hju Mâgjara to hiri kvma vmbe to årger. As hju thêr hira nocht fon hêde, werpte tâwery to lârane. hju hira selva and årma thêra Golum, thach fon al thi misdêdon ne macht hju navt bêtre ne wrde. As hju sach that tha stjurar mar and mar fon iri wêke, tha wilde hju Was tha mône fvl and thene sê ra thrych frêse winna. vnstumich, than hlip hju over et wilde hef, tha stjurar to hropande that hja alle skolde vrgån, sahwersa hja hiri navt anbidda nilde. Forth vrblinde hju hira agun hwer thrvch hja wêter fori land and land foriwêter hildon, thêrthrych is mani Vppet forma wêrfêrste skip vrgvngen mith mån ånd mus. tha al hira landsata wêpned wêron, lêt hju barga bjar skanka, As et folk nv algådur in that bjar hêde hju taverdrank dên.

<sup>\*</sup> Myk wordt nog op Walcheren gehoord.

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beautiful, and her tongue was nimble; but the advice that she gave was always conveyed in mysterious terms. the mariners called her Kalta, and the landsmen thought it In the last will of the dead mother, Rosamond was a title. was named first, Min-erva second, and Sijrhed third in suc-Min-erva did not mind that, but Sijrhed was very much offended. Like a foreign princess, she wished to be honoured, feared, and worshipped; but Min-erva only desired to be loved. At last all the sailors, even from Denmark and Flymeer, did homage to her. This hurt Sijrhed, because she wanted to excel Min-erva. In order to give an impression of her great watchfulness, she had a cock put on her banner. So then Min-erva went and put a sheep-dog and an owl on The dog, she said, guards his master and his her banner. flock, and the owl watches that the mice shall not devastate the fields; but the cock in his lewdness and his pride is only fit to murder his nearest relations. When Kalta found that her scheme had failed she was still more vexed, so she secretly sent for the Magyars to teach her conjuring. When she had had enough of this she threw herself into the hands of the Gauls; but all her malpractices did not When she saw that the sailors improve her position. kept more and more aloof from her, she tried to win them back by fear. At the full moon, when the sea was stormy, she ran over the wild waves, calling to the sailors that they would all be lost if they did not worship her. she blinded their eyes, so that they mistook land for water and water for land, and in this way many a good ship was totally lost. At the first war-feast, when all her countrymen were armed, she brought casks of beer, which she had drugged. When they were all drunk

<sup>\*</sup> Myk is a word still used in Walcheren.

drunken wêre, gyng hju byppen yp hira stridhros standa, • to lênande mith hira hole tojenst hira spêri, môrnerad ne Tha hja sach that alle ôgon vpper fåskv navt skêner. tigath wêron êpende hju hira wêra and kêth, svnum and thogatrum Fryas, i wêt wel that wi inna lerste tyd fûl lek ånd brek lêden håve, thrvchdam tha stjurar navt longer kvme vmb vs skriffilt to vrsella, men i nête navt hwêrthrych et kymen is. Lông hav ik my thêr yr inhalden, thach nv kån-k-e tnavt longer on. Hark then frjunda til thju i wêta müge hwêrnêi i bita mêi. Anda ôra syde thêre Skelda hwêr hja tomet tha fêrt fon alle sêa have, thêr mâkath hja hjvd dêgon skriffilt fon pompa blêdar, thêr mith sparath hja linnent ut and kannath hja vs wel Nêidam that skriffilt makja nv alti vs grateste. bydriv wêst is, så heth thju Moder wilt that mån et vs lêra skolde. Men Minerva heth al et folk bihexnath, jes bihexnath frjunda, ivin as al vs fja thåt låsten sturven is. Er-ut mot-et, ik wil thi tella, nas-k nên burchfâm ik skold et wel wêta, ik skolde thju hex in hjara nest vr-Thâ hju thi lerste worda ut hêde, spode hju hira selva nëi hira burch tha, men that vrdrvnken folk was althus dênera bigåstered, that et vr sin rêde navt mocht to wakane. In dvl-dryste iver gvngon hja overa Sand fal ånd nêidam nacht midlerwil del strêk gyngon hja evin drist vpper burch lôs, Thach Kålta miste al hwither hira dol, hwand Minerva and hira famna and tha foddik wrdon alle thrych tha rappa stjurar hreth.

#### HIRBY KVMTH THA SKEDNESSE FON JON.

Jon, Jôn, Jhon and Jan is al ên mith jêven, thach thet lêit anda utsprêk thêra stjurar, thêr thrych wenhêd ellas bikirta ymbit fâra and hard hropa to mygane. Jon that is jêva was sêkêning, bern to-t-Alderga, to-t Flymar ut

she mounted her war-horse, leaning her head upon her spear. Sunrise could not be more beautiful. When she saw that the eyes of all were fixed upon her, she opened her lips and said:—

Sons and daughters of Frya, you know that in these last times we have suffered much loss and misery because the sailors no longer come to buy our paper, but you do not know what the reason of it is. I have long kept silence about it, but can do so no longer. Listen, then, my friends, that you may know on which side to show your teeth. On the other side of the Scheldt, where from time to time there come ships from all parts, they make now paper from pumpkin leaves, by which they save flax and Now, as the making of paper was always our principal industry, the mother willed that people should learn it from us; but Min-erva has bewitched all the people—yes, bewitched, my friends—as well as all our cattle that died lately. I must come out with it. were not Burgtmaagd, I should know what to do. Ι should burn the witch in her nest.

As soon as she had uttered these words she sped away to her citadel; but the drunken people were so excited that they did not stop to weigh what they had heard. In mad haste they hurried over the Sandfal, and as night came on they burst into the citadel. However, Kalta again missed her aim; for Min-erva, her maidens, and her lamp were all saved by the alertness of the seamen.

#### WE NOW COME TO THE HISTORY OF JON.

Jon, Jôn, Jhon, Jan, are all the same name, though the pronunciation varies, as the seamen like to shorten everything to be able to make it easier to call. Jon—that is, "Given"—was a sea-king, born at Alberga, who sailed

fåren mith 100 ånd 27 skêpum, tohrêth får en grôte butarêis, rik to lêden mith barnstên, tin, kaper, yser, lêken, linnent, filt, famna filt fon otter, bêver, and kanina hêr. Nw skold er fon hir jeta skriffilt mith nimma; tha to Jon hir kêm and sach ho Kalta vsa rom rika burch vrdên hêde, thå wårther så uter mête heftich, that er mith al sinum ljudum vpper Flyburch of gvng and ther to witterjeld thene rada hône an stek. Men thrych sin skelt bi nacht ånd syme sinra ljudum wårth thju foddik ånd tha fåmna Tach Syrhêd jefta Kålta ne mochton hja navt to fåtane, hju klywde vppa utroste tinne, jahweder tochte that hju inna logha omkvma moste, tha hwat bêrde? Dahwile al hira ljuda ståk ånd stif fon skrik standon, kêm hju skêner as â-to fora vp hira klêppar to hropande nêi Kålta min-ais.\* Tha stramada that ora Skelde folk to As tha stjurar that sagon hripon hja får Minerva wy. En orloch is thêrut kymen, hwêrthrych thysande fallen send.

Under thesse tidon was Rôsamond that is Rôsa myda Moder, hju hêde fûl in thêre minne dên vmbe frêtho to wârja, tach nw-t alsa ârg kêm, myk hju kirte mête. tonda sand hju bodun thrych tha land pâla and lêt en mêna nêdban utkêtha, thâ kêmon thâ landwêrar ut alle Thåt strydande land folk wårth al fat, men Jon burch hin selva mith sin ljud vppa sina flåte, mith nimand bêda tha foddika, byonka Minerva and tha fâmna fon bêdar burchum. Helprik thene hêrman lêt-im in banna, men tha hwila alle wêrar jeta o-ra Skelda wêron for Jon to bek nêi-t Flymar and forth wither nêi vsa alandum. ljud ånd fêlo fon vs folk namon wif ånd bern skêp, ånd as Jon nw sach that mån hin ånd sin ljud lik misdêdar strafja wilde, brudon hi stolkes hinne. Hi dêde rjucht, hwand al vsa landar ånd allet ora Skelda folk thêr fjuchten hêdon

<sup>\*</sup> Kalta Min-his, Minnesdochter?

from the Flymeer with a fleet of 127 ships fitted out for a long voyage, and laden with amber, tin, copper, cloth, linen, felt, otter-skins, beaver and rabbit skins. would also have taken paper from here, but when he saw how Kalta had destroyed the citadel he became so angry that he went off with all his people to Flyburgt, and out of revenge set fire to it. His admiral and some of his people saved the lamp and the maidens, but they could not catch Sijrhed (or Kalta). She climbed up on the furthest battlement, and they thought she must be killed in the flames; but what happened? While all her people stood transfixed with horror, she appeared upon her steed more beautiful than ever, calling to them, "To Then the other Schelda people poured out to-Kalta!" When the seamen saw that, they shouted, "We are for Min-erva!" from which arose a war in which thousands were killed.

At this time Rosamond the mother, who had done all in her power by gentle means to preserve peace, when she saw how bad it was, made short work of it. Immediately she sent messengers throughout all the districts to call a general levy, which brought together all the defenders of the country. The landsmen who were fighting were all caught, but Jon with his seamen took refuge on board his fleet, taking with him the two lamps, as well as Minerva and the maidens of both the citadels. Helprik, the chief, summoned him to appear; but while all the soldiers were on the other side of the Scheldt, Jon sailed back to the Flymeer, and then straight to our islands. His fighting men and many of our people took women and children on board, and when Jon saw that he and his people would be punished for their misdeeds, he secretly took his departure. He did well, for all our islanders, and the other Scheldt people who had been fighting were

<sup>\*</sup> Kålta Min-his, Minnesdaughter.

wrdon nêi Brittanja brocht. Thius stap was mis dên, hwand nv kêm t-anfang fon that ende:

Kålta thêr nêi-t segse êven blyd vppet wêter as vppet land hlapa machte, gvng nêi tha fasta wal, and forth vppa Missellja of. Thâ kêmon tha Gola mith hjara skepum ut-a Middelsê Kâdik bifâra ånd êl vs uter land, forth fylon hja vp ånd over Brittannja thach hja ne mochton thêr nên fåsta fot ne krêja, vmbe thåt tha sjyrda weldich ånd tha bannalinga jeta fryas wêron. Men nw kêm Kålta ånd kêth, thy bist fry bern and vmbe litha lêka heth man thi to vrwurpene måkad, navt vmbe thi to bêterja, men vmbe tin to winnande thrvch thina handa. Wilst wêr fry wêsa ånd vnder mina rêd ånd hoda lêva, tjån ut then, wêpne skilun thi wrda, and ik skil waka o-er thi. Lik blixen fjur gvng et o-era ålanda, ånd êr thes Kroders jol ênis omhlåpen hêde, was hju måsterinne over al gadur ånd tha Thyrjar fon al vsa suder stâta til thêre Sêjene.\* Vmbe that Kålta hira selva navt to fül bitrowada, lêt hju in-et northlika berchland êne burch bywa Kålta-s burch wårth hju hêten, hju is jet anwêsa, men nv hêt hja Kêren-åk. Fon thjus burch welde hju lik en efte moder, navt to wille får men over hira folgar ånd tham hjara selva forth Kåltana† hêton. Men tha Gola weldon by grådon over êl Brittanja, that kêm ênis dêlis that hju nên mar burga nêde, twyas that hju thêr nên burchfâmna nêde and thryas thrychdam hju nên efte foddik navt nêde. thessa êrsêka kvn hira folk navt ni lêra, that wrde dvm and dor and wrde endelik thruch tha Gola fon al hira ysera wêpne birâwath and to that lesta lik en buhl by thêre nôse omme lêid.

<sup>\*</sup> Sêjene, de Seine,

transported to Britain. This step was a mistake, for now came the beginning of the end. Kalta, who, people said, could go as easily on the water as on the land, went to the mainland and on to Missellia (Marseilles). came the Gauls out of the Mediterranean Sea with their ships to Cadiz, and along all our coasts, and fell upon Britain; but they could not make any good footing there, because the government was powerful and the exiles were still Frisians. But now came Kalta and said: You were born free, and for small offences have been sent away, not for your own improvement, but to get tin by your labour. If you wish to be free again, and take my advice, and live under my care, come away. I will provide you with arms, and will watch over you. The news flew through the land like lightning, and before the carrier's wheel had made one revolution she was mistress of all the Thyriers in all our southern states as far as the Seine. She built herself a citadel on the high land to the north, and called it Kaltasburgh. It still exists under the name of Kêre-From this castle she ruled as a true mother, against their will, not for her followers, but over them, who were thenceforth called Kelts. The Gauls gradually obtained dominion over the whole of Britain, partly because they no longer had any citadel; secondly, because they had there no Burgtmaagden; and thirdly, because they had no real lamps. From all these causes the people could not learn anything. They were stupid and foolish, and having allowed the Gauls to rob them of their arms, they were led about like a bull with a ring in his nose.

<sup>\*</sup> Sêjene is the Seine.

<sup>+</sup> Kâltana are the Celts.

NV WILLATH WI SKRIVA HO-T JON VRGVNGEN IS, THIT STÊT TO TEXLAND SKRÊVEN.

10 jêr after Jon wêi brit was, kêmon hyr thrju skêpa in-t Flymar falla, that folk hrip ho-n-sejen, fon hira tålinga heth thju Moder thit skrywa lêten. Thâ Jon antha Middelsê kêm was then mâra thêra Gola hin vral fâr ut gyngen, alsa hi an thêri kâd fon tha hêinda Krêkalanda nårne fêlich nêre. Hi stêk thus mith sinum flâte nêi Lydia, that is Lyda his land, ther wildon tha swarta månniska fåta hjam ånd êta. To tha lesta kêmon hja et Thyrhis, men Minerva sêide hald of, hwand hir is thju loft ôlangne vrpest thrvch tha prestera. Thi kåning was fon Tünis ofstamed, så wi lêter hêrdon, men til thju tha prestera en kåning wilde håve ther alderlangne nei hjara bigrip wêre, alsa hêde hja Tünis to en gode up hêjad, to årgnisse sinra folgar. As hja nv Thyr åfter bek wêre, kêmon, tha Thyriar en skip uta åfte hoda rawa, neidam that skip to fêr was, kvndon wi-t navt wither wina, men Jon swor wrêka thêrvr. Tha nacht kêm kêrde Jon nêi tha fêre Krêkalandum, to lesten kêmon hja by en land that bjustre skryl ut sa, men hja fondon thêr en havesmyda. Hir sêide Minerva skil by skin nên frêse to fara forstum nach presterum nêdich wêsa, nêidam hja algadur feta etta minna, thach thâ hja inner have hlipon fonth mån hja navt rum noch vmbe alle skêpa to bislûta, ånd thach wêron mêst alle to låf vmbe wider to gane. Alsa gvng Jon thêr forth wilde mith sin spêr and fône that jongk folk to hropande, hwa willinglik bi-ma skâra wilde. thêr biliwa wilde dêde alsa. Thåt grâteste dêl gvng nêi Minerva, men tha jonggoste stjurar gyngon by Jon. Now we shall write how it fared with Jon.
It is inscribed at Texland.

Ten years after Jon went away, there arrived three ships in the Flymeer; the people cried Huzza! (What a blessing!) and from their accounts the mother had this written.

When Jon reached the Mediterranean Sea, the reports of the Gauls had preceded him, so that on the nearest Italian coast he was nowhere safe. Therefore he went with his fleet straight over to Lybia. There the black men wanted to catch them and eat them. At last they came to Tyre, but Min-erva said, Keep clear, for here the air has been long poisoned by the priests. The king was a descendant of Teunis, as we were afterwards informed; but as the priests wished to have a king, who, according to their ideas, was of long descent, they deified Teunis, to the vexation of his followers. After they had passed Tyre, the Tyrians seized one of the rearmost ships, and as the ship was too far behind us, we could not take it back again; but Jon swore to be revenged for it. When night came, Jon bent his course towards the distant Krekalanden. last they arrived at a country that looked very barren, but they found a harbour there. Here, said Min-erva, we need not perhaps have any fear of princes or priests, as they always look out for rich fat lands. When they entered the harbour, there was not room for all the ships, and yet most of the people were too cowardly to go any further. Then Jon, who wished to get away, went with his spear and banner, calling to the young people, to know who would volunteer to share his adventures. Min-erva did the same thing, but she wished to remain there. The greater part stopped with Min-erva, but the young sailors went with Jon.

Jon nam thêre foddik fon Kålta ånd hira fâmna mitha, ånd Minerva hild hira ajn foddik ånd hira ajn fâmna.

Bitwiska tha fêrum ånd heinda Krêkalandum fand Jon svma êlanda thêr im likte, vppet grâteste gvng-er inna tha walda twisk that berchta en burch bvwa. Fon uta litha êlanda gvng-er ut wrêka tha Thyrjar skêpa ånd landa birâwa, thêrvmbe send tha êlanda evin blyd Râwer êlanda, as Jonhis êlanda \* hêten.

Tha Minerva that land bisjan hêde, that thruch tha inhêmar Attika is hêten, sach hju that that folk al jêita hoder wêron, hja hildon hjara lif mith flesk, krûdum, wilde wotelum and huning. Hja wêron mith felum tekad and hju hêdon hjara skula uppa hellinga thêra bergum. Thêrthruch send hja thruch us folk Hellinggar hêten.

That forma gyngon hja yppa run, tha as hja sagon that wi navt ne tâldon nêi hjara skât, thâ kêmon hja tobek ând lêton grâte âtskip blika. Minerva frêjde jef wi vs in thêre minna machte nither setta. That wrde to staden vnder biding that wi skolde helpa hjam with hjara swetsar to stridande, thêr alan kêmon hjara bern to skâkana ånd Thâ bywadon wi êne burch arhalf hjara skåt to råwana. pål fon thêr have. Vppa rêd Minervas warth hju Athenia† heten: hwand sêide hju, tha after kymand agon to wêtane, that wi hir navt thrvch lest ner weld kvmen send, men lik åtha vntfongen. Dahwile wi an thêre burch wrochton kêmon tha forsta, as hja hja nv sagon that wi nên slavona hêde, sind er sok navt, and lêton-t an Minerva blika, til thju hja tochton that en forstene Men Minerva frêja, ho bist wel an thina slâvona kv-Hja andere, syme håvath wi kåpad, ôra anna strid men? Minerva sêide, sâhwersa ninman månneska kâpja nilda sa ne skolde ninman jvw bern râwa ånd i ne skolda

<sup>\*</sup> Jonhis êlanda, Insulae Joniae, Insulae piratarum.

<sup>†</sup> Athenia, Athens.

Jon took the lamp of Kalta and her maidens with him. Min-erva retained her lamp and her own maidens.

Between the near and the distant coasts of Italy Jon found some islands, which he thought desirable. Upon the largest he built a city in the wood between the mountains. From the smaller islands he made expeditions for vengeance on the Tyrians, and plundered their ships and their lands. Therefore these islands were called Insulæ Piratarum, as well as Johannis Insulæ.

When Min-erva had examined the country which is called by the inhabitants Attica, she saw that the people were all goatherds, and that they lived on meat, wild roots, herbs, and honey. They were clothed in skins, and had their dwellings on the slopes (hellinga) of the hills, wherefore they were called Hellingers. At first they ran away, but when they found that we did not attack them, they came back and showed great friendship. Min-erva asked if we might settle there peaceably. This was agreed to on the condition that we should help them to fight against their neighbours, who came continually to carry away their children and to rob their dwellings. Then we built a citadel at an hour's distance from the harbour. By the advice of Min-erva it was called Athens, because, she said, those who come after us ought to know that we are not here by cunning or violence, but were received as friends (atha). While we were building the citadel the principal personages came to see us, and when they saw that we had no slaves it did not please them, and they gave her to understand it, as they thought that she was a princess. Min-erva said, How did you get your slaves? answered, We bought some and took others in war. Min-erva replied, If nobody would buy slaves they would

<sup>\*</sup> Jonhis êlanda—John's Islands, or the Pirates' Isles.

<sup>+</sup> Athenia is Athens.

thêrvr nên orloch have, wilst thus vsa harlinga biliwa sâ mot-i thina slavona fry lêta.

That nv willath tha forsta navt, hja willath vs wêi driwa. Men thâ klokeste hjarar ljuda kvmath helpa vsa burch ta bvmande, thêr wi nv fon stên mâkja.

Thit is thju skêdnesse fon Jon and Minerva.

As hja that nw ella tellad hêde, frêjath hja mith êrbjadenesse vm yrsene burchwêpne, hwand sêidon hja vsa lêtha send weldich, tha sa wi efta wâpne have, skillon wi ra wel wither worda. As hju thêran to stemad hêde, frêjath tha ljuda jef tha Fryas sêda to Athenia and tha ôra Krekalanda bloja skolde, thju Moder andere, jef tha fêre Krêkalanda to tha erva Fryas hêra, alsa skilum hja thêr bloja, ne hêrath hja navt thêr to, alsa skil thêr lang over kampad wrda mote, hwand thene kroder skil jeva fifthusand jêr mith sin Jol ommehlapa, bifara that Findas folk rip to fâra frydom sy.\*

### THIT IS OVER THA GÊRTMANNA.

Thả Hellênja jefta Minerva sturven was, tha bâradon tha prestera as jef hja mith vs wêron, til thju that hel blika skolde havon hja Hellênia to-ne godene ute kêth. Ak nildon hja nêne ore Moder kjasa lêta, to segande, hja hêde frêse that er emong hira fâmna nimman wêre, thêr hja sa god kvnde trowa as Minerva thêr Nyhellênia tonomt was. Men wi nildon Minerva navt as êne godene navt bikânna, nêidam hja selva seid hêde that nimman god jefta fylkyma wêsa ne kvnde thân Wr.aldas gâst. Thêrumbe kêron wi Gêrt Pire his toghater to vsa Moder ut.

As tha prestera sagon that hja hjara hering navt vp vsa fjvr brêda ne mochton, thâ gvngon hja buta Athenia and sêidon

<sup>\*</sup> Vervolg hier het verhaal van bl. 48-56.

not steal your children, and you would have no wars about it. If you wish to remain our allies, you will free your slaves. The chiefs did not like this, and wanted to drive us away; but the most enlightened of the people came and helped us to build our citadel, which was built of stone.

This is the history of Jon and of Min-erva.

When they had finished their story they asked respectfully for iron weapons; for, said they, our foes are powerful, but if we have good arms we can withstand them. When this had been agreed to, the people asked if Frya's customs would flourish in Athens and in other parts of Greece (Krekalanden). The mother answered, If the distant Greeks belong to the direct descent of Frya, then they will flourish; but if they do not descend from Frya, then there will be a long contention about it, because the carrier must make five thousand revolutions of his Juul before Finda's people will be ripe for liberty.

#### THIS IS ABOUT THE GEERTMEN.

When Hellenia or Min-erva died, the priests pretended to be with us, and in order to make it appear so, they deified Hellenia. They refused to have any other mother chosen, saying that they feared there was no one among her maidens whom they could trust as they had trusted Minerva, surnamed Nyhellenia.

But we would not recognise Min-erva as a goddess, because she herself had told us that no one could be perfectly good except the spirit of Wr-alda. Therefore we chose Geert Pyre's daughter for our mother. When the priests saw that they could not fry their herrings on our fire (have everything their own way), they left Athens, and said that we

<sup>\*</sup> Here follows the narrative contained in pages from 48 to 56.

that wi Minerva navt to-ne godene bikana nilda ut nyd, vmbe that hju tha inhêmar så fûl ljafde biwêsen hede. Forth javon hja that folk byldnisse fon hira liknese, tjûgande that hja thêrlan ella frêja machte alsa naka hja hêroch bilewon. Thrvch al thissa tellinga warth that dvma folk fon vs ofkêrad ånd to tha lesta fylon hja vs to lif. Men wi hêdon vsa stêne burchwal mith twam hornum om têjen al to tha Hja ne machton vs thervmbe navt nåka. Thach hwat bêrde, an Égiptalanda thêr wêre en overprester, hel fon ågnum, klår fon bryn ånd licht fon gåst, sin nåm wêre Sêkrops,\* hy kêm vmb rêd to jêvane. As Sêkrops sach that er mith sinum ljuda vsa wal navt biranna ne kv, thâ sand hi bodon nêi Thyrhis. Afternêi kêmon er thrja hvndred skipun fvl salt-åtha fon tha wilde berchfolkum vnwarlinga vsa hâva bifâra, dahwila wy mith alle mannum vppa wallum to strydande wêron.

Drêi as hja thju hava innomth hêde wildon tha wilda salt-atha that thorp and vsa skipa birawa. En salt-athe hêde al en bukja skånd, men Sêkrops wilde thåt navt ne hångja, ånd tha Thyrjar stjurar thêr jeta Fryas blod int lif hêde sêidon, aste that dêiste sâ skilun wi tha râde hône in vsa skypa stêka ånd thv ne skilst thina berga na withera-Sêkrops tham navt ne hilde ni fon morthja nor fon hommelja, sand bodon nëi Gërt vmbir tha burch of to askja, hju macht frya uttochte ha mith al hira drywande and bêrande hava, hira folgar alsa fül. Tha wista thêra burchhêrum êl god sjande that hja tha burch navt hâlda ne kynde. rêden Gêrt hja skolde gaw to bitta, bi fira Sêkrops wodin wrde ånd overs bigvnde, thrê mônatha åfter brûde Gêrt hinne mith tha alder besta Fryas bern and sjugum wara twilf skypum. Thâ hja en stût buta thêre have wêron kêmon thêr wel thritich skêpon fon Thyrhis mit wif and bern. Hja wilde nêi Athênia gâ, tha as hja hêrdon ha-t thêr eskêpen stande gyngon hja mit Gêrt. Thi wêtking thêra

<sup>\*</sup> Sêkrops, Cecrops.

refused to acknowledge Min-erva as a goddess out of envy, because she had shown so much affection to the natives. Thereupon they gave the people statues of her, declaring that they might ask of them whatever they liked, as long as they were obedient to her. By these kinds of tales the stupid people were estranged from us, and at last they attacked us; but as we had built our stone city wall with two horns down to the sea, they could not get at us. Then, lo and behold! an Egyptian high priest, bright of eye, clear of brain, and enlightened of mind, whose name was Cecrops, came to give them advice.

When he saw that with his people he could not storm our wall, he sent messengers to Tyre. Thereupon there arrived three hundred ships full of wild mountain soldiers, which sailed unexpectedly into our haven while we were defending the walls. When they had taken our harbour, the wild soldiers wanted to plunder the village and our ships—one had already ravished a girl—but Cecrops would not permit it; and the Tyrian sailors, who still had Frisian blood in their veins, said, If you do that we will burn our ships, and you shall never see your mountains Cecrops, who had no inclination towards murder or devastation, sent messengers to Geert, requiring her to give up the citadel, offering her free exit with all her live and dead property, and her followers the same. wisest of the citizens, seeing that they could not hold the citadel, advised Geert to accept at once, before Cecrops became furious and changed his mind. Three months afterwards Geert departed with the best of Frya's sons, and seven times twelve ships. Soon after they had left the harbour they fell in with at least thirty ships coming from Tyre with women and children. They were on their way to Athens, but when they heard how things stood there they went with Geert. The sea-king of

<sup>\*</sup> Sêkrops is Cecrops.

Thyrjar brocht algadur thrvch tha strête \* thêr vnder thisse tida vppa tha râde sê uthlip. Et leste lândon hja et Pangab, that is in vsa sprêke fif wêtervm, vmbe that fif rinstrâma mith hiri nêi tha sê to strâme. Hyr seton hja hjara selva nithar. That lând hâvon hja Gêrtmannja hêton. Thene kêning fon Thyrhis âfternêi sjande that sin alderbesta stjurar wei brit wêren sand al sin skipa mith sina wilde saltâtha vmb-er dâd jefta lêvand to fâtane. Men as hjâ by thêre strête kêm bêvadon bêde sê ând irtha. Forth hêf irtha hira lif thêr vppa, sâ hâg that al at wêter to thêre strête uthlip, ând that alle wata ând skorra lik en burchwal to fâra hjam vp rêson. That skêde over tha Gêrtmanna hjara dügda lik as allera mannalik hel ând klâr mêi sja.

AN THA JÊRA 1000 AND 5† NÊI ALDLAND SVNKEN IS, IS THIT VPP-INA ASTERWACH IT FRYAS BURCH WRITEN.

Nêi that wi in twilif jêr tid nên Krêkalandar to Almanlând sjân hêde, kêmon thêr thrju skêpa sa syrlik as wi nên hêdon ånd to fara nimmer nêde sjan. Vppet storoste thêra wêre-n kêning thêra Jhonhis êlandum. Sin nôme wêre Ulysus and tha hrop ovir sin wisdom grat. This kening was thrych êne presteresse forsêid, that er kêning wertha skolde ovir alla Krêkalanda sa-r rêd wiste vmbe-n foddik to krêjande, thêr vpstêken was anda foddik it Texland. Vmbe-r to fensane hêder fêle skâta mith brocht, boppa ella fâmne syrhêdum, alsa thêr in wralda navt skênener måkad wrde. Hja kêmon fon Troja en stede tham tha Krêkalandar innimth hêdon. Al thissa skåta båd hi tha Moder an, men thju Moder nilde nårne fon nêta. As er to lesta sa, that hju navt to winne wêre, gvng er nêi Walhallagara.‡

Thêr was en fâm sêten, hjra nôme wêre Kât, tha

<sup>\*</sup> Strête, thans hersteld als Kanaal van Suez. Pangab, de Indus.

<sup>† 219-1005=1188</sup> v. Chr.

<sup>‡</sup> Wallahagara, Walcheren.

the Tyrians brought them altogether through the strait which at that time ran into the Red Sea (now re-established as the Suez Canal). At last they landed at the Punjab, called in our language the Five Rivers, because five rivers flow together to the sea. Here they settled, and called it Geertmania. The King of Tyre afterwards, seeing that all his best sailors were gone, sent all his ships with his wild soldiers to catch them, dead or alive. When they arrived at the strait, both the sea and the earth trembled. The land was upheaved so that all the water ran out of the strait, and the muddy shores were raised up This happened on account of the virtues like a rampart. of the Geertmen, as every one can plainly understand.

In the Year One thousand and five after Atland was submerged, this was inscribed on the Eastern Wall of Fryasburgt.

After twelve years had elapsed without our seeing any Italians in Almanland, there came three ships, finer than any that we possessed or had ever seen.

On the largest of them was a king of the Jonischen Islands whose name was Ulysses, the fame of whose wisdom was great. To him a priestess had prophesied that he should become the king of all Italy provided he could obtain a lamp that had been lighted at the lamp in Tex-For this purpose he had brought great treasures with him, above all, jewels for women more beautiful than had ever been seen before. They were from Troy, a town that the Greeks had taken. All these treasures he offered to the mother, but the mother would have nothing to do with them. At last, when he found that there was nothing to be got from her, he went to Walhallagara (Walcheren). There there was established a Burgtmaagd whose name was Kaat,

<sup>\*</sup> Strête, at present restored as the Suez Canal. Pangab is the Indus.

inna wandel wrde hju Kalip\* hêten ut hawede that hjara vnderlip as en utkikbored farutståk. Thêrby heth er jêron hwilth to årgenisse fon al tham et wiston. Nêi thêra fâmna hrop heth er to lesta en foddik fon hir krêjen, tha hja heth im navt ne bât, hwand as er in sê kêm is sin skip vrgvngon ånd hy nâked ånd blât vpnimth thrvch tha ôthera skêpa.

Fon thisse kêning is hyr en skryver åfterbilêwen fon rên Fryas blod, bårn to thêre nêie have fon Athênia ånd hwat hyr folgath het er vs fon ovir Athênia skrêven, thêrut mêi mån bisluta, ho wêr thja Moder Hel-licht sproken heth, thâ hja sêide thåt Fryas sêda to Athênia nên stand holde ne kvste.

Fon tha ôthera Krêkalander hetste sêkur fül kwâd ovir Sêkrops hêred, hwand hi wêre in nên gode hrop. dår segse, hi wêre-n lichte man, håchlik romed alsa sêr bi tha inhêmar as wel bi vs, hwand hi wêre navt vmbe tha månniska to diapana sa tha ôra prestera, men hi wêre dügedsêm ånd hi wist tha wisdom thêra fêrhêmanda folkum nêi wêrde to skåtande. Thêrvmbe that er that wiste, hêde-r vs to stonden that wi machte lêva nêi vs ajn êlik Thêr gyng en telling that er vs nygen were, vmbe that er tjucht wêsa skolde ut en Fryaske mangêrte ånd Egiptiska prester, uthawede that er blawe åga hêde, ånd that er fül mangêrta fon vs skåkt wêron ånd in ovir Egiptalande vrsellath. Tha selva heth er nimmerte jecht. Ho-t thêrmêi sy, sêkur is-t that er vs mâra åthskip biwês as alle ôthera prestum to sêmne. as er fallen was, gyngon sina nêimanninga alring an vsa êwa torena ånd bi grådum sa fêlo mislikanda kêra to måkjande, that er to lônge lesta fon êlik sa ånd fon frydom ha navt ôwers as tha skin and tha nôme Forth nildon hja navt ne dâja that-a setma an skrift brocht wrde, hwerthrych tha witskip thêra far

<sup>\*</sup> Kalip, bij Homerus Kalipso.

but who was commonly called Kalip, because her lower lip stuck out like a mast-head. Here he tarried for years, to the scandal of all that knew it. According to the report of the maidens, he obtained a lamp from her; but it did him no good, because when he got to sea his ship was lost, and he was taken up naked and destitute by another ship. There was left behind by this king a writer of pure Frya's blood, born in the new harbour of Athens, who wrote for us what follows about Athens, from which may be seen how truly the mother Hel-licht spoke when she said that the customs of Frya could never take firm hold in Athens.

From the other Greeks you will have heard a great deal of bad about Cecrops, because he was not in good repute; but I dare affirm that he was an enlightened man, very renowned both among the inhabitants and among us, for he was against oppression, unlike the other priests, and was virtuous, and knew how to value the wisdom of distant nations. Knowing that, he permitted us to live according to our own Asegaboek. There was a story current that he was favourable to us because he was the son of a Frisian girl and an Egyptian priest: the reason of this was that he had blue eyes, and that many of our girls had been stolen and sold to Egypt, but he never con-However it may have been, certain it is that firmed this. he showed us more friendship than all the other priests When he died, his successors soon began to tear up our charters, and gradually to enact so many unsuitable statutes that at long last nothing remained of liberty but the shadow and the name. Besides, they would not allow the laws to be written, so that the knowledge of them was hidden from us. Formerly all the cases in

<sup>\*</sup> Kalip, called by Homer Kalipso.

vs forborgen warth. To fara wrdon alle sêkum binna Athênia in vsa tâl bithongon, afternêi most et in bêda tâla skên and to lesta allêna in tha landis tal. In tha êrosta jêra nam that manfolk to Athênia enkel wiva fon vs ajn slacht, men that jongkfolk vpwoxen mitha mangêrta thêr landsåton namen thêr åk fon. Tha båstera bern tham thêrof kemon wêron tha skênsta and snodsta in wralda, men hja wêron âk tha årgsta. To hinkande vr byde syda, to målande her vm sêda ner vm plêga, hit ne sy that et wêre for hjara ajne held. Alsa nåka thêr jeta-n strêl fon Fryas gåst weldande wêre wårth al et bywspul to mêna werka forwrochten and nimman ne mocht en hus to bywande, that rumer and riker were as that sinra nestum. Tha thâ svme vrbastere stêdjar rik wêron thrvch vs fâra ånd thrvch et sulver, that tha slavona uta sulverlôna wnnon, tha gvngon hja buta vppa hellinga jefta inda dêla hêma. Thêr beftha hâga wallum fon lôf tha fon stên bywadon hja hova mith kestlik husark, and vmbe by tha wla prestrum in en goda hrop to wêsande, ståndon hja thêr falska drochten likanda ånd vntuchtiga bilda in. prestrum ånd forstum wrdon tha knåpa al tomet måra gêrt as tha toghatera, and faken thrvch rika jefta thrvch weld fon et pad thêre düged ofhlêid. Nêidam rikdom by that vrbrûde and vrbasterde slachte fêr byppa düged and êre jelde, sach mån altomet knåpa tham hjara selva mit rûma rika klâtar syradon, hjara aldrum ånd fâmna to skônda ånd hjara kvnna to spot. Kêmon vsa ênfalda aldera to Athênia vppe thêre mêna acht and wildon hja thêrvr bâra, sâ warth ther hropen, hark, hark, thêr skil en sêmomma kêtha. Alsa is Athênia wrdon êlik en brokland anda hête landa, fol blodsûgar, pogga ånd feniniga snåka, hwêrin nên månniske fon herde sêdum sin fot navt waga ne mêi.

Athens were pleaded in our language, but afterwards in both languages, and at last in the native language only. At first the men of Athens only married women of our own race, but the young men as they grew up with the girls of the country took them to wife. The bastard children of this connection were the handsomest and cleverest in the world; but they were likewise the wickedest, wavering between the two parties, paying no regard to laws or customs except where they suited their own interests. As long as a ray of Frya's spirit existed, all the building materials were for common use, and no one might build a house larger or better than his neighbours; but when some degenerate townspeople got rich by sea-voyages and by the silver that their slaves got in the silver countries, they went to live out on the hills or in the valleys. There, behind high enclosures of trees or walls, they built palaces with costly furniture, and in order to remain in good odour with the nasty priests, they placed there likenesses of false gods and unchaste statues. Sometimes the dirty priests and princes wished for the boys rather than the girls, and often led them astray from the paths of virtue by rich presents or by force. Because riches were more valued by this lost and degenerate race than virtue or honour, one sometimes saw boys dressed in splendid flowing robes, to the disgrace of their parents and maidens, and to the shame of their own sex. simple parents came to a general assembly at Athens and made complaints, a cry was raised, Hear, hear! there is a sea-monster going to speak. Such is Athens become, like a morass in a tropical country full of leeches, toads, and poisonous snakes, in which no man of decent habits can set his foot.

#### THIT STAT IN AL VSA BURGA.

Ho vsa Dênemarka\* fâra vs vlêren gyngon 1600 ånd 2 jêrt nêi Aldland vrgongen is. Thrych Wodins dor and dertenhêd was thene Magy bâs wrden ovir Skênlandis astardêl. Wra berga ånd wr-n sê ne tvrade hi navt ne Thju Moder wildet navt wêrha, hja sprêk ånde kêth, ik sja nên frêse an sina wêpne, men wel vmbe tha Skênlander wêr to nimmande, thrychdam hja bastered ånd vrdêren sind. Vppa mêna acht tochte man alên. Thêrvmbe is-t im lêten. Grât 100 jêr lêden byondon tha Dênemarkar to wandelja mith hjam. Hja jêvon him ysere wêpne ånd rêdskip thêr fori wandeldon hja golden syrhêdon bijunka kåper ånd yserirtha. Thju Moder sand bodon ånd rêd-er, hja skolde thju wandel fåra lêta. Thêr wêre frêse sêide hju fori hjara sêdum, and bitham hja hjara sêde vrlêren, thån skolde hja åk hjara frydom vrljasa. Men tha Dênemarkar nêde narne âra nei, hja nilda navt bigrippa that hjara sêde vrbrûde kvste, thêrvmbe ne meldon hja hja To lônga lesta brochton hja ajne wêpne ånd navt. liftochta wêi. Men that kwad wrocht hjara gêia. Hjara lichêma wrdon bilâden mêi blik ånd skin, men hjara arka spynton ånd skyra wrdon lêtoch. Krek hondred jer eftere dêi that et forma skip mit liftochta fona kâd fâren was, kêm ermode ånd lek thrvch tha anderna binna, honger sprêda sina wjvka ånd strêk vppet land del, twispalt hlip stolte in overe strêta and forth to tha hûsa in, ljafde ne kv nên stek lônger navt finda ånd êntracht run That barn wilde êta fon sina mam and thju måm hêde wel syrhêdon tha nên êta. Tha wiva kêmon to hjara manna, thissa gyngon nêi tha grêva, tha grêva nêdon selva nawet of hildon-t skul. Nw most man tha syrhêdon vrsella, men thawila tha stjurar thêrmêi

<sup>\*</sup> Dêna marka, de lage marken.

<sup>† 2193-1602=591</sup> v. Chr.

# THIS IS INSCRIBED IN ALL OUR CITADELS.

How our Denmark was lost to us 1602 years after the submersion of Atland. Through the mad wantonness of Wodin, Magy had become master of the east part of Scandinavia. They dare not come over the hills and over The mother would not prevent it. the sea. see no danger in their weapons, but much in taking the Scandinavians back again, because they are so degenerate and spoilt. The general assembly were of the same Therefore it was left to him. A good hundred opinion. years ago Denmark began to trade; they gave their iron weapons in exchange for gold ornaments, as well as for copper and iron-ore. The mother sent messengers to advise them to have nothing to do with this trade. There was danger to their morals in it, and if they lost their morals they would soon lose their liberty. But the Denmarkers paid no attention to her. They did not believe that they could lose their morals, therefore they would not listen to her. At last they were at a loss themselves for weapons and necessaries, and this difficulty was their Their bodies were brilliantly adorned, but punishment. their cupboards and their sheds were empty. hundred years after the first ship with provisions sailed from the coast, poverty and want made their appearance, hunger spread her wings all over the country, dissension marched proudly about the streets and into the houses, charity found no place, and unity departed. The child asked its mother for food; she had no food to give, only The women applied to their husbands, the husbands appealed to the counts; the counts had nothing to give, or if they had, they hid it away. Now the jewels must be sold, but while the sailors

<sup>\*</sup> Dêna marka, the low marches.

<sup>† 2193-1602</sup> is 591 years before Christ.

wêi brit wêron kêm frost ând lêi-n plônk del vppa sê ând wra strête. Tha frost thju brigge rêd hêde, stop wâkandon thêr wr to-t land ut ând vrêd klywade vpper sêtel. In stêde fon tha owera to biwâkande spandon hja hjara horsa for hjara togum ând runon nêi Skênland thâ. Tha Skênlander, tham nêy wêron nêi that land hjarar êthla kêmon nêi tha Dênemarkum. Vppen helle nacht kêmon hja alla. Nw sêidon hja that hja rjucht hêde vppet land hjarar êthlon ând thahwil that mân thêrvr kâmpade kêmon tha Finna in tha lêtoga thorpa ând runadon mith tha bern ewêi. Thêrtrych ând that hja nên goda wêpne navt nêdon, dêd hjam tha kâsa vrljasa ând thêrmêi hjari frydom, hwand thene Magy wrde bâs. That kêm that hja Fryas tex navt lêsde ând hira rêdjêvinga warlâsed hêde.

Ther send syme thêr mêne that hja thrych tha grêva yrrêden send, that tha fâmna thắt lông spêrath hêdon, tha sa hyam sa thêr yr kêtha wilde, tham is myla wrdon to smôrath mith golden kêdne. Wi ne mügan thêryr nên ordêl to fellande, men wi willath jo tohropa, ne lên navt to sêre yppa wisdom ând düged ni fon jywa Forsta, ni fon jowa fâmna, hwand skel et halda sa mot allera mannalik wâka oyir sin ajna tochta ând for-t mêna held.

Twa jêr nêidam kêm thene Magy selva mith en flâte fon lichte kânum, tha Moder fon Texland ând tha foddik to râwane.

Thås årge sêke bistonde-r thes nachtis anda winter by storne tydum as wind gûlde ånd hêjel to jenst tha andêrna fêtere. Thi utkik thêr mênde thater awet hêrde ståk sin balle vp. Tha drêi as et ljucht fon êr tore vppet ronddêl falda, sa-r that al fêlo wêpende manna wra burchwal wêron. Nw gvng-er to vmbe tha klokke to lettane, tha et wêre to lêt. Êr tha wêre rêd wêre, weron al twa thusand ina wêr vmbe tha porte to rammande. Strid hwilde thervmbe kirt,

were away for that purpose, the frost came and laid a plank upon the sea and the strait (the Sound). When the frost had made the bridge, vigilance ceased in the land, and treachery took its place. Instead of watching on the shores, they put their horses in their sledges and drove off Then the Scandinavians, who hungered to Scandinavia. after the land of their forefathers, came to Denmark. One bright night they all came. Now, they said, we have a right to the land of our fathers; and while they were fighting about it, the Finns came to the defenceless villages and ran away with the children. As they had no good weapons, they lost the battle, and with it their freedom, and Magy became master. All this was the consequence of their not reading Frya's Tex, and neglecting her counsels. There are some who think that they were betrayed by the counts, and that the maidens had long suspected it; but if any one attempted to speak about it, his mouth was shut by golden chains.

We can express no opinion about it, we can only say to you, Do not trust too much to the wisdom of your princes or of your maidens; but if you wish to keep things straight, everybody must watch over his own passions, as well as the general welfare.

Two years afterwards Magy himself came with a fleet of light boats to steal the lamp from the mother of Texland. This wicked deed he accomplished one stormy winter night, while the wind roared and the hail rattled against the windows. The watchman on the tower hearing the noise, lighted his torch. As soon as the light from the tower fell upon the bastion, he saw that already armed men had got over the wall.

He immediately gave the alarm, but it was too late. Before the guard was ready, there were two thousand people battering the gate. The struggle did not last long.

hwand thrychdam tha wêra navt nên gode wacht halden nêde, kêmon alle om.

Hwil that alrek drok to kampane wêre, was thêr en wla Fin to there flete jefta bedrum fon there Moder inglupth, ånd wilde hja nedgja. Tha thju Moder werd-im of that er bekward tojenst tha wach strumpelde. Tha-r wither vpa bên wêre stek er sin swêrd to ir buk in segsande, nilst min kul navt så skilst min swêrd ha. After im kêm en skiper fona Dênemarka, thisse nam sin swêrd and hif thêne Fin thrvch sina hole. Thêrut flåt swart blod ånd thêrvr swêfde-n blawe logha. Thi Magy lêt thju Moder vpa sinra skip forplêgja. As hju nw wither alsa fêre hêl and bêter wêr that hju fast sprêka machte, sêide thene Magy that hju mith fåra moste, tha that hju hira foddik ånd fåmna halda skolde, that hju en ståt skolde nyta så håch as hju to fara na nêde kenth. Forth sêide-r thát hi hiri frêja skolde in ajnwarde fon sinum forsta, jef er måster skolde wertha over alle lånda ånd folkra Fryas. Hi seide that hju that bijâe ånd bijechta most, owers skolde-r vnder fêlo wêja sterva lêta. As er thêr after al sinra forsta om ira lêger to gadurad hêde frêjer lûd, Frâna vrmites i klârsjande biste most m.ênis segsa of ik måster skil wertha over alle lånda ånd folkra Fryas. Frâna dêde as melde hja him navt. To lônga lesta êpende hju hira wêra ande kêth, min agun wrde thjûstred, tha that ôre ljucht dêgth vp in Jes, ik sja-t. Hark Irtha and wes blyde minara sêle. mith my. Vndera tydum that Aldland synken is, stand Thêrnêi is hju thju forma spêke fon thet Jol an top. del gyngon and vsa frydom mith tham. As er twa spêka jeftha 2000 jêr del trûled het, så skilun tha svna vpstonda thêr tha forsta and prestera thrvch hordom bi-t folk têled håve, ånd tojenst hjara tåta tjugha. Thi alle skilum thrvch mort swika, men hwat hja kêth have skil forth

As the guard had not kept a good watch, they were overwhelmed. While the fight was going on, a rascally Finn stole into the chamber of the mother, and would have done her violence. She resisted him, and threw him down against the wall. When he got up, he ran his sword through her: If you will not have me, you shall have my sword. A Danish soldier came behind him and clave his head in two. There came from it a stream of black blood and a wreath of blue flame.

The Magy had the mother nursed on his own ship. As soon as she was well enough to speak clearly, the Magy told her that she must sail with him, but that she should keep her lamp and her maidens, and should hold a station higher than she had ever done Moreover, he said that he should ask her, in presence of all his chief men, if he would become the ruler of all the country and people of Frya; that she must declare and affirm this, or he would let her die a painful Then, when he had gathered all his chiefs around her bed, he asked, in a loud voice, Frana, since you are a prophetess, shall I become ruler over all the lands and people of Frya? Frana did as if she took no notice of him; but at last she opened her lips, and said: My eyes are dim, but the other light dawns upon my soul. Yes, Hear, Irtha, and rejoice with me. At the time of the submersion of Atland, the first spoke of the Juul stood at the top. After that it went down, and our freedom with it. When two spokes, or two thousand years, shall have rolled down, the sons shall arise who have been bred of the fornication of the princes and priests with the people, and shall witness against their fathers. They shall all fall by murder, but what they have proclaimed shall endure,

bilywa and frûchdber wertha in-a bosme thêra kloke manniska, alsa lik gode sêdum thêr del lêid wrde in thinra Jeta thûsand jêr skil thju spêke then del nyga ånd al mara syga anda thjusternesse and in blod, ovir thi utstirt thrych tha laga thêr forsta and prestera. Thêrnêi skil thet mornerad wither anfanga to glora. Thit sjande skilun tha falska forsta and prester alsamen with frydom kåmpa ånd woxelja, men frydom, ljafde ånd êndracht skil-et folk in hjara wach nêma and mit thet jol risa uta wla pol. That rjucht that erost allena glorade, skil than fon lêjar laja to-n logha wertha. That blod thêra argum skil ovir thin lif strâma, men thu ne mügth et navt to thi nêma. To tha lesta skil that feninige kwik thêr vp asa and therof sterva. Alle wla skêdnese tham forsunnen send vmbe tha forsta and prestera to boga, skilun an logha ofred wertha. Forth skilun al thinra bern mith frêtho lêva. Thâ hju utspreken hêde, sêg hju del. Mâgy tham hja navt wel forstân hêde krêth, ik hav thi frêjeth, jef ik bâs skilde wertha ovir alle lânda ånd folkra Fryas, and nw haste to en other sproken. Frana rjuchte hiri wither, sach im star an ånd kêthe: er sjugun etmelde om send, skil thin sêle mitha nachtfüglon to tha grâwa omme wara and thin lik skil ledsa vppa bodem fona se. El wel sêide thene Magy mith vrborgne wodin, segs men thåt ik kvme. Forth sêider to jenst ên sinar rakkarum, werp that wif vr skippes bord. Althus wêr-et ende fon-re leste thêra Moderum.\* Wrêke willath wi thêr vr navt ne hropa, tham skil tyd nima. Men thûsand wâra thûsand mêl willath wi Frya afternêi hropa: wak-wak-wak.

### HO-T THENE MAGY FORTH VRGVNGON IS.

Nêi that tha modder vrdên was, lêter tha foddik and tha famna to sina skip to brenga bijunka alle in

<sup>\*</sup> Verg. bl 4.

and shall bear fruit in the bosoms of able men, like good seed which is laid in thy lap. Yet a thousand years shall the spoke descend, and sink deeper in darkness, and in the blood shed over you by the wickedness of the After that, the dawn shall begin princes and priests. When they perceive this, the false princes and priests will strive and wrestle against freedom; but freedom, love, and unity will take the people under their protection, and rise out of the vile pool. The light which at first only glimmered shall gradually become a flame. The blood of the bad shall flow over your surface, but you must not absorb it. At last the poisoned animals shall eat it, and die of it. stories that have been written in praise of the princes and priests shall be committed to the flames. Thenceforth your children shall live in peace. When she had finished speaking she sank down.

The Magy, who had not understood her, shrieked out, I have asked you if I should become master of all the lands and people of Frya, and now you have been speaking to another. Frana raised herself up, stared at him, and said, Before seven days have passed your soul shall haunt the tombs with the night-birds, and your body shall be at the bottom of the sea. Very good, said the Magy, swelling with rage; say that I am coming. Then he said to his executioners, Throw this woman overboard. This was the end of the last of the mothers. We do not ask for revenge. Time will provide that; but a thousand thousand times we will call with Frya, Watch! watch! watch!

How it fared afterwards with the Magy.

After the murder of the mother, he brought the lamp and the maidens into his own ship, together with all

<sup>\*</sup> Refer to p. 4.

bold thêr im likte. Forth gvng er that Flymar vp, hwand hi wilde tha fâm fon Mêdêasblik jeftha fon Stâvora gabja ånd tham to Moder måkja. Tha thêr wêron hja vp hjara hodum brocht. Tha stjurar fon Ståvora ånd fon thåt Alderga hêdon hini gêrn to Jonis togen, men tha grâte flâte wêre vppen fêre tocht ût. Nw gvngon hja to ånd foron mith hjra littige flåte nëi Mêdêasblik ånd hildon hja skul after that ly thêra bâmun. Thi Magy nakade Mêdêasblik bi helle dêi and skynander svnne. Thach gyngon sina ljuda drist drist wêi vppera burch to runnande. Men as allet folk mith tha bôtum land was, kemon vsa stjurar utêre krêke wêi ånd skåton hjara pila mith tårbarntin bollum vp sinra flåte. Hja wêron alsa wel rjucht that fêlo sinra skêpun bistonda anna brônd wêron. Tham vppa skêpun wachton, skâton âk nêi vs thâ, thach thất ne rojade nawet. As er to lesta en skip al barnande nêi-t skip thes Mâgy dryf, bifel-er sin skiper hi skolde of håde, men thene skiper that wêre thene Dênemarker thêr thene Fin felad hêde, andere, thy hest vse Eremoder nêi tha bodem fona sê synden to meldande thatste kvma skolde, thit skoste thrvch tha drokhêd wel vrjetta; nw wil ik njude thatste thin word jecht. Thi Magy wild-im ofwêra; men thene skiper, en afte Fryas and sterik lik en jokoxe klipade bêda sinum hônda om sin hole ånd hif hini vr bord into thåt wellande hef. Forth hês er sin brune skild an top and for rjucht to rjucht an nêi vsa flåte. Thêrthrych kêmon tha fâmna ynforlet to ys, men tha foddik was utgyngon ånd nimman wiste ho-t kêmen was. Tha hja vppa vnfordene skêpa heradon, that thene Mâgy vrdrvnken was, brûde hja hinne, hwand tha stjurar thêra mêst Dênemarker wêron. Nêi that tha flâte fêr enoch ewêi wêre; wendon vsa stjurar and skaton hjara barnpila vppa tha Finna del. Tha tha Finna thus sagon, ho hja vrrêden wêron, hlip alrik thrych yr ekkdrum and thêr nêre lônger nên hêrichhêd ni bod. To thisre stonde run tha wêre hju ut

the booty that he chose. Afterwards he went up the Flymeer because he wished to take the maiden of Medeasblik or Stavoren and install her as mother; but there they were on their The seafaring men of Stavoren and Alderga would gladly have gone to Jon, but the great fleet was out on a distant voyage; so they proceeded in their small fleet to Medeasblik, and kept themselves concealed in a sheltered The Magy approached Medeasblik in place behind trees. broad daylight; nevertheless, his men boldly stormed the citadel. But as they landed from the boats, our people sallied forth from the creek, and shot their arrows with balls of burning turpentine upon the fleet. They were so well aimed that many of the ships were instantly on fire. Those left to guard the ships shot at us, but they could not When at last a burning ship drifted towards the ship of the Magy, he ordered the man at the helm to sheer off, but this man was the Dane who had cleft the He said, You sent our Eeremoeder to head of the Finn. the bottom of the sea to say that you were coming. the bustle of the fight you might forget it; now I will take care that you keep your word. The Magy tried to push him off, but the sailor, a real Frisian and strong as an ox, clutched his head with both hands, and pitched him into the surging billows. Then he hoisted up his brown shield, and sailed straight to our fleet. Thus the maidens came unhurt to us; but the lamp was extinguished, and no one knew how that had happened. When those on the uninjured ships heard that the Magy was drowned, they sailed away, because their crews were Danes. When the fleet was far enough off, our sailors turned and shot their burning arrows at the Finns. When the Finns saw that, and found that they were betrayed, they fell into confusion, and lost all discipline and order. At this moment the garrison sallied

têre burch. Tham navt ne fljuchte, werth afmakad, ånd thêr fljuchte fvnd sin ende into tha polum fon et Krylinger wald.

#### NÉISCHRIFT.

Thá tha stjurar an da kreke lêjon was thêr en spotter fon ut Stavora mank, thêr sêide, Mêdêa mei lakkja, sa wi hyr ut hjra burch reda. Thêrvmbe håvon tha fâmna thju krêke Mêdêa mêi lakkja \* hêten.

Tha bêrtnissa thêr afternêi skêd send, mêi alra mannalik hügja. Tha fâmna hagon tham nei hjara wysa to tella ând wel biskriwa lêta. Thêrvmbe rêkenjath wi hirmitha vsa arbêd fvlbrocht. Held.

ENDE FON 'T BOK.

<sup>\*</sup> Medemi'lacus.

forth from the citadel. Those who resisted were killed, and those who fled found their death in the marshes of the Krylinger wood.

#### POSTSCRIPT.

When the sailors were in the creek, there was a wag from Stavoren among them, who said, Medea may well laugh if we rescue her from her citadel. Upon this, the maidens gave to the creek the name Medea mêilakkia (Lake of Medea). The occurrences that happened after this everybody can remember. The maidens ought to relate it in their own way, and have it well inscribed. We consider that our task is fulfilled. Hail!

THE END OF THE BOOK.

<sup>\*</sup> Medemi lacus, Lake of Medea's laughter.

# THA SKRIFTA FON ADELBROST AND APOLLONIA.

Min nôm is Adelbrost syn fon Apol and fon Adela. Thrych min folk ben ik kêren to Grêvetman ovira Linda wrda. Thêrymbe wil ik thit bok forfolgja yp alsa dênera wisa as mine mem sproken heth.

Nêi that thene Mâgy felt was and Fryasburch vp stel brocht, most er en moder kêren wertha. Bi-ra lêva nêde thju Moder hira folgstera navt nômth. Hira lersta wille was sok and narne to findne. Sjugun mônatha åfter werth er en mêna acht bilidsen and wel to Grênega\* ut êrsêke that anna Saxanamarka pâlth. Min mem werth kêren, men hju nilde nên Moder wêsa. Hju hêde heth lif minar tât hrêd, thêrthruch hêden hja ekkorum lyaf krêjen ånd nw wildon hja åk gådath wertha. wildon min mem fon er bislut ofbrenga; men min mem sêide, en Éremoder acht alsa rên in-ra mod to wêsana as hja buta blikt ånd even mild far al hjara bern. Neidam ik Apol nw lyaf håv hoppa ella in wralda, så ne kån ik så-ne Moder navt nêsa. Så sprek ånd kêth Adela, men tha ôra burchfâmna wildon algâder Moder wêsa. Alrek ståt thong fori sinera åjne fåm ånd nilde navt fyra. Therthrvch nis er nêne kêren ånd heth rik thus bandlås. åfter müg-it bigripa.

Ljudgert, tham kening ther hemesdega fallen is, was bi there Moder-is leva keren blikber trvch alle statha mith lyafde and trjvw. Heth were sin torn vmbe vppin eth grate hof to Dok-hem† to hemande, and bi there Moder-is leva wrd-im ther grate er biwesen, hwand et were immer sa ful mith bodon and riddarum fon heinde and fere as-m-a to fora na nede sjan. Tach nw wer-er ensem and

<sup>\*</sup> Grênegâ, Groningen.

# THE WRITINGS OF ADELBROST AND APOLLONIA.

My name is Adelbrost, the son of Apol and Adela. I was elected by my people as Grevetman over the Lindaoorden. Therefore I will continue this book in the same way as my mother has spoken it.

After the Magy was killed and Fryasburgt was restored, a mother had to be chosen. The mother had not named her successor, and her will was nowhere to be found. months later a general assembly was called at Grênegâ (Groningen), because it was on the boundary of Saxamarken. My mother was chosen, but she would not be the mother. She had saved my father's life, in consequence of which they had fallen in love with each other, and she wished Many people wished my mother to alter her decision, but she said an Eeremoeder ought to be as pure in her conscience as she appears outwardly, and to have the same love for all her children. Now, as I love Apol better than anything else in the world, I cannot be such Thus spoke and reasoned Adela, but all the other maidens wished to be the mother. Each state was in favour of its own maiden, and would not yield. Therefore none was chosen, and the kingdom was without any From what follows you will understand Liudgert, the king who had lately died, had been chosen in the lifetime of the mother, and seemingly with the love and confidence of all the states. It was his turn to live at the great court of Dokhem, and in the lifetime of the mother great honour was done to him there, as there were more messengers and knights there than had ever been seen there before. But now he was lonely and forsaken,

<sup>\*</sup> Grênega is Groningen.

<sup>+</sup> Dokhem is Dokkum.

vrlêten, hwand alrek wêre ange that-er him master skolde mâkja boppa heth rjucht ånd welda ê-lik tha slâvona kêninggar. Elk forst wande forth that-er enoch dêde as er wâkade ovir sin ajn stât; and thi ên ne jêf nawet tâ antha ôthera. Mith-êra burchfamna gynget jeta årger to. Alrek thisra bogade vppira ajne wisdom and sahwersa tha Grêvetmanna awet dêdon buta hjam, sâ wrochten hja mistryvwa bitwiska tham and sinum ljudum. Skeder en sêke thêr fêlon stâtha trof and hêde man thju rêd êner fâm in wnnen, sâ kêthon alle ôthera that hju sproken hêde to fêre fon hjra åjne ståt. Thrvch althus dênera renka brochton hja twyspalt in ovira ståtha ånd torendon hja that band sådêne fon ên, that et folk fon tha ênne ståt nythich wêre vppet folk fon en ora ståt ånd fåret alderminesta lik fêrhêmande biskôwade. Thju fêre thêra is wêst that tha Gola jeftha Trowyda vs al-êt lând of wnnen haven al ont thêra Skelda ånd thi Magy al to thêre Wrsåra. thêrby to gyngen is, heth min mem vntlêth, owers nas thit bok navt skrêven ne wrden, afskên ik alle hâpe vrlêren håv tha-et skil helpa thå båta. Ik ne skryw thus navt inna wan, thet ik therthrvch thet land skil winna jeftha bihaldane, that is minra achtne vndvalik, ik skryw allêna får et åfter kvmande slacht, til thju hja algådur wêta müge vp hvdêna wisa wy vrlêren gvnge, and tha alra mannalik hyr ut lêra mêi that elk kwâd sin gêja têlath.

My heth mån Apollônja hêten. Twyia thritich dega nêi måm hira dåd heth mån Adelbrost min brother vrslêjen fonden vppa wårf, sin hawed split ånd sina lithne ût ên hrêten. Min tåt thêr siak lêide is fon skrik vrsturven. Thå is Apol min jungere brother fon hyr nêi thêre westsyde fon Skênlând fâren. Thêr heth er en burch ebuwad, Lindasburch\* hêten, vmbe dåna to wrekana vs lêth. Wr.alda heth-im thêr to fêlo jêra lênad. Hy heth fif syna wnnen. Altham brengath thêne Magy skrik

<sup>\*</sup> Lindasburch, op kaap Lindanaes, Noorwegen.

because every one was afraid that he would set himself above the law, and rule them like the slave kings. Every headman imagined that he did enough if he looked after his own state, and did not care for the others. With the Burgtmaagden it was still worse. Each of them depended upon her own judgment, and whenever a Grevetman did anything without her, she raised distrust between him and his people. If any case happened which concerned several states, and one maid had been consulted, the rest all exclaimed that she had spoken only in the interest of her By such proceedings they brought disputes own state. among the states, and so severed the bond of union that the people of one state were jealous of those of the rest, or at least considered them as strangers; the consequence of which was that the Gauls or Truwenden (Druids) took possession of our lands as far as the Scheldt, and the Magy as far as the Wesara. How this happened my mother has explained, otherwise this book would not have been written, although I have lost all hope that it would I do not write in the hope that I shall be of any use. win back the land or preserve it: in my opinion that is I write only for the future generations, that they may all know in what way we were lost, and that each may learn that every crime brings its punishment.

My name is Apollonia. Two-and-thirty days after my mother's death my brother Adelbrost was found murdered on the wharf, his skull fractured and his limbs torn asunder. My father, who lay ill, died of fright. Then my younger brother, Apol, sailed from here to the west side of Schoonland. There he built a citadel named Lindasburgt, in order there to avenge our wrong. Wr-alda accorded him many years for that. He had five sons, who all caused fear

<sup>\*</sup> Lindasburch, on Cape Lindanaes, Norway.

ånd min brother gôma. After måm ånd brother-is dåd send tha fromesta fon-ut-a låndum to ekkôrum kvmen, hja havon en bând sloten Adelband hêten. Til thju vs nên leth witherfåra ne skolde, håvath hja my ånd Adelhirt min jungste brother vpper burch brocht, my by tha fâmna ånd min brother by tha wêrar. Thâ ik thritich jêr werê heth man my to Burchfâm kêren, and tha min brother fiftich wêre, werth-er keren to Grêvetman. Fon måm-is syde wêre min brother thene sexte, men fon tât his syde thene Nêi rjucht machton sine afterkymande thus nên overa Linda åfter hjara nômun navt ne fora, men alra månnalik wildet håva to êre fon mina måm. boppa heth mån vs åk en ofskrifte jeven fon thet bok thêra Adela follistar. Thêr mitha ben ik thet blydeste, hwand thrych min måm hjra wisdom kêm-et in wralda. In thas burch hav ik jeta ôra skrifta fynden, thêr navt in 't bok ne stan, åk lovsprêka ovir min måm, altham wil ik åfter skriva.

Thit send tha nëilêtne skrifta Brunnos, ther skrywer wêsen is to thisre burch. After that the Adela follistar ella hêde lêta overskryva elk in sin rik, hwat wryt was in vppa wågarum thera burgum, bisloton hja en Moder to kjasane. Thêrto warth en mêna acht bilêid vp thisra After tha forme rêd Adelas warth Tüntja bifolen. Ak skoldet slåcht håve. Thach nw frêge min Burgtfâm thet wort, hju hede immerthe wênich wêst that hju Moder skolde wertha, ut êrsêke that hju hyr vpper burch sat, hwana mêst alle Moderum kêren wêron. Tha hju thet word gund was, êpende hju hira falxa wêra ande kêth: I alle skinth årg to heftane an Adelas rêd, tha that ne skil thêrvmde min myla navt ne sluta ner snôra. Hwa tach is Adela ånd hwåna kvmt et wêi thåtster sokke håge love to Lik ik hjuddêga is hju to fara hyr burchfam wêst.

to Magy, and brought fame to my brother. After the death of my mother and my brother, all the bravest of the land joined together and made a covenant, called the In order to preserve us from injury, they Adelbond. brought me and my youngest brother, Adelhirt, to the burgt—me to the maidens, and him to the warriors. When I was thirty years old I was chosen as Burgtmaagd, and my brother at fifty was chosen Grevetman. From mother's side my brother was the sixth, but from father's side the By right, therefore, his descendants could not put "overa Linda" after their names, but they all wished to do it in honour of their mother. In addition to this, there was given to us also a copy of "The Book of Adela's Followers." That gave me the most pleasure, because it came into the world by my mother's wisdom. In the burgt I have found other writings also in praise of my mother. All this I will write afterwards.

These are the writings left by Bruno, who was the writer of this burgt. After the followers of Adela had made copies, each in his kingdom, of what was inscribed upon the walls of the burgt, they resolved to choose a mother. For this purpose a general assembly was called By the first advice of Adela, Teuntje was at this farm. recommended. That would have been arranged, only that my Burgtmaagd asked to speak: she had always supposed that she would be chosen mother, because she was at the burgt from which mothers had generally been chosen. When she was allowed to speak, she opened her false lips and said: You all seem to place great value on Adela's advice, but that shall not shut my mouth. Adela, and whence comes it that you respect her so highly? She was what I am now, a Burgtmaagd of this Tha is hju thêr vmbe wiser jefta bêtre as ik ånd alle ôthera, jefta is hju mår stelet vppvsa sêd ånd plêgum. Hwêre thåt et fal, så skolde hju wel Moder wrden wêsa, thå hju thêrto kêren is, men nêan hju wilde rêder ennen bosta ha mith all joi ånd nochta thêr er anebonden send, in stêd fon ênsum over hjam ånd et folk to wåkane. Hju is êl klarsjande, god, men min ågne ne send fêr fon vrthjustred to wêsane. Ik håv sjan thåt hju hir fryadelf herde minth, nw god, thåt is lovelik, men ik håv forther sjan thåt Tüntja Apol-is nift is. Wyder wil ik navt ne sedsa.

Tha forsta bigripen êl god, hwêr hju hly sochte, men emong et folk kêm twyspalt, and nêidam heth maradêl fon hyr wei kêm, wilde-t Tüntja thiu êre navt ne guna. Rêdne wrde stopth, tha saxne tâgon uta skådne, men thêr ne wårth nêne Moder kêren. Kirt åfter hêde annen vsera bodne sin makker fåleth. Til hjuddêga hêde der frod wêsen, thêrvmbe hede min burchfâm orlovi vmb-im buta Thach in stêd fon im to helpane tha låndpåla to helpane. nei thet Twiskland, alsa fljuchte hju selva mith im overe Wrsara and forth nei tha Magy. Thi Mâgy tham sina Fryas svna hagja wilde stald-iri as Moder to Godaburch et Skênland, mên hju wilde mâr, hju sêid-im that sahwersa hi Adela vpruma koste, hi måster skolde wertha over êl Hju wêr en fyand fon Adele sêide hju, Fryas land. hwand thrych hjra renka nas hju nên Moder wrden. Sahwersa hy hir Texland forspreka wilde, sa skolde hjra boda sina wichar to wêiwyser thjanja. Al thissa sêka heth hjra boda selva bilyad.

#### THET OTHERA SKRIFT.

Fiftian monatha nêi thêre lerste acht wêr-et Frjunsklp jeftha Winnemônath. Alleramannelik jef to an mery place; is she, then, wiser and better than I and all the others? or is she more conversant with our laws and customs? If that had been the case, she would have become mother when she was chosen; but instead of that, she preferred matrimony to a single life, watching over herself and her people. She is certainly very clear-sighted, but my eyes are far from being dim. I have observed that she is very much attached to her husband, which is very praiseworthy; but I see, likewise, that Teuntje is Apol's niece. Further I say nothing.

The principal people understood very well which way the wind blew with her; but among the people there arose disputes, and as most of the people came from here, they would not give the honour to Teuntje. The conferences were ended, knives were drawn, and no mother was chosen. Shortly afterwards one of our messengers killed his comrade. had been a man of good character hitherto, my Burgtmaagd had permission to help him over the frontier; but instead of helping him over to Twiskland (Germany), she fled with him herself to Wesara, and then to the Magy. Magy, who wished to please his sons of Frya, appointed her mother of Godaburgt, in Schoonland; but she wished for more, and she told him that if he could get Adela out of the way he might become master of the whole of Frya's She said she hated Adela for having prevented her from being chosen mother. If he would promise her Texland, her messenger should serve as guide to his warriors. All this was confessed by her messenger.

#### THE SECOND WRITING.

Fifteen months after the last general assembly, at the festival of the harvest month, everybody gave himself

mery fru and bly, and nimman nede diger than to akane sina nocht. Thach Wr.alda wild vs wysa, that wakendom navt vrgamlath wrde ne mêi. To midne fon-et fêst fyrja kêm nêvil to hullande vsa wrda in thikke thjusternise. Nocht runde wêi, tha wâkendom nilde navt ne kêra. Tha strandwâkar wêron fon hjara nêd fjura hlâpen ånd vppa tha topâdum nas nênen to bisja. Thâ nêvil ewêi tâch, lokte svnne thrvch tha rêta thêra wolkum vp irtha. Alrek kêm wither ut to juwgande and to jolande, thet jungk folk tach sjongande mitha gürbam\* and thisse overfulde luft mith sina liaflika ådam. Men thahwila thêr alrek in nocht båjada, was vrrêd lând mith horsum ånd rid-Lik alle årga wêron hja helpen thrvch thjusternisse, and hinne glupath thrvch Linda waldis pada. fâra Adelas dure tagon twilif mangêrtne mith twilif låmkes ånd twilif knåpa mith twilif hoklinga, en junge Saxmån birêd en wilde bufle thêr er selva fensen hêde ånd tåmad. Mith allerlêja blomma wêron hja siarad, ånd tha linnen tohnekna thêra mångêrtne wêron omborad mith gold ut-er Rêne.

Thå Adela to hira hus ut vppet slecht kêm, fol en blomrêin del vppira hole, alle juwgade herde ånd tha tothorne thêra knåpum gûldon boppa ella ut. Arme Adela, årm folk, ho kirt skil frü hir bydja. Thå thju lônge skåre ut sjocht wêre kêm er en hloth mågjara ridderum linrjucht to rinnande vp Adelas hêm. Hira tåt ånd gåde wêron jeta vppa stoppenbenke sêten. Thju dure stond êpen ånd thêr binna stand Adelbrost hira svna. As er sach ho sina eldra in frêse wêron, gripter sine bôge fon-ere wâch wêi ånd skåt nêi tha foresta thêra râwarum; this swikt ånd trulde vppet gårs del; overne twade ånd thride was en êlik lôt biskêren. Intwiska hêdon sina eldra hjara wêpne fat, ånd tagon vndyger to Jonis. Tha râwera skoldon hjam ring

<sup>\*</sup> Gürbam. C. Niebuhr Reize enz. I. 174. Eene zakpijp bij de Egyptenaren Sumtra et Kürbe genoemd.

up to pleasure and merry-making, and no one thought of anything but diversion; but Wr-alda wished to teach us that watchfulness should never be relaxed. In the midst of the festivities the fog came and enveloped every place in darkness. Cheerfulness melted away, but watchfulness did not take its place. The coastguard deserted their beacons, and no one was to be seen on any of the paths. When the fog rose, the sun scarcely appeared among the clouds; but the people all came out shouting with joy, and the young folks went about singing to their bagpipes, filling the air with their melody. But while every one was intoxicated with pleasure, treachery had landed with its horses and riders. As usual, darkness had favoured the wicked, and they had slipped in through the paths of Linda's wood. Before Adela's door twelve girls led twelve lambs, and twelve boys led twelve calves. A young Saxon bestrode a wild bull which he had caught and tamed. They were decked with all kinds of flowers, and the girls' dresses were fringed with gold from the Rhine.

When Adela came out of her house, a shower of flowers fell on her head; they all cheered loudly, and the fifes of the boys were heard over everything. Poor Adela! poor people! how short will be your joy! When the procession was out of sight, a troop of Magyar soldiers rushed up to Adela's house. Her father and her husband were sitting on the steps. The door was open, and within stood Adelbrost her son. When he saw the danger of his parents, he took his bow from the wall and shot the leader of the pirates, who staggered and fell on the grass. The second and third met a similar fate. In the meantime his parents had seized their weapons, and went slowly to Jon's house. They would soon have been taken, but

Gürbam. C. Niebuhr, Travels, vol. i. p. 174. The bagpipe is called by the Egyptians Sumdra el Kürbe.

fensen ha, men Adela kêm, vppere burch hêde hja alle wêpne to hantêra lêrad, sjugun irthfêt wêre hju lông ånd hira gêrt så fêlo, thryja swikte hja tham or hjra hole ånd as er del kêm wêr en ridder gårsfallich. Follistar kêmon omme herne thêre lône wêi. Tha râwar wrdon fâlath ånd fensen. Thach to lêt, en pil hêde hjra bosme trefth. Vrrêdelika Magy! In fenin was sin pint dipth ånd thêrof is hju sturven.

#### THÊRE BURCHFAMS LOV.

Jes ferhêmande åthe, thusande send al kumen ånd jet måra send vp wêi.

Wel, hja willath Adelas wisdom hêra.

Sekur is hju forstine, hwand hju is immer thja forste west.

O wach hwêrto skolde hja thjanja. Hira hemeth is linnen, hira tohnekka\* wol, thåt hjv selva spon ånd wêvade. Hwêrmêi skolde hja hjra skênhêd håga. Navt mith pårlum, hwand hjra tuskar send witter; navt mith gold, hwand hjra hêr is blikkander; navt mith stêna, wel send hjra ågon saft as lamkes ågon, thach to lik sa glander thåt mån thêr skrômlik in sja ne mêi.

Men hwat kålt ik fon skên. Frya wêre wis navt skêner. Ja åthe, Frya thêr sjugun skênhêde hêde, hwêrfon hjra toghåtera men êne elk håchstens thria urven håve. Men al wêre hju lêdlik, thach skolde hju vs djura wêsa.

Jef hju wygandlik sy. Hark åthe, Adela is thet ênge bern vsar grêvetman. Sjugun jrthfet is hju håch, jeta grâter then hjra licheme is hjra wishêd ånd hjra mod is lik bêde to sêmine.

Lok thêr, thêr wêre ênis en fênbrônd, thrju bern wêron vp jenske gråfstên sprongen. Wind blos fel. Alrek krêta ând thju mâm wêre rêdalâs. Thêr kymt Adela: ho stêitst ând têmethste hropth hju, tragd help to lê-

<sup>\*</sup> To hnekka, eene hooge, tot aan de nek reikende, japon.

Adela came. She had learned in the burgt to use all kinds of weapons. She was seven feet high, and her sword was the same length. She waved it three times over her head, and each time a knight bit the earth. Reinforcements came, and the pirates were made prisoners; but too late—an arrow had penetrated her bosom! The treacherous Magy had poisoned it, and she died of it.

## THE ELEGY OF THE BURGTMAAGD.

Yes, departed friend, thousands are arrived, and more are coming. They wish to hear the wisdom of Adela. Truly, she was a princess, for she had always been the leader. O Sorrow, what good can you do!

Her garments of linen and wool she spun and wove How could she add to her beauty? pearls, for her teeth were more white; not with gold, for her tresses were more brilliant; not with precious stones, for her eyes, though soft as those of a lamb, were so lustrous that you could scarcely look into them. why do I talk of beauty? Frya was certainly not more beautiful; yes, my friends, Frya, who possessed seven perfections, of which each of her daughters inherited one, or at most three. But even if she had been ugly, she would still have been dear to us. Is she warlike? Listen, my friend. Adela was the only daughter of our She stood seven feet high. Her wisdom exceeded her stature, and her courage was equal to both Here is an instance. There was once a turftogether. ground on fire. Three children got upon yonder grave-There was a furious wind. The people were all shouting, and the mother was helpless. Then came Adela. What are you all standing still here for? she cried.

<sup>\*</sup> To hnekka, a high petticoat reaching up to the neck.

nande ånd Wr.alda skil jo krefta jêva. Thêr hipth hja nêi-t krylwod, gript elsne trêjon, tragd en breg to makjande, nw helpath åk tha ôthera ånd tha bern send hred.

Jêrlikes kêmon tha bern hyr blomma ledsa.

Thêr kêmon thrê Fonysjar skipljuda thêr hja wrêvela wilde, men Adela kêm, hju hêde hjara hwop (hrop) hêrad, in swim slêith hju tha lêtha ând til thju hja selva jechta skolde, thet hja vnwêrthelike manna wêron, bint hju alsêmen an en spinrok fest. Tha fêrhêmanda hêra kêmon hjara thjud askja. Tha hja sagon ho skots hja misdên wêron, kêm torn vp, thach mån tellade ho-t bêrd was.

Hwat hja forth dêdon, hja buwgdon to fâra Adela ând keston thju slyp hyrar tohnekka.

Kvm fêrhêmande âthe, tha wald füglon fljuchtath to fâra tha fêlo forsykar. Kvm âthe sâ mêist hjara wishêd hêra.

By tha gråfstên hwer fon in tha lovsprêke meld warth, is måm hira lik bigråven. Vppira gråfstên heth mån thissa worda hwryten.

NE HLAP NAVT TO HASTICH HWAND HYR LÊID ADELA.

Thju formlêre thêr is hwryten inutere wâch thêr burchtore, nis navt wither eskrêven in that bok thêra Adela follistar. Hwêrvmbe thet lêten is nêt ik navt to skriwand. Tha thit bok is min ajn, thêrvmbe wil ik hja thêr inna setta to wille minra mâgum.

#### FORMLÊRE.

Alle god minnanda Fryas bern sy held. Hwand thrych

help them, and Wr-alda will give you strength. Then she ran to the Krylwood and got some elder branches, of which she made a bridge. The others then came to assist her, and the children were saved. The children bring flowers to the place every year. There came once three Phænician sailors, who began to ill-treat the children, when Adela, having heard their screams, beat the scoundrels till they were insensible, and then, to prove to them what miserable wretches they were, she tied them all three to a spindle.

The foreign lords came to look after their people, and when they saw how ridiculously they had been treated they were very angry, till they were told what had happened. Upon that they bowed themselves before Adela, and kissed the hem of her garment. But come, distant living friend. The birds of the forest fled before the numerous visitors. Come, friend, and you shall hear her wisdom. By the gravestone of which mention has already been made her body is buried. Upon the stone the following words are inscribed:—

#### TREAD SOFTLY, FOR HERE LIES ADELA.

The old legend which is written on the outside wall of the city tower is not written in "The Book of Adela's Followers." Why this has been neglected I do not know; but this book is my own, so I will put it in out of regard to my relations.

#### THE OLDEST DOCTRINE.

Hail to all the well-intentioned children of Frya!

tham skil et sêlich wertha vp jrtha. Lêr and kêth to tha Wr.alda is thet alderaldesta jeftha overaldesta, hwand thet skop alla thinga. Wr.alda is ella in ella, hwand thet is êvg and vnendlik. Wr.alda is overal ainwardich, men narne to bisja, thêrvmbe warth thet wêsa gåst hêten. Al hwat wi fon him sja müge send tha skepsela thêr thrych sin lêva kyme and wither henne ga. hwand inut Wr.alda kymath alle thinga and kêrath alle thinga. Fon ut Wr. alda kymth t anfang ånd et ende, alra thinga gêith in im vppa. Wr.alda is thet êne ella machtige wêsa, hwand alle ôre macht is fon him lênad and kêrath to him wither. In ut Wr.alda kymath alle krefta ånd alle krefta kêrath to him wither. Thêrvmbe is hi allêna theth skeppande wêsa and thêr nis nawet eskêpen buta him.

Wr.alda lêide êvge setma thet is êwa in al et skêpne, ånd thêr ne send nên gode setma jeftha hja moton thêrnêi tavlikt wêsa. Men afskên ella in Wr.alda sy, tha boshêd thêra månniska nis navt fon him. Boshêd kymth thrych lômhêd vndigerhed and domhêd. Thêrvmbe kån hju wel tha månniska skåda, Wr.alda nimmer. Wr.alda is thju wishêd, and tha êwa thêr hju tavlikt heth, send tha boka wêrût wy lêra müge, and thêr nis nêne wishêd to findande ner to garjande buta tham. Tha månniska mügon fêlo thinga sja, men Wr.alda sjath alle thinga. Tha månniska mügon fêlo thinga lêra, men Wr.alda wêt alle thinga. Tha månniska mügon fêlo thinga vntslûta, men to fåra Wr.alda is ella êpned. Tha månniska send månnalik ånd berlik, men Wr.alda skept bêde. Tha manniska minnath and hatath, tha Wr.alda is allena rjuchtferdich. Thêrvmbe is Wr.alda allêne god, and thêr ne send nêne goda bûta him. Mith thet Jol wandelath and wixlat allet eskêpne, men god is allêna vnforanderlik. that Wr.alda god is, alsa ne mei hi åk navt foranderja;

Through them the earth shall become holy. Learn and announce to the people Wr-alda is the ancient of ancients, Wr-alda is all in all, for he is for he created all things. eternal and everlasting. Wr-alda is omnipresent but invisible, and therefore is called a spirit. All that we can see of him are the created beings who come to life through him and go again, because from Wr-alda all things proceed and return to him. Wr-alda is the beginning and the end. Wr-alda is the only almighty being, because from him all other strength comes, and returns to him. Therefore he alone is the creator, and nothing exists without him. Wr-alda established eternal principles, upon which the laws of creation were founded, and no good laws could stand on any other foundation. But although everything is derived from Wr-alda, the wickedness of men does not come from him. Wickedness comes from heaviness, carelessness, and stupidity; therefore they may well be injurious to men, but never to Wr-alda. Wr-alda is wisdom, and the laws that he has made are the books from which we learn, nor is any wisdom to be found or gathered but in them. Men may see a great deal, but Wr-alda sees everything. Men can learn a great deal, but Wr-alda knows everything. Men can discover much, but to Wr-alda everything is open. Mankind are male and female, but Wr-alda created both. Mankind love and hate, but Wr-alda alone is just. Therefore Wr-alda is good, and there is no good without him. In the progress of time all creation alters and changes, but goodness alone is unalterable; and since Wr-alda is good, he cannot ånd thrvch thet er bilywath, thervmbe is hy allena wesa ånd al et ora skin.

## THET OTHERA DÊL FONRE FORMLÊR.

Emong Findas folk send wanwysa, thêr thrvch hjara overfindingrikhêd alsa årg send, thåt hja hjara selva wis måkja ånd tha inewida bitjuga, thåt hja thet besta dêl send fon Wr.alda; thåt hjara gåst thet beste dêl is fon Wr.aldas gåst ånd thet Wr.alda allêna mêi thånkja thrvch helpe hjaris bryn.\*

Thåt aider skepsle en dêl is fon Wr.aldas vnendlik wêsa; thåt håvon hja fon vs gåbad.

Men hjara falxe rêdne ånd hjara tåmlåse håchfarenhêd heth ra vppen dwâlwêi brocht. Wêre hjara gâst Wr.aldas gåst, så skolde Wr.alda êl dvm wêsa in stêde fon licht and Hwand hjara gåst slåvth him selva immer of vmbe skêne bylda to mâkjande, thêr y afternêi anbid. Findas folk is en årg folk, hwand afskên tha wanwysa thêra hjara selva wis mâkja thát hja drochtne send, sa håvon hja to fåra tha vnewida falxa drochtne eskêpen, to kêthande allerwêikes, that thissa drochtne Wr.alda eskêpen have, mith al hwat thêr inne is; gyriga drochtne fvl nyd ånd torn, tham êrath ånd thjanath willath wêsa thrych tha månniska, ther blod and offer willa and skat askja. thi wanwisa falxa manna, tham hjara selva godis skalka jeftha prestera nôma lêta, bürath ånd sâmnath ånd gethath aldam to fâra drochtne thêr er navt ne send, vmbet selva Aldam bidrywath hja mith en rum emod, to bihaldande. thrychdam hja hjara selva drochtne wâne, thêr an ninman andert skeldich ne send. Send ther syme tham hiara renka froda ånd bår måkja, alsa wrdon hja thrych hjara rakkera fåt ånd vmbira laster vrbarnad, ella mith fêlo ståtska plegum, hjara falxa drochtne to-n ere. Men in tryth,

<sup>\*</sup> Cf. Hegel a, h. l.

change. As he endures, he alone exists; everything else is show.

THE SECOND PART OF THE OLDEST DOCTRINE.

Among Finda's people there are false teachers, who, by their over-inventiveness, have become so wicked that they make themselves and their adherents believe that they are the best part of Wr-alda, that their spirit is the best part of Wr-alda's spirit, and that Wr-alda can only think by the help of their brains.

That every creature is a part of Wr-alda's eternal being, that they have stolen from us; but their false reasoning and ungovernable pride have brought them on the road to ruin. If their spirit was Wr-alda's spirit, then Wr-alda would be very stupid, instead of being sensible and wise; for their spirit labours to create beautiful statues, which they afterwards worship. Finda's people are a wicked people, for although they presumptuously pretend among themselves that they are gods, they proclaim the unconsecrated false gods, and declare everywhere that these idols created the world and all that therein is-greedy idols, full of envy and anger, who desire to be served and honoured by the people, and who exact bloody sacrifices and rich offerings; but these presumptuous and false men, who call themselves God's servants and priests, receive and collect everything in the name of the idols that have no real existence, for their own benefit.

They do all this with an easy conscience, as they think themselves gods not answerable to any one. If there are some who discover their tricks and expose them, they hand them over to the executioners to be burnt for their calumnies, with solemn ceremonies in honour of the false gods; allêna vmbe thát hja ra navt skâda ne skolde. Til thju vsa bern nw wêpned müge wêsa tojenst hjara drochtenlika lêre, alsa hâgon tha fâmna hjam fon buta to lêrande hwat hyr skil folgja.

Wr.alda was êr alle thinga, and nêi alle thinga skil er Wr.alda is alsa evg and hi is vnendlik, thervmb nis thêr nawet buta him. Thrvch ut Wr.aldas lêva warth tid ånd alle thinga bern, ånd sin lêva nimth tid ånd alle Thissa sêka moton klêr and bar makad wrda thinga wêi. by alle wisa, så that hja-t an ôthera bithjuta and biwisa Is-t så får wnnen, sa seith mån forther: Hwat thus vsa ommefang treft, alsa send wy en dêl fon Wr.aldas vnendelik wêsa, alsa tha ommefang fon al et eskêpne, thach hwat angå vsa dånte, vsa ainskipa, vsa gåst ånd al vsa bithånkinga, thissa ne hêra navt to thet wêsa. ella send fljuchtiga thinga tham thrvch Wr.aldas lêva forskina, thach thêr thrvch sin wishêd sâdâne ând navt owers navt ne forskina. Men thrychdam sin lêva stêdes forthga, alsa ne mêi thêr nawet vppa sin stêd navt bilywa. Thêrvmbe forwixlath alle eskêpne thinga fon stêd, fon dânte ånd åk fon thånkwisa. Thervmbe ne mêi irtha selva, ner eng skepsle ni sedsa: ik ben, men wel ik was. Ak ne mêi nên månniska navt ne sedsa ik thånk, men blåt, ik thochte. Thi knåp is gråter ånd owers as tha-r bern wêre. Hy heth ora gêrtne, tochta ånd thånkwisa. Thi man en tât is ånd thånkth owers as thå-r knåp wêre. Evin tha alda fon dêgum. That wet allera mannelik. Såhwersa allera mannalik nw wêt ånd jechta mot, that hy alon wixlath, så mot hy åk bijechta, that er jahweder âgeblik wixlath, âk thahwila-r sêid: ik ben, and that sina thank bylda wixle, tha hwile-r sêid: ik thank.

Instêde that wy tha arga Findas althus vnwerthlik afternêi snakka and kalta, ik ben, jeftha wel, ik ben thet beste dêl Wr.aldas, ja thrvch vs allêna mêi-r thankja,

but really in order to save themselves. In order that our children may be protected against their idolatrous doctrine, the duty of the maidens is to make them learn by heart the following: Wr-alda existed before all things, and will endure after all things. Wr-alda is also eternal and everlasting, therefore nothing exists without him. Wr-alda's life sprang time and all living things, and his life takes away time and every other thing. must be made clear and manifest in every way, so that they can be made clear and comprehensible to all. When we have learned thus much, then we say further: In what regards our existence, we are a part of Wr-alda's everlasting being, like the existence of all created beings; but as regards our form, our qualities, our spirit, and all our thoughts, these do not belong to the being. All these are passing things which appear through Wr-alda's life, and which appear through his wisdom, and not otherwise; but whereas his life is continually progressing, nothing can remain stationary, therefore all created things change their locality, their form, and their So neither the earth nor any other created object can say, I am; but rather, I was. So no man can say, I think; but rather, I thought. The boy is greater and different from the child; he has different desires, inclinations, and thoughts. The man and father feels and thinks differently from the boy, the old man just the Everybody knows that. Besides, everybody knows and must acknowledge that he is now changing, that he changes every minute even while he says, I am, and that his thoughts change even while he says, I think. Instead, then, of imitating Finda's wicked people, and saying, I am the best part of Wr-alda, and through us alone he can think,

så willath wy kêtha wral and allerwêikes wêr et nêdlik sy: wy Fryas bern send forskinsla thrych Wr.aldas lêva; by-t anfang min and blât, thach immer warthande and nakande to fylkymenlikhêd, synder a sa god to wrda as Wr.alda selva. Vsa gâst nis navt Wr.aldas gâst, hi is thêrfon allêna en afskinsle. Tha Wr.alda vs skop, heth er vs in thrych sine wishêd-bryn-sintûga, hügia and fêlo goda ainskipa lênad. Hyrmêi mugon wy sina êwa, bitrachta. Thêrof mügon wy lêra and thêryr mügon wy rêda, ella and allêna to vs ain held. Hêde Wr.alda vs nêne sinna jêven, sa ne skolde wy narne of nêta and wy skolde jeta reddalasser as en sêkwale wêsa, thêr forthdryven warth thrych ebbe and thrych flod.

# THIT STAT VP SKRIVFILT SKREVEN. TAL AND ANDWORDE ORA FAMNA TO-N FORBYLD.

En vnsels gyrich mån kêm to bårande by Tråst thêr fåm wêre to Stavia. Hy sêide vnwêder hêde sin hus wêi brocht. Hy hêde to Wr.alda bêden, men Wr.alda nêdim nêne helpe lênad. Bist en åfte Fryas, frêje Trâst. Fon elder t elder, andere thene man. Thân sêide hju wil ik awet in thin mod sėja in bitrouwa, that et kyma groja and früchda Forth sprêk hju ånde kêth. Thâ Frya bern was, stand vs moder naked and blat, vnbihod to jenst tha strêlum thêre svnne. Ninman macht hju frêja ånd thêr wêre ninman thêr hja help macht lêna. Thâ gvng Wr.alda to and wrochte in hjara mod nigung and liavde anggost and skrik. Hju sach rondomme, hjara nigung kås thet beste ånd hju sochte skul vndera warande linda. Men rêin kêm and t onhlest wêre that hju wet wrde. Thach hju hêde sjan

we proclaim everywhere where it is necessary, We, Frya's children, exist through Wr-alda's life—in the beginning mean and base, but always advancing towards perfection without ever attaining the excellence of Wr-alda himself. Our spirit is not Wr-alda's spirit, it is merely a shadow of it. When Wr-alda created us, he lent us his wisdom, brains, organs, memory, and many other good qualities. By this means we are able to contemplate his creatures and his laws; by this means we can learn and can speak of them always, and only for our own benefit. If Wr-alda had given us no organs, we should have known nothing, and been more irrational than a piece of sea-weed driven up and down by the ebb and flood.

This is written on Parchment—"Skrivfilt." Speech and Answer to other Maidens as an Example.

An unsociable, avaricious man came to complain to Troost, who was the maid of Stavia. He said a thunderstorm had destroyed his house. He had prayed to Wr-alda, but Wr-alda had given him no help. Are you a true Frisian? Troost asked. From father and forefathers, replied the man. Then she said, I will sow something in your conscience, in confidence that it will take root, grow, and bear fruit. She continued, When Frya was born, our mother stood naked and bare, unprotected from the rays of the sun. She could ask no one, and there was no one who could give her any help. Then Wr-alda wrought in her conscience inclination and love, anxiety She looked round her, and her inclinaand fright. tion chose the best. She sought a hiding-place under the sheltering lime-trees, but the rain came, and the difficulty was that she got wet. She had seen.

ho thet wêter to the hellands blader of drupte. måkade hju en hrof mith hellanda sidum, vp stôka måkade hju tham. Men stornewind kêm and blos rêin Nw hêde hja sjan that tha stam hly jef, after thêr vnder. gong hja to ånd måkade en wåch fon plåga ånd sådum, thet forma an êne syda and forth an alle syda. wind kêm to bek jeta wodander as to fora and blos thju hrof ewêi. Men hju ne bârade navt over Wr.alda ner to jenst Wr.alda. Men hja måkade en reitne hrof ånd leide stêne thêr vppa. Bifvnden håvande ho sêr thet dvath vmb allêna to tobbande, alsa bithjude hju hira bern ho and hwêrvmbe hju alsa hêde dên. Thissa wrochton and tochton to semine. A sadenera wise send wy an hûsa kêmen mith stoppenbankum, en slecht and warande linda with tha synnestrêlum. To tha lesta havon hia en burch måkad ånd forth alle ôthera. Nis thin hus thus navt sterk noch wêst, alsa mot i trachda vmbet ôre bêter to mâkjande. Min hus wêre sterk enoch, sêider, men thet hâge wêter heth et vp bêrad and stornewind heth et ore Hwêr stand thin hus than, frêje Trâst. thêre Rêne, andere thene man. Ne stand et than navt vppen nol jeftha therp, frêje Trâst. Nean sêider, min hus stand ênsum by tha overe, allêna hav ik et buwad, men ik ne macht thêr allêna nên therp to makane. wist wel, sêide Trâst, tha fâmna hav et my meld. hest al thin lêva en grûwel had an tha månniska, ut frêse thåtste awet jêva jeftha dva moste to fara hjam. thêr mitha ne mêi man navt fêr ne kvma. Hwand Wr.alda thêr mild is, kêrath him fona gyriga. het vs rêden and buppa tha dura fon alle burgum is t in stên ut wryten: bist årg bâtsjochtig sêide Fåsta, bihod than jvwe nesta, bithjod than jvwe nesta, help than juwe nesta, så skilun hja t thi witherdva. Is i thina rêd navt god noch, ik nêt fâr thi nên bêtera. Skåmråd wårth then mån ånd hi drupte stolkes hinne.

how the water ran down the pendent leaves; so she made a roof of leaves fastened with sticks, but the wind blew the rain under it. She observed that the stem would afford protection. She then built a wall of sods, first on one side, and then all round. The wind grew stronger and blew away the roof, but she made no complaint of She made a roof of rushes, and put stones Wr-alda Having found how hard it is to toil alone, she upon it. showed her children how and why she had done it. acted and thought as she did. This is the way in which we became possessed of houses and porches, a street, and lime-trees to protect us from the rays of the sun. last we have built a citadel, and all the rest. house is not strong enough, then you must try and make another. My house was strong enough, he said, but the flood and the wind destroyed it. Where did your house stand? Troost asked. On the bank of the Rhine, he Did it not stand on a knoll? Troost asked. No, said the man; my house stood alone on the bank. built it alone, but I could not alone make a hillock. Ι knew it, Troost answered; the maidens told me. All your life you have avoided your neighbours, fearing that you might have to give or do something for them; but one cannot get on in the world in that way, for Wr-alda, who is kind, turns away from the niggardly. Fâsta has advised us, and it is engraved in stone over all our doors. If you are selfish, distrustful towards your neighbours, teach your neighbours, help your neighbours, and they will return the same to you. advice is not good enough for you, I can give you no The man blushed for shame, and slunk away. better.

NW WIL IK SELVA SKRIWA ÉBOST FON OVER MIN BURCH AND THAN OVER HWAT IK HAV MUGE SJAN.

Min burch lêid an-t north-ende thêre Liudgârda. tore heth sex syda. Thrya thrittich fêt is hju hâch. Flat fon boppa. En lyth huske thêr vppa, hwâna mân tha ståra bisjath. An aider syd thêre tore ståt en hus, long thrya hondred, brêd thrya sjugun fêt, êlika hâch bihalva thju hrof, thêr rondlik is. Altham fon hyrbakken stên, and fon buta ne send nênen ôthera. Om tha burch is en hringdik, thêrom en graft diap thrya sjugun fêt, wyd thrya Siath hwa fonêre tore del, sa siath hi thju dante fon et Jol. Vppa grvnd twisk tha sûdlika hûsa thêre, send allerlêja krûda fon hêinde and fêr, thêrof moton tha fâmna tha krefta lêra. Twisk tha nortlika hûsa is allêna fjeld. Tha thrju nortlika hûsa send fol kêren ånd ôther bihof. Twa sûdar send to fâra tha fâmkes vmbe to skola and to hêma. Thet sûdlikoste hus is there Burchfam his hem. Inna tore hangt thju foddik. Tha wagar thêre tore send mith kestlika stêna smukad. In vppa thêre sûderwach is thêne Tex wrytten. tha fêre syde thêra finth man thju formlêre; anna winstere syde tha êwa. Tha ora sêka finth man vppa ôra Tojenst tha dik by-t hus thêr fâm stêt thju thrja. owne ånd thju molmåk thrvch fjuwer bufla kroden. Buta vsa burchwal is-t hêm, thêr vppa tha burchhêra ånda wêrar hême. Thju ringdik thêra is en stonde grât, nên stjurar, men svnna stonde, hwêrfon twya twilif vppen etmelde kvma. In vpper binnasyde fona dik is en flåt, fif fêt vndera krûn. Thêr vppa send thrya hondred krânboga, todekt mith wod and lêther. tha hûsa thêra inhêmar send thêr binna alingne tha

Now I will write myself, first about my Citadel, and then about what I have been able to see.

My city lies near the north end of the Liudgaarde. The tower has six sides, and is ninety feet high, flatroofed, with a small house upon it out of which they look at the stars. On either side of the tower is a house three hundred feet long, and twenty-one feet broad, and twentyone feet high, besides the roof, which is round. is built of hard-baked bricks, and outside there is nothing The citadel is surrounded by a dyke, with a most thirty-six feet broad and twenty-one feet deep. looks down from the tower, he sees the form of the Juul. In the ground among the houses on the south side all kinds of native and foreign herbs grow, of which the maidens must study the qualities. Among the houses on the north side there are only fields. The three houses on the north are full of corn and other necessaries; the two houses on the south are for the maidens to live in and keep school. The most southern house is the dwelling of the Burgtmaagd. In the tower hangs the lamp. The walls of the tower are decorated with precious stones. On the south wall the Tex is inscribed. On the right side of this are the formulæ, and on the other side the laws; the other things are found upon the three other sides, Against the dyke, near the house of the Burgtmaagd, stand the oven and the mill, worked by four oxen. side the citadel wall is the place where the Burgtheeren and the soldiers live. The fortification outside is an hour long-not a seaman's hour, but an hour of the sun, of which twenty-four go to a day. Inside it is a plain five feet below the top. On it are three hundred crossbows covered with wood and leather.

Besides the houses of the inhabitants, there are along

dik jeta thrya twilif nêdhûsa to fâra tha omhêmar. Thet fjeld thjanath to kâmp ând to wêde. Anna sûdsyde fon tha bûtenste hringdik is thju Liudgârde omtûnad thrych thet grâte Lindawald. Hjara dânte is thrju hernich, thet brêde buta, til thju synne thêr in sia mêi. Hwand thêr send fêlo fêrlandeska thrêja ând blommen thrych tha stjurar mith brocht. Alsa thju dânte vsar burch is, send alle ôthera; thach vs-is is thju grâteste; men thi fon Texland is tha aldergrâteste. Thju tore fon Fryasburch is alsa hâch thât hju tha wolka torent, nêi thêre tore is al et ôthera.

By vs vppa burch ist alsa dêlad. Sjugun jonge fâmna wâkath by thêre foddik. Aider wâk thrja stonda. In ha ôre tid moton hja huswârk dva, lêra ând slêpa. Send hja sjugun jêr wâkande wêsen, alsa send hja fry. Thân mügon hja emong tha mânniska gâ, vp-ra sêd to letane ând rêd to jêvane. Is hwa thrju jêr fâm wêst, sâ mêi hju alto met mith tha alda fâmna mith gâ.

Thi skrywer mot tha fâmkes lêra lêsa, skrywa and Tha grysa jeftha grêva moton lêra hjam rjucht rêkenia. ånd plicht, sêdkunda, krûdkunda, hêlkunda, skêdnesa, tellinga ånd sanga, bijunka allerlêja thinga thêr hjam nêdlik send vmbe rêd to jêva. Thju Burchfâm mot lêra hjam ho hja thêrmith to wark gå mota by tha manniska. Êr en Burchfâm hjra stêd innimt, mot hju thrych thet lând fâra en fyl jêr. Thrê grêva burchhêra ând thrja alda fâmna gan mith hiri mitha. Alsa is-t âk my Min fart is alingen there Rene west, thjus gvngon. kâd opward, alingen thêre ôre syde ofward. Ho håger ik upkêm, to årmer likte mi tha månniska. inna Rêne hêde mån utstekka makad. Thet son that thêr ain kêm, wr mith wêter wr skêpfachta gâten vmbe gold to winnande. Men tha mångêrta ne drogon thêr nêne golden krone fon. Er wêron thêr

the inside of the dyke thirty-six refuge-houses for the people who live in the neighbourhood. The field serves for a camp and for a meadow. On the south side of the outer fortification is the Liudgaarde, enclosed by the great wood of lime-trees. Its shape is three-cornered, with the widest part outside, so that the sun may shine in it, for there are a great number of foreign trees and flowers All the other citadels are the brought by the seafarers. same shape as ours, only not so large; but the largest of all is that of Texland. The tower of the Fryaburgt is so high that it rends the sky, and all the rest is in proportion to the tower. In our citadel this is the arrangement: Seven young maidens attend to the lamp; each watch is three hours. In the rest of their time they do housework. learn, and sleep. When they have watched for seven years, they are free; then they may go among the people, to look after their morals and to give advice. When they have been three years maidens, they may sometimes accompany the older ones.

The writer must teach the girls to read, to write, and The elders, or "Greva," must teach them justice and duty, morals, botany, and medicine, history, traditions, and singing, besides all that may be necessary for them to give advice. The Burgtmaagd must teach them how to set to work when they go among the people. Before a Burgtmaagd can take office, she must travel through the country a whole year. Three grey-headed Burgtheeren and three old maidens must go with her. This was the way that I did. My journey was along the Rhine—on this side up, and on the other side down. higher I went, the poorer the people seemed to be. Everywhere about the Rhine the people dug holes, and the sand that was got out was poured with water over fleeces to get the gold, but the girls did not wear golden crowns of it. Formerly they were

mår west, men sont wi Skenland miste, send hja nei tha berga gyngon. Thêr delvath hja yserirtha, thêr hja yser of måkja. Boppa there Rene twisk thet berchta, ther hav ik Mårsåta sjan. Tha Mårsåta thåt send månniska thêr invppa måra hêma. Hjara husa send vp pålum buwad. That is vret wilde kwik anda bose manniska. wolva, båra ånd swårte grislika lawa.\* And hja send tha swetsar† jeftha pålingar fonda heinde Krêkalandar, thera Kålta folgar ånd tha vrwildere Twiskar, alle gyrich nêi råv ånd but. Tha Mårsåta helpath hjara selva mith fiska Tha huda wrdat thrvch tha wiva tomâkad and birhet mith skors fon berkum. The lithe hude saft lik Thju burchfâm et Fryasburch! sêide vs that hja gode enfalde manniska weron. Thach hed ik hja er navt sprêken hêred, ik skolde mênath have that hja nên Fryas wêre, men wilda, så bryst sågon hja ut. fachta and kruda wrdon thrvch tha Rênhêmar vrwandelath and thrych tha stjurar buta brocht. Alingen thêre Rêne wêr et alên, til Lydasburch.§ Thêr was en grâte flyt. Invppa thisra flyt wêron âk månniska, thêr husa vp påla Men that nêr nên Fryas folk, men that wêron swarte and bruna manniska, ther thjanath hede to rojar vmbe tha butafårar to honk to helpane. Hja moston thêr bilywa til thju thju flåte wither wêi brûda.

To tha lersta kêmon wi to-t Alderga. By-t suderhâvahâved stêt thju Wâraburch, en stênhus, thêrin send allerlêjaskulpa, hulka, wêpne ând klathar wârad, fon fêre landum, thrveh tha stjurar mith brocht. En fjardêl dâna is-t Alderga. En grâte flyt omborad mith lothum, husa ând gârdum ella riklik sjarad. Invpper flyt lêi en grâte flâte rêd, mith fônon fon allerlêja farwa. Et Fryas dêi hongon tha skilda omma tha borda to. Svime blikton

<sup>\*</sup> Leeuwen in Europa, Herodotus, VII. 125.

<sup>†</sup> Swetsar, Switsers.

<sup>‡</sup> Fryasburch, Freiburg.

<sup>§</sup> Lydasburch, Leiden, de burcht.

<sup>||</sup> Flyt, jeftha måre, de Mare.

more numerous, but since we lost Schoonland they have gone up to the mountains. There they dig ore and make Above the Rhine among the mountains I have seen Marsaten. The Marsaten are people who live on the lakes. Their houses are built upon piles, for protection from the wild beasts and wicked people. are wolves, bears, and horrible lions. Then come the Swiss, the nearest to the frontiers of the distant Italians, the followers of Kalta and the savage Twiskar, all greedy The Marsaten gain their livelifor robbery and booty. hood by fishing and hunting. The skins are sewn together by the women, and prepared with birch bark. The small skins are as soft as a woman's skin. The Burgtmaagd at Fryasburgt (Freiburg) told us that they were good, simple people; but if I had not heard her speak of them first, I should have thought that they were not Frya's people, they looked so impudent. Their wool and herbs are bought by the Rhine people, and taken to foreign countries by the ship captains. Along the other side of the Rhine it was just the same as at Lydasburcht (Leiden). There was a great river or lake, and upon this lake also there were people living upon piles. But they were not Frya's people; they were black and brown men who had been employed as rowers to bring home the men who had been making foreign voyages, and they had to stay there till the fleet went back.

At last we came to Alderga. At the head of the south harbour lies the Waraburgt, built of stone, in which all kinds of clothes, weapons, shells, and horns are kept, which were brought by the sea-people from distant lands. A quarter of an hour's distance from there is Alderga, a great river surrounded by houses, sheds, and gardens, all richly decorated. In the river lay a great fleet ready, with banners of all sorts of colours. On Frya's day the shields were hung on board likewise. Some shone

<sup>\*</sup> Lions in Europe, see Herodotus, vii. 125.

<sup>†</sup> Swetsar are Swiss.

<sup>‡</sup> Fryasburch is Freiburg.

<sup>§</sup> Lydasburch is Leyden, the city.

<sup>|</sup> Flyt, jeftha mare, is a lake or sea.

Tha skilda thêr witking and thêra skolta bi tha nachtum wêron mith gold vmborad. Abefta there flyt was en graft graven, to hlapande dana alingen there burch Forâna\* ånd forth mith en ênga muda† in sê. fåra there flåte were thit tha utgvng and et Fly tha in-A bêde syda thêre graft send skêne husa mith hel blikanda farwa mâlad. Tha gårdne send mit altid grêne hâgvm omtunad. Ik hâv thêr wiva sian, thêr filtne tohnekna drogon as t skriffilt wêre. Lik to Stavere wêron tha mångertne mith golden kronum vppira holum ånd mith hringum; om årma ånd fêt sjarad. Sudward fon Forâna lêid Alkmârum. Alkmârum is en mâre jefta flyt, thêrin lêid en êland, vppa that êland moton tha swarte ånd bruna månniska hwila êvin as to Lydahisburch. Burchfâm fon Forâna sêide my, that tha burchhêra dêistik to-râ gyngon ymb ra to lêrande, hwat afte frydom sy, and ho tha månniska an thêre minne agon to lêvane vmbe sêjen to winnande fon Wr.aldas gâst. Was thêr hwa thêr hêra wilde and bigripa machte, sa warth er halden, alont er fyl lêrad wêre. That wrde dên ymbe tha fêrhêmande folka wis to måkane, ånd vmbe vral åtha to win-Êr hêd ik anda Sâxanamarka to thêr burch Månnagårda forda west. Thach thêr hêd ik mâr skâmelhêd sjan, as-k hyr rikdom spêrde. Hju andere: sâ hwersa thêr an da Sâxanamarka en frêjar kymath en mangêrte to bi frêjande, alsa frêjath tha mangêrtne thêr, kanst thin hus fry wêra tojenst tha bannane Twisklandar, håst nach nêne fålad, ho fêlo bufle håst al fånsen ånd ho fêlo bâra ånd wolva huda håst ål vppa thêre mårk Dâna ist kymen that tha Saxmanna thiu buw anda wiva vrlêten håve. That fon hyndred to semine nen êne lêsa mêi ner skriwa ne kan. Dâna is-t kvmen, that nimman nên sprêk vppa sin skild neth, men blåt en mislikande dånte fon en diar, thåt er fålad

<sup>\*</sup> Forana, Vroonen.

<sup>‡</sup> Diod. Sic. V. 27, van de Galliers.

<sup>†</sup> Engamuda, Egmond.

<sup>§</sup> Mannagårdaforda, Munster.

like the sun. The shields of the sea-king and the admiral were bordered with gold. From the river a canal was dug going past the citadel Forana (Vroonen), with a narrow outlet to the sea. This was the egress of the fleet; the, Fly was the ingress. On both sides of the river are fine houses built, painted in bright colours. The gardens are all surrounded by green hedges. I saw there women wearing felt tunics, as if it were writing felt. Just as at Staveren, the girls wore golden crowns on their heads, and rings on their arms and ankles. To the south of Forana lies Alkmarum. Alkmarum is a lake or river in which there is an island. On this island the black and brown people must remain, the same as at Lydasburgt. The Burgtmaagd of Forana told me that the burgtheeren go every day to teach them what real freedom is, and how it behoves men to live in order to obtain the blessing of Wr-alda's spirit. If there was any one who was willing to listen and could comprehend, he was kept there till he was fully taught. That was done in order to instruct the distant people, and to make friends everywhere. been before in the Saxenmarken, at the Mannagardaforde castle (Munster). There I saw more poverty than I could discover wealth here. She answered: So whenever at the Saxenmarken a young man courts a young girl, the girls ask: Can you keep your house free from the banished Have you ever killed any of them? Twisklanders? How many cattle have you already caught, and how many bear and wolfskins have you brought to market? And from this it comes that the Saxons have left the cultivation of the soil to the women, that not one in a hundred can read or write; from this it comes, too, that no one has a motto on his shield, but only a misshapen form of some animal that he has killed;

<sup>1</sup> Felt, very thin and compressed, with a smooth surface.

<sup>\*</sup> Forana is Vroonen. + Engamuda is Egmond.

<sup>‡</sup> Diodorus Siculus, v. 27, on the Gauls. § Mannagårdaforda is Munster.

heth. And åndlik, dåna is-t kvmen, that hja sêr wichandlik ewrden send, men to met êvin dvm send as et kwik, that hja fansa, and êvin erm as tha Twisklandar, hwêr To fâra Fryas folk is irtha and sê esmith hja, orloge. kêpen. Al vsa rinstrâma runath vppa sê to. That Lydas folk and that Findas folk skil ekkorum vrdelgja, and wy moton tha lêthoga landa bifolka. In-t fon and omme fara Wilst nw that the boppalander del have an lêid vs held. vsa rikdom ånd wisdom, så skil ik thi en rêd jêva. et tha mangêrtne to wênhêd wrde hjara frêjar to frêjande, êr hja ja segsa: hwêr håst al in wralda ommefåren, hwad kånst thin bern tella wra fêra landa ånd wra fêrhêmanda folka? Dvath hja alsa, så skilun tha wickandlika knåpa to vs kvma. Hja skilun wiser wartha and rikkar and wi ne skilun nên bihof longer navt nave an that wla thjud. Tha jongste thêr fâmna fon thêra thêr by mi wêron, kêm uta Saxsanamarka wêi. As wi nw to hongk kêmon, heth hju orlovi frêjad vmbe nêi hjra hus to gâne. hju thêr Burchfâm wrden, and dana is-t kvmen that er hjudêga så felo Saxmanna by tha stjurar fâre.

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and lastly, from this comes also that they are very warlike, but sometimes as stupid as the beasts that they catch, and as poor as the Twisklanders with whom they go to war. The earth and the sea were made for Frya's All our rivers run into the sea. people. The Lydas people and the Findas people will exterminate each other, and we must people the empty countries. In movement and sailing is our prosperity. If you wish the highlanders to share our riches and wisdom, I will give you a piece of advice. Let the girls, when they are asked to marry, before they say yes, ask their lovers: What parts of the world have you travelled in? What can you tell your children about distant lands and distant people? If they do this, then the young warriors will come to us; they will become wiser and richer, and we shall have no occasion to deal with those nasty people. The youngest of the maids who were with me came from the Saxenmarken. When we came back she asked leave to go home. wards she became Burgtmaagd there, and that is the reason why in these days so many of our sailors are Saxons.

END OF APOLLONIA'S BOOK.

# THA SKRIFTA FON FRETHORIK AND WILJOW.

Min nôm is Frêthorik to nomath oera Linda, thát wil segsa ovir tha Linda. To Ljudwardja bin ik to Asga kêren. Ljudwardja is en ny thorp, binna thene ringdik fon thêr burch Ljudgarda, hwêrfon tha nôma an vnêr kvmen is. Vnder mina tida is er fül bêred. Fül hêd ik thêr vr skrêven, men åfternêi send mi åk fêlo thinga meld. Fon ên ånd ôther wil ik en skêdnese åfter thit bok skrywa, tha goda månniska to-n êre tha årga to vnêre.

In min jüged hêrd ik grêdwird alomme, årge tid kêm, årge tid was kvmen, Frya hêd vs lêton, hjra wâkfâmkes, hêde hju abefta halden, hwand drochten likande bylda wêron binna vsa lândpåla fvnden.

Ik brônde fon nysgyr vmbe thi bylda to bisjan. In vsa bûrt strompele en ôld fâmke to tha husa uta in, immer to kêthande vr årge tid. Ik gryde hja ling syde. Hju strik mi omme kin to. Nw wrd ik drist and frêje jef hju mi arge tid ånd tha bylda rêis wisa wilde. Hju lakte godlik ånd brocht mi vpper burch. En grêve mån frêje my jef ik al lêsa ånd skrywa ky. Nê sêid ik. Thần most êrost to ga ảnd lêra, sêid-er owers ne mêi-t jow navt wysen wrde. Dystik gyng ik bi tha skriwer lêra. Acht jêr lêtter hêrd ik, vsa burchfam hêde hordom bidryven and svme burchhêra hêdon vrrêd plêgad mith tha Magy, and fêlo manniska wêron vp hjara syde. Vral kêm twispalt. Thêr wêron bern, thêr vpstandon ajen hjara eldrum. Inna gluppa

# THE WRITINGS OF FRÊTHORIK AND WILJOW.

My name is Frêthorik, surnamed oera Linda, which means over the Linden. In Ljudwardia I was chosen as Asga. Ljudwardia is a new village within the fortification of the Ljudgaarda, of which the name has fallen into disrepute. In my time much has happened. I had written a good deal about it, but afterwards much more was related to me. I will write an account of both one and the other after this book, to the honour of the good people and to the disgrace of the bad.

In my youth I heard complaints on all sides. The bad time was coming; the bad time did come—Frya had forsaken us. She withheld from us all her watch-maidens, because monstrous idolatrous images had been found within our landmarks. I burnt with curiosity to see those images. In our neighbourhood a little old woman tottered in and out of the houses, always calling out about the bad times. I came to her; she stroked my chin; then I became bold, and asked her if she would show me the bad times and the images. She laughed good-naturedly, and took me to the citadel. An old man asked me if I No, I said. Then you must first could read and write. go and learn, he replied, otherwise it may not be shown to you. I went daily to the writer and learnt. Eight years afterwards I heard that our Burgtmaagd had been unchaste, and that some of the burgtheeren had committed treason with the Magy, and many people Everywhere disputes arose. took their part. were children rebelling against their parents; good

wrdon tha froda manniska morth. Thet alde famke, ther ella bår måkade, wårth dåd fvnden in en grupe. Min tåt, ther rjuchter were, wilde hja wreken hå. Nachtis warth er in sin hus vrmorth. Thrju jêr lêtter wêr thene Mâgy bas synder strid. Tha Saxmanna weron frome and frod Nêi tham fljuchton alle gode månniska. måm bistvrv-et. Nw dêd ik lik tha ôthera. bogade vppa sinra snôdhêd. Men Irtha skold im thana, that hja nën Magy ner afgoda to lëta ne mochte to there hêlge skêta, hwêrut hju Frya bêrade. Evin sa thet wilde hors sina månna sked, nëi that thet sina ridder gersfallich måkad heth, evin så skodde Irtha hjara walda ånd berga. Rinstrâma wrdon ovira fjelda sprêd. Berga spydon nêi tha wolkum, and hwad hja spyth hêde, swikton tha wolka wither vp jrtha. By-t anfang there Arnemônath nigade jrtha northward, hju sêg del, ôl lêgor ånd lêgor. Anna Wolfamônath lêidon tha Dênemarka fon Fryas lând vnder-ne sê bidobben. Tha walda thêr bylda in wêron, wrdon vphyvath and thêr windum spel. Thet jêr after kêm frost inna Herdemônath and lêid ôld Fryas lând vnder en plônke skul. In Sellamônath kêm stornewind ut et northa wêi, mith forande berga Tha spring kam, hyf jrtha hjra fon ise and stênum. Ebbe kêm and tha walda selva vp. Ise smolt wêi. mith byldum drevon nei se. Inner Winna jeftha Minnamônath gvng aider thurvar wither hêm fâra. mith en fâm to thêre burch Ljudgârda. Ho drove sach Tha walda thêra Lindawrda wêron mêst wêi. Thêr tha Ljudgårde wêst hêde, was sê. Sin hef fêtere thene hringdik. Ise hêde tha tore wêi brocht and tha husa lêide in thrych ekkôrum. Anna helde fonna dik fond ik in sten.

people were secretly murdered. The little old woman who had brought everything to light was found dead in a My father, who was a judge, would have her He was murdered in the night in his own avenged. house. Three years after that the Magy was master with-The Saxmen had remained religious out any resistance. and upright. All the good people fled to them. mother died of it. Now I did like the others. prided himself upon his cunning, but Irtha made him know that she would not tolerate any Magy or idol on the holy bosom that had borne Frya. As a wild horse tosses his mane after he has thrown his rider, so Irtha shook her forests and her mountains. Rivers flowed over the land; the sea raged; mountains spouted fire to the clouds, and what they vomited forth the clouds flung upon the earth. At the beginning of the Arnemaand (harvest month) the earth bowed towards the north, and sank down lower and lower. In the Welvenmaand (winter month) the low lands of Fryasland were buried under the sea. The woods in which the images were, were torn up and scattered by the wind. The following year the frost came in the Hardemaand (Louwmaand, January), and laid Fryasland concealed under a sheet of ice. Sellemaand (Sprokkelmaand, February) there were storms of wind from the north, driving mountains of ice and When the spring-tides came the earth raised herself up, the ice melted; with the ebb the forests with the images drifted out to sea. In the Winne, or Minnemaand (Bloeimaand, May), every one who dared went home. I came with a maiden to the citadel Liudgaarde. How sad it looked there. The forests of the Lindaoorden were almost all gone. Where Liudgaarde used to be was The waves swept over the fortifications. Ice had destroyed the tower, and the houses lay heaped over each other. On the slope of the dyke I found a stone vsa skriver hêd er sin nôm inwryten, that wêre my en båken. Så-t mith vsa burch gyngen was, was-t mith mitha ôra gyngon. Inna haga lânda wêron hja thrych jrtha, inna dêna landa thrvch wêter vrdên. Allêna Fryasburch to Texland warth vnederad funden. Men al et lånd thet northward lêid hêde, wêre vnder sê. Noch nis-t navt An thus kad fon-t Flymare weron nei boppa brocht. meld wrde thrichtich salta måra kvmen, vnstonden thrvch tha walda, thêr mith grvnd and al vrdreven weron. Westflyland fiftich. Thi graft ther fon-t Alderga thweres to het land thrychlåpen hêde, was yrsôndath ånd yrdên. Tha stjurar and ôr farande folk, thêr to honk wêron, hêde hjara selva mith måga ånd sibba vppira skepum hret. Men that swarte folk fon Lydasburch and Alikmarum hêde alên dên. Thawil tha swarta sûdward dryvon, hêdon hja fêlo mångêrtne hret, ånd nêidam nimman ne kêm to aska tham, hildon hja tham to hjara wiva. Tha manniska thêr to bek kêmon, gyngon alle binna tha hringdika thêra burgum hêma, thrychdam et thêr buta al slyp and broklând wêre. Tha gamla husa wrde byên klust. Fona boppalandum kapade man ky and skep, and inna tha grate husa thêr to fâra tha fâmna sêton hêde, wrde nw lêken and filt måkad, vmbe thes lêvens willa. Thåt skêd 1888\* jer nêi thắt Atlând synken was.

In 282 jer † nêdon wi nên Êremoder navt hat, and nw ella tomet vrlêren skinde, gvng mân êne kjasa. Thet hlot falde vp Gosa to nômath Makonta. Hju wêre Burchfâm et Fryasburch to Texlând. Hel fon hawed ând klâr fon sin, êlle god, ând thrychdam hira burch allêna spârad was, sach alrik thêrut hira hropang. Tjan jêr lêttere kêmon tha stjurar fon Forana ând fon Lydas burch. Hja wildon tha swarta mânniska mith wif ând bern to thet lând utdryva. Thêrwr wildon hja thêre Moder is rêd biwinna. Men Gosa

<sup>\* 2193 = 1888 - 305</sup> voor Chr.

<sup>†</sup> Sedert 587 voor Chr. Verg. pag. 110. 112.

on which the writer had inscribed his name. That was a sign to me. The same thing had happened to other citadels as to ours. In the upper lands they had been destroyed by the earth, in the lower lands by the water. Fryasburgt, at Texland, was the only one found uninjured, but all the land to the north was sunk under the sea, and has never been recovered. At the mouth of the Flymeer, as we were told, thirty salt swamps were found, consisting of the forest and the ground that had been swept away. At Westflyland there were fifty. canal which had run across the land from Alderga was filled up with sand and destroyed. The seafaring people and other travellers who were at home had saved themselves, their goods, and their relations upon their ships. But the black people at Lydasburgt and Alkmarum had done the same; and as they went south they saved many girls, and as no one came to claim them, they took them for their wives. The people who came back all lived within the lines of the citadel, as outside there was no-The old houses were all thing but mud and marsh. smashed together. People bought cattle and sheep from the upper lands, and in the great houses where formerly the maidens were established cloth and felt were made for This happened 1888 years after the submera livelihood. sion of Atland.

For 282 years we had not had an Eeremoeder, and now, when everything seemed lost, they set about choosing one. The lot fell upon Gosa, surnamed Makonta. She was Burgtmaagd at Fryasburgt, in Texland. She had a clear head and strong sense, and was very good; and as her citadel was the only one that had been spared, every one saw in that her call. Ten years after that the seafarers came from Forana and Lydasburgt. They wished to drive the black men, with their wives and children, out of the country. They wished to obtain the opinion of the mother upon the subject. She asked them:

<sup>\* 2193 - 1888</sup> is 305 before Christ.

<sup>†</sup> Since 587 before Christ. See pages 110 and 112.

frêje, kanst ên and ôr to bek fora nêi hjra lândum, than åchste spod to måkjande, owers ne skilun hja hjara måga navt wither ne finda. Nê sêide hja. Tha seide Gosa: Hja havon thin salt provad and thin brad êten. lif ånd lêva håvon hja vnder jow hod stålad. I moste jow anje hirta bisêka. Men ik wil thi en rêd jeva. hjam alond jow waldich biste vm ra wither honk to fora. Men hald hjam bi jow burgum thêr bûta. Wâk ovir hjara sêd and lêr hjam as jef hja Fryas svna wêre. Hjra wiva send hyr tha steriksta. As rêk skil hjara blod vrfljuchta, til er tha lesta navt owers as Fryas blod in hjara åfterkvmande skil bilywa. Så send hja hyr bilêwen. Nw winst ik wel that mina afterkymande thêr vp letta, ho fêr Gosa wêrhêd sprek. Thâ vsa lânda wither to bigana wêr, kêmon thêr banda erma Saxmanna and wiva nêi tha vyrdum fon Stavere and that Alderga, vmbe golden and ora sjarhed to sekane fon ut tha wasige bodeme. Thach tha stjurar nil-Tha gyngon hja tha lêthoga thorpa don hja navt to lêta. bihêma to West Flyland, vmbe ra lif to bihaldane.

### Nw wil ik skriwa ho tha Gêrtmanna and fêlo Hêlênja folgar tobek kêmon.

Twa jêr nêi thắt Gosa Moder wrde,\* kêm er en flâte to thet Flymara in fala. Thet folk hropte ho.n.sêen. Hja foron til Stavere, thêr hropton hja jeta rêis. Tha fôna wêron an top ând thes nachtes skâton hja barnpila† anda loft. Thâ dêirêd wêre rojadon svme mith ên snâke to thêre hava in. Hja hropton wither ho.n.sêen. Tha hja landa hipte-n jong kerdel wal vp. In sina handa hêdi-n skild, thêrvp was bråd ând salt lêid. Afterdam kêm en grêva, hi sêide wi kvmath

<sup>\* 303.</sup> v. Chr.

<sup>†</sup> Barnpila. De falarica by Livius XXI. 8.

Can you send them all back to their country? If so, then. lose no time, or they will find no relatives alive. No, they said. Gosa replied: They have eaten your bread and salt; they have placed themselves entirely under your protection. You must consult your own hearts. But I will give you one piece of advice. Keep them till you are able to send them back, but keep them outside your citadels. over their morals, and educate them as if they were Frya's Their women are the strongest here. will disappear like smoke, till at last nothing but Frya's blood will remain in their descendants. So they remained Now, I should wish that my descendants should observe in how far Gosa spoke the truth. When our country began to recover, there came troops of poor Saxon men and women to the neighbourhoods of Staveren and Alderga, to search for gold and other treasures in the swampy lands. But the sea-people would not permit it, so they went and settled in the empty village of the West Flyland in order to preserve their lives.

## Now I will relate how the Geertman and many followers of Hellenia came back.

Two years after Gosa had become the mother (303 B.C.) there arrived a fleet at Flymeer. The people shouted "Ho-n-seen" (What a blessing). They sailed to Staveren, where they shouted again. Their flags were hoisted, and at night they shot lighted arrows into the air. At daylight some of them rowed into the harbour in a boat, shouting again, "Ho-n-seen." When they landed a young fellow jumped upon the rampart. In his hand he held a shield on which bread and salt were laid. After him came a grey-headed man, who said we come from

<sup>\* 303</sup> before Christ.

<sup>†</sup> Barnpila, De falarica, Livy, xxi. 8.

fona fere Krêkalandum wêi, vmb vsa sêd to warjande, nw winstath wi i skolde alsa mild wêsa vs alsa fül lånd to jêvane that wi thêrvp müge hêma. Hi telade-n êle skêdnese thêr ik after bêtre skryva wil. Tha grêva niston navt hwat to dvande, hja sandon bodon allerwêikes; åk ta my. Ik gyng to and sêide: nw wi-n Moder have agon wi hjra Ik selva gvng mitha. rêd to frêjande. Thiu Moder, thêr ella wiste, sêide, lêt hja kvme, så mügon hja vs lånd helpa bihalda: men lêt hjam navt up êne stêd ne bilyva, til thju hja navt waldich ne wrde ovir vs. Wi dêdon as hju sêid hêde. That wêre êl nêi hjra hêi. Fryso reste mith sinå ljudum to Stavere, that hja wither to êne sêstêde mâkade, sa god hja machte. Wichhirte gvng mith sinum ljudum astward nei there Emude. Svme thêra Johnjar, thêr mênde that hja font Alderga folk sproten wêre, gyngen thêr hinne. En lyth dêl thêr wânde that hjara êthla fon tha sjugon êlanda wei kêmon, gyngon hinne and setton hjara selva binna tha hringdik fon thêre burch Walhallagåra del. Ljudgert thene skolte bi nachte fon Wichhirte warth min åthe åfternêi min frjund. Fon ut sin dêibok håv ik thju skêdnese thêr hir after skil folgja.

Nei that wi 12 mel 100 and twia 12 jer bi tha fif wetrum sêten hêde, thahwila vsa sêkampar alle sêa bifaren hêde thêr to findane, kêm Alexandre (\*) tham kêning mith en weldich hêr fon boppa allingen thêr strâm vsa thorpa bifara. Nimman ne mâcht in wither worda. Thach wi stjurar thêr by tha sê sâton, wi skêpt vs mith al vsa tilbêre hava in and brûda hinna. Tha Alexandre fornom that im sâ ne grâte flâte vntfara was, warth er wodinlik, to swêrande hi skolde alle thorpa an logha offerja jef wi navt to bek kvma nilde. Wichhirte lêide siak to bedde. Tha Alexandre that fornom heth er wacht alont er bêter wêre. Afternêi kêm er to him sêr kindlyk snakkande, thach hi thrjychde lik

<sup>\*</sup> Alexander aan den Indus 327 v. Chr. 327. † 1224=1551 v. Chr.

the distant Greek land to preserve our customs. Now we wish you to be kind enough to give us as much land as will enable us to live. He told a long story, which I will hereafter relate more fully. The old man did not know what to do. They sent messengers all round, also to me. I went, and said now that we have a mother it behoves us to ask her advice. I went with them myself. The mother, who already knew it all, said: Let them come, they will help us to keep our lands, but do not let them remain in one place, that they may not become too powerful over us. We did as she said, which was quite to their liking. Fryso remained with his people at Staveren, which they made again into a port as well as they could. Wichhirte went with his people eastwards to the Emude. the descendants of Jon who imagined that they sprang from the Alderga people went there. A small number, who fancied that their forefathers had come from the seven islands, went there and set themselves down within the enclosure of the citadel of Walhallagara. the admiral of Wichhirt, was my comrade, and afterwards my friend. Out of his diary I have taken the following history.

After we had been settled 12 times 100 and twice 12 years in the Five Waters (Punjab), whilst our naval warriors were navigating all the seas they could find, came Alexander\* the King, with a powerful army descending the river towards our villages. No one could withstand him; but we sea-people, who lived by the sea, put all our possessions on board ships and took our departure. When Alexander heard that such a large fleet had escaped him, he became furious, and swore that he would burn all the villages if we did not come back. Wichhirte was ill in bed. When Alexander heard that, he waited till he was better. After that he came to him, speaking very kindly—but he deceived,

<sup>\*</sup> Alexander at the Indus, 327 before Christ.

<sup>+ 327 + 1224</sup> is 1551 before Christ.

hi êr dên hêde. Wichhirte andere thêr after, o aldergrateste thêra kêningar. Wi stjurar kvmath allerweikes, wi haven fon jow grate dedun hered. Thêrvmbe send wi fvl êrbidenese to fara jowa wêpne, tha jet mar vr thina witskip. Men wi ôthera wy send frybern Fryas bern. Wy ne mügon nêne slâfona navt ne wrde. Jef ik wilde, tha ôra skolde rêder sterva willa, hwand alsa ist thrych ysa êwa bifôlen. Alexandre sêide: ik wil thin lând navt ne måkja to min bût, ner thin folk to mina slåfona. wil blåt thåt ste my thjanja skolste vmb lån. ik swêra by vs bêdar godum, that nimman vr my wrogja skil. Tha Alexandre afternei brad and salt mith im dêlade, heth Wichhirte that wiste dêl kâsen. tha skêpa hala thrych sin syne. Tha thi alle tobek wêron, heth Alexandre thi alle hêred. Thêr mitha wilde hi sin folk nêi tha helge Gônga fâra, thêr hi to land navt hêde müge nåka. Nw gvng er to ånd kås altham ut sin folk ånd ut sina salt-atha thêr wenath wêron vvr-ne sê to fârane. Wichhirte was wither siak wrden, thervmbe gvng ik allena mitha and Nearchus fon thes keningis Thi tocht hlip synder fardêl to-n-ende, uthavede tha Johnjar immerthe an vnmin wêron with tha Phonisjar, alsa Nêarchus thêr selva nên bâs ovir bilywe ne kv. Intwiska hêde tham kêning navt stile nêst. Hi hêde sina salt-atha bâma kapja lêta and to planka mâkja. help vsar timberljud hêder thêr of skêpa mâkad. Nw wilder selva sêkêning wertha, and mith êl sin hêr thju Gonga vpfåra. Thach the salt-atha ther fon thet bergland kemon, wêron ang to fara sê. As hja hêradon that hja mith moste, stakon hja tha timberhlotha ane brond. Ther thrych wrde vs êle thorp anda aska lêid. Thet forma wande wy that Alexandre that bifalen hêde and jahwêder stand rêd vmb sê to kjasane. Men Alexander wêre wodin, hi wilde tha salt-atha thrych sin ajn folk ombrensa lêta. Men Nêaras he had done before. Wichhirte answered: Oh greatest of kings, we sailors go everywhere; we have heard of your great deeds, therefore we are full of respect for your arms, and still more for your wisdom; but we who are free-born Fryas children, we may not become your slaves; and even if I would, the others would sooner die, for so it is commanded in our laws. Alexander said: I do not desire to take your land or make slaves of your people, I only wish to hire your services. That I will swear by both our Gods, so that no one may be dissatisfied. When Alexander shared bread and salt with him, Wichhirte had chosen the wisest part. He let his son fetch the ships. were all come back Alexander hired them all. By means of them he wished to transport his people to the holy Ganges, which he had not been able to reach. Then he chose among all his people and soldiers those who were accustomed to the sea. Wichhirte had fallen sick again, therefore I went alone with Nearchus, sent by the king. The voyage came to an end without any advantage, because the Joniers and the Phœnicians were always quarrelling, so that Nearchus himself could not keep them in In the meantime, the king had not sat still. had let his soldiers cut down trees and make planks, with which, with the help of our carpenters, he had built ships. Now he would himself become a sea-king, and sail with his whole army up the Ganges; but the soldiers who came from the mountainous countries were afraid of the When they heard that they must sail, they set fire to the timber yards, and so our whole village was laid in ashes. At first we thought that this had been done by Alexander's orders, and we were all ready to cast ourselves into the sea: but Alexander was furious, and wished his own people to kill the soldiers. However, Nearchus,

chus tham navt allena sin eroste forst men ak sin frjund wêre, rêde him owers to dvande. Nw bêrad er as wen der lavade thet vnluk et dên hêde. Tha hi ne thyrade sin tocht navt vrfata. Nw wild er to bek kêra, thach êr hi that dêde, lêt hi thet forma bisêka hwa-r skeldich wêron. Dry-r that wiste lêt er altham synder wêpne bilywa, ymb en ny thorp to mâkjande. Fon sin ajn folk lêt er wepned vmbe tha ôra to tamma, and vmbe êne burch to bywande. Wy moston wiv and bern mith nimma. Kêmon wi anda muda thêre Euphrat, sa machton wi thêr en stêd kiasa jeftha omkêra, vs lân skold vs êvin blyd to dêlath wrde. An tha nya skêpa, thêr tha brônd vntkvma wêron, let-er Johniar and Krêkalandar ga. Hi selva gyng mith sin ôra folk allingen thêre kâd thrych tha dorra wostêna, that is thrvch et land that Irtha vphêid hêde uta sê, tha hju thju strête after vsa êthela vphêide as hja inna Râde sê kêmon.

Tha wy to ny Gêrtmanja kêmon (ny Gêrtmanja is en hâva thêr wi selva makad hede, vmbe thêr to wêterja) mêton wi Alexandre mith sin hêr. Nêarchus gyng wal vp ând bêide thrja dêga. Tha gyng et wither forth. Tha wi bi thêre Êuphrat kêmon, gyng Nêarchus mith sina saltalta ând fêlo fon sin folk wal vp. Tha hi kêm hring wither. Hi sêide, thi kêning lêt jow bidda, i skille jet en lithge tocht to sinra wille dvan, alont et ende fona Râde sê. Thêrnêi skil jawehder sâ fül gold krêja as er bêra mêi. Tha wi thêr kêmon, lêt er vs wysa hwêr thju strête êr wêst hêde. Thêr nêi wylader ên ând thritich dêga, alan ut sjande vyra wostêne.

Tho tha lesta kêm er en hloth månniska mith forande twa hondred êlephanta thvsend kêmlun tolêden mith wodin balkum, råpum ånd allerlêja ark vmbe vsa flåte nêi tha Middelsê to tyande. Thåt bisåwd-vs, ånd likt

who was not only his chief officer, but also his friend, advised him not to do so. So he pretended to believe that it had happened by accident, and said no more about He wished now to return, but before going he made an inquiry who really were the guilty ones. As soon as he ascertained it, he had them all disarmed, and made them build a new village. His own people he kept under arms to overawe the others, and to build a citadel. were to take the women and children with us. arrived at the mouth of the Euphrates, we might either choose a place to settle there or come back. would be guaranteed to us the same in either case. Upon the new ships which had been saved from the fire he embarked the Joniers and the Greeks. He himself went with the rest of his people along the coast, through the barren wilderness; that is, through the land that Irtha had heaved up out of the sea when she had raised up the strait as soon as our forefathers had passed into the Red Sea.

When we arrived at New Gertmania (New Gertmania is the port that we had made in order to take in water), we met Alexander with his army. Nearchus went ashore, and stayed three days. Then we proceeded further on. When we came to the Euphrates, Nearchus went ashore with the soldiers and a large body of people; but he soon returned, and said, The King requests you, for his sake, to go a voyage up the Red Sea; after that each shall receive as much gold as he can carry. When we arrived there, he showed us where the strait had formerly been. There he spent thirty-one days, always looking steadily towards the desert.

At last there arrived a great troop of people, bringing with them 200 elephants, 1000 camels, a quantity of timber, ropes, and all kinds of implements necessary to drag our fleet to the Mediterranean Sea. This astounded us, and seemed

vs bal to, men Nêarchus teld vs, sin kêning wilde tha ôthera kêninggar tâna that i weldiger wêre, sa tha kêninggar fon Thyris êr wêsen hêde. Wi skoldon men mith helpa, sêkur skolde vs that nên skada navt dva. moston wel swika, and Nearchus wiste ella sa pront to birjuchte that wi inna Middelse leide er thrja monatha forby wêron. Tha Alexandre fornom ho-t mith sinra onwerp ofkvmen was, warth er sa vrmeten that er tha drage strête utdiapa wilde Irtha to-n spot. Men Wr.alda lêt sine sêle lâs, thêrvmbe vrdronk er inna win ând in sina ovirmodichhêd, êr that er bijinna kvste. After sin dâd wrde thet rik dêlad thrvch sina forsta. Hja skolde alrek en dêl to fara sina svnum wârja, thach hja wêron vnmênis. Elk wilde sin dêl bihalda and selva formara. orloch and wi ne kyste navt omme kêra. Nêarchus wilde nw, wi skolde vs del setta an Phonisi his kad, men that nilde nimman navt ne dva. Wi sêide, rêder willath wi wâga nêi Fryasland to gâna. Tha brocht-er vs nei thêre nya hava fon Athenia, hwêr alle afte Fryas bern formels Forth gyngon wi salt-âtha liftochta and hin têin wêron. wêpne fâra. Among tha fêlo forsta hêde Nêarchus en frjund mith nôme Antigonus. Thisse strêdon bêde vmb ên dol, så hja sêidon as follistar to fâra-t kêninglike slachte and forth vmbe alle Krekalanda hjara alda frydom wither to jêvane. Antigonus hêde among fêlo ôtherum ênnen syn, thi hête Demêtrius, after tonômad thene Thisse gyng ênis vpper stêde Salâmis of. stêda winner. Nêi that er thêr en stût mêi strêden hêde most er mith there flate strida fon Ptholemeus. Ptholemeus, alsa hête thene forst thêr welda ovir Egiptaland. wn thêre kêse, tha navt thrych sina salt-âtha, men thrych dam wy him helpen hêde. Thit hêde wi dên thrvch athskip to fåra Nêarchus, hwand wi him far bastard blod bikånde thrych sin friska hûd ånd blâwa ågon mith

most extraordinary; but Nearchus told us that his king wished to show to the other kings that he was more powerful than any kings of Tyre had ever been. were only to assist, and that surely could do us no harm. We were obliged to yield, and Nearchus knew so well how to regulate everything, that before three months had elapsed our ships lay in the Mediterranean Sea. Alexander ascertained how his project had succeeded, he became so audacious that he wished to dig out the dried-up strait in defiance of Irtha; but Wr-alda deserted his soul, so that he destroyed himself by wine and rashness before After his death his kingdom was he could begin it. divided among his princes. They were each to have preserved a share for his sons, but that was not their inten-Each wished to keep his own share, and to get tion. more. Then war arose, and we could not return. Nearchus wished us to settle on the coast of Phœnicia, but that no one would do. We said we would rather risk the attempt to return to Fryasland. Then he brought us to the new port of Athens, where all the true children We went, soldiers with our of Frya had formerly gone. goods and weapons. Among the many princes Nearchus had a friend named Antigonus. These two had only one object in view, as they told us—to help the royal race, and to restore freedom to all the Greek lands. Antigonus had, among many others, one son named Demetrius, afterwards called the "City Winner." He went once to the town of Salamis, and after he had been some time fighting there, he had an engagement with the fleet of Ptolemy. Ptolemy was the name of the prince who reigned over Demetrius won the battle, not by his own soldiers, but because we helped him. We had done this out of friendship for Nearchus, because we knew that he was of bastard birth by his white skin, blue eyes, and

After nêi gyng Dêmêtrius lâs vp Hrodus\* thêr hinne brochton wi sina salt-atha and liftochta wr. wi tha leste rêis to Hrodus kêmon, was orloch vrtyan. Dêmêtrius was nêi Athenia fâren. Tha vs kêning that vnderstande, lêd-er vs tobek. Tha wi anda hâve kêmon, wêre êl et thorp in row bidobben. Friso thêr kêning wêr ovir-a flâte, hêde en syn and en toghater tûs, sa bjustre fres, as jef hja pås ut Fryasland wêi kvmen wêren, ånd så wonderskên as nimman mocht hügja. Thjv hrop thêrvr gvng vvr alle Krêkalanda ånd kêm in tha åra fon Dêmê-Dêmêtrius wêre vvl ånd vnsêdlik, ånd hi thogte thåt-im ella fry stvnde. Hi lêt thju toghater avbêr skâkja. Thju moder ne thvrade hjra joit navt wachtja, joi nomath tha stiurar wiva hira mana, that is blideskip, ak segsath bja swêthirte. Tha stjurar hêton hjra wiva trâst, and fro jefta frow that is fru ak frolik, that is elik an fru. Thrvchdam hju hjra man navt wachtja thurade, gvng hju mith hjra svne nëi Dêmëtrius and bad, hi skolde hja hjra toghater wither jêva. Men as Dêmêtrius hira svn sa, lêt-er tham nêi sinra hove fora, and dêde alên mith him, as-er mith tham his suster dên hêde. Anda moder sand hi en buda gold, thach hju stirt-et in sê. As hju thûs kêm, warth hju wansinnich, allerweikes run hju vvra strête: nåst min kindar navt sjan, o wach, lêt mi to jow skul sêka, wand min joi wil mi dêja for tha-k sina kindar wêi brocht hav. Tha Dêmêtrius fornom, that Friso to honk wêre, sand-i en bodja to him segsande, that hi sina bern to him nomen hede wmbe ra to fora to-n hage stât vmbe to lânja him to fâra sina thjanesta. Men Friso thêr stolte and herdfochtich wêre, sand en bodja mith en brêve nêi sinum bern tha, thêrin månde hi hjam, hja skolde Dêmêtrius to willa wêsa, vrmithis tham hjara luk jêrde. Thach thene bodja hêde jeta-n ora brêve mith fenin, thêrmêi bifâl-er hja skolde that innimma,

<sup>\* 305</sup> voor Chr.
† Joi en trâst. Te Scheveningen hoort men nog: joei en troos. Joi
Fransch joye.

Afterwards, Demetrius attacked Rhodes, and we transported thither his soldiers and provisions. we made our last voyage to Rhodes, the war was finished. When we came into the Demetrius had sailed to Athens. harbour, the whole village was in deep mourning. who was king over the fleet, had a son and a daughter so remarkably fair, as if they had just come out of Fryasland, and more beautiful than any one could picture to The fame of this went all over Greece, and Demetrius was vile and came to the ears of Demetrius. immoral, and thought he could do as he pleased. carried off the daughter. The mother did not dare await the return of her joi (the sailors wives call their husbands joi or zoethart (sweetheart). The men call their wives troost (comfort) and fro or frow, that is, vreuyde (delight) and frolic; that is the same as vreugde.

As she dared not wait for her husband's return, she went with her son to Demetrius, and implored him to send back her daughter; but when Demetrius saw the son he had him taken to his palace, and did to him as he had done to his sister. He sent a bag of gold to the mother, which she flung into the sea. When she came home she was out of her mind, and ran about the streets calling out: Have you seen my children. Woe is me! let me find a place to hide in, for my husband will kill me because I have lost his children.

When Demetrius heard that Friso had come home, he sent messengers to him to say that he had taken his children to raise them to high rank, and to reward him for his services. But Friso was proud and passionate, and sent a messenger with a letter to his children, in which he recommended them to accept the will of Demetrius, as he wished to promote their happiness; but the messenger had another letter with poison, which he ordered them to take:

<sup>\* 305</sup> before Christ.

<sup>+</sup> Joi en irdst. At Scheveningen you still hear "Joei en troos." Joi is the French joye.

hwand sêid-er-vnwillinglik is thin lif bivvllad; that ne skil jow navt to rêkned ni wrde, thach sâhwersa jow jowe sêle bivvlath sa ne skil jow nimmerthe to Walhalla ne kvma, jow sêle skil than ovir irtha ommewara, svnder å thet ljucht sja to mugande, lik tha flåramusa ånd nachtula skilstv alra dystik in thina hola skula, thes nachtis utkvma, then vp vsa grava graja and hûla, thahwila Frya hjra haved fon jow ofwenda mot. Tha bern dêde lik-ra bifâlen warth. Dêmêtrius lêt ra likka in sê werpa ând to tha månniska wrde sêid, that hja fljucht wêron. wilde Friso mith alleman nêi Fryasland fâra, thêr-i êr wêst hêde, men tha mêst nilde that navt ne dva. gvng Friso to and skat thet thorp mith-a keninglika fârrêdskûrum anda brônd. Hjud ne kv ni thvrade ninman ne bilywa, and alle weron blyde, that hja bûta wêre, bihalva wif ånd bern hêdon wi ella abefta lêten, thach wi wêron to lêden mith liftochtum and orluchtuch.

Friso nêde nach nên fretho. Tha wi by tha alda hâve kêmon gynger mith sina drista ljudum to ånd skåt vnwarlinga tha brônd inna skêpa, thêr-i mith sina pilum bigâna kv. After sex dêgum sågon wi tha orlochflåte fon Dêmêtrius vp vs to kvma. Friso bifâl vs, wi moston tha lithste skêpa åfterhåde in êne brêde line, tha stora mith wif ånd bern fårut. Forth båd-er wi skoldon tha krånboga fon for nimma ånd anda åftestêwen fåstigja, hwand sêid-er, wi achon al fljuchtande to fjuchtane. Nimman ne mêi him formêta vmb en enkeldera fyand to forfolgjande, alsa sêid-er is min Tha hwila wi thêrmitha al dvande wêron, kêm wind vs vppa kop, to thera lafa and thera wiva skrik, thrychdam wi nêne slâvona navt nêde as thêra thêr vs bi ajn willa folgan wêre. Wi ne machton hja thus navt thruch roja ni vntkyma. MenWr. alda wiste wel, hwêrymb-er

But, said he, your bodies have been defiled against your That you are not to blame for; but if your souls are not pure, you will never come into Walhalla. Your spirits will haunt the earth in darkness. Like the bats and owls, you will hide yourselves in the daytime in holes, and in the night will come and shriek and cry about our graves, while Frya must turn her head away from you. dren did as their father had commanded. The messenger had their bodies thrown into the sea, and it was reported that they had fled. Now Friso wished to go with all his people to Frya's land, where he had been formerly, but most of them would not go. So Friso set fire to the village and all the royal storehouses; then no one could remain there, and all were glad to be out of it. We left everything behind us except wives and children, but we had an ample stock of provisions and warlike implements.

Friso was not yet satisfied. When we came to the old harbour, he went off with his stout soldiers and threw fire into all the ships that he could reach with his arrows. Six days later we saw the war-fleet of Demetrius coming down upon us. Friso ordered us to keep back the small ships in a broad line, and to put the large ships with the women and children in front. Further, he ordered us to take the crossbows that were in the fore part and fix them on the sterns of the ships, because, said he, we must fight a retreating battle. No man must presume to pursue a single enemy—that is my order. While we were busy about this, all at once the wind came ahead, to the great alarm of the cowards and the women, because we had no slaves except those who had voluntarily followed us. Therefore we could not escape the enemy by rowing. But Wr-alda knew well why he

så dêde, and Friso thêr-et fata, lêt tha barnpila ring inna kranboga lidsa. To lik båd-er thåt nimman skiata ne machte, êr hy skâten hêde. Forth sêid-er that wi alle nêi that midloste skip skiata moste, is that dol god biracht sêid-er, så skilun tha ôra him to helpane kyma and than mot alrik skiata sa-r alderbesta mêi. As wi nw arhalf ketting fon-ra of wêre, bigoston tha Phonisiar to skiata. Men Friso n-andere navt bi fâra tha êroste pil del falde a sex fadema fon sin skip. Nw skât-er. Tha ôra folgade, thet likte en fjurrêin and thrychdam vsa pila mith wind mêi gyngon, bilêvon hja alle an brônd, and nakade selva tha thridde låge. Allera månnelik gyradon ånd jûwgade. Men tha krêta vsar witherlagum wêron sa herde, thet-et vs thet hirte binêpen warth. As Friso mênde that et to koste, lêt-er ofhalde ånd wi spode hinne. Thach nei that wi twa dêga forth pilath hêde, kêm thêr en ôre flâte ant sjocht, fon thrittich skêpun, thêr vs stêdis in wnne. Friso lêt vs wither rêd makja. Men tha ôthera sandon en lichte snåka fyl rojar forut, tha bodon thêra bådon ut alera nôma jef hja mith fåra machte. Hja wêron Johniar, thrvch Dêmêtrius wêron hja wâldantlik nêi there alda hâve skikad. Thêr hêdon hịa fon thêre kêse hêrad and nw hêdon hịa thet stolta swêrd antjan, and weron vs folgad. Friso ther fül mitha Johnjar faren hêde sêide jå, men Wichhirte vsa kêning sêide nê, Tha Johnjar send afgoda thjanjar sêid-er, ik selva hav hêrad, ho hja thi an hropte. Friso sêide thet kymath thrych tha wandel mith tha afta Krêkalandar. Thåt håv ik våken selva dên. Thach ben ik alsa herde Friso were thene man ther Fryas as tha finste fon jow. Thus gyngon tha Johnjar vs to Fryasland wisa moste. Ak likt-et nei Wr.aldas hêi, hwand êr thrja mômith. nathe om hlåpen weron, gvngon wi allingen Britannja, ånd thrja dêga lêter machton wi ho.n.sêen hropa.

did this; and Friso, who understood it, immediately had the fire-arrows placed on the crossbows. At the same time he gave the order that no one should shoot before he did, and that we should all aim at the centre ship. we succeeded in this, he said, the others would all go to its assistance, and then everybody might shoot as he best was able. When we were at a cable and a half distance from them the Phænicians began to shoot, but Friso did not reply till the first arrow fell six fathoms from his ship. Then he fired, and the rest followed. It was like a shower of fire; and as our arrows went with the wind, they all remained alight and reached the third line. Everybody shouted and cheered, but the screams of our opponents were so loud that our hearts shrank. When Friso thought that it was sufficient he called us off, and we sped away; but after two days' slow sailing another fleet of thirty ships came in sight and gained upon us. Friso cleared for action again, but the others sent forward a small rowing-boat with messengers, who asked permission to sail with us, as they were Joniers. been compelled by Demetrius to go to the old haven; there they had heard of the battle, and girding on their stout swords, had followed us. Friso, who had sailed a good deal with the Joniers, said Yes; but Wichirte, our king, said No. The Joniers, said he, are worshippers of heathen gods; I myself have heard them call upon them. That comes from their intercourse with the real Greeks, I have often done it myself, and yet I am as pious a Fryas man as any of you. Friso was the man to take us to Friesland, therefore the Joniers went with us. It seems that this was pleasing to Wr-alda, for before three months were past we coasted along Britain, and three days later we could shout huzza.

Thit Skrift is mij ower Nortland jeftha Skênland Jêven.

Vndera tida that vs land del sêg, wêre ik to Skênland. Thêr gyng et alsa to. Thêr wêron grâte mâra, thêr fon tha bodeme lik en blêse vt setta, then spliton hja vt-ên. Uta rêta kêm stof as-t gliande yser wêre. berga ther tha krunna of swikte. Thesse truldon nêther ånd brochton walda ånd thorpa wêi. Ik self så thåt en berch fon tha ôra of torent wrde. Linrjucht sêg-er del. As ik afternêi sjan gyng, was thêr en mâre kymen. Tha irtha bêterad was, kêm er en hêrtoga fon Lindasburch wêi, mit sin folk and en fam, thju fam kêthe allomme: Thene Mâgy is skeldich an al-eth lêt that wi lêden have. tågon immer forth en thet hêr warth al grater. Thene Magy fluchte hinne, man fand sin lik, hi hêde sin self vrdên. Tha wrdon tha Finna vrdrêven nêi ênre stêd, thêr machton hja lêva. Thêr wêron fon basterde blode. Thissa machton biliwa, thach fêlo gyngon mith tha Finna mêi. Thi hêrtoga warth to kêning kêren. Tha kårka thêr êl bilêven wêron wrde vrdên. Sont komath tha gode Northljud våken to Texland vmb there Moder-is rêd. ne mügath hjam for nêne rjuchta Fryas mar ne halde. Inna Dênamarka ist sêkur as bi vs gyngon. Tha stjurar, tham hjara self thêr stoltelika sêkâmpar bêton, send vppira skêpa gyngon, and afternêi sind hja to bek gyngon.

### Held!

Hwersa thene Kroder en tid forth kroden heth, thân skilun tha âfterkomanda wâna thât tha lêka ând brêka, thêr tha Brokmanna mith brocht hâve, âjen were an hjara êthla. Thêr vr wil ik wâka ând thus sâ fül vr hjara plêga skriva as ik sjan hâ. Vr tha GêrtThis Writing has been given to me about Northland and Schoonland (Scandinavia).

When our land was submerged I was in Schoonland. It was very bad there. There were great lakes which rose from the earth like bubbles, then burst asunder, and from the rents flowed a stuff like red-hot iron. of high mountains fell and destroyed whole forests and villages. I myself saw one mountain torn from another and fall straight down. When I afterwards went to see the place there was a lake there. When the earth was composed there came a duke of Lindasburgt with his people, and one maiden who cried everywhere, Magy is the cause of all the misery that we have suffered. continued their progress, and their hosts increased. The Magy fled, and his corpse was found where he had killed Then the Finns were driven to one place where they might live. There were some of mixed blood who were allowed to stay, but most of them went with the The duke was chosen as king. The temples Finns. which had remained whole were destroyed. Since that time the good Northmen come often to Texland for the advice of the mother; still we cannot consider them real In Denmark it has certainly happened as with Frisians. The sea-people, who call themselves famous seawarriors, went on board their ships, and afterwards went back again.

### Heil!

Whenever the Carrier has completed a period, then posterity shall understand that the faults and misdeeds that the Brokmannen have brought with them belonged to their forefathers; therefore I will watch, and will describe as much of their manners as I have seen. The Geertmannen I can

manna kån ik rêd hinne stappa. Ik nåv navt fül mithra Tha så fêr ik sjan hå send hja thåt mast omme gvngen. bi tâl ånd sêd bilêwen. That ne mêi ik navt segsa fon Thêr fon.a Krêkalânda wêi kvme, send kwâd ther tâl and vppira sêd ne mêi man êl navt boga. håvath brûna ågon ånd hêr. Hja send nidich ånd drist ånd ång thrych overbilåwichhêd. Hwêrsa hja sprêka, så nômath hja the worda fâr vppa thêr lerst kvma mosta. Ajen ald segath hja åd, åjen salt såd, må fori mån, sel fori skil, sode fori skolde, to fül vmb to nomande. forath hja mêst vrdvaliske and bikirte nôma, hwêran man nên sin an hefta ne mêi. Tha Johniar sprêkath bêtre, thach hja swygath thi h and hwêri navt nêsa mot, warth Hwersa imman en blyd måkath åfter ennen vrstvrven and thet likt, sa lawath hja, that thene gast thes vrsturvene thêr inne fârath. Thêrvr havath hja alle bylda vrburgen fon Frya, Fåsta, Mêdêa, Thjanja, Hellênja ånd fêlo ôthera. Hwerth thêr en bern ebern, så kvmath tha sibba et sêmne ånd biddath an Frya thåt hju hjara fâmkes mêi kyma lêta that bern to sêenande. Håvon hja bêden sa ne mêi nimman him rora ni hêra lêta. et bern to grajande and halt thit en stvnde an, alsa is that en kwad têken and man is an formoda, that thju mam hordom dên heth. Thêrvr hav ik al arge thinga sjan. Kymt et bern to slêpande, sâ is that en têken, that tha fâmkes vr-et kvmen send. Lakt et inna slêp, sâ hâvon tha famkes that bern luk to seit. Olon lawath hja an bosa gåsta, hexna, kolla, aldermankes ånd elfun, as jef hja fon tha Finna wei kêmen. Hyrmitha wil ik enda ånd nw mên ik tha-k mår skrêven hå, as ên minra êthla. Frêthorik.

Frêthorik min gâd is 63 jêr wrden. Sont 100 ând 8 jêr is hi thene êroste fon sin folk, thêr frêdsum

I have not had much to do with them, readily pass by. but as far as I have seen they have mostly retained their language and customs. I cannot say that of the others. Those who descend from the Greeks speak a bad language, and have not much to boast of in their manners. have brown eyes and hair. They are envious and impudent, and cowardly from superstition. When they speak, they put the words first that ought to come last. they say at; for salt, sat; and for man, ma—too many to They also use abbreviations of names, which have no meaning. The Joniers speak better, but they drop the H, and put it where it ought not to be. When they make a statue of a dead person they believe that the spirit of the departed enters into it; therefore they have hidden their statues of Frya, Fâsta, Medea, Thiania, Hellenia, and many others. When a child is born, all the relatives come together and pray to Frya to send her servants to bless the child. When they have prayed, they must neither move nor speak. If the child begins to cry, and continues some time, it is a bad sign, and they suspect that the mother has committed adultery. seen very bad things come from that. If the child sleeps, that is a good sign—Frya's servants are come. laughs in its sleep, the servants have promised it happi-Moreover, they believe in bad spirits, witches, sorcerers, dwarfs, and elves, as if they descended from the Finns. Herewith I will finish, and I think I have written more than any of my forefathers.

Frethorik, my husband, lived to the age of 63. Since 108 years he is the first of his race who died a

sturven is, alle ôthera send vndera slêga swikt, thêrvr thát alle kampade with ajn and fêrhêmande vmb rjucht and plicht.

Min nôm is Wil-jo, ik bin tha fâm thêr mith him fona Saxanamarka to honk for. Thruch tal and ommegang kem et ut, that wi alle bêde fon Adela his folk wêron, tha kêm ljafde ånd åfternêi send wi man ånd wif wrden. mi fyf bern lêten, two suna and thrju toghatera. Konerêd alsa hêt min forma, Hâchgâna min ôthera, mine aldeste toghater hêth Adela, thju ôthera Frulik and tha jongeste Thâ-k nêi tha Saxanamarka for, hav ik thrju boka Nocht. Thet bok thera sanga, thera tellinga, and thet hret. Ik skrif thit til thju mån navt thånka ne Hêlênia bok. mêi that hja fon Apollanja send; ik hav thêr fül lêt vr had and wil thus ak thju era ha. Ak hav ik mar den, tha Gosa-Makonta fallen is, hwames godhêd and klarsjanhêd to en sprêkword is wrden, thâ ben ik allêna nêi Texland gvngen vmbe tha skrifta vr to skrivane, thêr bju after lêten heth, and tha tha lerste wille fonden is fon Frana ånd tha nëilêtne skrifta fon Adela jefta Hellênja, hav ik that jetta rêis den. Thit send the skrifts Hellenjas. set hjam får vppa vmbe thåt hja tha aldesta send.

#### ALLE AFTA FRYAS HELD.

In êra tida niston tha Slâvona folkar nawet fon fryhêd. Lik oxa wrdon hja vnder et juk brocht. In irthas wand wrdon hja jâgath vmbe mêtal to delvane ând ut-a herde bergum moston hja hûsa hâwa to forst ând presterums hêm. Bi al hwat hja dêdon, thêr nas nawet to fâra hjara selva, men ella moste thjanja vmbe tha forsta ând prestera jeta riker ând weldiger to mâkjane hjara selva to sådene. Vnder thesse arbêd wrdon hja

peaceable death; all the others died by violence, because they all fought with their own people, and with foreigners for right and duty.

My name is Wiljo. I am the maiden who came home with him from Saxsenmarken. In the course of conversation it came out that we were both of Adela's race—thus our affection commenced, and we became man and wife. He left me with five children, two sons and three daughters. Konreed was my eldest son, Hachgana my second. My eldest daughter is called Adela, my second Frulik, and the youngest Nocht. When I went to Saxsenmarken I preserved three books—the book of songs, the book of narratives, and the Hellenia book.

I write this in order that people may not think they were by Apollonia. I have had a good deal of annoyance about this, and therefore now wish to have the honour of it. I also did more. When Gosa Makonta died, whose goodness and clear-sightedness have become a proverb, I went alone to Texland to copy the writings that she had left; and when the last will of Frana was found, and the writings left by Adela or Hellenia, I did that again. These are the writings of Hellenia. I have put them first because they are the oldest.

# HAIL TO ALL TRUE FRISIANS.

In the olden times, the Slavonic race knew nothing of liberty. They were brought under the yoke like oxen. They were driven into the bowels of the earth to dig metals, and had to build houses of stone as dwelling-places for princes and priests. Of all that they did nothing came to themselves, everything must serve to enrich and make more powerful the priests and the princes, and to satisfy them. Under this treatment they grew

grêv and stram er hja jerich weron, and sturvon synder nochta afshên irtha tham overflodlik fyl jêf to bâta al hjara Men vsa britna kêmon ånd vsa bânnalinga thrych tha Twisklanda vr in hjara marka fara and vsa stjurar kemon in hjara håvna. Fon hjam hêradon hja kålta vr êlika frydom and rjucht and overa êwa, hwer bûta nimman omme ne mêi. Altham wrde vpsugon thrvch tha drova månniska lik dåwa thrych tha dorra fjelde. As hju fyl wêron bijonnon tha alderdrista månniska to klippane mith hjara kêdne, alsa-t tha forsta wê dêde. Tha forste send stolte and wichandlik, thêrvmbe is thêr ak noch düged in hjara hirta, hja birêdon et sêmine ând javon awet fon hjara overflodalikhêd. Men tha låfa skin fråna prestara ne machton that navt ne lyda, emong hjara forsinde godum hêdon hja âk wrangwråda drochtne eskêpen. inovera landa. Nw sêidon hja, tha drochtna send tornich overa overhêrichhêd thêra bosa. Tha wrdon tha alderdrista månniska mith hjara kêdne wirgad. Irtha heth hjara blod dronken, mith that blod fode hju früchda and nochta, and alle tham thêr of êton wrdon wis.

16 wâra 100 jêr lêden\* is Atland svnken, ånd to thêra tidum bêrade thêr awat hwêr vppa nimman rêkned nêde. In-t hirte fon Findas lând vppet berchta lêid en del, thêr is kêthen Kasamyr,† thet is sjeldsum. Thêr werth en bern e-bern, sin mâm wêre thju toghater enis kêning ând sin tât wêre-n hâvedprester. Vmb skôm to vnkvma mosten hja hjara åjen blod vnkvma. Thêrvmbe wârth er bûta thêre stêde brocht bi ârma mânniska. In twiska was-t im navt forhêlad ne wrden, thêr vmbe dêd er ella vmbe wisdom to gêtane ând gârane. Sin forstân wêre sâ grât thât er ella forstânde hwat er sâ ând hêrade. Thât folk skowde him mit êrbêdenese and tha prestera wr don ang vr sina frêga. Thâ-r jêrich wrde gvnger nêi sinum

<sup>\* 2193 - 1600 = 593</sup> v. Chr.

<sup>†</sup> Kasamyr, Kashmir.

gray and old before their time, and died without any enjoyment; although the earth produces abundantly for the good of all her children. But our runaways and exiles came through Twiskland to their boundaries, and our sailors came to their harbours. From them they heard of liberty, of justice, and laws, without which men cannot exist. This was all absorbed by the unhappy people like dew into an arid soil. When they fully understood this, the most courageous among them began to clank their chains, which grieved the princes. The princes are proud and warlike; there is therefore some virtue in their hearts. They consulted together and bestowed some of their superfluity; but the cowardly hypocritical priests could not suffer this. Among their false gods they had invented Pestilence broke out in the also wicked cruel monsters. country; and they said that the gods were angry with the domineering of the wicked. Then the boldest of the people were strangled in their chains. The earth drank their blood, and that blood produced corn and fruits that inspired with wisdom those who ate them.

Sixteen hundred years ago (she writes, 593 B.C.), Atland was submerged; and at that time something happened which nobody had reckoned upon. In the heart of Findasland, upon a mountain, lies a plain called Kasamyr (Cashmere) that is "extraordinary." There was a child born whose mother was the daughter of a king, and whose father was a high-priest. In order to hide the shame they were obliged to renounce their own blood. Therefore it was taken out of the town to poor people. As the boy grew up, nothing was concealed from him, so he did all in his power to acquire wisdom. His intellect was so great that he understood everything that he saw or heard. The people regarded him with respect, and the priests were afraid of his questions. When he was of full age he went to his

<sup>\* 2193 - 1600</sup> is 593 years before Christ,

<sup>+</sup> Kasamyr is Kashmere.

Hja moston herda thinga hêra, vmb-im kwit to werthane javon hja him vrflod fon kestlika stênum; men hja ne thyradon him navt avbêr bikânnâ as hjara åjne blod. Mith drovenese in vrdelven overa falxe skôm sinra aldrum gynger ommedwâla. Al forth fårande mête hi en Fryas stjurar thêr as slâv thjanade, fon tham lêrd-i vsa sêd and plêgum. Hi kapade him fry, and to ther dad send hja frjunda bilêwen. Alomme hwêr er forth hinne tâch, lêrd-i an tha ljuda that hja nêne rika ner prestera tolêta moston, that hja hjara selva hode moston ajen falxe skôm, ther allerwêikes kvad dvat an tha ljavde. Irtha sêid-er skånkath hjara jêva nêi mêta men hjara hûd klawat, that man therin ach to delvane to erane and to sêjane, sâ mån thêrof skêra wil. Thach sêid-er nimman hovat thit to dvande for ennen othera hit ne sy, that et bi mêne wille jef ut ljavade skêd. Hi lêrde that nimman in hjara wand machte frota vmbe gold her silver ner kestlika stêna, hwêr nid an klywath and ljavde fon fljuchth. Vmbe jow manghêrta and wiva to sjarane, sêid-er, jêvath hjara rin strâma ênoch. Nimman sêid-er is weldich alle månniska mêtrik ånd êlika luk to jan. Tha that it alra månniska plicht vmbe tha månniska alsa mêtrik to måkjane ånd sa fêlo nocht to jan, as to binaka is. Nêne witskip sêid-er ne mêi man minachtja, thach êlika dêla is tha grâteste witskip, thêr tid vs lêra mêi. Thêrvmbe that hjy argenese fon irtha wêrath and ljavde feth.

Sin forme nôm wêre Jes-us,\* thach tha prestera thêr-im sêralik hâton hêton him Fo thât is falx, thât folk hête him Kris-en thât is herder, ând sin Fryaske frjund hêta him Bûda, vmbe that hi in sin hâvad en skât fon wisdom hêde ând in sin hirt en skât fon ljavde.

To tha lersta most-er fluchta vr tha wrêka thêra prestera, men vral hwêr er kêm was sine lêre him fârut gyngen

<sup>\*</sup> Jes-us, evenmin te verwarren met Jezus, als Krisen (Krishna) met Christus.

They had to listen to some hard language; and to get rid of him they gave him a quantity of jewels, but they dared not openly acknowledge him. Overcome with sorrow at the false shame of his parents, he wandered While travelling he fell in with a Frisian sailor who was serving as a slave, and who taught him our manners and customs. He bought the freedom of the slave, and they remained friends till death. he went he taught the people not to tolerate rich men or priests, and that they must guard themselves against false shame, which everywhere did harm to love and charity. The earth, he said, bestowed her treasures on those who scratch her skin; so all are obliged to dig, and plough, and sow if they wish to reap, but no one is obliged to do anything for another unless it be out of goodwill. taught that men should not seek in her bowels for gold, or silver, or precious stones, which occasion envy and destroy love. To embellish your wives and daughters, he No man is able to said, the river offers her pure stream. make everybody equally rich and happy, but it is the duty of all men to make each other as equally rich and as happy as possible. Men should not despise any knowledge; but justice is the greatest knowledge that time can teach, because she wards off offences and promotes love.

His first name was Jessos, but the priests, who hated him, called him Fo, that is, false; the people called him Krishna, that is, shepherd; and his Frisian friend called him Buddha (purse), because he had in his head a treasure of wisdom, and in his heart a treasure of love.

At last he was obliged to flee from the wrath of the priests; but wherever he went his teaching had preceded him, whilst his enemies followed him like

<sup>\*</sup> Jes-us—not to be confounded with Jesus any more than Krisen (Krishna) with Christ.

ånd vral hwêr-er gvng folgadon him sina lêtha lik sine skåde nêi. Thå Jes-vs alsa twilif jêr om fåren hêde, sturv-er, men sina frjunda wåradon sine lêre ånd kêthon hwêr-et åron fvnde.

Hwat mênst nw that the prestere dêdon, that mot ik jo melde, åk mot-i ther seralik acht vp jan, forth mot-i over hjara bidryv ånd renka wåka mith alle kråftum, thêr Thahwila Jes-us lêre vr irtha Wr.alda in jo lêid heth. for, gyngon tha falxe prestera nêi-t lând sinra berta sin dåd avbêra, hja sêidon that hja fon sinum frjundum wêron, hja bêradon grâte rowa, torennande hjara klâthar to flardum ånd to skêrande hjara hola kâl. Inna hôla thêra berga gyngon hja hêma, thach thêrin hêdon hja hjara skåt brocht, thêr binna måkadon hja blydon åfter Jes-us, thessa blydon javon hja antha vnårg thånkanda ljuda, to longa lersta sêidon hja that Jes-us en drochten wêre, that-i that selva an hjam bilêden hêde, and that alle thêr an him ånd an sina lêra lâwa wilde, nêimels in sin kêningkrik kvme skolde, hwêr frü is ånd nochta send. hja wiston that Jes-us ajen tha rika to fjelda tagen hêde, så kêthon hja allerwêikes, that armode ha and ênfald så thju düre wêre vmbe in sin rik to kymane, that there there have vp irthe that maste leden hede, nêimels tha masta nochta hava skolde. Thahwila hja wiston that Jes-us lêrad hêde that man sina tochta welda ånd bistjura moste, så lêrdon hja thåt mån alle sina tochta dêja moste, and that tha fylkyminhêd thêra manniska thêrin bistande that er êvin vnforstoren wrde sa that kalde stên. Vmbe that folk nw wis to makjande that hja alsa dedon, alsa beradon hja armode overa streta and vmb forth to biwisane that hja al hjara tochta dåd hêde, nâmon hja nêne wiwa. Thach sahwêrsa en toghater en misstap hêde, så warth hja that ring forjan, tha wrakka sêidon hja most mån helpa and vmbe sin åjn

his shadow. When Jessos had thus travelled for twelve years he died; but his friends preserved his teaching, and spread it wherever they found listeners.

What do you think the priests did then? That I must tell you, and you must give your best attention to it. Moreover, you must keep guard against their acts and their tricks with all the strength that Wr-alda has given you. While the doctrine of Jessos was thus spreading over the earth, the false priests went to the land of his They said they were his birth to make his death known. friends, and they pretended to show great sorrow by tearing their clothes and shaving their heads. They went to live in caves in the mountains, but in them they had hid all their treasures, and they made in them images of They gave these statues to simple people, and at last they said that Jessos was a god, that he had declared this himself to them, and that all those who followed his doctrine should enter his kingdom hereafter, where all was joy and happiness. Because they knew that he was opposed to the rich, they announced everywhere that poverty, suffering, and humility were the door by which to enter into his kingdom, and that those who had suffered the most on earth should enjoy the greatest happiness there. Although they knew that Jessos had taught that men should regulate and control their passions, they taught that men should stifle their passions, and that the perfection of humanity consisted in being as unfeeling as the cold stones. In order to make the people believe that they did as they preached, they pretended to outward poverty; and that they had overcome all sensual feelings, they took no wives. if any young girl had made a false step, it was quickly forgiven; the weak, they said, were to be assisted, and to save sêle to bihaldane most mån fül anda cherke jån. Thus todvande hêde hja wiv ånd bern svnder hûshalden ånd wrdon hja rik svnder werka, men that folk wårth fül årmer ånd mår êlåndich as å to fåra. Thas lêre hwêrbi tha prestera nên ôre witskip hova as drochtlik rêda, fråna skin ånd vnrjuchta plêga, brêd hiri selva ut fon-t asta to-t westa ånd skil åk vr vsa landa kvma.

Men astha prestera skilun wana, that hja allet ljucht fon Frya and fon Jes-us lêre vtdavath hava, sa skilum thêr in alle vyrda månniska vpstonda, tham wêrhêd in stilnise among ekkorum wârath and to fara tha prestera forborgen Thissa skilun wêsa ut forsta blod, fon presterum blod, fon Slåvonum blod, ånd fon Fryas blod. Tham skilun hjara foddikum ånd thåt ljucht bûta bringa, så thåt allera månnalik wêrhêd mêi sjan; hja skilun wê hropa overa dêda thêra prestera and forsta. The forsta thêr werhêd minna and rjucht tham skilun fon the presters wike, blod skil stråma, men therut skil-et folk nye kråfta gåra. Findas folk skil sina findingrikhêd to mêna nitha wenda, that Lydas folk sina kråfta ånd wi vsa wisdom. Tha skilun tha falxa prestera wêi fâgath wertha fon irtha. Wr.alda his gåst skil alomme ånd allerwêikes êrath ånd bihropa Tha êwa thêr Wr.alda bi-t anfang in vs mod wertha. lêide, skilun allêna hêrad wertha, thêr ne skilun nêne ôra måstera, noch forsta, ner båsa navt nêsa, as thêra thêr bi mêna wille kêren send. Thån skil Frya juwgja ånd Irtha skil hira jêva allêna skanka an tha werkande mannisk. Altham skil anfanga fjuwer thusand jêr nêi Atland synken is ånd thusand jêr lêter skil thêr longer nên prester ner tvang vp irtha sa.

Dela tonômath Hellênja, wâk!

their souls men must give largely to the Church. Acting in this way, they had wives and children without households, and were rich without working; but the people grew poorer and more miserable than they had ever been before. This doctrine, which requires the priests to possess no further knowledge than to speak deceitfully, and to pretend to be pious while acting unjustly, spreads from east to west, and will come to our land also.

But when the priests fancy that they have entirely extinguished the light of Frya and Jessos, then shall all classes of men rise up who have quietly preserved the truth among themselves, and have hidden it from the priests. They shall be of princely blood of priests, Slavonic, They will make their light visible, so and Frya's blood. that all men shall see the truth; they shall cry woe to the acts of the princes and the priests. The princes who love the truth and justice shall separate themselves from the priests; blood shall flow, but from it the people will gather new strength. Finda's folk shall contribute their industry to the common good, Linda's folk their strength, and we Then the false priests shall be swept away our wisdom. Wr-alda's spirit shall be invoked everyfrom the earth. where and always; the laws that Wr-alda in the beginning instilled into our consciences shall alone be listened to. There shall be neither princes, nor masters, nor rulers, except those chosen by the general voice. Then Frya shall rejoice, and the earth will only bestow her gifts on those who work. All this shall begin 4000 years after the submersion of Atland, and 1000 years later there shall exist no longer either priest or oppression.

Dela, surnamed Hellenia, watch!

Så lûda Franas ûtroste wille. Alle welle Fryas held. An tha nôme Wr.aldas, fon Frya, and thêre fryhêd grête ik jo, and bidde jo, sahwersa ik falla machte êr ik en folgster nômath hêde, så bifêl ik jo Tüntja thêr Burchfam is to thêre burch Mêdêasblik, til hjud dêgum is hja tha besta.

Thet heth Gôsa nei lêten. Alle manniska held. nav nêne êremoder binomad thrychdam ik nêne niste, and et is jo bêter nêne Moder to havande as êne hwêr vp-i jo navt forlêta ne mêi. Arge tid is forbi faren, men ther kvmt en ôthere. Irtha heth hja navt ne bårad ånd Wr.alda heth bja navt ne skêren. Hju kvmt ut et asta ut-a bosma thêra prestera wêi. Så fêlo lêd skil hju broda, thåt Irtha-t blod algådvr navt drinka ne kån fon hira vrslêjana bernum. Thjustrenesse skil hju in overne gåst thera manniska spreda, lik tongar-is wolka oviret synne-Alom and allerweikes skil lest and drochten bidryf with fryhêd kâmpa and rjucht. Rjucht and fryhêd skilun swika and wi mith tham. Men thesse winst skil hjara vrlias wrochta. Fon thrju worda skilun vsa åfterkvmande an hjara ljuda ånd slåvona tha bithjutnesse lêra. Hja send mêna ljavde, fryhêd and rjucht. That forma skilun hja glora, åfternêi with thjustrenesse kampa al ont et hel and klar in hjawlikes hirt and holle warth. Than skil tvang fon irtha fågad wertha, lik tongarswolka thrvch stornewind, and alle drochten bidryv ne skil thêr åjen nawet navt ne formüga. Gôsa.

Thus runs Frana's last will: All noble Frisians, Heil! In the name of Wr-alda, of Frya, and of Freedom, I greet you; and pray you if I die before I have named a successor, then I recommend to you Teuntja, who is Burgtmaagd in the citadel of Medeasblik; till now she is the best.

This Gosa has left behind her: Hail to all men! have named no Eeremoeder, because I know none, and because it is better for you to have no mother than to have one you cannot trust. One bad time is passed by, but there is still another coming. Irtha has not given it birth, and Wr-alda has not decreed it. It comes from the East, out of the bosom of the priests. It will breed so much mischief that Irtha will not be able to drink the blood of her slain children. It will spread darkness over the minds of men like storm-clouds over the sunlight. Everywhere craft and deception shall contend with freedom and justice. Freedom and justice shall be overcome, and we with them. But this success will work out its own Our descendants shall teach their people and their slaves the meaning of three words; they are universal love, freedom, and justice. At first they shall shine, then struggle with darkness, until every man's head and heart has become bright and clear. Then shall oppression be driven from the earth, like the thunder-clouds by the storm-wind, and all deceit will cease to have any more power. Gosa.

# THET SKRIFT FON KONERÊD.

Min êthla håvon in åfter thit bok skrêven. Thit wil ik boppa ella dva, vmbe that er in min stat nên burch ovir is, hwêrin tha bêrtnesa vp skrêven wrde lik to fâra. nôme is Konerêd, min tât-his nôme was Frêthorik, min mem his nôme Wiljow. After tât his dâd ben ik to sina folgar kêren, and tha-k fiftich jêr talde kas men mij to vrste grêvetmån. Min tåt heth skrêven ho tha Linda-wrda ånd tha Ljudgårdne vrdilgen send. Lindahêm is jeta wêi, tha Linda-wrda far en dêl, tha northlikka Ljudgârdne send thrvch thene salta sê bidelven. That brûwsende hef slikt an tha hringdik thêre burch. Lik tât melth heth, sâ send tha hâvalâsa mânniska to gyngen ånd hâvon hûskes bywad binna tha hringdik thêra burch. Thêrvmbe is that ronddêl nw Ljvdwerd hêten. Tha stjurar segath Ljvwrd, men that is wansprêke. Bi mina jüged was-t ôre lând, that bûta tha hringdik lêid, al pol and brok. Men Fryas folk is diger and flitich, hja wrdon mod ner wirg, thrychdam hjara dol to tha besta lêide. Thrvch slâta to delvane and kâdika to måkjane fon tha grvnd thêr ût-a slåta kêm, alsa håvon wi wither en gode hêm bûta tha hringdik, thêr thju dânte het fon en hof, thrê pêla âstwarth, thrê pêla sûdwarth ånd thrê pêla wêstwarth mêten. Hjud dêgum send wi to dvande å-pêla to hêjande, vmb êne hâve to winnande and mith en vmb-vsa hringdik to biskirmande. werk rêd sy, sâ skilun wi stjurar utlvka. Bi min jüged stand-et hyr bjûstre om-to, men hjud send tha hûskes

# THE WRITING OF KONERED.

My forefathers have written this book in succession. will do this, the more because there exists no longer in my state any citadel on which events are inscribed as used to be the case. My name is Konerêd (Koenraad). father's name was Frethorik, my mother's name was Wiljow. After my father's death I was chosen as his suc-When I was fifty years old I was chosen for chief My father has written how the Lindaoorden Grevetman. and Liudgaarden were destroyed. Lindahem is still lost, the Lindaoorden partially, and the north Lindgaarden are still concealed by the salt sea. The foaming sea washes the ramparts of the castle. As my father has mentioned, the people, being deprived of their harbour, went away and built houses inside the ramparts of the citadel; therefore that bastion is called Lindwerd. The sea-people say Linwerd, but that is nonsense. In my youth there was a portion of land lying outside the rampart all mud and marsh; but Frya's people were neither tired nor exhausted when they had a good object in view. By digging ditches, and making dams of the earth that came out of the ditches, we recovered a good space of land outside the rampart, which had the form of a hoof three poles eastward, three southwards, and three westwards. At present we are engaged in ramming piles into the ground to make a harbour to protect our rampart. When the work is finished we shall attract mariners. In my youth it looked very queer, but now there stands a row of houses.

al hûsa thêr an rêja stân. And lek ând brek thêr mith ermode hir in glupt wêron, send thrych flit a-buta drêven. Fon hir ut mêi allera mânnalik lêra, thât Wr.alda vsa Alfoder, al sina skepsela fot, mits thât hja mod halde ând mânlik ôtherum helpa wille.

# NV WIL IK VR FRISO SKRIVA.

Friso thêr al weldich wêre thrvch sin ljud, wârth âk to vrste grêve kêren thrvch Staverens ommelandar. Hi spot mith vsa wisa fon lând-wêr ând sêkâmpa, thêrvmbe hether en skol stift hwêr in tha knapa fjuchta lêra nêi Krêkalandar wysa. Thân ik lâv thât i thât dên heth vmb thât jongk-folk an sin snôr to bindane. Ik hâv min brother thêr âk hin skikt, tha-s nv thjan jêr lêden. Hwand tocht ik nv wi nêne Moder lônger navt nave, vmbe tha ênen ajen tha ôre to bi skirmande, âch ik dubbel to wâkane thât hi vs nên mâster ne wârth.

Gosa neth vs nêne folgstere nômeth, thêr vr nil ik nên ordel ne fella, men thêr send jeta alda årg thenkande månniska, thêr mêne that hju-t thêr-vr mith Friso ênis wrden Tha Gosa fallen was, tha wildon tha ljud fon alle wrda êne ôthere Moder kjasa. Men Friso thêr to dvande wêre vmb-en rik to fara him selva to mâkjane, Friso ne gêrde nên rêd ner bodo fon Texland. As tha bodon thêra Landsåtum to him kêmon, sprek-i ånde kêth. sêid-er was fêrsjande wêst and wiser as alle grêva êtsêmne ånd thach nêde hju nên ljucht nêr klarhêd in thjuse sêke ne fvnden, thêrvmbe nêde hju nene mod hân vmb êne folgstere to kjasane, and vmb êne folgstere to kjasane thêr tvyvelik wêre, thêr heth hju bald in sjan, thêrvmbe heth hju in hjara ûtroste wille skrêven, that is jow bêtre nêne Moder to havande as êne hwêr vpp-i jo selva navt forlêta ne mêi. Friso hêde fül sjan, bi orloch was er vpbrocht, and fon Leaks and deficiencies produced by poverty have been remedied by industry. From this men may learn that Wr-alda, our universal father, protects all his creatures, if they preserve their courage and help each other.

# Now I WILL WRITE ABOUT FRISO.

Friso, who was already powerful by his troops, was chosen chief Grevetman of the districts round Staveren. He laughed at our mode of defending our land and our sea-fights; therefore he established a school where the boys might learn to fight in the Greek manner, but I believe that he did it to attach the young people to himself. I sent my brother there ten years ago, because I thought, now that we have not got any mother, it behoves me to be doubly watchful, in order that he may not become our master.

Gosa has given us no successors. I will not give any opinion about that; but there are still old suspicious people who think that she and Friso had an understanding about it. When Gosa died, the people from all parts wished to choose another mother; but Friso, who was busy establishing a kingdom for himself, did not desire to have any advice or messenger from Texland. When the messengers of the Landsaten came to him, he said that Gosa had been far-seeing and wiser than all the counts together, and yet she had been unable to see any light or way out of this affair; therefore she had not had the courage to choose a successor, and to choose a doubtful one she thought would be very bad; therefore she wrote in her last will. It is better to have no mother than to have one on whom you cannot rely. Friso had seen a great deal. He had been brought up in the wars, and he had just learned and gathered as much of the tricks and tha hrenkum and lestum thêra Golum and forstum hêder krek sa fül lêred and geth, as-er nêdich hêde vmbe tha ôra grêva to wêiande hwêr hi hjam wilde. Sjan hir ho-r thêrmith to gyngen is.

Friso hêde hir-ne ôther wif nimth, thju toghater fon Wil-frêthe, bi sin lêve was-er vrste Grêva to Staveren wêst. Ther bi hêder twên svna wnnen ånd twa toghatera. Thrvch sin bilêid is Kornêlja sin jongste toghater mith min brother mant. Kornêlja is wan Fryas and mot Kornhêlja skrêven wrde. Wêmod sin aldeste heth er an Kavch bonden. Kavch thêr âk bi him to skole gvng is thi svnv fon Wichhirte thene Gêrtmanna kåning. Men Kavch is âk wan Fryas ånd mot Kâp wêsa. Men kvade tâle håvon hja mar mithbrocht as gode sêda.

Nw mot ik mith mine skêdnese a-befta kêra.

Aftre grâte flod hwêr vr min tât skrêven heth, wêron fêlo Juttar and Lêtne mith ebbe uta Balda jefta kvade sê \* fored. Bi Kât his gat drêvon hja in hjara kâna mith yse vppa tha Dênemarka fåst ånd thêr vp send hja sitten Thêr nêron narne nên manniska an-t sjocht. Thêrvmbe håvon hja thát lând int, nêi hjara nôme håvon hja that land Juttarland heten. Afternêi kêmon wel fêlo Denemarker to bek fon tha hâga landum, men thissa setton hjara selva sûdliker del. And as tha stjurar to bek kêmon thêr navt vrgvngen navt nêron, gvng thi êna mith tha ôthera nei tha sê jefta êlandum. † Thrvch thisse skikking mochton tha Juttar that land halda, hwêr-vppa Wr.alda ra wêjad hêde. Tha Sêlandar stjurar tham hjara selva mith blåte fisk navt helpa ner nêra nilde, ånd thêr en årge grins hêde an tha Gola, tham gyngon dâna tha Phonisjar skêpa birâwa. An tha sûdwester herne fon Skênland, thêr lêid Lindasburcht tonômath Lindasnôse, thrvch vsa Apol stift, alsa in thit bok ‡ biskrêwen ståt. Alle kådhêmar ånd

<sup>\*</sup> Balda jefta kvada sê, de Baltische zee. Juttarland, Jutland.

<sup>†</sup> Zeeland, de Deensche Eilanden.

<sup>‡</sup> Zie bl. 124.

cunning ways of the Gauls and the princes as he required, to lead the other counts wherever he wished. See here how he went to work about that.

Friso had taken here another wife, a daughter of Wilfrêthe, who in his lifetime had been chief count of Staveren. By her he had two sons and two daughters. By his wish Kornelia, his youngest daughter, was married to my brother. Kornelia is not good Frisian; her name ought to be written Korn-helia. Weemoed, his eldest daughter, he married to Kauch. Kauch, who went to school to him, is the son of Wichhirte, the king of the Geertmen. But Kauch is likewise not good Frisian, and ought to be Kaap (Koop). So they have learned more bad language than good manners.

Now I must return to my story.

After the great flood of which my father wrote an account, there came many Jutlanders and Letlanders out of the Baltic, or bad sea. They were driven down the Kattegat in their boats by the ice as far as the coast of Denmark, and there they remained. There was not a creature to be seen; so they took possession of the land, and named it after themselves, Jutland. Afterwards many of the Denmarkers returned from the higher lands, but they settled more to the south; and when the mariners returned who had not been lost, they all went together to By this arrangement the Jutlanders retained the land to which Wr-alda had conducted them. Zeeland skippers, who were not satisfied to live upon fish, and who hated the Gauls, took to robbing the Phœnician ships. In the south-west point of Scandinavia there lies Lindasburgt, called Lindasnôse, built by one Apol, as is written in the book. All the people

<sup>\*</sup> Balda jefta kvade se is the Baltic. Juttarland is Jutland.

<sup>+</sup> Zeeland is the Danish Islands.

<sup>‡</sup> See page 124.

ommelandar dâna wêron eft Fryas bilêyen, men thrych tha lust there wrêke ajen tha Golum and ajen tha Kaltana folgar gyngon hja mitha Sêlandar sâma dyan, men that sâma dva neth nen stek navt ne halden. Hwand tha Sêlandar hêde felo mislika plêga and wenhêde ovir nommen fon tha vvla Mågjarum, Fryas folk to-n spot. Forth gvng ek to fara him selva rawa, thach jef et to pase kêm than standon hja månlik ôtherum trvlik by. Thach to tha lesta bijondon tha Sêlandar brek to krêjande an goda skêpa. Hjara skipmåkar weron omkvmen ånd hjara walda wêron mith grvnd and al fon-t land of faged. Nw kêmon thêr vnwarlingen thry skêpa by tha ringdik fon vsa burch mêra. Thrvch tha inbrêka vsra landum wêron hja vrdvaled ånd tha Flymyda misfaren. Thi kapmon ther mith gyngen was, wilde fon vs nya skêpa hå, thêrto hêdon hja mithbrocht allerlêja kestlika wêra, thêr hja rawed hêdon fon tha Kåltanarlandum ånd fon tha Phonisjar \* skêpum. Nêidam wy selva nêne skêpa navt n-êde, jêf ik hjam flingka horsa and fjywer wêpende rinbodon mith nei Friso. Hwand to Ståveren ånd allingen thåt Aldergå ther wrdon tha besta wêrskêpa maked fon herde êken wod thêr nimmerthe nên rot an ne kvmth. Thahwila tha sêkampar by my byde, wêron syme Juttar nêi Texland fâren and dâna wêron hja nêi Friso wêsen. Tha Sêlandar hêdon felo fon hjara storeste knåpum råwed, thi moston vppa hjara benka roja, and fon hjara storeste toghtera vmb ther by bern to Tha stora Juttar ne mochton et navt to wêrane, thrychdam hja nêne gode wêpne navt nêde. hjara lêth telad hêde ånd thervr fêlo wordon wixlad wêron, frêje Friso to tha lesta jef hja nêne gode have in hjara gå navt n-êde. O-jes, anderon hja, êne besta ên, êne thrych Wr.alda skêpen. Hju is net krek lik jow bjarkrûk thêr, hira hals is eng, thâ in hira bâlg kânnath wel thysanda grâte kâna lidsa, men wi nâvath nêna burch ner burchwêpne, vmbe tha râwskêpa thêr ut

<sup>\*</sup> Phonisiar, hier Puniers, Carthagers.

who live on the coasts, and in the neighbouring districts, had remained true Frisians; but by their desire for vengeance upon the Gauls, and the followers of Kaltona, they joined the Zeelanders. But that connection did not hold together, because the Zeelanders had adopted many evil manners and customs of the wicked Magyars, in opposition to Frya's people. Afterwards, everybody went stealing on his own account; but when it suited them they held all together. At last the Zeelanders began to be in want of good ships. Their shipbuilders had died, and their forests as well as their land had been washed out to sea. there arrived unexpectedly three ships, which anchored off the ringdyk of our citadel. By the disruption of our land they had lost themselves, and had missed Flymond. merchant who was with them wished to buy new ships from us, and for that purpose had brought all kinds of valuables, which they had stolen from the Celtic country and Phœnician ships. As we had no ships, I gave them active horses and four armed couriers to Friso; because at Stavere, along the Alberga, the best ships of war were built of hard oak which never rots. While these sea rovers remained with us, some of the Jutmen had gone to Texland, and thence to Friso. The Zeelanders had stolen many of their strongest boys to row their ships, and many of their finest daughters to have children by. Jutlanders could not prevent it, as they were not properly When they had related all their misfortunes, and a good deal of conversation had taken place, Friso asked them at last if they had no good harbours in their Oh, yes, they answered; a beautiful one, country. created by Wr-alda. It is like a bottle, the neck narrow, but in the belly a thousand large boats may lie; but we have no citadel and no defences to keep out

<sup>\*</sup> Phonisjar are Punics or Carthaginians.

to haldane. Than mosten jow gynst makja seide Friso. God rêden anderon tha Juttar, men wi n-avath nêne ambachtisljud ner bywark, wi alle send fiskar ånd juttar. Tha ora send vrdrvnken jefta nêi tha hâga landum fljucht. Midlar hwila hja thus kålta, kêmon mina bodon mitha Sêlândar hêra et sina hove. Hir most nw letta ho Friso alle to bidobbe wiste to nocht fon bêde partja and to bate fon sin åjn dol. Tha Sêlandar sêider to, hja skoldon jêrlikes fiftech skêpa have, nêi fasta mêtum and nêi fasta jeldum, to hrêd mith ysere kêdne and kranbogum and mith fylle tjuch alsa far wêrskêpa hof and nêdlik sy, men tha Juttar skoldon hja than mith frêthe lêta, and all-et folk that to Fryasbern hered. Jå hi wilde mar dva, hi wilde al vsa sêkâmpar utnêda that hja skolde mith fjuchta ånd rawa. Tha tha Sêlandar wêi brit wêron, tha lêt-er fjuwertich alda skêpa to laja mith burchwêpne, wod, hirbaken stên, timberljud, mirtselêra ånd smêda vmbe thêr mith burga to bywande. Witto, that is witte sin syn, sand hi mith vmb to to sjanande. Hwat thêr al fâr fallen is, n-is my navt ni meld, men sa fül is my bar wrden, an byde sida thêre haves myde is êne withburch bywed, thêr in is folk lêid that Friso uta Saxanamarka tâch. heth Sjuchthirte bifrejad and to sin wiv nomen. alsa hête hira tat, hi was vreste Alderman thêra Juttar, that is vrste Grevetman jefta Greve. Wilhem is kirt after sturven and Witto is in sin stêd koren.

# Ho Friso Forther Dêde.

Fon sin êrosta wif hêder twên sviaringa bihalda, thêr sêr klok wêron. Hetto, that is hête, thene jongste skikt er as the pirate ships. Then you should make them, said Friso. That is very good advice, said the Jutlanders; but we have no workmen and no building materials; we are all The others are drowned or fled fishermen and trawlers. to the higher lands. While they were talking in this way, my messengers arrived at the court with the Zeeland gentlemen. Here you must observe how Friso understood deceiving everybody, to the satisfaction of both parties, and to the accomplishment of his own ends. To the Zeelanders he promised that they should have yearly fifty ships of a fixed size for a fixed price, fitted with iron chains and crossbows, and full rigging as is necessary and useful for men-of-war, but that they should leave in peace the Jutlanders and all the people of Frya's race. wished to do more; he wanted to engage all our sea rovers to go with him upon his fighting expedition. When the Zeelanders had gone, he loaded forty old ships with weapons for wall defences, wood, bricks, carpenters, masons, and smiths, in order to build citadels. Witto. or Witte, his son, he sent to superintend. I have never been well informed of what happened; but this much is clear to me, that on each side of the harbour a strong citadel has been built, and garrisoned by people brought by Friso out of Saksenmarken. Witto courted Siuchthirte and married her. Wilhem, her father, was chief Alderman of the Jutmen—that is, chief Grevetman or Count. hem died shortly afterwards, and Witto was chosen in his place.

#### WHAT FRISO DID FURTHER.

Of his first wife he still had two brothers-in-law, who were very daring. Hetto—that is, heat—the youngest, he sent as messenger to Kattaburgt, which

senda boda nêi Kattaburch that djap inna Saxanamarka Hi hêde fon Friso mith krêjen sjugon horsa buta sin åjn, to lêden mith kestlika sêkum, thrvch tha sêkam-Bi jahweder hors wêron twên jonga sêkampar ånd twên jonga hrutar mith rika klådarum klåth ånd jeld in hiara bûdar. Évin as er Hetto nêi Kattaburch skikte, skikter Bruno, that is brûne, thene ôthera syjaring nêi Mannagårda wrda, Mannagårda wrda is får in thit bok \* Mannagårda forda skrêven, men that is misdên. rikdoma thêr hja mith hede wrdon nêi omstand wêi skankt an tha forsta and forstene and an tha utforkerne mangertne. Kêmon thâ sine knapa vppa thêre mêid vmbe thêr mith et jongkfolk to dônsjane, sa lêton hja kvra mith krûdkok kvma ånd bårgum jeftha tonnum fon tha besta bjar. After thissa bodon lêt-er immer jongkfolk over tha Saxanarmarka fâra, thêr alle jeld inna budar hêde and alle mêida jeftha skånkadja mith brochton, and vppa there meid teradon hja alon vnkvmmerlik wêi. Jef-t nv bêrde that tha Saxana knapa thêr nydich nêi utsagon, than lakton hja godlik and sêidon, aste thyrath thene mêna fyand to bikåmpane, så kånst thin brêid jet fül riker mêida jan and iet forstelik têra. Al bêda sviaringa fon Friso send bostigjad mith toghaterum thêra romriksta forstum, and åfkernêi kêmon tha Saxanar knapa and mangêrtne by êlle keddum nêi that Flymar del.

Tha burchfâmna ând tha alda fâmna thêr jeta fon hjar êre grâthêd wiste, nygadon navt vr nêi Frisos bedriv, thêrvmbe ne kêthon hja nên god fon him. Men Friso snôder as hja lêt-ra snâka. Men tha jonga fâmna spônd-er mith goldne fingrum an sina sêk. Hja sêidon alomme wy nâvath longer nên Moder mâr, men thât kvmth dâna thât wit jêroch send. Jvd past vs ne kâning, til thju wi vsa landa wither winna, thêr tha Modera vrlêren hâve thrvch hjara

<sup>\*</sup> Zie bl. 11.

lies far in the Saxsenmarken. Friso gave him to take seven horses, besides his own, laden with precious things With each horse there were stolen by the sea-rovers. two young sea-rovers and two young horsemen, clad in rich garments, and with money in their purses. In the same way as he sent Hetto to Kattaburgt, he sent Bruno -that is, brown-the other brother-in-law, to Mannagarda Mannagarda oord was written Mannagarda ford in oord. the earlier part of this book, but that is wrong. riches that they took with them were given away, according to circumstances, to princes, princesses, and chosen When his young men went to the tavern to young girls. dance with the young people there, they ordered baskets of spice, gingerbread, and tuns of the best beer. these messengers he let his young people constantly go over to the Saxsenmarken, always with money in their purses and presents to give away, and they spent money carelessly in the taverns. When the Saxsen youths looked with envy at this they smiled, and said, If you dare go and fight the common enemy you would be able to give much richer presents to your brides, and live much more princely. Both the brothers-in-law of Friso had married daughters of the chief princes, and afterwards the Saxsen youths and girls came in whole troops to the Flymeer.

The burgtmaidens and old maidens who still remembered their greatness did not hold with Friso's object, and therefore they said no good of him; but Friso, more cunning than they, let them chatter, but the younger maidens he led to his side with golden fingers. They said everywhere, For a long time we have had no mother, but that comes from our being fit to take care of ourselves. At present it suits us best to have a king to win back our lands that we have lost through the imprudence of our mothers.

<sup>\*</sup> See page 11.

vndigerhêd. Forth kêthon hja, alrek Fryasbern is frydom jêven, sin stem hêra to lêtane bi fara thêr bisloten warth bi t kjasa ênre forste, men ast alsa wyd kyma machte thât i jo wither ne kåning kjasa, så wil ik åk min mêne segse. Nêi al hwat ik skoja mêi, sâ is Friso thêr to thrych Wr.alda kêren, hwand hi heth im wonderlik hir hinne wêiad. Friso wêt tha hrenka thêra Golum, hwam his tâle hi sprêkt, hi kan thus ajen hjara lestum wâka. is thêr jeta awet to skojande, hok Grêva skolde mån to kåning kjasa synder that tha ôra thêr nidich vr wêron. Aldulkera tâlum warth thrych tha jonga fâmnn kethen, men tha alde fâmma afskên fê an tal, tapadon hjara rêdne ut en ôthera bårg. Hja kêthon allerwêikes and to alla mannalik: Friso kêthon hja dvath sâ tha spinna dvan, thes nachtis sponth-i netta nei alle sidum and thes deis vrskalkth-i thêr sina vnåftertochtlika frjunda in. sêith that-er nêne prestera ner poppa forsta lyde ne mêi, men ik seg, hi ne mêi nimman lyda as him selva. vmbe nil hi navt ne daja that thju burch Stavia wither vp heiath warth. Thêrvmbe wil hi nêne Moder wêr hâ. is Friso jow rêd jêvar, men morne wil hi jow kåning wertha, til thju hi over jo alle rjuchta mei. Inna bosm thes folkis antstondon nw twa partyja. Tha alda and arma wildon wither êne Moder hâ, men that jongkfolk, that fvl strêdlust wêre wilde ne tât jeftha kaning hâ. Tha erosta hêton hjara selva moder his svna ånd tha ôthera hêton hjara selva tât his svna, men tha Moder his svna ne wrde wrde navt ni meld, hwand thrvchdam thêr fêlo skêpa måked wrde, was ther ovirflod to fåra skipmåkar, smeda, sylmåkar, rêpmåkar ånd to fåra alle ôra ambachtisljud. Thêr to boppa brochton tha sêkâmpar allerlêja syrhêda Thêr fon hêdon tha wiva nocht, tha fâmna nocht, mith. tha mangêrtne nocht, and thêrof hêdon al hjara mêgum nocht, and al hjara frjundum and athum.

Further they said, Every child of Frya has permission to let his voice be heard before the choice of a prince is decided; but if it comes to that, that you choose a king, then also we will have our say. From all that we can see, Wr-alda has appointed Friso for it, for he has brought him here in a wonderful way. Friso knows the tricks of the Gauls, whose language he speaks; he can therefore watch against their craftiness. Then there is something else to keep the eye upon. What count could be chosen as king without the others being jealous of him? All such nonsense the young maidens talked; but the old maidens, though few in number, tapped their advice out of another They said always and to every one: Friso does like the spiders. At night he spreads his webs in all directions, and in the day he catches in them all his unsuspecting friends. Friso says he cannot suffer any priests or foreign princes, but we say that he cannot suffer anybody but himself; therefore he will not allow the citadel of Stavia to be rebuilt; therefore he will not have the mother again. To-day Friso is your counsellor, to-morrow he will be your king, in order to have full power over you. Among the people there now existed two parties. old and the poor wished to have the mother again, but the young and the warlike wished for a father and a king. The first called themselves mother's sons, the others father's sons, but the mother's sons did not count for much; because there were many ships to build, there was a good time for all kinds of workmen. Moreover, the sea-rovers brought all sorts of treasures, with which the maidens were pleased, the girls were pleased, and their relations and friends.

Tha Friso bi fjuwertich jêr et Ståveren hushalden hêde sturf-er.\* Thrvch sin bijelda hêde-r fêlo ståta wither to manlik ôtherum brocht, thach jef wi thêr thrvch bêter wrde thvr ik navt bijechta. Fon alle Grêva thêr bifåra him wêron n-as thêr nimman så bifåmed lik Friso wêst. Tha så as-k êr sêide, tha jonge fåmna kêthon sina love, thahwila tha alda fåmna ella dêdon vmb-im to achtjane ånd håtlik to måkjane bi alle månniska. Nw ne machton tha alda fåmna him thêr mitha wel navt ne stôra in sina bijeldinga, men hja håvon mith hjara båra thach alsa fül utrjucht thåt-er sturven is synder thåt er kåning wêre.

# NW WIL IK SKRIWA VR ADEL SIN SVNV.

Friso thêr vsa skidnese lêred hêde ut-et bok thêra Adellinga, hêde ella dên vmbe hjara frjundskip to winnande. Sin êroste svnv thêr hi hir won by Swêthirte sin wif, heth-er bi stonda Adel hêten. And afskên hi kampade mith alle sin weld, vmbe nêne burga to forstålane ner wither vp to bywande, thach sand hi Adel nei there burch et Texland til thju hi diger bi diger kvd wertha machta, mith ella hwat to vsa êwa, tâle and sedum hêreth. Adel twintich jer talde let Friso him to sin ajn skol kvma, ånd as er thêr utlêred was, lêt-er him thrvch ovir alle Adel was-ne minlika skalk, bi sin fåra hether fêlo âtha wnnen. Dâna is-t kvmen that et folk him Atha-rik hêten heth, awet hwat him afternêi sa wel to pase kêm, hwand as sin tât fallen was, bilêv-er in sin stêd svnder that er vr-et kjasa ên er ôthera Grêva sprêka kêm.

Thahwila Adel to Texland inna lêre wêre, was thêr tefta en êlle ljawe fâm in vpper burch. Hju kêm fon ut tha Saxanamarkum wêi, fon ut-êre stâtha thêr is kêthen Svôbaland thêr thrvch warth hju to Texland Svôbene† hêten, afskên

<sup>\* 263</sup> v. Chr.

<sup>†</sup> Hamconius, p. 8. Suobinna.

When Friso had been nearly forty years at Staveren he died. Owing to him many of the states had been joined together again, but that we were the better for it I am not prepared to certify. Of all the counts that preceded him there was none so renowned as Friso; for, as I said before, the young maidens spoke in his praise, while the old maidens did all in their power to make him hateful to everybody. Although the old women could not prevent his meddling, they made so much fuss that he died without becoming king.

# Now I will write about his son Adel.

Friso, who had learned our history from the book of the Adelingen, had done everything in his power to win their friendship. His eldest son, whom he had by his wife Swethirte, he named Adel; and although he strove with all his might to prevent the building or restoring any citadels, he sent Adel to the citadel of Texland in order to make himself better acquainted with our laws, language, and customs. When Adel was twenty years old Friso brought him into his own school, and when he had fully educated him he sent him to travel through all the states. Adel was an amiable young man, and in his travels he made many friends, so the people called him Atharik—that is, rich in friends—which was very useful to him afterwards, for when his father died he took his place without a question of any other count being chosen.

While Adel was studying at Texland there was a lovely maiden at the citadel. She came from Saxen-marken, from the state of Suobaland, therefore she was called at Texland Suobene, although her name

<sup>\* 263</sup> before Christ.

<sup>†</sup> Hamconius, page 8. Suobinna.

Adel hêde hja ljaf krêjen and hju hjra nôme Ifkja wêre. hêde Adel ljaf, men sin tåt bêd-im hi skolde jet wachtja. Adel was hêrich, men alsa ring sin tât fallen was and hi sêten, sand hi bistonda bodon nei Berth-holda hira tât hin, as-er sine toghter to wif hava machte. wêr-ne forste fon vnforbastere sêd, hi hêde Ifkja nêi Texland inna lêre synden inner hape that hja ênis to burchfâm kêre wrde skolde in sine ajn land. Thach hi hêde hjara bêder gêrte kanna lêred, thêrvmbe gyng-er to ånd jef hjam sina sêjen. Ifkja wêr-ne kante Fryas. Far sa fêre ik hja hav kanna lêred, heth hju alôn wrocht and wrot til thju Fryasbern wither kvma machte vndera selva êwa ånd vnder ênen bôn. Vmbe tha månniska vppa hira syd to krêjande, was hju mith hira frjudelf fon of hira tåt thrych alle Saxanamarka fåren and forth Gêrtmannja alsa hêdon tha Gêrtnêi Gêrtmannja. manna hjara ståt hêten, thêr hja thrvch Gosa hira bijeldinga krêjen hêde. Dâna gyngen hja nei tha Dênemarka. Fon tha Dênemarka gyngon hja skip nei Texland. Texland gyngon hja nêi Westflyland en sa allingen tha sê nêi Walhallagâra hin. Fon Walhallagâra brûdon hja allingen thêra sûder Hrênum al ont hja mith grâta frêse boppa thêre Rêne bi tha Marsâta kêmon\* hwêrfon vsa Apollânja skrêven heth. Tho hja thêr en stût wêst hêde, gyngon hja wither nêi tha delta.† As hja nw en tid lông nêi tha delta offaren wêron al ont hja inna strêk fon thêre alda burch Aken! kêmon, sind thêr vnwarlinga fjuwer skalka morth and naked uteklåt. Hia wêron en lith åfter an kymen. Min brother thêr vral by was hêde hja often vrbêden, thach hja nêde navt ne hêred. thêr that dên hêde wêron Twisklandar thêr juddêga drist wêi ovira Hrêna kvma to morda and to râwande. Tha Twislândar that sind bannane and wei britne Fryas-

<sup>\*</sup> Zie bl. 150.

<sup>‡</sup> Aken, Aken.

<sup>†</sup> Delte nog in N. Holland in gebruik, laagte.

was Ifkja. Adel fell in love with her, and she with him, but his father wished him to wait a little. as he wished; but as soon as he was dead, sent messengers to Berthold, her father, to ask her in marriage. Berthold was a prince of high-principled feelings. had sent his daughter to Texland in the hope that she might be chosen Burgtmaagd in her country, but when he knew of their mutual affection he bestowed his blessing upon them. Ifkja was a clever Frisian. As far as I have been able to learn, she always toiled and worked to bring the Frya's people back under the same laws and To bring the people to her side, she travelled with her husband through all Saxenmarken, and also to Geertmannia—as the Geertmen had named the country which they had obtained by means of Gosa. Thence they went to Denmark, and from Denmark by sea to Texland. From Texland they went to Westflyland, and so along the coast to Walhallagara; thence they followed the Zuiderryn (the Waal), till, with great apprehension, they arrived beyond the Rhine at the Marsaten of whom our Apollonia When they had stayed there a little time, has written. they returned to the lowlands. When they had been some time descending towards the lowlands, and had reached about the old citadel of Aken, four of their servants were suddenly murdered and stripped. loitered a little behind. My brother, who was always on the alert, had forbidden them to do so, but they did not listen to him. The murderers that had committed this crime were Twisklanders, who had at that time audaciously crossed the Rhine to murder and to steal. The Twisklanders are banished and fugitive children of Frya,

<sup>\*</sup> See page 150.

<sup>†</sup> Delta, still in use in North Holland for swampy land.

bern, men hjara wiva håvath hja fon tha Tartarum råwet. Tha Tartara is en brûn Findas folk, althus hêten thrvchdam hia alle folka to strida uttarta. Hja send al hrutar and rawar. Thêr fon send tha Twisklandar alsa blod thorstich wrden. Tha Twisklandar tham thju argnise dên hêde, hêton hjara selva Frya jeftha Franka. Ther weron sêide min brother râda bruna and wita mong. Thêre thêr råd jeftha brun wêron biton hjara hêre mith sjalkwêter \* Nêidam hjara ônthlita thêr brun by wêr, alsa wrdon hja thesto lêdliker thêr thrych. Evin as Apollânja biskojadon hja åfternêi Lydasburch ånd et Aldergå. tâgon hju in over Stâverens wrde by hjara ljuda rond. Alsa minlik hêdon hja hjara selva anståled that tha månniska ra allerwêikes halda wilde. Thrê mônatha forther sand Adel bodon néi alle åthum thêr hi biwnnen hêde ånd lêt tham bidda, hja skoldon inna Minna mônath lichta ljuda to him senda †

<sup>\*</sup> Diod Sic. V. 28.

<sup>†</sup> Hier heeft de afschrijver Hiddo oera Linda een blad te veel omgeslagen, en daardoor twee bladzijden overgeslagen.

but their wives they have stolen from the Tartars. The Tartars are a brown tribe of Finda's people, who are thus named because they make war on everybody. all horsemen and robbers. This is what makes the Twisklanders so bloodthirsty. The Twisklanders who had done the wicked deed called themselves Frijen or Franken. There were among them, my brother said, red, brown, and white men. The red and brown made their hair white with lime-water-but as their faces remained brown, they were only the more ugly. In the same way as Apollonia, they visited Lydasburgt and the Alderga. Afterwards they made a tour of all the neighbourhood of Stavera. They behaved with so much amiability, that everywhere the people wished to keep them. Three months later, Adel sent messengers to all the friends that he had made, requesting them to send to him their "wise men" in the month of May. †

<sup>\*</sup> Diodorus Siculus, V. 28.

<sup>†</sup> Here the copyist, Hiddo cera Linda, has turned over a leaf too much, and has thus omitted two pages.

sin wif sêid er thêr fâm wêst hêde to Texlând, hêde dâna en ovirskrift krêjen. To Texland warthat jeta fêlo skrifta fvnden, thêr navt in-t bok thêra Adelinga vrskrêven send. Fon thissa skriftum hêde Gosa ên bi hira utroste wille lêid, thêr thrveh tha aldeste fâm Albêthe avbêr mâkt wertha most, alsa ringen Friso fallen was.

# HYR IS THAT SKRIFT MITH GOSAS RED.

Tha Wr.alda bern jêf an tha modera fon that manniskelik slachte, tha lêid er êne tale in aller tonga and vp Thjus mêide hêde Wr.alda an tha manniska aller lippa. jêven, til thju hja månlik ôthera thêrmith machte kånbêr måkja, hwat mån formyde mot ånd hwat mån bijagja mot vmbe sêlighêd to findane and sêlighêd to haldane in al Wr.alda is wis and god and al farsjande. dam er nw wist, that luk and selighed fon irtha flya mot, jef boshêd düged bidroga mêi, alsa heth er an thju tâl êne rjuchtfêrdige ajendomlikhêd fast bonden. Thjus ajendomlikhêd is thêr an lêgen, that man thêr mith nên lêjen sêge, ner bidroglika worda sprêka ne mêi synder stem lêth noch synder skåmråd, thrych hvam mån tha bosa fon hirte bistonda vrkanna mêi. Nêidam vsa tâle thus to luk and to selighed wejath, and thus mith wakt åjen tha bosa nygonga, thêrvmbe is hju mith alle rjucht godis tâle hêten, ând alle tha jêna hwam hja an êre halda hâvath thêr gôme fon. Tha hwat is bêrth. ring ther mong vsa halfsusterum and halfbrotharum bidrogar vpkêmon, tham hjara selva fori godis skalkum utjavon, also ring is that owers wrden. Tha bidroglika prestera and tha wrangwrêja forsta thêr immer sêmin hêladon, wildon nêi wilkêr lêva and buta god-is êwa dvan. In hjara his wife, he said, who had been maagd of Texland, had received a copy of it. In Texland many writings are still found which are not copied in the book of the Adelingen. One of these writings had been placed by Gosa with her last will, which was to be opened by the oldest maiden, Albetha, as soon as Friso was dead.

# HERE IS THE WRITING WITH GOSA'S ADVICE.

When Wr-alda gave children to the mothers of mankind, he gave one language to every tongue and to all lips. This gift Wr-alda had bestowed upon men in order that by its means they might make known to each other what must be avoided and what must be followed to find salvation, and to hold salvation to all eternity. Wr-alda is wise and good, and all-foreseeing. As he knew that happiness and holiness would flee from the earth when wickedness could overcome virtue, he has attached to the language an equitable property. This property consists in this, that men can neither lie nor use deceitful words without stammering or blushing, by which means the innately bad are easily known.

As thus our language opens the way to happiness and blessedness, and thus helps to guard against evil inclinations, it is rightly named the language of the gods, and all those by whom it is held in honour derive honour from it. But what has happened? As soon as among our half brothers and sisters deceivers arose, who gave themselves out as servants of the good, it soon became otherwise. The deceitful priests and the malignant princes, who always clung together, wished to live according to their own inclinations, without regard to the laws of right. In their wickedness they went

tsjodishêd send hja to gvngen ånd håvon ôthera tåla forsvnnen, til thju hja hêmlik machte sprêka in åjenwårtha fon alrek ôtherum, vr alle bosa thinga ånd vr alle vnwêrthlika thinga svnder thåt stemlêth hjam vrrêda mocht nach skåmråd hjara gelåt vrderva. Men hwat is thêrut bern. Êvin blyd as-t sêd thêra goda krûdum fon vnder ne grvnd ut vntkêmth, thåt avbêr sêjed is thrvch goda ljuda by helle dêi, êven blyd brength tyd tha skådlika krûda an-t ljucht, thêr sêjed send thrvch bosa ljuda in-t forborgne ånd by thjustrenesse.

Tha lodderiga mangertne ånd tha vnmånlika knåpa thêr mitha vvla presterum and forstum horadon vntlvkadon tha nya tâla an hjara bola, thêrwisa send hja forth kymen êmong tha folkrum, til thju hja god-is tâle glâd vrjetten Wilst nw wêta hwat thêr of wrden is? Nv stemlêth ner gelât hjara bosa tochta navt longer mar vrrêdon, nv is düged fon ut hjara midden wêken, wisdom is folgth ånd frydom is mith gyngen, êndracht is sok råkt ånd twispalt heth sin stêd innommen, ljafde is fljucht ånd hordom sith mith nyd an têfel, and thêr êr rjuchtfêrdichhêd welde, welth nv that swerd. Alle send slavona wrden, tha ljuda fon hjara hêra, fon nyd, bosa lusta ånd bigyrlikhêd. Hêde hja nymår ene tåle forsynnen, müglik was-t thån jet en lith god gyngen. Men hja håvon alsa fêlo tâla utfonden as thêr stâta send. Thêrthrych mêi thát êne folk thát ôre folk êvin min forstân as thju kv thene hvnd ånd thi wolf that skêp. Thit mügath tha stjurar bitjuga. Thach dana is-t nv wêi kvmen, that alle slavona folkar manlik ôthara lik ôra månniska biskoja ånd thåt hja to straffe hjarar vndigerhêd ånd fon hjara vrmêtenhêd, månlik ôthera alsa long biorloge and bikampa moton til thju alle vrdilgad send.

so far as to invent other languages, so that they might speak secretly in anybody's presence of their wicked and unworthy affairs without betraying themselves by stammering, and without showing a blush upon their countenances. But what has that produced? Just as the seed of good herbs which has been sown by good men in the open day springs up from the ground, so time brings to light the evil seed which has been sown by wicked men in secret and in darkness.

The wanton girls and effeminate youths who consorted with the immoral priests and princes, taught the new language to their companions, and thus spread it among the people till God's language was clean forgotten. you. know what came of all this? how that stammering and blushing no longer betrayed their evil doings; --virtue passed away, wisdom and liberty followed; unity was lost, and quarrelling took its place; love flew away, and unchastity and envy met round their tables; and where previously justice reigned, now it is the sword. slaves—the subjects of their masters, envy, bad passions and covetousness. If they had only invented one language things might possibly have still gone on well; but they invented as many languages as there are states, so that one people can no more understand another people than a cow a dog, or a wolf a sheep. The mariners can bear witness to this. From all this it results that all the slave people look upon each other as strangers; and that as a punishment of their inconsiderateness and presumption, they must quarrel and fight till they are all destroyed.

## HYR IS NV MIN RÊD.

Bist thv alsa gyrich that thu irtha allêna erva wilste, alsa achst thv nimmer mâre nên ôre tâle ovir thina wêra ni kvma to lêtane as god-is tâle, ând thân achst thv to njodane, til thju thin âjn tâle fry fon uthêmeda klinka bilyweth. Wilst thv thât er svme fon Lydas bern ând fon Findas bern resta, sâ dvath stv êvin alsa. Thju tâle thêra Ast Skênlandar is thrvch tha wla Mâgjara vrbrûd; thju tâle thêra Kaltana folgar is thrvch tha smûgrige Gole vrderven. Nv send wi alsa mild wêst vmbe tha witherkvmande Hellêna folgar wither in vs midden to nêmande, men ik skrom ând ben sêrelik ange, thât hja vs mild-sa vrjelda skilun mith vrbrûding vsra rêne tâle.

Fül havon wi witherfaren, men fon alle burgum, thêr thrvch arge tyd vrhomlath send and vrdiligad, heth Irtha Fryasburch vnforleth bihalden; ak mêi ik thêr by melda that Fryas jeftha god-is tale hir evin vnforleth bihalden is.

Hyr to Texland most mån thus skola stifta, fon alle ståtum ther et mitha alda sedum halda, most-et jongk folk hyr hinne senden wrde, åfterdam mochton thera utlered were tha ora helpa ther to honk vrbeide. Willath tha ora folkar ysre weron fon thi sella end thervr mith thi spreka and thinga, så moton hja to god-iståle wither kera. Lerath hja god-iståle så skilun tha worda fry-så and rjucht-hå to hjara inkvma, in hjara brein skilet than bijina to glimmande and to glorande til thju ella to-ne logha warth. Thissa logha skil alle balda forsta vrtera and alle skinfråna and smugriga prestera.

Tha hêinde and fêrhêmande sendabodon hêdon nocht fon vr that skrift, thach thêr ne kêmon nêne skola. Tha stifte Adel selva skola, after him dêdon tha ôra forsta lik hy. Jêrlikis gyngon Adel and Ifkja tha skola skoja. Fandon hja than êmong tha inhêmar and uthêmar seliga thêr ekkorum

## HERE IS MY COUNSEL.

If you wish that you alone should inherit the earth, you must never allow any language but God's language to pass your lips, and take care that your own language remains free from outlandish sounds. If you wish that some of Lyda's children and some of Finda's children remain, you must do the same. The language of the East Schoonlanders has been perverted by the vile Magyars, and the language of the followers of Kaltana has been spoiled by the dirty Gauls. Now, we have been weak enough to admit among us the returned followers of Hellenia, but I anxiously fear that they will reward our weakness by debasing our pure language.

Many things have happened to us, but among all the citadels that have been disturbed and destroyed in the bad time, Irtha has preserved Fryasburgt uninjured; and I may remark that Frya's or God's language has always remained here untainted.

Here in Texland, therefore, schools should be established; and from all the states that have kept to the old customs the young people should be sent here, and afterwards those whose education is complete can help those who remain at home. If foreigners come to buy ironwares from you, and want to talk and bargain, they must come back to God's language. If they learn God's language, then the words, "to be free" and "to have justice," will come to them, and glimmer and glitter in their brains to a perfect light, and that flame will destroy all bad princes and hypocritical dirty priests.

The native and foreign messengers were pleased with that writing, but no schools came from it. Then Adel established schools himself. Every year Adel and Ifkja went to inspect the schools. If they found a friendly feeling

frjundskip båradon, så lêton bêde gråte blidskip blika. Hêdon svme seliga ekkorum frjundskip sworen, alsa lêton hja alra mannalik to manlik ôrum kvma, mith gråte ståt lêton hja thån hjara nôma in en bok skriva, thrvch hjam thåt bok thêra frjundskip hêten, åfter dam warth fêrst halden. Al thissa plêga wrde dên vmbe tha asvndergana twyga fon Fryas stam wither et sêmene to snôrane. Men tha famna thêr Adel ånd Ifkja nydich wêron, sêidon that hja-t niwerth ôre vr dêdon as vmb en gode hrop, ånd vmb bi grådum to weldana in ovir ênis ôther man his ståt.

By min tåt sinra skriftum hav ik enen bref funden, skrevin thrvch Ljudgerth thene Gertman,\* bihalva svmlika seka ther min tåt allena jelde, jef ik hyr that othera to that besta.

Pang-ab, that is fyf watera and hwer neffen wi wech kvme, is-ne runstrame fon afsvnderlika skenhed. and fif watera hêten vmb thet fjuwer ôra runstrama thrvch El fere astwarth is noch ne sine mvnd in se floja. grâte runstrâme thêr hêlige jeftha frâna Gong-ga hêten. Twisk thysum runstramne is-t lond thera Hindos. runstrama runath fon tha haga bergum nêi tha delta Tha berga hwana se del strame sind alsa hach thet se to tha himel laja. Thêrvmbe warth-et berchta Himellaja berchta hêten. Vnder tha Hindos and othera ut-a lôndum sind welka ljuda mank thêr an stilnise by malkorum kyma. Se gelavath thet se vnforbastere bern Findas sind. Se gelavath thet Finda fon ut-et Himmellaja berchta bern is, hvana se mith hjara bern nêi tha delta jeftha lêgte togen is. Welke vnder tham gelâvath thet se mith hjra bern vppet skum thêr hêlige Thêrvmbe skolde thi runstrâme Gongga del gonggen is. hêlige Gongga hêta. Mâr tha prestera thêr ut en ôr lônd wech kyma lêton thi ljuda vpspêra and vrbarna, thêrymbe

<sup>\*</sup> Zie bl. 164.

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existing between the natives and foreigners, they were extremely pleased. If there were any who had sworn friendship together, they assembled the people, and with great ceremony let them inscribe their names in a book which was called the Book of Friendship, and afterwards a festival was held. All these customs were kept up in order to bring together the separate branches of Frya's race; but the maidens who were opposed to Adel and Ifkja said that they did it for no other reason than to make a name for themselves, and to bring all the other states under their subjection.

Among my father's papers I found a letter from Liudgert the Geertman. Omitting some passages which only concern my father, I proceed to relate the rest.

Punjab, that is five rivers, and by which we travel, is a river of extraordinary beauty, and is called Five Rivers, because four other streams flow into the sea by its mouth. Far away to the eastward is another large river, the Holy Between these two rivers is the land or Sacred Ganges. of the Hindoos. Both rivers run from the high mountains to the plains. The mountains in which their sources lie are so high that they reach the heavens (laia), and therefore these mountains are called Himmellaia. Among the Hindoos and others out of these countries there are people who meet together secretly. They believe that they are pure children of Finda, and that Finda was born in the Himmellaia mountains, whence she went with her Some of them believe that she, children to the lowlands. with her children, floated down upon the foam of the Ganges, and that that is the reason why the river is called the Sacred Ganges. But the priests, who came from another country, traced out these people and had them burnt, so that they

<sup>\*</sup> See page 164.

ne thurvath se far hjara sêk nit ôpentlik ut ni kyma. thet lond sind olle prestera tjok and rik. In hjara charka werthat ôllerlêja drochtenlika byldon fynden, thêr ynder sind fêlo golden mank. Biwesta Pangab thêr sind tha Yra jeftha wranga, tha Gedrostne jeftha britne, and tha Orjetten jeftha vrjetne. Ol thisa nôma sind-ar thrych tha nydige prestera jêven, thrychdam hja fon ar fljuchte, ymb sêda and gelav, bi hjara kvmste hêdon vsa êthla hjara selva åk an tha åstlika ower fon Pangab del set, men vmb thêra prestera wille sind se âk nêi thêr wester ower fâren. Thêrthrych havon wi tha Yra and tha ôthera kenna lêrth. Tha Yra ne sind nêne yra mâr gôda minska thêr nêna byldon to lêta nach ônbidda, âk willath se nêna charka nach prestar doga, and êvin als wi-t frana ljucht fon Fasta vpholda, êvin så holdon se ôllerwechs fjur in hjara hûsa vp. Kvmth môn efter êl westlik, ôlså kvmth môn by tha Fon tha Gedrostne. Thisa sind mith ôra folkrum bastered ånd sprêkath ôlle afsynderlika tâla. Thisa minska sind wêrentlik yra bonar, thêr ammer mith hjara horsa vp overa fjelda dwâla, thêr ammer jâgja ånd râwa and thêr hjara selva als salt-atha forhêra an tha omhêmmande forsta, ther wille hwam se alles nither hawa hwat se birêka müge.

Thet lond twisk Pangab and ther Gongga is like flet as Fryaslond an tha se, afwixlath mith fjeldum and waldum, fruchtbar an alle delum, mar thet mach nit vrletta that ther bi hwila thusanda by thusanda thruch honger biswike. This hongernede mach therumbe nit an Wr.alda nach an Irtha wyten nit wertha, mar allena an tha forsta and prestera. Tha Hindos sind ivin blode and forfered from hjara forstum, als tha hindne from tha wolva sind. Therumbe havon tha Yra and ora ra Hindos heten, thet hindne bitjoth. Mar fon hjara blodhed warth afgrislika misbruk makth. Kumat ther ferhemande kapljud umb keren to kapjande, alsa warth alles to jeldum

do not dare to declare openly their creed. In this country all the priests are fat and rich. In their churches there are all kinds of monstrous images, many of them of gold. To the west of the Punjab are the Yren (Iraniers), or morose (Drangianen), the Gedrosten (Gedrosiers), or runaways, and the Urgetten, or forgotten. These names are given by the priests out of spite, because they fled from their customs and religion. On their arrival our forefathers likewise established themselves to the east of the Punjab, but on account of the priests they likewise went to the west. In that way we learned to know the Yren and other people. The Yren are not savages, but good people, who neither pray to nor tolerate images; neither will they suffer priests or churches; but as we adhere to the light of Fasta, so they everywhere maintain fire in their houses. Coming still further westward, we arrive at the Gedrosten. Regarding the Gedrosten: They have been mixed with other people, and speak a variety of languages. These people are really savage murderers, who always wander about the country on horseback hunting and robbing, and hire themselves as soldiers to the surrounding princes, at whose command they destroy whatever they can reach.

The country between the Punjab and the Ganges is as flat as Friesland near the sea, and consists of forests and fields, fertile in every part, but this does not prevent the people from dying by thousands of hunger. The famines, however, must not be attributed to Wr-alda or Irtha, but to the princes and priests. The Hindoos are timid and submissive before their princes, like hinds before wolves. Therefore the Yren and others have called them Hindoos, which means hinds. But their timidity is frightfully abused. If strangers come to purchase corn, everything is turned

Thrych tha prestera ni warth et nit wêrth, hwand thisa noch snoder and jyriger als alle forsta to samene, wytath êl god, thet al-et jeld endlik in hjara bûdar kvmth. Buta and bihalva thet tha ljuda ther ful fon hjara forsta lyda, moton hja åk noch fül fon thet fenynige ånd wilde kwik lyda. Thêr send store elefante thêr by êle keddum hlâpa, thêr bihwyla êle fjelda kêren vrtrappe and êle Thêr sind bonte and swarte katta, tigrum hêten, thêr så grât als grâte kalvar sind, thêr minsk ånd djar vrslynne. Bûta fêlo ôra wriggum sind thêr snâka fon af tha grâte êner wyrme âl to tha grâte êner bâm. teste kennath en êle kv vrslynna, mâr tha lythste sind noch frêsliker als tham. Se holdon hjara selva twisk blom and fruchta skul vmb tha minska to bigana tham thêr of plokja wille. Is môn thêr fon byten, så mot môn stårva, hwand åjen hjara fenyn heth Irtha nena krûda jêven, ôlsânâka tha minska hjara selva håvon skildich mâkt an afgodie. Forth sind thêr ôllerlêja slacht fon hâchdiska nyndiska ånd adiska, ôl thisa diska sind yvin als tha snâka fon of ne wyrme til-ne bâmstame grât, nêi that hja grât jof frêslik sind, sind hjara nôma, thêr ik alle nit noma ni ken, tha aldergråtesta ådiska sind algåtter hêten, thrychdam se yvin grûsich bitte an thet rotte kwik, that mith-a strâma fon boppa nêi tha delta dryweth as an thet lêvande kwik, that se bigâna müge. An tha westsyde fon Pangab, wânâ wi wech kvme ånd hwer ik bern ben, thêr blojath and waxath tha selva frûchta and nochta as an tha âstsyde. To fâra wrdon er âk tha selva wrigga fonden, mår vsa ethla havon alle krylwalda vrbårnath ånd alsånåka åfter et wilde kwik jåged, that ther fê mår resta. Kymtk man êl westlik fon Pangab, then finth man neffen fette etta åk

into money, and this is not prevented by the priests, beoause they, being more crafty and rapacious than all the princes put together, know very well that all the money will come into their pockets. Besides what the people suffer from their princes, they suffer a great deal from poisonous and wild beasts. There are great elephants that sometimes go about in whole flocks and trample down cornfields and whole villages. There are great black and white cats which are called tigers. They are as large as calves, and they devour both men and beasts. Besides other creeping animals there are snakes from the size of a worm to the size of a tree. The largest can swallow a cow, but the smallest are the most deadly. They conceal themselves among the fruits and flowers, and surprise the people who come to gather them. Any one who is bitten by them is sure to die, as Irtha has given no antidote to their poison, because the people have so given themselves up to idolatry. There are, besides, all sorts of lizards, tortoises, and crocodiles. All these reptiles, like the snakes, vary from the size of a worm to the trunk of a tree. According to their size and fierceness, they have names which I cannot recollect, but the largest are called alligators, because they eat as greedily the putrid cattle that float down the stream as they do living animals that they seize. the west of the Punjab where we come from, and where I was born, the same fruits and crops grow as on the east side. Formerly there existed also the same crawling animals, but our forefathers burnt all the underwood, and so diligently hunted all the wild animals, that there are scarcely any left. To the extreme west of the Punjab there is found rich clay land

dorra gêstlanda thêr vnendlik skina, bihwila ofwixlath mith ljaflika strêka, hwêran thet ag forbonden bilywet. Vnder tha fruchta fon min land sind fêlo slachta mank, thêr ik hyr nit fvnden hav. Vnder allerlêja kêren is er åk golden mank, åk goldgêle aple, hwêrfon welke så swêt as hûning sind, and welka sa wrang as êk. By vs werthat nochta fonden lik bern-håveda så gråt, ther sit tsys ånd melok in, werthat se ald så måkt man ther ôlja fon, fon tha bastum måkt mån tåw ånd fon tha kernum måkt mån chelka and ôr gerâd. Hyr inna walda hav ik krup and stâkbêja sjan. By vs sind bêibâma als jow lindabâma, hwêrfon tha bêja fül swêter and thêrwara grater as stakbêja sind. Hwersa tha dêga vppa sin olderlôngste sind and thin synne fon top skinth, then skinth se linrjucht vppa jow hole del. Is mån then mith sin skip êl fêr sûdlik faren, ånd mån thes meddêis mith sin gelât nêi-t åsten kêred, så skinth synne åjen thine winstere syde lik se ôwers ajen thine fêre syde dvath. Hyrmitha wil ik enda, mår after min skrywe skil-et thi licht nog falla, vmb tha lêgenaftiga teltjas to müge skiftane fon tha wara tellinga.—Jow Ljudgêrt.

## THET SKRIFT FON BEDEN.

Mine nôm is Bêden, Hachgâna his svn. Konerêd min êm is nimmer bostigjath ånd alsa bernlâs sturven. My heth mån in sin stêd koren. Adel thene thredde kåning fon thjuse nôme heth thju kêse godkêrth, mites ik him as mina måstre bikenna wilde. Buta thåt fylle erv minre êm heth-er mi en êle plek grvnd jêven thåt an mina erva pålade, vnder fårwêrde that ik thêrvp skolde månniska stålla ther sina ljuda nimmerthe skolde.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Hier ontbreken in het H. S. twintig bladzijden (misschien meer), waarin Beeden geschreven heeft ovir dien koning Adel III. (Bij onze kronijk schrijvers Ubbo genoemd.)

as well as barren heaths, which seem endless, occasionally varied lovely spots on which the eye rests enchanted. Among the fruits there are many that I have not found Among the various kinds of corn some is as yellow There are also golden apples, of which some are as sweet as honey and others as sour as vinegar. country there are nuts as large as a child's head. They contain cheese and milk. When they are old oil is made Of the husks ropes are made, and of the from them. shells cups and other household utensils are made. found in the woods here bramble and holly berries. In my country we have trees bearing berries, as large as your lime-trees, the berries of which are much sweeter and three times as large as your gooseberries. days are at the longest, and the sun is in the zenith, a man's body has no shadow. If you sail very far to the south and look to the east at midday, the sun shines on your left side as it does in other countries on the right side. With this I will finish. It will be easy for you, by means of what I have written, to distinguish between false accounts and true descriptions.—Your Luidgert.

## THE WRITING OF BEEDEN.

My name is Beeden, son of Hachgana. My uncle, not having married, left no children. I was elected in his place. Adel, the third king of that name, approved of the choice, provided I should acknowledge him as master. In addition to the entire inheritance of my uncle, he gave me some land which joined my inheritance, on condition that I would settle people there who should never his people\*

<sup>\*</sup> Here there are wanting in the manuscript twenty pages (perhaps more), in which Beeden has written about the King, Adel the Third, called Ubbo by the writers of our chronicles.

thervmbe wil ik thet hir-ne sted forjune.

## Brêf fon Rika thju Aldfam, vpseid to Staveren by-t Jolfêrste.

Jy alle hwam his êthla mith Friso hir kêmon, min êrbydnesse to jo. Alsa jy mêne, send jy vnskeldich an Thêr nil ik jvd navt vr sprêka, men jvd wil ik jo vppen brek wysa, that fê bêtre sy. Jy wêtath jeftha jy nêtath navt, ho Wr.alda thusand glornôma heth, thach that wêtath jy alle that hy warth Alfêder hêten, ut êrsêke that alles in ut him warth and waxth to feding sinra skepsela. T-is wêr, that Irtha warth bihwyla ak Alfêdstre hêten, thrvchdam hju alle früchd and nochta berth, hwermitha månnisk ånd djar hjara selva fêde. Thach ne skolde hju nêne früchd ner nocht navt ne bêra, bydam Wr.alda hja nêne krefta ne jêf. Ak wiva ther hjara bern måma lêta an hjara brosta, werthat fêdstra hêten. Tha ne jêf Wr.alda thêr nên melok in, sa ne skoldon tha bern thêr nêne bâte by finda. Så thåt by slot fon reknong Wr.alda allena fêder bilywet. That Irtha bihwyla warth Alfedstre heten, and ene mam fêdstre, kan jeta thrvch-ne wende, men that-ne man him lêt fêder hête vmbe that er tat sy, that strid with-ajen alle rêdnum. Thá ik wêt wanat thjus dweshed wei kymth. Hark hyr, se kvmth fon vsa lêtha, and sahwersa thi folgath werthe, så skilun jy thêrthrych slåvona wertha to smert fon Frya and jowe hagmod to ne straf. Ik skil jo melda ho-t by tha slavona folkar to gyngen is, thêr after mêi jy lêra. Tha poppa kåningar tham nêi wilkêr lêva. stêkath Wr.alda nêi thêre krône, utn yd that Wr.alda Alfêder hêt, sa wildon hja fêdrum thêra folkar hêta. wêt allera mannalik that-ne kêning navt ovir-ne waxdom

therefore I will allow it a place here.

LETTER OF RIKA THE OUDMAAGD, READ AT STAVEREN AT THE JULL FEAST.

My greeting to all of you whose forefathers came here with Friso. According to what you say, you are not guilty of idolatry. I will not speak about that now, but will at once mention a failing which is very little better. or you do not know, how many titles Wr-alda has; but you all know that he is named universal provider, because that everything comes and proceeds from him for the sustenance of his creatures. It is true that Irtha is named sometimes the feeder of all, because she brings forth all the fruits and grains on which men and beasts are fed; but she would not bear any fruit or grain unless Wr-alda gave her the power. Women who nourish their children at their breasts are called nurses, but if Wr-alda did not give them milk the children would find no advantage; so that, in short, Wr-alda really is the nourisher. That Irtha should be called the universal nourisher, and that a mother should be called a feeder, one can understand, figuratively speaking; but that a father should be called a feeder, because he is a father, goes against all reason. know whence all this folly comes. Listen to me. It comes from our enemies; and if this is followed up you will become slaves, to the sorrow of Frya and to the punishment of your pride. I will tell you what happened to the slave people; from that you may take warning. The foreign kings, who follow their own will, place Wr-alda below the crown. From envy that Wr-alda is called the universal father, they wish also to be called fathers of the people. Now, everybody knows that kings do not regulate

ne welth, and that im sin feding thrvch that folk brocht warth, men thach wildon hja fvlherdja by hjara formêtenhệd. Til thju hja to-ra dol kvma machte, alsa hâvon hja thet forma navt fylden west mith tha frya jefta, men havon hja that folk ene tins vpleid. Fori thene skåt, tham thêrof kêm, hêradon hja vrlandiska salt-âtha, tham hja in-om hjara hova lêidon. Forth namon hja alsa fêlo wiva, as-ra luste, and the lithiga forsta and hera dedon al-en. As twist and tvyspalt afternêi inna hûshaldne glupte and thêr-vr klachta kêmon, tha havon hja sêid, ja-hweder man is thêne fêder fon sin hûshalden, thêrvmbe skil-er thêr âk bås ånd rjuchter ovir wêsa. Thå kêm wilker ånd evin as tham mitha mannum in ovir tha hûshaldne welde, gvng er mit tha kåningar in ovir hjara ståt ånd folkar dvan. Thâ tha kaningar et alsa wyd brocht hêdon, that hja fêderum thêra folkar hête, thâ gyngon hja to ånd lêton byldon åfter hjara dåntne måkja, thissa byldon lêton hja inna tha cherka stalla nëst tha byldon thëra drochtne and thi jena tham thêr navt far bûgja nilde, warth ombrocht jeftha an Jow êthla and tha Twisklandar havon mitha poppa forsta ommegvngen, dâna håvon hja thjuse dwêshêd Tha navt allêna that syme jower man hjara selva skeldich måkja an glornôma râw, âk mot ik my vr fêlo jower wiva biklâgja. Werthat by jo man funden, tham mith Wr.alda an ên lin wille, thêr werthat by jo wiva fvnden, thêr et mêi Frya wille. Vmbe that hja bern bêred have, lêtath hja hjara selva modar hêta. Tha hja vrjettath, that Frya bern bêrde synder jengong ênis mån. Jå navt allena that hja Frya and tha eremodar fon hjara glor-rika nôma birâwa wille, hwêran hja navt nâka ne müge, hja dvath alên mitha glornôma fon hjara nêsta. Thêr send wiva thêr hjarar selva lêtath frovva hêta,

the productiveness of the earth; and that they have their sustenance by means of the people, but still they will persist in their arrogance. In order to attain their object they were not satisfied from the beginning with free gifts, but imposed With the tax thus raised they hired a tax upon the people. foreign soldiers, whom they retained about their courts. Afterwards they took as many wives as they pleased, and the smaller princes and gentry did the same. When, in consequence, quarrels and disputes arose in the households, and complaints were made about it, they said every man is the father (feeder) of his household, therefore he shall be master and judge over it. Thus arose arbitrariness, and as the men ruled over their households the kings would do over their people. When the kings had accomplished that, they should be called fathers of the people, they had statues of themselves made, and erected in the churches beside the statues of the idols, and those who would not bow down to them were either killed or put in chains. forefathers and the Twisklanders had intercourse with the kings, and learned these follies from them. But it is not only that some of your men have been guilty of stealing titles, I have also much to complain of against your wives. If there are men among you who wish to put themselves on a level with Wr-alda, there are also women who wish to consider themselves equals of Frya. Because they have borne children, they call themselves mothers; but they forget that Frya bore children without having intercourse with a man. Yes, they not only have desired to rob Frya and the Eeremoeders of their honourable title (with whom they cannot put themselves upon an equality), but they do the same with the honourable titles of their fellow-creatures. There are women who allow themselves to be called ladies,

afsken hja wête that thjuse nôme allêna to forsta wiva hêreth. Ak lêtath hja hjara toghater fâmna hêta, vntankes hja wête, that nêne mangêrt alsa hêta ne mêi, wara hju to ene burch herth. Jy alle wanath that jy thruch that nôm râwa bêtre werthe, thach jy vrjettath that nyd thêr an klywet and that elk kwad sine tuchtrode sejath. Kêrath jy navt ne wither, så skil tid thêr waxdom an jêva, alsa stêrik that man et ende thêr of navt bisja ne mêi. åfterkymanda skilun thêr mith fêterath wertha, hja ne skilun navt ne bigripa hwânat thi slâga wêi kvme. afskên jy tha fâmna nêne burch bywe and an lot vrlête, thach skilun thêr bilywa, hja skilun fon ut wald and holum kvma, hja skilun jow åfterkvmande biwysa that jy thêr willens skildech an send. Than skil man jo vrdema, jow skina skilun vrfêth fon ut-a grêvum rysa, hja skilun Wr.alda, hja skilun Frya ånd hjara fâmna anhropa, thâ nimman skil-er awet an bêtra ne müge, bifare that Jol in op en ore hlåphring trêth, men thåt skil êrist bêra as thrê thûsand jêr vrhlâpen send after thisse êw.

ENDE FON RIKAS BRÊF.

<sup>\*</sup> Hier eindigde het schrijven van Beeden. In het H. S. ontbreken twee bladzijden volgens de paginatuur. Maar zonder twijfel ontbreekt er meer. De afgebroken aanhef van het volgende wijst aan, dat de aanvang van het volgende geschrift verloren gegaan is en daarmede ook de aanduiding van den naam des schrijvers, die een zoon of kleinzoon van Beeden kan geweest zijn.

although they know that that only belongs to the wives of princes. They also let their daughters be called maagden, although they know that no young girls are so called unless they belong to a citadel. You all fancy that you are the better for this name-stealing, but you forget that jealousy clings to it, and that every wrong sows the seed If you do not alter your course, in time of its own rod. it will grow so strong that you cannot see what will be Your descendants will be flogged by it, and will not know whence the stripes come. But although you do not build citadels for the maidens and leave them to their fate, there will still remain some who will come out of woods and caves, and will prove to your descendants that you have by your disorderliness been the cause Then you will be damned. Your ghosts will rise frightened out of their graves. They will call upon Wr-alda, Frya, and her maidens, but they shall receive no succour before the Juul shall enter upon a new circuit, and that will only be three thousand years after this century.

THE END OF RIKA'S LETTER.

<sup>\*</sup> Here the writing of Beeden ends. In the manuscript two successive pages are missing according to the paging, but no doubt there are more wanting. The abrupt opening of what follows shows that the beginning of the following writing has been lost, and, in consequence, also the notification of the name of the writer, who may have been a son or a grandson of Beeden.

thêrvmbe wil ik that forma vr swarte Adel skriva. Adel were thene fjurde kening after Friso. Bi sin jüged heth-er to Texland lêred, afternêi heth-er to Staveren lêred, and forth heth-er thrych ovir alle stata faren. that er fjuwer and tvintich jêr wêre, heth sin tât maked thåt-er to Asega-âskar kêren is. Thå-er ênmel åskar wêre, âskte hi altid in-t fârdêl thêra arma. sêd-er, plêgath ênoch vnrjuchta thinga thrvch middel fon hjara jeld, thêrvmbe agon wi to njvdane that tha arma nêi vs omme sjan. Thrvch thâ-s and ôra rêdne wêr-i thene frjund thêra arma and thêra rika skrik. Alsa årg is-t kvmen that sin tat him nei tha agum sach. Tha sin tât fallen was, ând hy vppa tham-his sêtel klywed, thâ wild-er êvin god sin ambt bihalda, lik as tha keningar fon-t âsta plêgath. Tha rika nildon that navt ne daja, men nw hlip allet ôra folk to hâpe, and tha rika wêron blyde that hja hêl-hûd-is fon thêre acht of kêmon. Fon to ne hêrade mån nimmar måra ovir élika rjucht petårja. Hi dumde tha rika and hi strykte tha arma, mith hwam his helpe hi alle sêkum âskte, thêr-er bistek vp hêde. Askar lik-er immer hêten warth, wêre by sjugun irthfêt lônge, så gråt sin tôl wêr, wêron åk sina krefta. hêde-n hel forstân, sâ that-er alles forstânde, hwêrwr that sprêken warth, thach in sin dvan ne macht mån nêne wisdom spêra. Bi-n skên ônhlite hêd-er êne glade tonge, men jeta swarter as sin hêr is sine sêle fynden. that-er ên jêr kening wêre, nêdsêkte hi alle knâpa fon sin ståt, hja skoldon jerlikis vppet kåmp kvma ånd thêr skin-orloch mâkja. In-t êrost hêde-r thêr spul mith, men to tha lersta warth-et så menêrlik, that ald ånd jong ut alle wrdum wêi kêmon to frêjande jef hja machte mith Thâ hi-t alsa fêre brocht hêde, lêt-er wêrskola Tha rika kêmon to bârane and sêidon, that stifta.

therefore I will first write about black Adel. Black Adel was the fourth king after Friso. In his youth he studied first at Texland, and then at Staveren, and afterwards travelled through all the states. When he was twentyfour years old his father had him elected Asega-Asker. As soon as he became Asker he always took the part of the poor. The rich, he said, do enough of wrong by means of their wealth, therefore we ought to take care that the poor look up to us. By arguments of this kind he became the friend of the poor and the terror of the rich. carried so far that his father looked up to him. When his father died he succeeded, and then he wished to retain his office as well, as the kings of the East used to do. The rich would not suffer this, so all the people rose up, and the rich were glad to get out of the assembly with whole skins. From that time there was no more talk of equality. He oppressed the rich and flattered the poor, by whose assistance he succeeded in all his wishes. Askar, as he was always called, was seven feet high, and his strength was as remarkable as his height. He had a clear intellect, so that he understood all that was talked about, but in his actions he did not display much wisdom. He had a handsome countenance and a smooth tongue, but his soul was blacker than his hair. When he had been king for a year, he obliged all the young men in the state to come once a year to the camp to have a sham fight. At first he had some trouble with it, but at last it became such a habit that old and young came from all sides to ask if they might take part in it. When he had brought it to this point, he established military schools. The rich complained that their

hjara bern nw nên lêsa nach skryva navt ne lêrade. Askar ne melde-t navt, men as thêr kirt after wither skin-orloch halden warth, gvng-er vppen vpstal stonda, and kêtha Tha rika sind to my kvmen to barana, that hjara hlûd. knapa nên lêsa nach skryva noch lêra, ik n.av thêr nawet vp sêith, thach hir wil ik mine mênong sedsa, and an tha mêna acht bithinga lêta. Thâ alrek nw nêisgyrich nêi him vpsach, sêid-er forther, nêi min bigrip mot mån hjud that lêsa and skriva tha famna and alda lichta vrlêta. Ik n-il nên kwâd sprêka vr vsa êthla, ik wil allêna sega, vndera tyda hwêrvp thrvch svme sâ herde bogath warth, håvon tha burchfamna twyspalt inovir vsa landa brocht, and tha Modera für and nei ne kvndon twyspalt navt wither to-t land ut ne dryva. Jeta årger, thahwila hja kålta ånd petårade vr nådelåsa plêga, send tha Gola kvmen ånd håvon al vsa skêna sûdarlanda råweth. Hemisdega send hja mith vsa vrbrûda brotharum and hjara salt-åthum al overa Skelda kvmen, vs rest thus to kjasane twisk-et bêra fon juk jef swêrd. Willath wi fry bilywa, alsa agon tha knapa that lesa and skryva farhôndis åfterwêi-n to lêtane ånd in stêde that hja invppa mêide hwip and swik spêle, moton hja mith swêrd and spêr spêla. Seud wi in alle dêla ofned and tha knapa stor enoch vmb helmet and skild to berane and tha wepne to hôntêrane, then skil ik my mith jower helpa vppa thene fjand werpa. Tha Gola mêieath then tha nitherlêga fon hjara helpar ånd salt-åthum vppa vsa fjeldum skryva mith-et blod, that ût hjara wndum drjupth. Håvon wi thene fyand ên mel far vs ût drêven, alsa moton wi thêrmith forth gynga, alhwenne thêr nên Gola ner Slåvona nach Tartara måra fon Fryas erv to vrdryvane Tha-s rjucht, hrypon tha masta and tha rika ne thvradon hjara myla navt êpen ne dva. Thjus tosprêke hêd

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children no longer learned to read and write. Askar paid no attention to it; but shortly afterwards, when a sham fight was held, he mounted a throne and spoke aloud: The rich have come to complain to me that their boys do not learn to read and write. I answered nothing; but I will now declare my opinion, and let the general While they all regarded him with assembly decide. curiosity, he said further: According to my idea, we ought to leave reading and writing at present to the maagden and wise people. I do not wish to speak ill of our forefathers; I will only say that in the times so vaunted by some, the Burgtmaagden introduced disputes into our country, which the mothers were unable, either first or last, to put an end to. Worse still, while they talked and chattered about useless customs the Gauls came and seized all our beautiful southern country. Even at this very time our degenerate brothers and their soldiers have already come over the Scheldt. It therefore remains for us to choose whether we will carry a yoke or a sword. wish to be and to remain free, it behoves our young men to leave reading and writing alone for a time; and instead of playing games of swinging and wrestling, they must learn to play with sword and spear. When we are completely prepared, and the boys are big enough to carry helmet and shield and to use their weapons, then, with your help, I will attack the enemy. The Gauls may then record the defeat of their helpers and soldiers upon our fields with the blood that flows from their wounds. we have once expelled the enemy, then we must follow it up till there are no more Gauls, Slaves, or Tartars to be driven out of Frya's inheritance. That is right, the majority shouted, and the rich did not dure to open their mouths.

er sekur to fara forsonnen and vrskriva lêten, hwand sêwendis fon thêre selvare dêi wêron tha ofskriftum thêra hwel in twintich honda and thi alle weron enishludende. Afternêi bifel-er tha skipmanna, hja skoldon dubbele fârstêwene mâkja lêta, hwêran mân êne stêlen krânboga Thêra thêr afterwêi bilêv warth bibot, macht fastigja. kvn imman swêra that-er nêne midle navt nêde, alsa moston tha rika fon sin gå-t bitalja. Hjud skil mån sjan hwêr vppa al that ba hêi ûthlapen is. An-t north-ende fon Britanja that fyl mith haga bergum is, ther sit en Skots folk, vr-et måradêl ût Fryas blod sproten, vr-a êne helte send hja ût Kåltana-folgar, vr-et ôra dêl ût Britne ånd bannane, thêr by grådum mith tyd fon-ût-a tinlônum thêr hinna fljuchte. Thêr ut-a tinlôna kêmon, havath algadur vrlandiska wiva jeftha fon vrlandis tuk. Thi alle send vnder-et weld thêra Golum, hjara wêpne send woden boga and spryta mith pintum fon herthis-hornum ak fon-Hjara hûsa send fon sådum ånd strê ånd svme hêmath inna hola thêra bergum. Skêpon thêr hja râwed Mong tha after-kymanda thêra håve, is hjara enge skåt. Kåltanafolgar håvath syme jeta ysera wêpne, thêr hja fon hjara êthlum urven håve. Vmbe nw god forstån to werthande, môt ik min telling vr thắt Skotse folk resta lêta, ånd êwet fon tha hêinda Krêkalanda skriva. Tha hệinda Krêkalanda håvon vs to fara allena to herath, men sunt vnhüglika tidum håvon ra thêr åk åfterkvmanda fon Lyda and fon Finda nitherset, fon tha lersta kêmon to tha lersta en êle hâpe fon Trôje. Trôje alsa heth êne stêde hêten, thêr et folk fon tha fêre Krêkalanda innomth and vrhomelt heth. Tha tha Trôjana to tha hèinda Krèkalandum nestled wêron, tha havon hja thêr mith tid and flit êne sterke stêd mith wâlla ând burgum bywed, Rome, that is

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He must certainly have thought over this address and had it written out, for on the evening of the same day there were copies in at least twenty different hands, and they all sounded the same. Afterwards he ordered the ship people to make double prows, upon which steel crossbows could be fixed. Those who were backward in doing this were fined, and if they swore that they had no means, the rich men of the village were obliged to pay. we shall see what resulted from all this bustle. north part of Britain there exists a Scotch people—the most of them spring from Frya's blood-some of them are descended from the followers of Keltana, and, for the rest, from Britons and fugitives who gradually, in the course of time, took refuge there from the tin mines. Those who come from the tin mines have wives, either altogether foreign or of foreign descent. They are all under the dominion of the Gauls. Their arms are wooden bows and arrows pointed with stag's-horn or flint. houses are of turf and straw, and some of them live in caves in the mountains. Sheep that they have stolen form their only wealth. Some of the descendants of Keltana's followers still have iron weapons, which they have inherited from their forefathers. In order to make myself well understood, I must let alone for a while my account of the Scotch people, and write something about the near Krekalanders (Italians). The Krekalanders formerly belonged to us only, but from time immemorial descendants of Lyda and Finda have established themselves Of these last there came in the end a whole troop there. Troy is the name of a town that the far Krekalanders (Greeks) had taken and destroyed. When the Trojans had nestled themselves among the near Krekalanders, with time and industry they built a strong town with walls and citadels named Rome, that is,

Tha that den was, beth that folk him selva Rum, hêten. thrych lest and weld fon that ele land master maked. That folk that and stidside there Middelse hemth, is faret måra del fon Fhonysja wei kvmen. Tha Fhonysjar \* send en bastred folk, hja send fon Fryas blod and fon Findas blod and fon Lyda his blod. That folk fon Lyda send thêr as slâvona, men thrych tha vntucht thêr wyva håvon thissa swarte månniska al-et ôra folk bastered ånd Thit folk and tham fon Rome kampath brun vrfårvet. ôlân vmb-et mâsterskip fon tha Middelsê. Forth lêvath tham fon Roma an fjandskip with tha Fonysjar, and hjara prestera thêr-et rik allêna welda wille wr irtha, ne mügon tha Gola navt ne sjan. That forma havon hja tha Fphonysjar Mis-selja ofnomen, dånå alle landa, thêr sûdward, westward and northward lidsa, ak et sûdardêl fon Britanja, and allerweikes havon hja tha Fonysjar prestera, that hêth tha Gola vrjageth, dana sind thusanda Gola nêi north Brittanja brit. Kirt vrlêden was thêr tha vreste thêra Golum sêten vppa thêre burch, thêr is kêthen Kêrenak that is herne, hwanath hi sin bifêla jef an alle Ak was thêr al hjara gold togadur brocht. Kêren herne jeftha Kêrenak is êne stênen burch, thêr êr an Kålta hêrde. Thêrvmbe wildon tha fâmna fon tha åfterkymande thera Kåltana-folgar tha burch wither hå. Alsa was thruch tha fyanskip thera fâmna and thera Golum faithe and twist in ovir that Berchland kymen mith morth and brond. Vsa stjûrar kêmon thêr fâken wol hâlja, that hja sellade fori tobirêde hûdum and linne. Askar was often mith wêst, an stilnesse hêd-er mith tha fâmna ånd mith syme forstum åtskip sloten, ånd him selva forbonden vmbe tha Gola to vrjagane ût Kêrenak. As-er thêrnêi wither kêm jêf hi tha forsta and wigandliksta manna ysere helma and stêla boga. was mith kymen ånd kirt åfter flojadon stråma blod by

<sup>\*</sup> Fhonysiar, Carthagers.

When this was done, the people by craft and force made themselves masters of the whole land. people who live on the south side of the Mediterranean Sea, come for the most part from Phænicia. The Phænicians (Puniers or Carthaginians) are a bastard race of the blood of Frya, Finda, and Lyda. The Lyda people were there as slaves, but by the unchastity of the women these black people have degenerated the other people and dyed them brown. These people and the Romans are constantly struggling for the supremacy over the Medi-The Romans, moreover, live at enmity terranean Sea. with the Phœnicians; and their priests, who wish to assume the sole government of the world, cannot bear the sight of the Gauls. First they took from the Phænicians Marseilles—then all the countries lying to the south, the west, and the north, as well as the southern part of Britain—and they have always driven away the Phœnician priests, that is the Gauls, of whom thousands have sought refuge in North Britain. A short time ago the chief of the Gauls was established in the citadel, which is called Kerenac (Karnac), that is the corner, whence he issued his commands to the Gauls. All their gold was likewise collected there. Keeren Herne (chosen corner), or Kerenac, is a stone citadel which did belong to Kalta. fore the maidens of the descendants of Kaltana's followers wished to have the citadel again. Thus through the enmity of the maidens and the Gaul's, hatred and quarrelling spread ever the mountain country with fire and sword. Our sea people often came there to get wool, which they paid for with prepared hides and linen. Askar had often gone with them, and had secretly made friendship with the maidens and some princes, and bound himself to drive the Gauls out of Kerenac. came back there again he gave to the princes and the fighting men iron helmets and steel bows. come with him, and soon blood was streaming down

<sup>\*</sup> Phonsiar are Carthaginians.

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tha hellinga thêra bergum del. Thâ Askar mênde that kans him tolakte, gyng-er mith fjuwertich skêpum hin and nam Kêrenak and thene vreste thêra Golum mith al sine gold: That folk wermith hi with the salt-athum there Golum kamped hêde, hêd-er ût-a Saxanamarkum lykt mith lofte fon grâte hêra-rave and but. Thus warth tha Gola nêwet Afternêi nam-er twâ êlanda to berch far sinum skêpum, and hwanath hi lêter ûtgvng vmb alle Fonysjar skêpa ånd stêda to birâwane thêr hi bigâna kv. er tobek kêm brocht-i tomet sex hyndred thêra storeste knåpum fon thåt Skotse berchfolk mith. Hi sêide that hja him to borgum jêven wêren, til thju hi sêkur wêsa machte that tha eldra him skolde trow bilywa, men-t was jok, hi hild ra as lifwêre et sina hova, thêr hja allera distik les krêjon in-t ryda ånd in-t hôndtêra fon allerlêja Tha Denamarkar tham hjara selva sunt long boppa alle ôra stjûrar stoltlike sêkampar hête, hêdon sâ ringe navt fon Askar sina glorrika dêdum navt ne hêred, jef hja wrdon nydich thêr vr. thêrmête, that hja wilde orloch brensa over-ne sê and over sina landa. hyr, he hi orloch formitha machte. Twisk tha bywfala thêre vrhomelde burch Stavja was jeta êne snode burchfâm mith syme fâmna sêten. Hjra nôme was Rêintja ånd thêr gyng en grâte hrop fon hira wishêd ût. fåm båd an Askar hjra helpe vnder bithing, that Askar skolde tha burch Stavja wither vpbvwa lête. As-er him thêr to forbonden hêde, gyng Rêintja mith thrim fâmna nêi Hals,\* nachtis gyng hju rêisa ånd thes dêis kêthe hju vppa alle markum ånd binna alle mêidum. Wralda sêide hju hêde hja thrych thongar tohropa lêta that allet Fryas folk moston frjunda wertha, lik sustar and brothar tâmed, owers skolde Findas folk kyma and ra alle fon irtha vrdilligja. Nêi thongar wêron Fryas sjygun wâkfâmkes hja anda drâme forskinnen, sjygun nachta åfter ekkôrum.

<sup>\*</sup> Hals, Holstein.

the slopes of the mountains. When Askar thought a favourable opportunity occurred, he went with forty ships and took Kerenac and the chief of the Gauls, with all his gold. The people with whom he fought against the soldiers of the Gauls, he had enticed out of the Saxenmarken by promises of much booty and plunder. Thus nothing was left to the Gauls. After that he took two islands for stations for his ships, from which he used later to sally forth and plunder all the Phœnician ships and towns that he could reach. When he returned he brought nearly six hundred of the finest youths of the Scotch mountaineers with him. He said that they had been given him as hostages, that he might be sure that the parents would remain faithful to him; but this was untrue. He kept them as a bodyguard at his court, where they had daily lessons in riding and in the use of all kinds of arms. The Denmarkers, who proudly considered themselves sea-warriors above all the other sea-people, no sooner heard of the glorious deeds of Askar, than they became jealous of him to such a degree, that they would bring war over the sea and over his lands. See here, then, how he was able to avoid a war. Among the ruins of the destroyed citadel of Stavia there was still established a clever Burgtmaagd, with a few maidens. Her name was Reintja, and she was famed for her wisdom. This maid offered her assistance to Askar, on condition that he should afterwards rebuild the citadel of Stavia. When he had bound himself to do this, Reintja went with three maidens to Hals (Holstein). She travelled by night, and by day she made speeches in all the markets and in all the assemblies. Wr-alda, she said, had told her by his thunder that all the Frya's people must become friends, and united as brothers and sisters, otherwise Finda's people would come and sweep them off the face of the earth. After the thunder Frya's seven watch-maidens appeared to her in a dream seven nights in succession. They had

<sup>\*</sup> Hals is Holstein.

Hja hêde seith boppa Fryas landum swabbert ramp mith juk ånd kêdne omme. Thêrvmbe moton alle folkar thêr ût Frya sproten send hjara tonôma wêi werpa and hjara selva allêna Fryas bern jeftha folk hêta. Forth moton alle vpstonda ånd et Findas folk fon Fryas erv dryva. hja that navt ne dva, alsa skilun hja slavona benda vmbe hjara halsa krêja, alsa skilun tha vrlandaska hêra hjara bern misbruka ånd frytra lêta, til thju thåt blod sygath inna jowre grêva. Than skilun tha skinna jowre êthla jo kvma wekja ånd jo bikyvja vr jo lefhêd ånd vndigerhêd. That dyme folk, that thrych todyan thera Magyara al an sa fül dweshed wenth was, lavadon alles hwat hju sêide and tha mamma klimdon hjara bern ajen hjara Tha Reintja thene kening fon Hals and alle ôthera manniska to êndracht vrwrocht hede, sand hju bodon nêi Askar and tag selva alingen thene Balda Dânâ gvng hju by tha Hlith-hâwar, althus hêten vmbe that hja hjara fyanda immer nëi thet ônhlite Tha Hlithhawar send britne and bannene fon vs åjn folk thåt inna tha Twisklanda sit ånd omme dwarelt. Hjara wyva hâvon hja mêst algadur fon tha Tartara Tha Tartara sênd en dêl fon Findas slachte ånd althus thrych tha Twisklandar hêten ymbe that hja nimmerthe nên frêtho wille, men tha månniska alti ût tarta to strydande. Forth gyng hju aftera Saxnamarka tweres thrvch tha ôra Twisklanda hin, allerwêikes that selva Nêi twam jêr om wêron, kêm hju allingen thêre Rêne to honk. By tha Twisklandar hede hju hjara selva as Moder ûtjân ånd sêid that hja mochton as fry ånd franka månniska wither kvma, men thån mosten hja ovir tha Rêne gyngga and tha Gola folgar ût Fryas sûdarlandum jâgja. As hja that dêde, sa skolde hjra kêning Askar overa Skelda gyngga ând thêr thát land By tha Twisklandar send fêlo tjoda plêga fon tha Tartarum and Magjara binna glupt, men ak fül send

said, Disaster hovers over Frya's land with yoke and chains; therefore all the people who have sprung from Frya's blood must do away with their surnames, and only call themselves Frya's children, or Frya's people. must all rise up and drive Finda's people out of Frya's inheritance. If you will not do that, you will bring the slave-chains round your necks, and the foreign chiefs will ill-treat your children and flog them till the blood streams into your graves. Then shall the spirits of your forefathers appear to you, and reproach your cowardice The stupid people who, by the acts and thoughtlessness. of the Magyars, were already so much accustomed to folly. believed all that she said, and the mothers clasped their children to their bosoms. When Reintja had brought the king of Holstein and the others to an agreement, she sent messengers to Askar, and went herself along the Baltic Sea. From there she went to the Lithauers (Face-hewers). so called because they always strike at their enemy's face. The Lithauers are fugitives and banished people of our own race, who wander about in the Twisklanden. wives have been mostly stolen from the Tartars. Tartars are a branch of Finda's race, and are thus named by the Twisklanders because they never will be at peace, but provoke people to fight. She proceeded on beyond the Saxsenmarken, crossing through the other Twisklanders in order always to repeat the same thing. After two years had passed, she came along the Rhine home. Among the Twisklanders she gave herself out for a mother, and said that they might return as free and true people; but then they must go over the Rhine and drive the Gauls out of Frya's south lands. If they did that, then her King Askar would go over the Scheldt and win back the land. Among the Twisklanders many bad customs of the Tartars and Magyars have crept in, but likewise many of our

ther fon vsa sedum bilewen. Ther thrvch havath hja jeta famna ther tha bern lera and tha alda red jeva. Bit-anfang weron hja Reintja nydich, men to tha lesta warth hju thrvch hjam folgath and thjanjath and allerweikes bogath, hwer-et nette and nedlik were.

Alsa ringen Askar fon Rêintja hjra bodon fornom ho tha Juttar nygath wêron, sand hi bistonda bodon fon sinant wegum nêi tha kaning fon Hals. That skip, wermith tha bodon gyngon, was fyl lêden mith fâmna syrhêdum ånd thêr by wêr en golden skild, hwêrvppa Askar his dânte kunstalik was utebyld. Thissa bodon mosten frêja jêf Askar thes kåning his toghter Frêthogunsta to sin wif have machte. Frêthogunsta kêm en jêr lêter to Staveren, bi hjara folgar wêre âk ênen Mâgy, hwand tha Juttar wêron sunt lông vrbrud. Kirt after that Askar mith Frêthogunsta bostigjath was, warth ther to Staveren ene scherke bywad, inna thju scherke wrdon tjoda drochten lykanda byldon stålth mith gold trych wrochtne klåthar. Ak is er biwêrath that Askar thêr nachtis and vntydis mith Frêthogunsta får nitherbuwgade. Men så fül is sêkur, thju burch Stavia ne warth navt wither vpebvwed. Rêintja was al to bek kvmen, and gvng nydich nêi Prontlik thju Moder et Texland bârja. Prontlik gvng to and sand allerweikes bodon ther ûtkêthon, Askar is vrjêven an afgodie. Askar dêde as murk-i-t navt, men vnwarlingen kêm thêr êne flâte ût Hals. Nachtis wrdon tha fâmna ût-êre burch drywen, and ogtins kvn man fon thêre burch allêna êne glandere hâpe sjan. Prontlik and Rêintja kêmon to my vmb skul. Thå ik thêr åfternêi vr nêi tochte, lêk it my to, that it kwâdlik fâr min stât bidêja kyste. Thêrvmbe havon wi to sêmne êne lest forsonnen, thêr vs alle bâta most. Sjan hyr ho wi to gvngen send. Middel in-t Krylwald biasten Ljywerde lêith vsa fly jeftha wêra, thêr mån allêna thrych dwarlpåda mêi nåka. In vppa thjus burch hêd ik sunt lônge

laws have remained. Therefore they still have Maagden, who teach the children and advise the old. In the beginning they were opposed to Reintja, but at last she was followed, obeyed, and praised by them where it was useful or necessary.

As soon as Askar heard from Reintja's messengers how the Jutlanders were disposed, he immediately, on his side, sent messengers to the King of Hals. The ship in which the messengers went was laden with women's ornaments, and took also a golden shield on which Askar's portrait was artistically represented. These messengers were to ask the King's daughter, Frethogunsta, in marriage for Askar. Frethogunsta came a year after that to Staveren. Among her followers was a Magy, for the Jutlanders had been long ago corrupted. Soon after Askar had married Frethogunsta, a church was built at Staveren. church were placed monstrous images, bedecked with gold-It is also said that Askar, by night, woven dresses. and at unseasonable times, kneeled to them with Frethogunsta; but one thing is certain, the citadel of Stavia was never rebuilt. Reintja was already come back, and went angrily to Prontlik the mother, at Texland, to complain. Prontlik sent out messengers in all directions, who proclaimed that Askar is gone over to Idolatry. Askar took no notice of this, but unexpectedly a fleet arrived from Hals. In the night the maidens were driven out of the citadel, and in the morning there was nothing to be seen of the citadel but a glowing heap of rubbish. Prontlik and Reintja came to me for shelter. When I reflected upon it, I thought that it might prove bad for my state. Therefore, we hit upon a plan which might serve us all. This is the way we went to work. In the middle of the Krijlwood, to the east of Liudwerd, lies our place of refuge, which can only be reached by a concealed path. A long time ago I had

jonga wâkar stald, thêr alle êne grins an Askar hêde, and alle ôra månniska dânath halden. Ny wast bi vs âk al sa wyd kvmen, that fêlo wyva and ak manna al patêrade vr spoka, witte wyva and uldermankes, lik tha Dênamarkar. Askar hêde al thissa dwâshêde to sin bâta anwenth and that wildon wi nv ak to vsa bata dva. thjustre nacht brocht ik tha famna nëi there burch and dânâ gongen hia mith hjara fâmna in thrych tha dwarlpåda spokka in wttta klåthar huled, så that ther afternei nên månnisk måra kvma ne thyrade. Tha Askar mênde that-er thu hônda rum hêde, lêt-i tha Magjara vnder allerlêja nôma thrvch ovir sina stâta fâra ând bûta Grênegā ând bûta mina stât ne wrdon hja nårne navt ne wêrath. Nêi that Askar alsa mith tha Juttar and tha ôra Dênamarkar forbonden was, gyngon hja alsêmina râwa; thach that neth nêne gode früchda bâred. Hja brochton allerlêja vrlandiska skåta to honk. Men just thêr thrych nildon that jong folk nên ambacht lêra, nach vppa tha fjeldum navt ne werka, så that hi to tha lersta wel slåvona nimma moste. Men thit was êl al ajen Wralda his wille Thêrvmbe kv straf navt åfterwêga ne ånd åjen Fryas rêd. bilywa. Sjan hyr ho straffe kvmen is. Enis hêdon hja to sêmine êne êle flâte wnnen, hju kêm fon ûta Middelsê. Thjus flåte was to lêden mith purpera klåthar ånd ôra kostelikhêd, thêr alle fon of Phonisja kêmon. That wraka folk thêre flâte warth bisûda thêre Sêjene an wal set, men thåt stora folk wårth halden. Thåt most ra as slåvona Tha skêneste wrdon halden vmbe vppet land to bilywane and tha ledliksta and swartste wrdon an bord halden vmbe vppa tha benka to rojande. An-t Fly warth tha bodel dêlath, men synder hjara wêta warth ak hjara straf dêlath. Fon tha manniska ther vppa tha vrlandiska skepum stalt wêron, wêron sex thrvch bukpin felth. Mån tochte thåt et eta ånd drinka vrjêven wêre,

established a garrison of young men who all hated Askar, and kept away all other people. Now it was come to such a pitch among us, that many women, and even men, talked about ghosts, white women, and gnomes, just like, the Denmarkers. Askar had made use of all these follies for his own advantage, and we wished to do the same. One dark night I brought the Maagden to the citadel, and afterwards they went with their serving-maids dressed in white along the path, so that nobody dare go there any When Askar thought he had his hands free, he let the Magyars travel through his states under all kinds of names, and, except in my state, they were not turned away anywhere. After that Askar had become so connected with the Jutlanders and the Denmarkers, they all went roving together; but it produced no real good to them. They brought all sorts of foreign treasures home, and just for that reason the young men would learn no trades, nor work in the fields; so at last he was obliged to take slaves; but that was altogether contrary to Wr-alda's wish and to Frya's counsel. Therefore the punishment was sure to follow it. This is the way in which the punishment came. They had all together taken a whole fleet that came out of the Mediterranean Sea. This fleet was laden with purple cloths and other valuables that came from Phœnicia. The weak people of the fleet were put ashore south of the Seine, but the strong people were kept to serve as slaves. The handsomest were retained ashore, and the ugly and black were kept on board ship as rowers. In the Fly the plunder was divided, but, without their knowing it, they divided the punishment Of those who were placed in the foreign ships six died of colic. It was thought that the food and

thervmbe warth alles ovir bord jompth. Men bûkpin reste ånd allerwêikes, hwêr slâvona jeftha god kêm, kêm âk bûkpin binna. Tha Saxmanna brochten hju ovir hjara marka, mith tha Juttar for hju nëi Skënland and alingen thêre kâd fon tha Balda-sê, mith Askar his stjûrar for hju nëi Britanja. Wi and tham fon Grênega ne lêton nên god ner minniska ovir vsa pâla navt ne kvma, ånd thêrvmbe bilêwon wi fon tha bûkpin fry. Ho fêlo månniska bûkpin wêirâpth heth, nêt ik navt to skrywane, men Prontlik thêr et afternêi fon tha ôra famna hêrde, heth my meld, that Askar thûsandmel mâra frya manniska ût sina stâtum hulpen heth, as er vvla slâvona inbrochte. Thâ pest far god wyken was, tha kêmon tha fri wrden Twisklandar nêi thêre Rêne, men Askar nilde mith tha forstum fon that vyla vr basterde folk navt an êne lyne navt ne stonda. Hi nilde navt ne dâja, that hja skoldon hjara selva Fryas bern hêta, lik Rêintja biboden hêde, men hi vrjet thêrbi that-i selva swarte hêra hêde. Emong tha Twisklandar wêron thêr twâ folkar, thêr hjara selva nêne Twisklandar hêton. That êne folk kêm êl fêr ût-et sûdâsten wêi, hja hêton hjara selva Allemanna. Thissa nôma hêdon hja hjara selva jêven, tha hja jeta synder wiva inna tha walda as bannane ommedwarelde. Lêtar håvon hja fon-et slåvona folk wiva råvath, êvin sa tha Hlithâwar, men hja håvon hjara nôme bihalden. folk, that mara hêinde ommedwarelde, hêton hiara selva Franka, navt vmbe that hja fry wêron, men Frank alsa hêde thene êroste kaning hêten, tham him selva mith hulpe fon tha vrbrûda fâmna to ervlik kåning ovir sin folk måkad hêde. Tha folkar tham an him påladon, hêton hjara selva Thjoth-his svna, that is folkhis svna, hja wêron Frya månniska bilêwen, nêidam hja nimmer ênen kåning ner forste nach måster bikånnna nilde, as thene jenge tham by mêna willa was kêren vppa thêre mêna acht. Askar hêde drink were poisoned, so it was all thrown overboard, but the colic remained all the same. Wherever the slaves or the goods came, there it came too. The Saxsenmen took it over to their marches. The Jutlanders brought it to Schoonland and along the coasts of the Baltic Sea, and with Askar's mariners it was taken to Britain. We and the people of Grênega did not allow either the people or the goods to come over our boundaries, and therefore we remained free from it. How many people were carried off by this disease I cannot tell; but Prontlik, who heard it afterwards from the maidens, told me that Askar had helped out of his states a thousand times more free-men than he had brought dirty slaves in. When the pest had ceased, the Twisklanders who had become free came to the Rhine, but Askar would not put himself on an equality with the princes of that vile degenerate race. He would not suffer them to call themselves Frya's children, as Reintja had offered them, but he forgot then that he himself had black hair. Among the Twisklanders there were two tribes who did not call themselves Twisklanders. One came from the far south-east, and called themselves Allemannen. They had given themselves this name when they had no women among them, and were wandering as exiles in the forests. Later on they stole women from the slave people like the Lithauers, but they kept their The other tribe, that wandered about in the neighbourhood, called themselves Franks, not because they were free, but the name of their first king was Frank, who, by the help of the degenerate maidens, had had himself made hereditary king over his people. The people nearest to him called themselves Thiothhis sons—that is, sons of the people. They had remained free, because they never would acknowledge any king, or prince, or master except those chosen by general consent in a general assembly. Askar had

al fon Rêintja fornommen, that tha Twisklandar forsta mêst alti in fiandskip and faitha wêron. Nw stald-i hjam to fåra, hjå skolde ênen hêrtoga fon sin folk kjasa vmbe that-er ang wêre seid-er that hja skolde mit manlik ôtherum skoldon twista ovir-et masterskip. Ak sêid-er kvndon sina forsta mith-a Golum sprêka. That seid-er wêre âk Moder his mêne. Thâ kêmon tha forsta thêra Twislandar to ekkôrum ånd nêi thrija sjugun etmelde kêron hja Alrik to-ra hertoga ut. Alrik wêre Askar his nêva, hi jef him twên hyndred skotse ånda hyndred thêra storosta Saxmanna mith to lifwêra. Tha forsta moston thrija sjygun fon hjara synum nêi Stâveren senda to borg hjarar trow. To nv was alles nêi winsk gvngen, men thâ mân ovire Rêne fara skolde, nildon thene kåning thêra Franka navt vnder Alrikis bifêla navt ne stonda. Thêrthrych lip alles an tha tys. Askar thêr mênde that alles god gvng, lande mith sina skêpa anna tha ôre syde thêre Skelda, men thêr was was man long fon sin kvmste to ljucht ånd vppa sin hod. Hja moston alsa ring fljuchta as hja kvmen wêron, and Askar wrde selva fath. Tha Gola niston navt hwa hja fensen hêde, and alsa warth hi afternêi ûtwixlath fori ênnen hâge Gol, thêr Askar his folk mith forath hêde. Thawila thåt-et alles bêrade, hlipon tha Magjara jeta dryster as to fâra ovir vsa bûra ra landa hinna. Egmyda hwêr to fâra tha burch Forâna stân hêde, lêton hja êne cherka bywa jeta grâter and rikar as Askar to Ståveren dên hêde. Afternêi sêidon hja that Askar thju kåse vrlêren hêde with tha Gola, thrvchdam et folk navt lâwa navt nilde, that Wodin hjam helpa kvste, and that hja him thêrvmbe navt anbidda nilde. Forth gyngon hja to and skakton jonga bern tham hja by ra hildon and vpbrochten in tha hemnissa fon hjara vrbruda lêre. Wêron thêr månniska tham

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already learned from Reintja that the Twisklander princes were almost always at war with each other. He proposed ·to them that they should choose a duke from his people, because, as he said, he was afraid that they would quarrel among themselves for the supremacy. He said also that his princes could speak with the Gauls. This, he said. was also the opinion of the mother. Then the princes of the Twisklanders came together, and after twenty-one days they chose Alrik as duke. Alrik was Askar's nephew. He gave him two hundred Scotch and one hundred of the greatest Saksmannen to go with him as a bodyguard. The princes were to send twenty-one of their sons as hostages for their fidelity. Thus far all had gone according to his wishes; but when they were to go over the Rhine, the king of the Franks would not be under Alrik's command. Thereupon all was confusion. thought that all was going on well, landed with his ships on the other side of the Scheldt; but there they were already aware of his coming, and were on their guard. He had to flee as quickly as he had come, and was himself taken prisoner. The Gauls did not know whom they had taken, so he was afterwards exchanged for a noble Gaul whom Askar's people had taken with them. While all this was going on, the Magyars went about audaciously over the lands of our neighbours. Near Egmuda, where formerly the citadel Forana had stood, they built a church larger and richer than that which Askar had built at They said afterwards that Askar had lost the Staveren. battle against the Gauls, because the people did not believe that Wodin could help them, and therefore they would not pray to him. They went about stealing young children, whom they kept and brought up in the mysteries of their abominable doctrines. Were there people who

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### Oera Linda Book: Introduction

Translator's Prefac e ~ Introduction

Translator's Preface: William Robertson Sandbach, 1876

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#### TRANSLATOR'S PREFACE

The work of which I here offer an English translation has excited, among the Dutch and German literary societies, a keen controversy in regard to its authenticity—a controversy not yet brought to a conclusion, some affirming that it contains internal evidence of truth, while others declare it to be a forgery. But even the latter do not insist on its being the work of a modern fabricator. They allow it to be one hundred, or perhaps one hundred and fifty, years old. If they admit that, I do not see why they refuse it a greater antiquity; and as to the improbability of the stories related in it, I refer the reader to the exhaustive inquiry in Dr Ottema's Preface.

Is it more difficult to believe that the early Frisians, being hardy and intrepid marine adventurers, sailed to the Mediterranean, and even proceeded farther, than that the Phoenicians sailed to England for tin, and to the Baltic for amber? or that a clever woman became a lawgiver at Athens, than that a goddess sprang, full grown and armed, from the cleft skull of Jupiter?

There is nothing in the narratives of this book inconsistent with probability, however they may vary from some of our preconceived ideas.; but whether it is really what it pretends to be—a very ancient manuscript, or a more modern fiction—it is not the less a most curious and interesting work, and as such I offer it to the British public.

In order to give an idea of the manuscript, I have procured photographs of two of its pages, which are bound with this volume.

I have also followed Dr Ottema's plan of printing the original Frisian opposite to the translation, so that any reader possessing a knowledge of the language may verify the correctness of the translation.

In addition to the Preface which I have translated, Dr Ottema has written two pamphlets on the subject of the Oera Linda Book (I. Historical Notes and Explanations; 2. The Royal Academy and Het Oera Linda Bok), both of which would be very valuable to any one who wished to study the controversy respecting the authenticity of the work, but which I have not thought it necessary to translate for the present publication.

There has also appeared in the "Deventer Courant" a series of twelve letters on the same subject. Though written anonymously, I believe they are from the pen of Professor Vitringa. They have been translated into German by Mr Otto.

The writer evidently entered upon his task of criticism with a feeling of disbelief in the authenticity of the book; but in his last letter he admits that, after a minute examination, he is unable to pronounce a positive conviction either for or against it.

His concluding remarks are to the following effect:-

"If the book is a romance, then I must admit that it has been written with a good object, and by a clever man, because the sentiments expressed in it are of a highly moral tendency; and the facts related, so far as they can be controlled by regular history, are not untruthful; and where they deal with events of which we have no historical records, they do not offend our ideas of possibility or even probability."

WM. R. SANDBACH.

Introduction: Dr Jan Gerhardus Ottema, 1871

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#### INTRODUCTION

C. over de Linden, Chief Superintendent of the Royal Dockyard at the Helder, possesses a very ancient manuscript, which has been inherited and preserved in his family from time immemorial, without any one knowing whence it came or what it contained, owing to both the language and the writing being unknown

All that was known was that a tradition contained in it had from generation to generation been recommended to careful preservation. It appeared that the tradition rests upon the contents of two letters, with which the manuscript begins, from Hiddo oera Linda, anno 1256, and from Liko oera Linda, anno 803. It came to C. over de Linden by the directions of his grandfather, Den Heer Andries over de Linden, who lived at Enkhuizen, and died there on the 15th of April 1820, aged sixty-one. As the grandson was at that time barely ten years old, the manuscript was taken care of for him by his aunt, Aafje Meylhoff, born Over de Linden, living at Enkhuizen, who in August 1848 delivered it to the present possessor.

Dr E. Verwijs having heard of this, requested permission to examine the manuscript, and immediately recognised it as very ancient Fries. He obtained at the same time permission to make a copy of it for the benefit of the Friesland Society, and was of opinion that it might be of great importance, provided it was not supposititious, and invented for some deceptive object, which he feared. The manuscript being placed in my hands, I also felt very doubtful, though I could not understand what object any one could have in inventing a false composition only to keep it a secret. This doubt remained until I had examined carefully-executed facsimiles of two fragments, and afterwards of the whole manuscript—the first sight of which convinced me of the great age of the document.

Immediately occurred to me Cæsar's remark upon the writing of the Gauls and the Helvetians in his "Bello Gallico" (i. 29, and vi. 14), "Græcis utuntur literis," though it appears in v. 48 that they were not entirely Greek letters. Cæsar thus points out only a resemblance—and a very true one—as the writing, which does not altogether correspond with any known form of letters, resembles the most, on a cursory view, the Greek writing, such as is found on monuments and the oldest manuscripts, and belongs to the form which is called lapidary. Besides, I formed the opinion afterwards that the writer of the latter part of the book had been a contemporary of Cæsar.

The form and the origin of the writing is so minutely and fully described in the first part of the book, as it could not be in any other language. It is very complete, and consists of thirty-four letters, among which are three separate forms of a and u, and two of e, i, y, and o, besides four pairs of double consonants ng, th, hs, and gs. The ng, which as a nasal sound has no particular mark in any other Western language, is an indivisible conjunction; the th is soft, as in English, and is sometimes replaced by d; the gs is seldom met with—I believe only in the word segse, to say, in modern Fries sidse, pronounced sisze.

The paper, of large quarto size, is made of cotton, not very thick, without water-mark or maker's mark, made upon a frame or wire-web, with not very broad perpendicular lines.

An introductory letter gives the year 1256 as that in which this manuscript was written by Hiddo overa Linda on foreign paper. Consequently it must have come from Spain, where the Arabs brought into the market paper manufactured from cotton.

On this subject, W. Wattenbach writes in his "Das Schriftwesen im Mittelalter" (Leipzig, 1871), s. 93:—

"The manufacture of paper from cotton must have been in use among the Chinese from very remote times, and must have become known to the Arabs by the conquest of Samarcand about the year 704. In Damascus this manufacture was an important branch of industry, for which reason it was called Charta Damascena. By the Arabians this art was brought to the Greeks. It is asserted that Greek manuscripts of the tenth century written upon cotton paper exist, and that in the thirteenth century it was much more used than parchment. To distinguish it from Egyptian paper it was called Charta bombicina, gossypina, cuttunea, xylina. A distinction from linen paper was not yet necessary. In the manufacture of the cotton paper raw cotton was originally used. We first find paper from rags mentioned by Petrus Clusiacensis (1122-750).

"The Spaniards and the Italians learned the manufacture of this paper from the Arabians. The most celebrated factories were at Jativa, Valencia, Toledo, besides Fabriano in the March of Ancona."\*

In Germany the use of this material did not become very extended, whether it came from Italy or Spain. Therefore the further this preparation spread from the East and the adjoining countries, the more necessity there was that linen should take the place of cotton. A document of Kaufbeuren on linen paper of the year 1318 is of very doubtful genuineness. Bodman considers the oldest pure linen paper to be of the year 1324, but up to 1350 much mixed paper was used. All carefully-written manuscripts of great antiquity show by the regularity of their lines that they must have been ruled, even though no traces of the ruled lines can be distinguished. To make the lines they used a thin piece of lead, a ruler, and a pair of compasses to mark the distances.

In old writings the ink is very black or brown; but while there has been more writing since the thirteenth century, the colour of the ink is often grey or yellowish, and sometimes quite pale, showing that it contains iron. All this affords convincing proof that the manuscript before us belongs to the middle of the thirteenth century, written with clear black letters between fine lines carefully traced with lead. The colour of the ink shows decidedly that it does not contain iron. By these evidences the date given, 1256, is satisfactorily proved, and it is impossible to assign any later date. Therefore all suspicion of modern deception vanishes.

The language is very old Fries, still older and purer than the Fries Rjuchtboek or old Fries laws, differing from that both in form and spelling, so that it appears to be an entirely distinct dialect, and shows that the locality of the language must have been (as it was spoken) between the Vlie and the Scheldt. The style is extremely simple, concise, and unembarrassed, resembling that of ordinary conversation, and free in the choice of the words. The spelling is also simple and easy, so that the reading of it does not involve the least difficulty, and yet with all its regularity, so unrestricted, that each of the separate writers who have worked at the book has his own peculiarities, arising from the changes in pronunciation in a long course of years, which naturally must have happened, as the last part of the work is written five centuries after the first.

As a specimen of antiquity in language and writing, I believe I may venture to say that this book is unique of its kind.

The writing suggests an observation which may be of great importance.

The Greeks know and acknowledge that their writing was not their own invention. They attribute the introduction of it to Kadmus, a Phenician. The names of their oldest letters, from Alpha to Tau, agree so exactly with the names of the letters in the Hebrew alphabet, with which the Phenician will have been nearly connected, that we cannot doubt that the Hebrew was the origin of the Phenician. But the form of their letters differs so entirely from that of the Phenician and Hebrew writing, that in that particular no connection can be thought of between them. Whence, then, have the Greeks derived the form of their letters?

From "thet bok thera Adele folstar" ("The Book of Adela's Followers") we learn that in the time when Kadmus is said to have lived, about sixteen centuries. before Christ, a brisk trade existed between the Frisians and the Phenicians, whom they named Kadhemar, or dwellers on the coast.

The name Kadmus comes too near the word Kadhemar for us not to believe that Kadmus simply meant a Phenician.

Further on we learn that about the same time a priestess of the castle in the island of Walcheren, Min-erva, also called Nyhellenia, had settled in Attica at the head of a Frisian colony, and had founded a castle at Athens. Also, from the accounts written on the walls of Waraburch, that the Finns likewise had a writing of their own—a very troublesome and difficult one to read—and that, therefore, the Tyrians and the Greeks had learned the writing of Frya. By this representation the whole thing explains itself, and it becomes clear whence comes the exterior resemblance between the Greek and the old Fries writing, which Cæsar also remarked among the Gauls; as likewise in what manner the Greeks acquired and retained the names of the Finn and the forms of the Fries writing.

Equally remarkable are the forms of their figures. We usually call our figures Arabian, although they have not the least resemblance to those used by the Arabs. The Arabians did not bring their ciphers from the East, because the Semitic nations used the whole alphabet in writing numbers. The manner of expressing all numbers by ten signs the Arabs learned in the West, though the form was in some measure corresponding with their writing, and was written from left to right, after the Western fashion. Our ciphers seem here to have sprung from the Fries ciphers (siffar), which form had the same origin as the handwriting, and is derived from the lines of the Juul?

The book as it lies before us consists of two parts, differing widely from each other, and of dates very far apart. The writer of the first part calls herself Adela, wife of Apol, chief man of the Linda country. This is continued by her son Adelbrost, and her daughter Apollonia. The first book, running from page 1 to 88, is written by Adele. The following part, from 88 to 94, is begun by Adelbrost and continued by Apollonia. The second book, running from page 94 to 114, is written by Apollonia. Much later, perhaps two hundred and fifty years, a third book is written, from page 114 to 134, by Frethorik; then follows from page 134 to 143, written by his widow, Wiljow; after that from page 144 to 169 by their son, Konereed; and then from page 169 to 192 by their grandson, Beeden. Pages 193 and 194, with which the last part must have begun, are wanting, therefore the writer is unknown. He may probably have been a son of Beeden.

On page 134, Wiljow makes mention of another writing of Adela. These she names "thet bok thera sanga (thet boek), thera tellinga," and "thet Hellenia bok;" and afterwards "tha skrifta fon Adela jeftha Hellenia."

To fix the date we must start from the year 1256 of our era, when Hiddo overa Linda made the copy, in which he says that it was 3449 years after Atland was sunk. This disappearance of the old land (âldland, âtland) was known by the Greeks, for Plato mentions in his "Timæus," 24, the disappearance of Atlantis, the position of which was only known as somewhere far beyond the Pillars of Hercules. From this writing it appears that it was land stretching far out to the west of Jutland, of which Heligoland and the islands of North Friesland are the last barren remnants. This event, which occasioned a great dispersion of the Frisian race, became the commencement of a chronological reckoning corresponding with 2193 before Christ, and is known by geologists as the Cimbrian flood.

On page 80 begins an account in the year 1602, after the disappearance of Atland, and thus in the year 591 before Christ; and on page 82 is the account of the murder of Frâna, "Eeremoeder," of Teerland two years later—that is, in 589. When, therefore, Adela commences her writing with her own

coming forward in an assembly of the people thirty years after the murder of the Eeremoeder, that must have been in the year 559 before Christ. In the part written by her daughter Apollonia, we find that fifteen months after the assembly Adela was killed by the Finns in an attack by surprise of Texland. This must accordingly have happened 557 years before Christ. Hence it follows that the first book, written by Adela, was of the year 558 before Christ. The second book, by Apollonia, we may assign to about the year 530 before Christ. The latter part contains the history of the known kings of Friesland, Friso, Adel (Ubbo), and Asega Askar, called Black Adel. Of the third king, Ubbo, nothing is said, or rather that part is lost, as the pages 169 to 188 are missing. Frethorik, the first writer, who appears now, was a contemporary of the occurrences which he relates, namely, the arrival of Friso. He was a friend of Liudgert den Geertman, who, as rear-admiral of the fleet of Wichhirte, the sea-king, had come with Friso in the year 303 before Christ, 1890 years after the disappearance of Atland. He has borrowed most of his information from the log-book of Liudgert.

The last writer gives himself out most clearly as a contemporary of Black Adel or Askar, about the middle of his reign, which Furmerius states to have been from 70 before Christ to 11 after the birth of Christ, the same period as Julius Cæsar and Augustus. He therefore wrote in the middle of the last century before Christ, and knew of the conquest of Gaul by the Romans. It is thus evident that there elapsed fully two centuries between the two parts of the work.

Of the Gauls we read on page 84 that they were called the "Missionaries of Sydon." And on page 124 "that the Gauls are Druids." The Gauls, then, were Druids, and the name Galli, used for the whole nation, was really only the name of an order of priesthood brought from the East, just as among the Romans the Galli were priests of Cybele.

The whole contents of the book are in all respects new. That is to say, there is nothing in it that we were acquainted with before. What we here read of Friso, Adel, and Askar differs entirely from what is related by our own chroniclers, or rather presents it in quite another light. For instance, they all relate that Friso came from India, and that thus the Frisians were of Indian descent; and yet they add that Friso was a German, and belonged to a Persian race which Herodotus called Germans ( $\Gamma \epsilon \rho \mu \dot{\alpha} v \iota o \iota$ ). According to the statement in this book, Friso did come from India, and with the fleet of Nearchus; but he is not therefore an Indian. He is of Frisian origin, of Frya's people. He belongs, in fact, to a Frisian colony which after the death of Nijhellênia, fifteen and a half centuries before Christ, under the guidance of a priestess Geert, settled in the Panjab, and took the name of Geertmen. The Geertmen were known by only one of the Greek writers, Strabo, who mentions them as  $\Gamma \epsilon \rho \mu \tilde{\alpha} v \epsilon \zeta$ , differing totally and entirely from the  $B \rho \alpha \chi \mu \tilde{\alpha} v \epsilon \zeta$  in manners, language, and religion.

The historians of Alexander's expeditions do not speak of Frisians or Geertmen, though they mention Indoscythians, thereby describing a people who live in India, bat whose origin is in the distant, unknown North.

In the accounts of Liudgert no names are given of planes where the Frieslanders lived in India. We only know that they first established themselves to the east of the Punjab, and afterwards moved to the west of those rivers. It is mentioned, moreover, as a striking fact, that in the summer the sun at midday was straight above their heads. They therefore lived within the tropics. We find in Ptolemy (see the map of Kiepert), exactly 24° N. on the west side of the Indus, the name Minnagara; and about six degrees east of that, in 22° N., another Minnagara. This name is pure Fries, the same as Walhallagara, Folsgara, and comes from Minna, the name of an Eeremoeder, in whose time the vovages of Teunis and his nephew Inca took place.

The coincidence is too remarkable to be accidental, and not to prove that Minnagara was the headquarters of the Frisian colony. The establishment of the colonists in the Punjab in 1551 before Christ, and their journey thither, we find fully described in Adela's book; and with the mention of one most remarkable circumstance, namely, that the Frisian mariners sailed through the strait which in those times still ran into the Red Sea.

In Strabo, book i. pages 38 and 50, it appears that Eratosthenes was acquainted with the existence of the strait, of which the later geographers make no mention. It existed still in the time of Moses (Exodus xiv. 2), for he encamped at Pi-ha-chiroht, the "month of the strait." Moreover, Strabo mentions that Sesostris made an attempt to cut through the isthmus, but that he was not able to accomplish it. That in very remote times the sea really did flow through is proved by the result of the geological investigations on the isthmus made by the Suez Canal Commission, of which M. Renaud presented a report to the Academy of Sciences on the 19th June 1856. In that report, among other things, appears the following: "Une question fort controversée est celle de savoir, si à l'époque où les Hebreux fuyaient de l'Egypte sous la conduite de Moïse, les lacs amers faisaient encore partie de la mer rouge. Cette dernière hypothèse s'accorderait mieux que l'hypothèse contraire avec le texte des livres sacrés, mais alors il faudrait admettre que depuis l'époque de Moïse le seuil de Suez serait sorti des eaux."

With regard to this question, it is certainly of importance to fall in with an account in this Frisian manuscript, from which it seems that in the sixteenth century before Christ the connection between the Bitter Lakes and the Red Sea still existed, and that the strait was still navigable. The manuscript further states that soon after the passage of the Geertmen there was an earthquake; that the land rose so high that all the water ran out, and all the shallows and alluvial lands rose up like a wall. This must have happened after the time of Moses, so that at the date of the Exodus (1564 B.C.) the track between Suez and the Bitter Lakes was still navigable, but could be forded dry-foot at low water.

This point, then, is the commencement of the isthmus, after the forming of which, the northern inlet was certainly soon filled up as far as the Gulf of Pelusium.

The map by Louis Figuier, in the "Année scientifique et industrielle" (première année), Paris, Hachette, 1857, gives a distinct illustration of the formation of this land.

Another statement, which occurs only in Strabo, finds also here a confirmation. Strabo alone of all the Greek writers relates that Nearchus, after he had landed his troops in the Persian Gulf, at the mouth of the Pasitigris, sailed out of the Persian Gulf by Alexander's command, and steered round Arabia through the Arabian Gulf. As the account stands, it is not clear what Nearchus had to do there, and what the object of the farther voyage was. If, as Strabo seems to think, it was only for geographical discovery, he need not have taken the whole fleet.. One or two ships would have sufficed. We do not read that he returned. Where, then, did he remain with that fleet?

The answer to this question is to be found in the Frisian version of the story. Alexander had bought the ships on the Indus, or had had them built by the descendants of the Frisians who settled there—the Geertmen—and had taken into his service sailors from among them, and at the head of them was Friso. Alexander having accomplished his voyage and the transport of his troops, had no further use for the ships in the Persian Gulf, but wished to employ them in the Mediterranean. He had taken that idea into his head, and it must be carried into effect. He wished to do what no one had done before him. For this purpose Nearchus was to sail up the Red Sea, and on his arrival at Suez was to find 200 elephants, 1000 camels, workmen and materials, timber and ropes, &c., in order to haul the ships by land over the isthmus. This work was carried on and accomplished with so much zeal and energy that after three months' labour the fleet was launched in the Mediterranean. That the fleet really came to the Mediterranean appears in Plutarch's "Life of Alexander;" but he makes Nearchus bring the fleet round Africa, and sail through the Pillars of Hercules.

After the defeat at Actium, Cleopatra, in imitation of this example, tried to take her fleet over the isthmus in order to escape to India, but was prevented by the inhabitants of Arabia Petræa, who burnt her ships. (See Plutarch's "Life of Antony.") When Alexander shortly afterwards died, Friso remained in the service of Antigonus and Demetrius, until, having been grievously insulted by the latter, he resolved to seek out with his sailors their fatherland, Friesland. To India he could not, indeed, return.

Thus these accounts chime in with and clear up each other, and in that way afford a mutual confirmation of the events

Such simple narratives and surprising results led me to conclude that we had to do here with more than mere Saga and Legends.

Since the last twenty years attention has been directed to the remains of the dwellings on piles, first observed in the Swiss lakes, and afterwards in other parts of Europe. (See Dr E. Rückert, "Die Pfahlbauten;" Wurzburg, 1869. Dr T. C. Winkler, in the "Volksalmanak," t. N. v. A. 1867.) When they were found, endeavours were made to discover, by the existing fragments of arms, tools, and household articles, by whom and when these dwellings had

been inhabited. There are no accounts of them in historical writers, beyond what Herodotus writes in book v. chapter 18, of the "Paeonen." The only trace that has been found is in one of the panels of Trajan's Pillar, in which the destruction of a pile village in Dacia is represented.

Doubly important, therefore, is it to learn from the writing of Apollonia that she, as "Burgtmaagd" (chief of the virgins), about 540 years before Christ, made a journey up the Rhine to Switzerland, and there became acquainted with the Lake Dwellers (Marsaten). She describes their dwellings built upon piles—the people themselves—their manners and customs. She relates that they lived by fishing and hunting, and that they prepared the skins of the animals with the bark of the birch-tree in order to sell the fare to the Rhine boatmen, who brought them into commerce. This account of the pile dwellings in the Swiss lakes can only have been written in the time when these dwellings still existed and were lived in. In the second part of the writing, Konerèd oera Linda relates that Adel, the son of Friso (± 250 years before Christ), visited the pile dwellings in Switzerland with his wife Ifkja.

Later than this account there is no mention by any writer whatever of the pile dwellings, and the subject has remained for twenty centuries utterly unknown until 1853, when an extraordinary low state of the water led to the discovery of these dwellings. Therefore no one could have invented this account in the intervening period. Although a great portion of the first part of the work—the book of Adela—belongs to the mythological period before the Trojan war, there is a striking difference between it and the Greek myths. The Myths have no dates, much less any chronology, nor any internal coherence of successive events. The untrammelled fancy develops itself in every poem separately and independently. The mythological stories contradict each other on every point. "Les Mythes ne se tiennent pas," is the only key to the Greek Mythology.

Here, on the contrary, we meet with a regular succession of dates starting from a fixed period—the destruction of Atland, 2193 before Christ. The accounts are natural and simple, often naive, never contradict each other, and are always consistent with each other in time and place. As, for instance, the arrival and sojourn of Ulysses with the Burgtmaagd Kalip at Walhallagara (Walcheren), which is the most mythical portion of all, is here said to be 1005 years after the disappearance of Atland, which coincides with 1188 years before Christ, and thus agrees very nearly with the time at which the Greeks say the Trojan war took place. The story of Ulysses was not brought here for the first time by the Romans. Tacitus found it already in Lower Germany (see "Germania," cap. 3), and says that at Asciburgium there was an altar on which the names of Ulysses and his father Laërtes were inscribed. Another remarkable difference consists in this, that the Myths know no origin, do not name either writers or relaters of their stories, and therefore never can bring forward any authority. Whereas in Adela's book, for every statement is given a notice where it was found or whence it was taken. For instance, "This comes from Minno's writings—this is written on the walls of Waraburch—this in the town of Frya—this at Stavia—this at Walhallagara." There is also this further. Laws, regular legislative enactments, such as are found in great numbers in Adela's book, are utterly unknown in Mythology, and indeed are irreconcilable with its existence. Even when the Myth attributes to Minos the introduction of lawgiving in Crete, it does not give the least account of what the legislation consisted in. Also among the Gods of Mythology there existed no system of laws. The only law was unchangable Destiny and the will of the supreme Zeus.

With regard to Mythology, this writing, which bears no mythical character, is not less remarkable than with regard to history. Notwithstanding the frequent and various relations with Denmark, Sweden, and Norway, we do not find any traces of acquaintance with the Northern or Scandinavian Mythology. Only Wodin appears in the person of Wodan, a chief of the Frisians, who became the son-in-law of one Magy, King of the Finns, and after his death was deified.

The Frisian religion is extremely simple, and pure Monotheism. Wr-alda or Wr-alda's spirit is the only eternal, unchangeable, perfect, and almighty being. Wr-alda has created everything. Out of him proceeds everything—first the beginning, then time, and afterwards Irtha, the Earth. Irtha bore three daughters—Lyda, Finda, and Frya—the mothers of the three distinct races, black, yellow, and white—Africa, Asia, and Europe. As such, Frya is the mother of Frya's people, the Frieslenders. She is the representative of Wr-alda, and is reverenced accordingly. Frya has established her "Tex," the first law, and has established the religion of the eternal light. The worship consists in the maintenance of a perpetually-burning lamp, foddik, by priestesses, virgins. At the head of the virgins in every town was a Burgtmaagd, and the chief of the Burgtmaagden was the Eeremoeder of the Fryasburgt of Texland. The Eeremoeder governs the whole country. The kings can do nothing, nor can anything happen without her advice and approval. The first Eeremoeder was appointed by Frya herself, and was called Fâsta. In fact, we find here the prototype of the Roman Vestal Virgins.

We are reminded here of Velleda (Welda) and Aurinia in Tacitus ("Germania," 8. Hist., iv. 61, 65; v. 22, 24. "Annals," L 54), and of Gauna, the successor of Velleda, in Dio Cassius (Fragments, 49). Tacitus speaks of the town of Velleda as "edita turris," page 146. It was the town Mannagarda fords (Munster).

In the county of the Marsians he speaks of the temple Tanfane (Tanfanc), so called from the sign of the Juul. (See plate I.)

The last of these towns was Fâstaburgt in Ameland, temple Foste, destroyed, according to Occa Scarlensis, in 806.

If we find among the Frisians a belief in a Godhead and ideas of religion entirely different from the Mythology of other nations, we are the more surprised to find in some points the closest connection with the Greek and Roman Mythology, and even with the origin of two deities of the highest rank, Min-erva and Neptune. Min-erva (Athénè) was originally a Burgtmaagd, priestess of Frya, at the town Walhallagara, Middelburg, or Domburg, in Walcheren. And this Min-erva is at the same time the mysterious enigmatical goddess of whose worship scarcely any traces remain beyond the votive stones at Domburg, in Walcheren, Nehallenia, of whom no mythology knows anything more than the name, which etymology has used for all sorts of fantastical derivations.\*

The other, Neptune, called by the Etrurians Nethunus, the God of the Mediterranean Sea, appears here to have been, when living, a Friesland Viking, or sea-king, whose home was Alderga (Ouddorp, not far from Alkmaar). His name was Teunis, called familiarly by his followers Neef Teunis, or Cousin Teunis, who had chosen the Mediterranean as the destination of his expeditions, and must have been deified by the Tyrians at the time when the Phenician navigators began to extend their voyages so remarkably, sailing to Friesland in order to obtain British tin, northern iron, and amber from the Baltic, about 2000 years before Christ.

Besides these two we meet with a third mythological person—Minos, the lawgiver of Crete, who likewise appears to have been a Friesland sea-king, Minno, born at Lindaoord, between Wieringen and Kreyl, who imparted to the Cretans an "Asagaboek." He is that Minos who, with his brother Rhadamanthus and Æacus, presided as judges over the fates of the ghosts in Hades, and must not be confounded with the later Minos, the contemporary of Ægeus and Theseus, who appears in the Athenian fables.

The reader may perhaps be inclined to laugh at these statements, and apply to me the words that I myself have lately used, fantastic and improbable. Indeed at first I could not believe my own eyes, and yet after further consideration I arrived at the discovery of extraordinary conformities which render the case much less improbable than the birth of Min-erva from the head of Jupiter by a blow from the axe of Hephaestus, for instance.

In the Greek Mythology all the gods and goddesses have a youthful period. Pallas alone has no youth. She is not otherwise known than adult. Min-erva appears in Attica as high priestess from a foreign country, a country unknown to the Greeks. Pallas is a virgin goddess, Min-erva is a Burgtmaagd. The fair, blue-eyed Pallas, differing thus in type from the rest of the gods and goddesses, evidently belonged to Frya's people. The character for wisdom and the emblematical attributes, especially the owl, are the same for both. Pallas gives to the new town her own name, Athènai, which has no meaning in Greek. Min-erva gives to the town built by her the name Athene, which has an important meaning in Fries, namely, that they came there as friends "Athene"

Min-erva came to Attica about 1600 years before Christ, the period at which the Grecian Mythology was beginning to be formed. Min-erva landed with the fleet of Jon at the head of a colony in Attica. In later times we find her on the Roman votive stones in Walcheren, under the name of Nehallenia, worshipped as a goddess of navigation; and Pallas is worshipped by the Athenians as the protecting goddess of shipbuilding and navigation.

Time is the carrier who must eternally turn the "Jol" (wheel) and carry the sun along his course through the firmament from winter to winter, thus forming the year, every turn of the wheel being a day. In midwinter the "Jolfeest" is celebrated on Frya's Day. Then cakes are baked in the form of the

sun's wheel, because with the Jol Frya formed the letters when she wrote her "Tex." The Jolfeest is therefore also in honour of Frya as inventor of writing.

Just as this Jolfeest has been changed by Christianity into Christmas throughout Denmark and Germany, and into St Nicholas' Day in Holland; so, certainly, our St Nicholas' dolls—the lover and his sweetheart—are a memorial of Frya, and the St Nicholas letters a memorial of Frya's invention of letters formed from the wheel.

I cannot analyse the whole contents of this writing, and must content myself with the remarks that I have made. They will give an idea of the richness and importance of the contents. If some of it is fabulous, even as fabulous it must have an interest for us, since so little of the traditions of our forefathers remains to us.

An internal evidence of the antiquity of these writings may be found in the fact that the name Batavians had not yet been used. The inhabitants of the whole country as far as the Scheldt are Frya's people—Frieslanders. The Batavians are not a separate people. The name Batavi is of Roman origin. The Romans gave it to the inhabitants of the banks of the Waal, which river bears the name Patabus in the "Tabula Pentingeriana." The name Batavi does not appear earlier than Tacitus and Pliny, and is interpolated in Cæsar's "Bello Gallico," iv. 10. (See my treatise on the course of the rivers through the countries of the Frisians and Batavians, p. 49, in "De Vrije Fries," 4th vol. 1st part, 1845.)

I will conclude with one more remark regarding the language. Those who have been able to take only a superficialview of the manuscript have been struck by the polish of the language, and its conformity with the present Friesland language and Dutch. In this they seem to find grounds for doubting the antiquity of the manuscript.

But, I ask, is, then, the language of Homer much less polished than that of Plato or Demosthenes? And does not the greatest portion of Homer's vocabulary exist in the Greek of our day?

It is true that language alters with time, and is continually subject to slight variations, owing to which language is found to be different at different epochs. This change in the language in this manuscript accordingly gives ground for important observations to philologists. It is not only that of the eight writers who have successively worked at the book, each is recognisable by slight peculiarities in style, language, and spelling; but more particularly between the two parts of the book, between which an interval of more than two centuries occurs, a striking difference of the language is visible, which shows what a slowly progressive regulation it has undergone in that period of time. As the result of these considerations, I arrive at the conclusion that I cannot find any reason to doubt the authenticity of these writings. They cannot be forgeries. In the first place, the copy of 1256 cannot be. Who could at that time have forged anything of that kind? Certainly no one. Still less any one at an earlier date. At a later date a forgery is equally impossible, for the simple reason that no one was acquainted with the language. Except Grimm, Richthofen, and Hettema, no one can be named sufficiently versed in that branch of philology, or who had studied the language so as to be able to write in it. And if any one could have done so, there would have been no more extensive vocabulary at his service than that which the East Frisian laws afford. Therefore, in the centuries lately elapsed, the preparation of this writing was quite impossible. Whoever doubts this let him begin by showing where, when, by whom, and with what object such a forgery could be committed, and let him show in modern times the fellow of this paper, this writing, and this language.

Moreover, that the manuscript of 1256 is not original, but is a copy, is proved by the numerous faults in the writing, as well as by some explanations of words which already in the time of the copyist had become obsolete and little known, as, for instance, in page 82 (114), "to there flete jefta bedrum;" page 151 (204), "bargum jefta tonnum fon tha bests bjar."

A still stronger proof is that between pages 157 and 158 one or more pages are missing, which cannot have been lost out of this manuscript, because the pages 157 and 158 are on the front and the back of the same leaf.

Page 157 finishes thus: "Three months afterwards Adel sent messengers to all the friends that he had gained, and requested them to send him intelligent people in the month of May." When we turn over the leaf, the other side begins, "his wife, he said, who had been Maid of Tex-land," had got a copy of it.

There is no connection between these two. There is wanting, at least, the arrival of the invited, and an account of what passed at their meeting. It is clear, therefore, that the copyist must have turned over two pages of the original instead of one. There certainly existed then an earlier manuscript, and that was doubtless written by Liko oera Linda in the year 803.

We may thus accept that we possess in this manuscript, of which the first part was composed in the sixth century before our era, the oldest production, after Homer and Hesiod, of European literature. And here we find in our fatherland a very ancient people in possession of development, civilisation, industry, navigation, commerce, literature, and pure elevated ideas of religion, whose existence we had never even conjectured. Hitherto we have believed that the historical records of our people reach no farther back than the arrival of Friso the presumptive founder of the Frisians, whereas here we become aware that these records mount up to more than 2000 years before Christ, surpassing the antiquity of Hellas and equalling that of Israel.

This paper was read at a meeting of the Frisian Society, February 1871

- \* Compare G. Meerman, Admonitio de Chartæ nostralis origine. Vad. Letteroef. 1762. P. 630.
- J. H. de Stoppelaar, Paper in the Netherlands. Middelburg, 1869. P. 4.
- \* Min-erva was called Nyhellenia because her counsels were *ny* and *hel*, that is, new and clear. In Paul's epitome of S. Pomponius Festus, *de verborum* Significatione, we find "Min-erva dicta quod bene moneat." See Preller, Roman Mythology, p. 258.

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# Dera Linda Book

Oera Linda Book: Complete English & Frisian Text ~ Introduction Order of Priestesses: Maidens, Citadels & Yule~ Maps, Mothers & Kings~ E-mail

### The Oera Linda Book

Translated by William R. Sandbach, 1876

- 1. Letter of Hiddo
- 2. Letter of Liko
- 3. THE BOOK OF ADELA'S FOLLOWERS.
- 4. This was inscribed upon the Walls of Fryasburg in Texland, as well as at Stavia and Medeasblik.
- 5. Frya's Tex.
- 6. This has Fasta spoken.
- 7. These are the Laws established for the Government of the Citadels.
- 8. Universal Law.
- 9. Here follow the Laws which were thus established.
- 10. These are the Rights of the Mothers and the Kings
- II. Here are the Rules established for the Security of all Frisians.
- 12. From Minno's Writing.
- 13. Laws for the Navigators.
- 14. Useful Extracts from the Writings left by Minno.
- 15. From Minno's Writings.
- 16. From the Writings of Minno.
- 17. These are the Three Principles on which these Laws are founded.
- 18. These Rules are made for Angry People.
- 19. These are the Rules concerning Bastards.
- 20. What is written hereunder is inscribed on the Walls of Waraburgt.
- 21. This stands inscribed upon all Citadels.
- 22. How the Bad Time came.
- 23. This is inscribed on the Waraburgt by the Aldegamude.
- 24. All this is inscribed not only on the Waraburgt, but also on the Burgt Stavia. which lies behind the Port of Stavre.
- 25. What the Consequence of this was.
- ${\bf 26}.$  Now we will write about the War between the Burgtmaagden Kalta and Min-erva
- 27. We now come to the History of Jon.
- 28. Now we shall write how it fared with Jon. It is inscribed at Texland.
- 29. This is about the Geertmen.
- 30. In the Year One thousand and five after Atland was submerged, this was inscribed on the Eastern Wall of Fryasburgt.
- 31. This is inscribed in all our Citadels.
- 32. How it fared afterwards with the Magy
- 33. Postscript.



- 34. THE WRITINGS OF ADELBROST AND APOLLONIA
- 35. The Second Writing
- 36. The Elegy of the Burgtmaagd.
- 37. The Oldest Doctrine.
- 38. The Second Part of the Oldest Doctrine.
- 39. This is written on Parchment—"Skrivfilt." Speech and Answer to other Maidens as an Example.
- 40. Now I will write myself, first about my Citadel, and then about what I have been able to see.
- 41. THE WRITINGS OF FRÊTHORIK AND WILJOW
- $\ensuremath{\mathbf{42.}}\xspace$  Now I will relate how the Geertman and many followers of Hellenia came back.
- 43. This Writing has been given to me about Northland and Schoonland (Scandinavia).
- 44. Hail to all true Frisians.
- 45. THE WRITING OF KONERÊD.
- 46. Now I will write about Friso.
- 47. What Friso did further.
- 48. Now I will write about his son Adel.
- 49. Here is the Writing with Gosa's Advice.
- 50. Here is my Counsel
- 51. The Writing of Beeden.
- 52. Letter of Rika the Oudmaagd, read at Staveren at the Juul Feast.
- 53. (untitled fragment)



# ADELA.

(manuscript ) (contents )

#### OKKE MY SON-

You must preserve these books with body and soul. They contain the history of all our people, as well as of our forefathers. Last year I saved them in the flood, as well as you and your mother; but they got wet, and therefore began to perish. In order not to lose them, I copied them on foreign paper.

In case you inherit them, you must copy them likewise, and your children must do so too, so that they may never be lost.

Written at Liuwert, in the three thousand four hundred and forty-ninth year after Atland was submerged—that is, according to the Christian

Okke min svn.

Thissa boka mot i mith lif ænd sêle wârja. Se vmbifattath thju skêdnise fon vs êle folk âk fon vsa êthlum. Vrlêden jêr hæb ik tham ut-er flod hred tolik mith thi ænd thinra moder. Tha hja wêron wet wrden; thêr thrvch gvngon hja æfternei vrdarva. Vmbe hja navt to vrlysa hæb ik-ra vp wrlandisk pampyer wrskrêven. Sa hwersa thu se erve, mot hu se âk wrskryva. Thin bærn alsa til thju hja nimmerthe wêi navt ne kvma.

Skrêven to Ljuwert. Néi âtland svnken is thæt thria thû sond fjvwer hvndred ænd njugon ænd fjvwertigoste jêr, thæt is nei kersten rêknong that tvelfhvndred sex ænd fiftigoste jêr. Hidde tobinomath oera Linda.

reckoning, the year 1256.

Hiddo, surnamed Over de Linda.—Watch

\* 3449-1256 is 2193 before Christ.

Wâk

(manuscript ) (contents )

Beloved successors, for the sake of our dear forefathers, and of our dear liberty, I entreat you a thousand times never let the eye of a monk look on these writings. They are very insinuating, but they destroy in an underhand manner all that relates to us Frisians. In order to gain rich benefices, they conspire with foreign kings, who know that we are their greatest enemies, because we dare to speak to their people of liberty, rights, and the duties of princes. Therefore they seek to destroy all that we derive from our forefathers, and all that is left of our old customs.

Ah, my beloved ones! I have visited their courts! If Wr-alda permits it, and we do not shew ourselves strong to resist, they will altogether exterminate us

Liko, surnamed OVER DE LINDA.

mio, variantea o visit de sirito.

Ljawa ervnôma. Vmb vsa ljawa êthlas wille ænd vmb vsa ljawa fridoms wille, thusand wâra sâ bidd-ik to jo. Och ljawa ne lêt tha âgon ênis pâpekappe tach nimmerthe over thissa skrifta ne wêja. Hja sprêkath swêta wirda: men hja tornath vnmærksêm an alles hwat fon vs fryas trefth. Vmbe rika prebende to winnande sâ hêlath hja mith tha poppa kêninggar. Thissa wêtath that wi hjara grâteste fianda send. thrvchdam wi hjara liuda to sprêke thvra vr frijdom, rjucht ænd forstne plicht. Thervmbe lêtath hja alles vrdiligja, hwat fon vsa êthlum kvmt ænd hwat thêr jeta rest fon vsa alda sêdum. Och ljawa ik hæv by tham et hove wêst. Wil Wr.alda-t thjelda ænd willath wi vs navt sterik ne mâkja hja skilun vs algâdur vrdiligja. Skrêven to Ljudwerd. Acht hondred ænd thrju jêr nei kersten bigrip. Liko tonômath ovira Linda.

Written at Liudwert, Anno Domini 803.

(manuscript ) (contents )

#### THE BOOK OF ADELA'S FOLLOWERS

Thirty years after the day on which the Volksmoeder was murdered by the commander Magy, was a time of great distress. All the states that lie on the other side of the Weser had been wrested from us, and had fallen under the power of Magy, and it looked as if his power was to become supreme over the whole land. To avert this misfortune a general assembly of the people was summoned, which was attended by all the men who stood in good repute with the Maagden (priestesses). Then at the end of three days the whole council was in confusion, and in the same position as when they came together. Thereupon Adela demanded to be heard, and said:—

You all know that I was three years Burgtmaagd. You know also that I was chosen for Volksmoeder, and that I refused to be Volksmoeder because I wished to marry Apol; but what you do not know is, that I have watched everything that has happened, as if I had really been your Volksmoeder. I have constantly travelled about, observing what was going on. By that means I have become acquainted with many things that others do not know. You said yesterday that our relatives on the other side of the Weser were dull and cowardly; but I may tell you that the Magy has not won a single village from them by force of arms; but only by detestable deceit, and still more by the rapacity of their dukes and nobles.

Frya has said we must not admit amongst us any but free people; but what have they done? They have imitated our enemies, and instead of killing their prisoners, or letting them go free, they have despised the counsel of Frya, and have made slaves of them.

Because they have acted thus, Frya cared no longer to watch over them. They robbed others of their freedom, and therefore lost their own.

This is well known to you, but I will tell you how they came to sink so low. The Finn women had children. These grew up with our free children. They played and gamboled together in the fields, and were also together by the hearth.

There they learned with pleasure the loose ways of the Finns, because they were bad and new; and thus they became denationalised in spite of the efforts of their parents. When the children grew up, and saw that the children of the Finns handled no weapons, and scarcely worked, they took a distaste for work, and became proud.

The principal men and their cleverest sons made up to the wanton daughters of the Finns; and their own daughters, led astray by this bad example, allowed themselves to be beguiled by the handsome young Finns in derision of their depraved fathers. When the Magy found this out, he took the handsomest of his Finns and Magyars, and promised them "red cows with golden horns" to let themselves be taken prisoners by our people in order to spread his doctrines. His people did even more. Children disappeared, were taken away to the uplands, and after they had been brought up in his pernicious doctrines, were sent back.

When these pretended prisoners had learned our language, they persuaded

Thet bok thêra Adela folstar.

Thrittich jêr æftere dêi that thju folksmoder wmbrocht was thrych thêne vreste Mâgy stand et er ærg vm to. Alle stâta thêr er lidsa anda ôre syde thêre Wrsara, wêron fon vs ofkêrth ænd vnder et weld thes Magy kêmen, ænd-et stand to frêsane, that er weldig skolde wertha vr-et êlle lând. Vmbe thæt vnluk to wêrane hêde mæn êne mêna âcht bilidsen, hwêr gâdurath wêron âllera mænnelik, thêr ann en gode hrop stande by tha fâmna. Tha nêi thât-er mâr vrlâpen wêron as thrjv etmelda, was al go-rêd anda tys ænd al-ên sa by hjara kvmste. Thâ to tha lesta frêge Adela thæt wird, ænde kêth. J alle wêt-et that ik thrjv jêr burchfam wêsen sy. Ak wêt j that ik kêren sy to moder, ænd âk, that ik nên moder nêsa navt nilde, thrvchdam ik Apol to min êngâ jêrde. Thach hwat j navt nête, thæt is, that ik alle bêrtnisa nêigvngen hæw, êvin as ik en wrentlike folksmoder wêsen wêre. Ik hæv al-an fon ænd witherfåren to sjande hwæt-er bêrde. Thêr thrych send my fêlo sêka bâr wrden, thêr ôra navt nête. J hæweth jester sêith, thæt vsa sibba an tha ôra syd thêre Wrsara njvt ænd lâf wêre. Thâ ik mêi sedsa to jv, thæt-er Mâgy se nên yne gâ of wnnen heth thrych thæt weld synra wêpne, men blât thrych ærgelestige renka, ænd jeta mâr thrych thæt gyrich sa thêra hyrtogum ænd thêra êthelinga. Frya heth sêit wi ne skoldon nên vnfrya ljvd by vs tolêta, thâ hwat hævon hja dên? hja hævon vsa fjand nêi folged: hwand an stêd fon hjara fensenum to dêiande, jeftha fry to lêtane, hævon hja Fryas rêd minacht ænd se to hjara slâfonum måked. Thrychdam hja sok dêdon, macht Frya navt longer wâka ovir hjam: hja hævon ynes ôtheris frydom binimen, ænd thæt is êrsêke, thæt hja hjara æjn vrlêren hæwe. Thach thæt ella is jo selva âken. Men ik wil sedsa to jo, ho hja nêi grâdum sâ lêg vrsylth send. Thêra finnum hjara wiva krêjon bærn. Thissa waxton vppa mith vsa frya bærn. Altomet tvildon ænd joldon hja to samne vppa hêm, jeftha hja wêron mith ekkorum by thêre hêrd. Thêr hêrdon hja mith lustum nêi tha vrdwâlska finna sâgum, thrvchdam hja thjvd ænd nêi wêron. Så send hja vntfryast vnthônkes thene wald hjarar aldrum. As tha bærn grât wrdon ænd sagon thæt tha finna ra bærn nên wêpne hantêra machte, ænd blât wærka moste, thâ krêjon hja anneth wærka en gryns ænd wrdon hærde hâchfârande. Tha bâsa ænd hjara storsta svnum krupton by tha lodderiga finna mangêrtum; ænd hjara æjne toghatera thrvch thæt vvle fårbild for a wêi brocht, lêton hjara selva bigorda thrvch tha skênesta finna knâpa, hjara vvle aldrum to spot. Tha thêne Magy thæt anda nôs kryg, tha nam-er tha skênesta sinar Finna ænd Magyara vrlovende râ ky mith golden horna, sa hja ra thrvch vs folk fata dêdon, æfterdam sina lêr vtbrêda. Men sin ljuda dêdon mâr: bern wrdon to sok makad, nei vpsalândum wêibrocht, ænd sâhwersa hja vpbrocht wêron an sina vvla lêr, thæn wrdon hja to bek sendon. Thâ tha skinslâvona vsa tâl mæchtich wêron, thâ klivadon hja tha hêrtoga ænd êthelinga an bord, ænd kêthon, hja moston thene Magy hêroch wertha, sa kvndon hjara svnum vpfolgja tham, oni thrvch-et folk kêron to wrdane. Thêra thêr vmbe goda dêdum en fârdêl to-ra hus kryen hêde-vrlovadon

the dukes and nobles that they should become subject to the Magy-that then their sons would succeed to them without having to be elected. Those who by their good deeds had gained a piece of land in front of their house, they promised on their side should receive in addition a piece behind; those who had got a piece before and behind, should have a rondeel (complete circuit); and those who had a rondeel should have a whole freehold. If the seniors were true to Frya, then they changed their course, and turned to the degenerate sons. Yesterday there were among you those who would have called the whole people together, to compel the eastern states to return to their duty. According to my humble opinion, they would have made a great mistake. Suppose that there was a very serious epidemic among the cattle, would you run the risk of sending your own healthy cattle among the sick ones? Certainly not. Every one must see that doing that would turn out very badly for the whole of the cattle. Who, then, would be so imprudent as to send their children among a people wholly depraved? If I were to give you any advice, it would be to choose a new Volksmoeder. I know that you are in a difficulty about it, because out of the thirteen Burgtmaagden that we still have remaining, eight are candidates for the dignity; but I should pay no attention to that.

Teuntia, the Burgtmaagd of Medeasblik, who is not a candidate, is a person of knowledge and sound sense, and quite as attached to our people and our customs as all the rest together. I should farther recommend that you should visit all the citadels, and write down all the laws of Frya's Tex, as well as all the histories, and all that is written on the walls, in order that it may not be destroyed with the citadels.

It stands written that every Volksmoeder and every Burgtmaagd shall have assistants and messengers—twenty-one maidens and seven apprentices.

If I might add more, I would recommend that all the respectable girls in the towns should be taught; for I say positively, and time will show it, that if you wish to remain true children of Frya, never to be vanquished by fraud or arms, you must take care to bring up your daughters as true Frya's daughters.

You must teach the children how great our country has been, what great men our forefathers were, how great we still are, if we compare ourselves to others

You must tell them of the sea-heroes, of their mighty deeds and distant voyages. All these stories must be told by the fireside and in the field, wherever it may be, in times of joy or sorrow; and if you wish to impress it on the brains and the hearts of your sons, you must let it flow through the lips of your wives and your daughters.

Adela's advice was followed.

These are the Grevetmen under whose direction this book is composed:—Apol, Adela's husband; three times a sea-king; Grevetman of Ostflyland and Lindaoorden. The towns Liudgarda, Lindahem, and Stavia are under his care.

The Saxman Storo, Sytia's husband; Grevetman over the Hoogefennen and Wouden. Nine times he was chosen as duke or heerman (commander) . The towns Buda and Manna-garda-forda are under his care.

Abêlo, Jaltia's husband; Grevetman over the Zuiderflylanden. He was three times heerman. The towns Aken, Liudburg, and Katsburg are under his care.

Enoch, Dywcke's husband; Grevetman over Westflyland and Texel. He was chosen nine times for sea-king. Waraburg, Medeasblik, Forana, and Fryasburg are under his care.

Foppe, Dunroo's husband; Grevetman over the seven islands. He was five times sea-king. The town Walhallagara is under his care.

- \* Nêsa, contraction for ne wêsa, nilde for ne wilde, nête for ne wête.
- $\dagger$  Magy, King of the Magyars or Finns.
- \* Oni, in Old Dutch, is one; in German, ohne or zonder.
- $\dagger$  Mong, among , or emong , is, in Dutch, onder ; in English, among .
- \* Falikant, or få likande, is very improbable or unlikely.

hja fon sinant wêgum jeta-n æfter-dêl bij; hoka tham en fâr ænd æfter-dêl kryen hêde sêidon hja en rond-dêl to, ænd tham en rond-dêl hêde en êlle stât. Wêron tha êthla to hærde fryas, thâ wendon hja tha stêwen ænd hildon vppar vrbastera svnum an. Jesterdêi wêron-er mong jo tham allet folk to hâpa hropa wilde vmb tha âstlike stâta wither to hjara plyga to tvangande. Thach nêi min ynfalda myning skolde thât falikant utkvmma. Thænk ynes thêr was wêsen en hærde lyngsyakte among eth fja, ænd thæter thêr jeta ærg vvde, skolde jeth thæn wel wâgja vmbe jvw hêlena fja to fårande among hjara syaka fja? æmmer nå. Såhwersa allra mænnelik nw biâma ænd bijechta mot, thæt-eth thêr mitha stapel ærg of kvma skolde, hwa skolde thæn alsa dryst wêsa vmbe sina bærn to wagande among en folk thæt êlle ænd al vrdêren is. Macht ik jo rêd jêva, ik skolde sedsa to jo, j moste bifara alle dingum jo en nêie folksmoder kyasa. Ik wêt wel thæt j thêrmitha anda brvd sitte, vt hawede thæt-er fon tha thredtine burchfâmna than wi jeta ower hæve wel achte send thêr nêi thêre êra dinge, men thæt skold ik navt ne melda. Tüntja thêr fâm is et er burch Mêdêasblik het er næmmer nêi tâlth; tach is hja fol witskip ænd klarsyan, ænd wel sa hærde vppir folk ænd usa plyga stælth as all ôthera etsamne. Forth skold-ik rêda j moste nêi tha burgum gâ, ænd thêr vpskrywa alle êwa fryas tex, bijvnka alle skydnisa, jå ella thæt er to finda sy vppa wågum, til thju ella navt vrlêren ni gâ, ænd mitha burgum alsa vrdên navt ne werth. Thêr stæt askriwen; thiu moder ænd jahwelik burchfam skil hæva buta helpar ænd senda bodon, yn and twintich fâmna ænd sjugon lêrfâmkis. Macht ik thêr hwat to dvande, thà skol-ik skrywa, ænd alsa fêlo êrsêma toghatera vmbe to lêrane, sa thêr vppa burgum wêsa müge; hwand ik seg an trowe ænd tid skil-eth jechta, sâhwersa jæfta Fryas bærn wille næmmer to winnande, hor thrvch lesta ner thvch wêpne, sa hagath j to nvdande thæt jvwe toghatera æfta frya wiva wrde. Bærn mot mæn lêre, ho grât vs lànd êr wèsen sy, hokke grâte mænniska vsa ethla wêron, ho grât wi jeta send, sa wi vs dæl ledsath bij ôra, mæn mot tâla hjam fon tha wicharda ænd fon hjara wichandlika dêdum, æk wra fâra sêtochta. Al thissa tællinga hagath dên to werthande bij thêre hêrd, vppa hêm ænd hwêr et wêsa mêi, sâ bij blyskip as bij târum. Men skil-et standfæst kvma an dat bryn ænd andæt hirta, thæn moton alle lêringa overa wêra jvwera wiva ænd toghatera thêr-in strå. ma. Adelas rêd is vpfolgath.

Thit send tha nâma thèra grêvetmanna, vnder hwam-mis wald thit bok awrochten is. Apol, Adelas man, Thria iser sêkening wêsen, nw is-er grêvetman over Ast-flylând ænd ovir-a Linda-wrda. Tha bvrga Ljydgârda, Lindahêm, ænd Stâvja send vnder sin hod.

Ther Saxman Storo, Sytjas man, grêvetman ovir-a hâga fenna ænd walda. Njvgun wâra is-er to hêrtoga, thæt is to hyrman, kêren. Tha burga Bvda ænd Manna-gârda-forda send vnder sin hod.

Abêlo, Jaltjas man, grêvetman ovir tha Sûdar Flylânda. Fjywers is-er hyrman wêsen. Tha burga Aken, Ljydburch ænd Kâtsburch send vnder sin hod.

Enoch Dywek his man, grêvetman ovir West-flylând ænd Texland. Njvgun mel is-er to sêkening kêren. Thiu Wâraburch, Mêdêasblik, Forâna ænd ald Fryasburch send vnder sin hod.

Foppa, man fon Dunrôs, grêvetman ovir tha Sjvgon êlânda. Fif mel is-er sêkening wêsen. Thju burch Walhallagâra is vnder sin hod.

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THIS WAS INSCRIBED UPON THE WALLS OF FRYASBURG IN TEXLAND. AS WELL AS AT STAVIA AND MEDEASBLIK.

It was Frya's day, and seven times seven years had elapsed since Festa was appointed Volksmoeder by the desire of Frya. The citadel of Medeasblik was ready, and a Burgtmaagd was chosen. Festa was about to light her

Thit stand vppa tha wâgum et Fryasburch to Texland askrywen, thæt stêt  $\hat{a}k \text{ to Stâvia } \text{and to $M$\'ed\^{e}as blik}.$ 

Thæt was Frya his dêi ænd to thêre stonde was et vrlêden sjygun wâra sjygun jêr, thæt Fæsta was anstæld as folksmoder nêi Fryas jêrta. Thju burch Mêdêasblik was rêd ænd en fâm was kêren. Nw skolde Fæsta thju

new lamp, and when she had done so in the presence of all the people, Frya called from her watch-star, so that every one could hear it: "Festa, take your style and write the things, that I may not speak." Festa did as she was bid, and thus we became Frya's children, and our earliest history began.

This is our earliest history.

Wr-alda, who alone is eternal and good, made the beginning. Then commenced time. Time wrought all things, even the earth. The earth bore grass, herbs, and trees, all useful and all noxious animals. All that is good and useful she brought forth by day, and all that is bad and injurious by night.

After the twelfth Juulfeest she brought forth three maidens:-

Lyda out of fierce heat.

Finda out of strong heat.

Frva out of moderate heat.

When the last came into existence, Wr-alda breathed his spirit upon her in order that men might be bound to him. As soon as they were full grown they took pleasure and delight in the visions of Wr-alda.

Hatred found its way among them.

They each bore twelve sons and twelve daughters—at every Juul-time a couple. Thence come all mankind.

Lyda was black, with hair curled like a lamb's; her eyes shone like stars, and shot out glances like those of a bird of prey.

Lyda was acute. She could hear a snake glide, and could smell a fish in the water.

Lyda was strong and nimble. She could bend a large tree, yet when she walked she did not bruise a flower-stalk.

Lyda was violent. Her voice was loud, and when she screamed in anger every creature quailed.

Wonderful Lyda! She had no regard for laws; her actions were governed by her passions. To help the weak she would kill the strong, and when she had done it she would weep by their bodies.

Poor Lyda! She turned grey by her mad behaviour, and at last she died heart-broken by the wickedness of her children. Foolish children! They accused each other of their mother's death. They howled and fought like wolves, and while they did this the birds devoured the corpse. Who can refrain from tears at such a recital?

Finda was yellow, and her hair was like the mane of a horse. She could not bend a tree, but where Lyda killed one lion she killed ten.

Finda was seductive. Her voice was sweeter than any bird's. Her eyes were alluring and enticing, but whoever looked upon them became her slave.

Finda was unreasonable. She wrote thousands of laws, but she never obeyed one. She despised the frankness of the good, and gave herself up to flatterers

That was her misfortune. Her head was too full, but her heart was too vain. She loved nobody but herself, and she wished that all should love her.

False Finda! Honey-sweet were her words, bat those who trusted them found sorrow at hand.

Selfish Finda! She wished to rule everybody, and her sons were like her. They made their sisters serve them, and they slew each other for the mastery.

Treacherous Finda! One wrong word would irritate her, and the cruellest deeds did not affect her. If she saw a lizard swallow a spider, she shuddered; but if she saw her children kill a Frisian, her bosom swelled with pleasure.

Unfortunate Finda! She died in the bloom of her age, and the mode of her death is unknown.

Hypocritical children! Her corpse was buried under a costly stone, pompous inscriptions were written on it, and loud lamentations were heard at it, but in private not a tear was shed.

Despicable people! The laws that Finda established were written on golden tables, but the object for which they were made was never attained. The good laws were abolished, and selfishness instituted bad ones in their place. O Finda! then the earth overflowed with blood, and your children were mown down like grass. Yes, Finda! those were the fruits of your vanity. Look down from your watch-star and weep.

Frya was white like the snow at sunrise, and the blue of her eyes vied with the rainbow.

Beautiful Frya! Like the rays of the sun shone the locks of her hair, which were as fine as spiders' webs.

Clever Frya! When she opened her lips the birds ceased to sing and the leaves to quiver.

nêja foddik vpstêka, ænd thâ thæt dên was an æjnwarda fon thæt folk, thâ hrop Frya fon hira wâkstære, sâ thæt allera mænnalik thæt hêra machte: Fæsta nim thinra stifte ænd writ tha thinga thêr ik êr navt sedsa ne machte. Fæsta dêde alsa hja boden wærth. Sâ send wy Fryas bærn an vsa forma skêdnise kêmen.

Thæt is vsa forma skêdnise.

Wr.alda tham allèna god ænd évg is, måkade t.anfang, dana kêm tid, tid wrochte alle thinga åk jrtha. Jrtha bårde alle gårsa, krúdon ænd boma, allet djara kwik ænd allet ærge kwik. Alhwat god ænd djar is, brocht hju by dêgum ænd alhwat kwåd ænd ærg is, brocht hju thes nachtis forth. Afteret twilifte jol-fêrste bårde hja thrja mangêrta.

Lyda wærth ut glyande,

Finda wærth ut hêta ænd

Frya ut warme stof.

Thå hja blåt kėmon spisde Wr.alda hjam mith sina ådama; til thju tha mænneska an him skolde bvnden wèsa. Ring as hja rip wèron krèjon hja früchda ænd nochta anda dråma Wr.aldas. Od tråd to-ra binna: ænd nw bårdon ek twilif svna ænd twilif togathera ek joltid twèn. Thèrof send alle mænneska kèmen.

Lyda was swart, krolhêred alsa tha lômera: lik stæra blonken hjra ôgon; ja thes gyrfügels blikkar wêron vnmodich by hjras.

Skærpe Lyda. Annen sanâka kvn hju kruppa hêra, ænd hwersa thêr fiska invr wêter wêre n•vntgong thæt hira nostera navt.

Rædbywde Lyda. En store bâm kvn hju bûgja ænd sahwersa hja run ne bræk nêne blomstâl vnder hjara fyt.

Weldige Lyda. Hærd was hjra steme ænd krêt hju ut grimme så run ek flux wêi.

Wonderfylle Lyda. Fon êwa nilde hju navt nêta: hjra dêda wrdon thrych hjra tochta stjyrat. Vmbe tha têdra to helpâne, dâde hju tha stôra ænd hwersa hju-t dên hêde grâjde hju by-t lik.

Arme Lyda. Hju wærth gris fon t vnwisse bihjelda ænd vpp it ende sturf hja fon hirtsêr vmbe tha bærn ra kwåd.

Vnwisa bærn. Hja tichtegadon ekkorum, fen mæm-ra dåd, hja græjadon lik wolva, fjychtadon alsa ænd dahwile hja that dêdon êton tha fügelon thæt lik. Hwå mêi sin tåra hwither to haldane.

Finda. Was gêl ænd hjr hêr sâ tha mâna êner hors: êne thrê ne kv hja navt ni bûgja; men hwêr Lyda annen lavwa macht to dêjande, thêr dâde hja wel tjæn.

Vrlêdalike Finda. Svet was hjra stemme ænd nannen fûgel kvn sjonga lik hju. Hjra êgon lokton ænd lordon, men thêrer ansach wærth slâf.

Vnrédalika Finda. Hju skréf thůsande êwa, tha hju ne folgde nên er fon vp. Hja vrfyade tha goda vmbe hjara frymod, thâ an slikmæmkes jêf hju hir selva hast wêi

That was hir vnluk. Hjra håved was to fvl: tha hjr hirte to ydel; hju ne minde nimmæn sa hja selva ænd hju wilde thæt ek hja lyaf hæwe skolde.

Falske Finda. Hüning swet wêron hjra wirda, thâ hok tham hja trjvwade wêre vnluk nêi by.

Selvsjochta Finda. Ovir ella wilde hju welda, ænd hjra svnum wêron lik hju; fon hjara susterum lêton hja ra thjanja ænd ekkorum slogon hja vmbet måsterskip dåd.

Dubbelhirta Finda. Vmbe skotse wirda wærth hju yre, ænd tha ærgste dêda ne rorde hja navt. Sach hju en nyndask en spinne vrslynna, thæn wærth hju ommret hirte sa ys; men sach hju hjra bærn en fryas vrmorde sâ swol hjra bosm fon nocht.

Vnluke Finda. Hju sturf anda blomtid fon hjra lêva, ænd-t is jeta tjvester ho hju fallen sy.

Skinhêliga bærn. Vnder kestlike stêna lêidon hja hjra lik dêl, mit kwabbjana skriftum smukton hja tham vppa, togrâjande vmbe hêrath to wærthande men an stilnise ne wênadon hja nênen ênge târ.

Vrijfalik folk. Thi tex thêr Finda nêi lêt was in golden blêdar wryt: thach tha besta hwêr-far i mâkad was, wêr i næmmer to not. Tha goda êwa wrdon utfâgad ænd selfv sjocht wryte thêr kwâda far in.

O Finda. Tha wærth jrtha fvl blod, ænd tha hâveda thêr mænneska mæjadon thin bærn lik gærs hælma of. Ja Finda thæt send tha früchda thinera ydlenise. Sjan dæl fon thinre wâkstær ænd wên.

Frya. Was wit lik snêi bij't môrnerâd ænd thæt blâw hjrar ôgnum wn et jeta thêre rêinbôge of.

Skêne Frya. Lik strêlon thêre middêi svnne blikadon hjra hêron, thêr sa fin wêron as rach.

Abela Frya. Vntlvkton hjra wêra, thæn swêgon tha fûgelon ænd ne rordon tha blêdar navt mar.

Weldige Frya. Thrvch thêne kræft hjrar blikkar strêk thene lâwa to fara hjara fyt dæl ænd held thene addur sin gif tobæk.

Powerful Frya! At the glance of her eye the lion lay down at her feet and the adder withheld his poison.

Pure Frya! Her food was honey, and her beverage was dew gathered from the cups of the flowers.

Sensible Frya! The first lesson that she taught her children was self-control, and the second was the love of virtue; and when they were grown she taught them the value of liberty; for she said, "Without liberty all other virtues serve to make you slaves, and to disgrace your origin."

Generous Frya! She never allowed metal to be dug from the earth for her own benefit, but when she did it it was for the general use.

Most happy Frya! Like the starry host in the firmament, her children clustered around her.

Wise Frya! When she had seen her children reach the seventh generation, she summoned them all to Flyland, and there gave them her Tex, saying, "Let this be your guide, and it can never go ill with you."

Exalted Frya! When she had thus spoken the earth shook like the sea of Wr-alda. The ground of Flyland sank beneath her feet, the air was dimmed by tears, and when they looked for their mother she was already risen to her watching star; then at length thunder burst from the clouds, and the lightning wrote upon the firmament "Watch!"

Far-seeing Frya! The land from which she had risen was now a stream, and except her Tex all that was in it was overwhelmed.

Obedient children! When they came to themselves again, they made this high mound and built this citadel upon it, and on the walls they wrote the Tex, and that every one should be able to find it they called the land about it Texland. Therefore it shall remain as long as the earth shall be the earth.

- \* Wr-alda, always written as a compound word, meaning the Old Ancient, or the Oldest Being.
- † Od, the root of the Latin odi, I hate.
- \* Nylof, the colour of new foliage, bright green.

Rêne Frya. Hjra yta was hūning ænd hjra drank was dâwa, gâdvrad anda bôsma thêra blommur.

Lichte Frya. Thæt forma hwat hju hjra bærn lêrde was selv-twang, thæt ôthera was lyafte to düged, ænd thå hja jêroch wrdon, thå lêrde hju bjam thju wêrtha fon tha frijdom kænna: hwand sêide hju svnder frijdom send alle ôthera dügedon allêna god vmbe jo to slåvona to måkjande, jvwe ofkvmste to êvge skantha.

Milde Frya. Næmmer lyt hju métal ut jrtha dælva vmb æjnbât, men sâhwersa hja-t dêde wêr-et to jahwelikis not.

Lukigoste Frya. Alsa tha stæra om jrtha omswyrmia swirmadon hjara bærn om hia.

Wise Frya. Tha hju hjra bærn vpbrocht hêde alto thère sjugonde kny, tha hrop hju-ra alle a Flyland to sæmne. Thêr jêf se hjam hjra tex, ænd sêide, lêt tham jvwe wêiwisar wêsa, tha ne skil thæt jo na navt kwalik ni gâ.

Utforkêrena Frya. Thâ hju-t sêid hêde, bêvade jrtha lîk Wr.aldas sê, Flylândis bodem svnk an grâda vnder hjara fyt dæl. Thju loft wârt swart ænd nylof fon târa to stirtane ænd thâ hja nêi moder omsâgon, was hju al lang vppira wâkstær. Thâ to tha lesta spræk tongar ut-a wolka ænd blixen schrêf an thæt loftrym, wâk.

Farsjanda Frya. Thæt lånd fon hwêr hju was vpfaren was nw en stråm ænd buta hira tex was thêr in ella bidvlwen hwat fon hjra hôndum kêmen was. Hêriga bærn. Thå hja to-ra selva wêron, thå måkadon hja thit håge therp, bvwadon thås burch thërvppa, an da wægrum thessa wryton hja thene tex, ænd vmbe that allera mannalik hja skolde müga finda, hævath hja thæt lånd rondomme Texlånd hêten. Thêrvmbe skil-æt bilywa al wenne jrtha irtha sv.

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#### FRYA'S TEX.

Prosperity awaits the free. At last they shall see me again. Though him only can I recognise as free who is neither a slave to another nor to himself. This is my counsel:—

- I. When in dire distress, and when mental and physical energy avail nothing, then have recourse to the spirit of Wr-alda; but do not appeal to him before you have tried all other means, for I tell you beforehand, and time will prove its truth, that those who give way to discouragement sink under their burdens.
- 2. To Wr-alda's spirit only shall you bend the knee in gratitude—thricefold—for what you have received, for what you do receive, and for the hope of aid in time of need.
- $_3$ . You have seen how speedily I have come to your assistance. Do likewise to your neighbour, but wait not for his entreaties. The suffering would curse you, my maidens would erase your name from the book, and I would regard you as a stranger.
- 4. Let not your neighbour express his thanks to you on bended knee, which is only due to Wr-alda's spirit. Envy would assail you, Wisdom would ridicule you, and my maidens would accuse you of irreverence.
- 5. Four things are given for your enjoyment—air, water, land, and fire—but Wr-alda is the sole possessor of them. Therefore my counsel to you is, choose upright men who will fairly divide the labour and the fruits, so that no man shall be exempt from work or from the duty of defence.
- 6. If ever it should happen that one of your people should sell his freedom, he is not of you, he is a bastard. I counsel you to expel him and his mother from the land. Repeat this to your children morning, noon, and night, till they think of it in their dreams.
- 7. If any man shall deprive another, even his debtor, of his liberty, let him be to you as a vile slave; and I advise you to burn his body and that of his mother in an open place, and bury them fifty feet below the ground, so that no grass shall grow upon them. It would poison your cattle.
- 8. Meddle not with the people of Lyda, nor of Finda, because Wr-alda would help them, and any injury that you inflicted on them would recoil upon your own heads.
- 9. If it should happen that they come to you for advice or assistance, then it behoves you to help them; but if they should rob you, then fall upon them with fire and sword.

Tex Fryas.

Held bêid tha Frya, to tha lesta skilun hja my hwiter sja. Thach thêra allêna mêi ik as fry kænna thêr nên slâf is fon ên ôther ni fon sine tochta. Hyr is min rêd.

Sâhwersa thju nêd ærg sy ænd gode rêd ænd gode dêd nawet mâr ne formûge, hrop thæn thi gâst Wr.aldas an, men j ne mot-im navt anhropa bifâra alle thinga prvvath send. Tha ik segs to jo mith rêdene ænd tid skilet wâra, tha modelâsa skilun æmmar swika vnder hjar æjn lêd.

- 2. Wr.aldas gåst mêi mæn allêna knibuwgjande thånk to wya, jå thrju wâra far hwat jv fon him noten hæve, far hwat jv nith, ænd fara håpe thêr hy jo lêt an ænga tida.
- 3. J hæwed sjan ho ring ik helpe lênde, dva al ên mith jo nêston, men ne tof navt til mæn jo bêden heth, tha lydande skolde jo floka, min fâmna skoldon jvwa nâma utfaga ut-æt bok ænd ik skolde jo lik vnbikænnade ofwisa mota.
- 4. Nim næmmar knibuwgjande tânk fon jv nêston an, thjus âgath Wr.aldas gâst. Nid skoldej bikrjupa, wisdom solde j bilâka ænd min fâmna skoldon jo bityga fon fâderrâv.
- 5. Fjuwer thinga send to jvwe not jêven, mith nâma, loft, wêter, lând ænd fjur. Men Wr.alda wil thêr allêna bisittar of wêsa. Thêrvmbe rêd ik jo, j skilun jo rjuchtfêrdiga manna kyasa, tham thju arbêd ænd tha früchda nêi rjuchta dêla, sâ that næmman fry fon wârka ni fon wêra sy.
- 6. Sâhwersa thèr æmman among jo fvnden wærth, thèr sin æjn frydom vrsellath, tham-n-is navt fon jvw folk: hi is en horning mith basterd blod. Ik rêde jo that j him ænd sin mæm to thæt lând utdriva, sêgs that to jvwa bærn, thes mornes, thes middèis ænd thes êwendes, til thju hja thèrof drâme thes nachtis.
- 7. Allera mænnalik thêr en ôther fon sine frydom birâwath, al wêre thêne ôre him skeldech, mot ik anda bærntâm êner slâfinne fâra lêta. Thach ik rêde jo vmbe sin lik ænd that sinera mæm vpp êne kæle stêd to vrbarnande, æfternêi hjara aske fiftich fyt anda grvnd to dælvane, til hju thêr nênen gærshælm vp waxa ni mêi, hwand aldulkera gærs skolde jvw diaroste kvik dêja.
- 8. Ne grip nå thæt folk fon Lyda ner fon Finda an. Wr.alda skolde helpa hjam, sa that-æt weld that fon jo utgong vppa jvwa æjne hâveda skolde witherkvma.
- 9. Sâhwersa thæt machte bêra that hja fon juwe rêd jefta awet owers wilde,

- Io. If any of them should seek a daughter of yours to wife, and she is willing, explain to her her folly; but if she will follow her lover, let her go in peace.
- II. If your son wishes for a daughter of theirs, do the same as to your daughter; but let not either one or the other ever return among you, for they would introduce foreign morals and customs, and if these were accepted by you, I could no longer watch over you.
- 12. Upon my servant Fasta I have placed all my hopes. Therefore you must choose her for Eeremoeder. Follow my advice, then she will hereafter remain my servant as well as all the sacred maidens who succeed her. Then shall the lamp which I have lighted for you never be extinguished. Its brightness shall always illuminate your intellect, and you shall always remain as free from foreign domination as your fresh riverwater is distinct from the salt sea.

alsa aghat j to helpane hjam. Men kvmath hja to råwande; fal than vppa tham nither lik blixenande fivr.

- 10. Sâhwersa annen fon hjam êner jvwer toghaterum to wif gêrth ænd hju that wil, thæn skolun j hja hjra dvmhêd bitjvtha; thach wil hju toch hjra frêjar folgja, that hja than mith frêtho gâ.
- II. Willath jvw svna fon hjara toghaterum, så mot j alsa dva as mith jvwa toghaterum. Thach hor tha êna nor tha ôthera mêi witherkvma; hwand hja skoldvn uthêmeda sêda ænd plêga mith fara; ænd drêi thessa by jo heldgad wrde, mêi ik navt longer ovir jo wâka.
- 12. Vppa minre fâm Fæsta hæv ik min hâp fæstegth, thêrvmbe most j hja to êremoder nêma, Folgath j min rêd, thæn skil hju nêmels min fâm bilywa ænd alla frâna fâmna thêr hja folgja; thæn skil thju foddik næmer utgâ thêr ik far jo vpstoken hæv. Thæt ljucht thêra skil thæn êvg jvwe bryn vpklarja, ænd j skilun thæn êvin fry bilyva fon vnfrya weld as jvwa swite rinstrâma fon thæt salte wêter thêr ændelâse sê.

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#### THIS HAS FASTA SPOKEN

All the regulations which have existed a century, that is, a hundred years, may by the advice of the Eeremoeder, with the consent of the community, be inscribed upon the walls of the citadel, and when inscribed on the walls they become laws, and it is our duty to respect them all. If by force or necessity any regulations should be imposed upon us at variance with our laws and customs, we must submit; but should we be released, we must always return to our own again. That is Frya's will, and must be that of all her children

#### FASTA SAID-

Anything that any man commences, whatever it may be, on the day appointed for Frya's worship shall eternally fail, for time has proved that she was right; and it is become a law that no man shall, except from absolute necessity, keep that day otherwise than as a joyful feast.

#### Thet het Fasta sêid

Alle setma thêr en êw, thæt is hvndred jêr, omhlâpa müge mith tha krodar ænd sin jol, thêra mügon vppa rêd thère moder, ænd by mêna willa vppa wêgar thêra burgum writ hwertha; send hja uppa wêgar writ, thân send hja êwa, ænd thæt is vsa plicht vmbe altham an êra to haldande. Kvmth nêd ænd tvang vs setma to jêvane, stridande wither vsa êwa ænd plêgum, sâ mot mænneska dva alsa hja askja; thach send hja wêken, thæn mot mæn æmmer to thæt alda witherkêra. Thæt is Fryas willa, ænd thæt mot wêsa tham fon al hjra bærn.

#### Fasta sêide.

Alle thinga, thèr mæn anfangja wil, hoka thæt-æt môga wèsa, vppa tha dèi, thèr wy Frya heldgad hæwa, tham skilun êvg falykant utkvma: nêidam tid nw biwysd heth thæt hju riucht hêde, så is thæt en êwa wrdon, thæt mæn svnder nêd ænd tvang a Frya hjra dèi nawet owers ni dva ne mèi, tha blyda fêrsta fyrja.

#### $7 \cdot$ (manuscript ) (contents )

# THESE ARE THE LAWS ESTABLISHED FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITADELS.

- I. Whenever a citadel is built, the lamp belonging to it must be lighted at the original lamp in Texland, and that can only be done by the mother.
- 2. Every mother shall appoint her own maidens. She may even choose those who are mothers in other towns.
- 3. The mother of Texland may appoint her own successor, but should she die without having done so, the election shall take place at a general assembly of the whole nation.
- 4. The mother of Texland may have twenty-one maidens and seven assistants, so that there may always be seven to attend the lamp day and night. She may have the same number of maidens who are mothers in other towns.
- 5. If a maiden wishes to marry, she must announce it to the mother, and immediately resign her office, before her passion shall have polluted the light.
- 6. For the service of the mother and of each of the Burgtmaidens there shall be appointed twenty-one townsmen—seven civilians of mature years, seven warriors of mature years, and seven seamen of mature years.
- 7. Out of the seven three shall retire every year, and shall not be replaced by members of their own family nearer than the fourth degree.
- 8. Each may have three hundred young townsmen as defenders.
- 9. For this service they must study Frya's Tex and the laws. From the sages they must learn wisdom, from the warriors the art of war, and from the sea-kings the skill required for distant voyages.
- 10. Every year one hundred of the defenders shall return to their homes, and those that may have been wounded shall remain in the citadels.
- II. At the election of the defenders no burgher or Grevetman, or other person of distinction, shall vote, but only the people.
- 12. The mother at Texland shall have three times seven active messengers, and three times twelve speedy horses. In the other citadels each maiden

- That send tha êwa thêr to thêra burgum hêra.
- I. Såhwersa ther ærne ene burch bvwet is, så mot thju foddik thera an tha forma foddik et Texlând vpstêken wrda. Thach thæt ne mêi næmmer owers as troch tha moder sken.
- 2. Ek moder skil hjra æjn fâmna kjasa; alsa thêra thêr vppa thêra ôthera burgum as moder send.
- 3. Thju moder to Texlând mêi hjra folgster kjasa, thach sâhwersa hju falth êr hju t dên heth, sa mot thas kêren hwertha vppa êna mêna acht, by rêdum fon alle stata et sêmne.
- 4. Thju moder to Texlànd mêi ên ænd tvintich fâmna ænd sjygun spille mangêrta hæva, til thju thêr æmmer sjygun by thêre foddik muge wâkja dêilikes ænd thes nachtes. By tha fâmna thêr vppa ora burgum as moder thjanja alsa fêlo.
- 5. Såhwersa en fåm annen gåda wil, sa mot hju-t thêre moder melda, ænd bistonda to tha mænniska kêra, êr hju mith hjra tochtige ådama thæt ljucht bivvlath.
- 6. Thju moder ænd alrek burchfâm skil mæn tofogjande ên ænd tvintich burchhêran, sjvgun alda wisa, sjvgun alda kæmpar, ænd sjvgun alda sêkæmper.
- 7. Ther fon skilun alle jêron to honk kêra thrim fon elik sjygun, thach hja ne mügon navt vpfolgath ne wertha thrych hjara sibtal nêjar sa tha fjarda kny.
- 8. Aider mêi thrê hyndred jonga burchwêrar hæva.
- 9. Far thissa thjanesta skilun hja lêra Fryas tex ænd tha êwa, fon tha wisa mannon thêne wisdom, fon tha alda hêrmannon thene kunst fon tha orloch ænd fond tha sêkeningar thene kunsta thêr bi thæt butafâra nêthlik send.
- 10. Fon thissa wêrar skilun jêrlikes hvndred to bek kêra. Thach send thêr svme vrlæmth wrden, sa mügon hja vpper burch bilywa hjara êlle lêva long.
- 11. By thæt kjasa fon tha wêrar ne mêi nimmen fon thêra burch nên stem

shall have three messengers and seven horses.

- 13. Every citadel shall have fifty agriculturists chosen by the people, but only those may be chosen who are not strong enough to go to war or to go to sea.
- 14. Every citadel must provide for its own sustenance, and must maintain its own defences, and look after its share of the general contributions.
- 15. If a man is chosen to fill any office and refuses to serve, he can never become a burgher, nor have any vote. And if he is already a burgher, he shall cease to be so.
- 16. If any man wishes to consult the mother or a Burgtmaid, he must apply to the secretary, who will take him to the Burgtmaster. He will then be examined by a surgeon to see if he is in good health. If he is passed, he shall lay aside his arms, and seven warriors shall present him to the mother.
- 17. If the affair concerns only one district, he must bring forward not less than three witnesses; but if it affects the whole of Friesland, he must have twenty-one additional witnesses, in order to guard against any deceptions.

  18. Under all circumstances the mother must take care that her children, that is, Frya's people, shall remain as temperate as possible. This is her most important duty, and it is the duty of all of us to help her in performing it.
- 19. If she is called upon to decide any judicial question between a Grevetman and the community, she must incline towards the side of the community in order to maintain peace, and because it is better that one man should suffer than many.
- 20. If any one comes to the mother for advice, and she is prepared to give it, she must do it immediately. If she does not know what to advise, he must remain waiting seven days; and if she then is unable to advise, he must go away without complaining, for it is better to have no advice at all than had advice.
- 21. If a mother shall have given bad advice out of illwill, she must be killed or driven out of the land, deprived of everything.
- 22. If her Burgtheeren are accomplices, they are to be treated in a similar manner.
- 23. If her guilt is doubtful or only suspected, it must be considered and debated, if necessary, for twenty-one weeks. If half the votes are against her, she must be declared innocent. If two-thirds are against her, she must wait a whole year. If the votes are then the same, she must be considered guilty, but may not be put to death.
- 24. If any of the one-third who have voted for her wish to go away with her, they may depart with all their live and dead stock, and shall not be the less considered, since the majority maybe wrong as well as the minority.

- navt ne hæva, ni tha grêvetmanna jefta ôthera hâveda, mæn thæt blæta folk alléna
- 12. Thju moder et Texlând skil mæn jêva thrja sjvgun flinka bodon mith thrja twilif rappa horsa. Vppa ora burgum ek burchfâm thrê bodon mith sjvgun horsa.
- 13. Ak skil æjder burchfam hæva fiftich bywara thrych thæt folk akéren. Men thérto mèi mæn allèna jéva sokka, thér navt abel ænd stora for wéra ner to butafárar send.
- 14. Ajder burch mot hiri selva bidruppa ænd genêra fon hjra æjn ronddêl ænd fon thæt dêl that hju fon thæt mærkjeld bürth.
- 15. Is thêr æmman kêren vmbe vppa burgum to thjanjande ænd nil-er navt, thæn ne mêi-er na nên burchhêr wertha, ænd dus nên stem navt ni hæva, is er al burchhêr sa skil hi thiu êr vrliasa.
- 16. Sâhwersa æmman rêd gêrt fon thêre moder, tha fon êne burchfâm, sa mot hi him selva melde by tha skrivwer. Thesse brængth-im by tha burchmâster.
- Forth mot i nêi tha lêtsa, thæt is thène hêlener. Thèr mot sja jef er âk bisêken is fon kvada tochtum. Is er god sêid, tha vndvath hi him selva fon sinum wêpna, ænd sjvgun wèrar brængath him by thère moder.
- 17. Is thju sêk vr êne stâte sa ne mügon thêr navt miner thæn thrê bodon kvma: is t vr-t êlla Fryaslând, thæn moton thêr jeta sjvgun tjuga bywêsa. Thêrumbe thæt er nên kva formvda navt risa ne mêi nor skalkhêd dên ne wrde.
- 18. By alle sêkum mot tha moder walda ænd njvda thæt hjra bærn, thæt is Fryas folk, så mêt-rik bilywa as thæt wêsa mêi. Thæt is thi grâtesta hjrar plichta, ænd vs alra vmb-er thêr an to hêlpande.
- 19. Hæt mæn hja by êne rjuchtlika sêke anhropen vmb-er utsprêk twisk annen grêvetman ænd tha mênte, ænd findath hju thju sêke tvivelik, sâ mot hju to bâte fon thêr mênte sprêka til thju thêr frêtho kvma, ænd thrvchtham thæt bêtre sy that ên man vnrjucht dên wrde thæn fêlo.
- 20. Kvmth hwa vmb rêd ænd wêt thju moder rêd, sa âch hju tham bystonda to jêvane, wêt hju bystonda nên rêd, sâ mêi hju wachtja lêta sjvgun dêgum. Wêt hju thæn nach nên rêd, sa mügon hja hinne brûda, ænd hja mügon hjra selva navt biklagja, til thju nên rêd bêtre is thæn kva rêd.
- 21. Heth en moder ærge rêd jêven ut kvada willa, sâ mot mân hja dêja jefta ut of lândum dryva stoknaken ænd blât.
- 22. Send hjra burchhêra mêdeplichtich, thæn dvath mæn alsa mith tham.
  23. Is hjra skild tvivelik jefta blåt formoda, så mot mæn thêr-vr thingja ænd sprêka, is-t nêdich, ên ænd twintich wyka long. Stemth tha halfdêl skildich, så halde mæn hja vr vnskildich, twêde så wacht mæn jeta en fyl
- jêr. Stemth mæn thæn alsa, så mêi mæn hja skildich halda, tha navt ni dêja. 24. Såhwersa svme among thæt thrimna send tham hja alsa sêr vnskildich mêne that hja hja folgja wille, så mügon hja thæt dva mith al hjara driwande ænd tilbara håva ænd næmman acht hjam thêr ovir min to achtiane, til thju thæt måra dêl alsa blyd kæn dwâla sa thæt minra del.

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#### UNIVERSAL LAW.

- I. All free-born men are equal, wherefore they must all have equal rights on sea and land, and on all that Wr-alda has given.
- 2. Every man may seek the wife of his choice, and every woman may bestow her hand on him whom she loves.
- 3. When a man takes a wife, a house and yard must be given to him. If there is none, one must be built for him.
- $_{4}$ . If he has taken a wife in another village, and wishes to remain, they must give him a house there, and likewise the free use of the common.
- 5. To every man must be given a piece of land behind his house. No man shall have land in front of his house, still less an enclosure, unless he has performed some public service. In such a case it may be given, and the youngest son may inherit it, but after him it returns to the community.
- 6. Every village shall possess a common for the general good, and the chief of the village shall take care that it is kept in good order, so that posterity shall find it uninjured.
- 7. Every village shall have a market-place. All the rest of the land shall be for tillage and forest. No one shall fell trees without the consent of the community, or without the knowledge of the forester; for the forests are general property, and no man can appropriate them.
- 8. The market charges shall not exceed one-twelfth of the value of the goods either to natives or strangers. The portion taken for the charges

- Mêna êwa.
- 1. Alle frya bærn send a êlike wysa bærn. Thêrvmbe moton hja âk êlika rjuchte hæva, alsa blyd vpp-æt lând as vpp-æth ê, thæt is wêter ænd vp ella thæt Wr.alda jefth.
- 2. Allera mannalik mêi-t wif sinra kêsa frêja ænd ek toghater mêi efter hjra helddrvnk bjada thêr hju minth.
- 3. Heth hwa en wif nimth, så jêft mæn hjam hus ænd wærv. N-is thêr nên, sa mot-æt bywat wrde.
- 4. Is-er nêi en ôther thorp gongon vmb en wif ænd wil hi thêr bilywa, sâ mot mæn him thêr en hus en wærf jêwa bijonka thæt not fon tha hêmrik.
- 5. Allera mannalik mot mæn en æfterdêl as wærf by sina hus jêva. Tha nimman ne mêi en fardêl by sin hus næva, fül min en ronddêl. Allêna ief hwa en dâd dên heth to mêna nitha, sæ mêi him thæt jêven wrde. Ak mêi sin jongste svn that erva. After tham mot thæt thorp that wither nima.
- 6. Ek thorp skil en hêmrik hæva nêi sina bihof ænd thêne grêva skil njvda that alra ek sin dêl bidongth ænd god hald, til thju tha æfter kvmmande nên skæde navt ne lyda ne muge.
- 7. Ek thorp mêi en mæark hava to kâp ænd to vrkâp iefta to wandelja. Alle-t ôra lând skil bvw ænd wald bilyva. Thâ tha bâma thêra ne mêi nimman navt fælla, buta mêna rêda ænd buta wêta thes waldgrêva, hwand tha walda send to mêna nitha. Thêrvmbe ne mêi nimman thêr mæster of sa.

shall not be sold before the other goods.

- 9. All the market receipts must be divided yearly into a hundred parts three days before the Juul-day.
- Io. The Grevetman and his council shall take twenty parts; the keeper of the market ten, and his assistants five; the Volksmoeder one, the midwife four, the village ten, and the poor and infirm shall have fifty parts.
- II. There shall be no usurers in the market.

If any should come, it will be the duty of the maidens to make it known through the whole land, in order that such people may not be chosen for any office, because they are hard-hearted.

For the sake of money they would betray everybody—the people, the mother, their nearest relations, and even their own selves.

12. If any man should attempt to sell diseased cattle or damaged goods for sound, the market-keeper shall expel him, and the maidens shall proclaim him through the country.

In early times almost all the Finns lived together in their native land, which was called Aldland, and is now submerged. They were thus far away, and we had no wars. When they were driven hitherwards, and appeared as robbers, then arose the necessity of defending ourselves, and we had armies, kings, and wars.

For all this there were established regulations, and out of the regulations came fixed laws.

#### \* The market dues were paid in kind.

- 8. As mærkjeld ne mêi thæt thorp navt mâr ni nimma sa tha tillifte dêl fon tha skat, hor fon tha inhêmar ner fon tha fêrhêmande. Ak ne mêi tha mærk skat navt êr vrsellath ne wertha as thæt ôra god.
- 9. Alle t mærkjeld mot jêrlikes dêlath wrde, thrja dêgan far thêre joldêi, an hvndred dêlun to dêlande.
- 10. Thi grêvetman mit sinum grêvum skil thêr of būra twintich dêla; thêne mærk rjuchter tian dêla, ænd sinum helpar, fif dêla; thju folkesmoder ên dêl; thju gâ moder fjvwer dêla; thæt thorp tian dêla; tha ærma, thæt is thêra tham navt wærka ni kunna ni mūge, fiftich dêla.
- II. Thêra, tham to mærka kvma, ne mūgon navt ni wokeria, kvmath thêr svm, sa is-t thêra famna plicht hjam kænbêr to makjana in-vr thæt êlle lând, til thju hja nimmerthe kêren navt wrde to eng ampt, hwand soka hævath en gyra-lik hirte, vmbe skæt to garja skolde hja ella vrrêda, thæt folk, thjv moder, hjara sibben ænd tho tha lesta hjara selva.
- 12. Is thêr æmman alsa ærg that er sjycht-siak fja jeftha vrdêren wêr vrsellath vr hêl god, sa mot thene mærk-rjuchtar him wêra ænd tha famna him noma invr-et êlle lând.
- In êra tyda hêmadon Findas folk mêst algadur invr hjara moders bærtalând, mit nôma ald-lând that nw vnder-ne sê lêith; hja wêron thus fêr-of, thêrvmbe nêdon wi âk nên orloch, tha hja vrdrêven send ænd hêinda kêmon to râwane, thâ kêm-er fon selva lândwêr hêrmanna kêninggar ænd orloch, vr altham kêmon setma ænd uta setma kêmon êwa.

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#### HERE FOLLOW THE LAWS WHICH WERE THUS ESTABLISHED.

- 1. Every Frisian must resist the assailants with such weapons as he can procure, invent, and use.
- 2. When a boy is twelve years old he must devote one day in seven to learning how to use his weapons.
- $\mathfrak{Z}$ . As soon as he is perfect in the use of them they are to be given to him, and he is to be admitted as a warrior.
- 4. After serving as a warrior three years, he may become a citizen, and may have a vote in the election of the headman.
- 5. When he has been seven years a voter he then may have a vote for the chief or king, and may be himself elected.
- 6. Every year he must be re-elected.
- 7. Except the king, all other officials are re-eligible who act according to Frya's laws.
- 8. No king may be in office more than three years, in order that the office may not be permanent.
- 9. After an interval of seven years he may be elected again.
- Io. If the king is killed by the enemy, his nearest relative may be a candidate to succeed him.
- II. If he dies a natural death, or if his period of service has expired, he shall not be succeeded by any blood relation nearer than the fourth degree.
- 12. Those who fight with arms are not men of counsel, therefore no king must bear arms. His wisdom must be his weapon, and the love of his warriors his shield.

- Hyr folgath tha êwa thêr thêrut taylikt send.
- 1. Ek Fryas mot-a lêtha jeftha fyanda wêra mith aldulkera wæpne as-er forsinna, bikvma ænd hândtêra mêi.
- 2. Is en boi twilif jer, sa mot-i tha sjygunde dêi miste fon sin lêr-tid ymbe rêd to werthande mith-a wæpne.
- 3. Is hi bikvmen, sa jêve mæn him wæpne ænd hi warth to wêrar slâgen.
- 4. Is hi thrê jêr wêrar, sâ wærth-i burch-hêr ænd mêi hi hêlpa sin hâwed-manna to kjasane.
- 5. Is hwa sjvgun jêr kjasar, sâ mêi hi hêlpa en hêrman jeftha kêning to kjasane, thêr to âk kêren, wrde.
- 6. Alle jêr mot er ovir kêren wertha.
- 7. Buta tha kêning mügon alle ambtmanna wither kêren wertha, tham rjucht dva ænd nêi fryas rêd.
- 8. Annen kêning ne mêi navt ni lônger as thrê jêr kêning bilywa, til thju hi navt biklywa ne mêi.
- 9. Heth-i sjvgun jêr rest, sâ mêi hi wither kêren wertha.
- 10. Is thi kêning thruch thene fyand fallen, sâ mũgon sina sibba âk nêi thère êre thinga.
- $\pi$ . Is-er vppa sin tid ofgvngen jeftha binna sin tid sturven, så ne mêi nên sibba him vpfolgja, thêr-im nêiar sy sa tha fjarde kny.
- 12. Thèra tham strida mitha wæpne an hjara handa ne kunnath navt forsinna ænd wis bilywa, thèrvmbe ne focht-eth nêne kêning wæpne to hantèra an tha strid. Sin wisdom mot sin wæpen wêsa ænd thju ljafte siura kæmpona mot sin skyld wêsa.

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#### THESE ARE THE RIGHTS OF THE MOTHERS AND THE KINGS.

- I. If war breaks out, the mother sends her messengers to the king, who sends messengers to the Grevetmen to call the citizens to arms.
- 2. The Grevetmen call all the citizens together and decide how many men shall be sent.
- 3. All the resolutions must immediately be sent to the mother by messengers and witnesses.
- $4.\ \,$  The mother considers all the resolutions and decides upon them, and with this the king as well as the people must be satisfied.
- 5. When in the field, the king consults only his superior officers, but three citizens of the mother must be present, without any voice. These citizens must send daily reports to the mother, that they may be sure nothing is done contrary to the counsels of Frya.
- 6. If the king wishes to do anything which his council opposes, he may

- Hyr send tha rjuchta thêre moder and thêra kêninggar.
- I. Sahwersa orloch kumth, send tha moder hira bodon nêi tha kêning, thi kêning send bodon nêi tha grêvetmanna vmbe lând-wêr.
- 2. Tha grévetmanna hropath alle burch-hêra et sêmne ænd birêdath ho fèlo manna hja skilun stjura.
- 3. Alle bisluta thèra moton ring nêi thère moder senden wertha mith bodon ænd tjugum.
- 4. Thju moder lêth alle bisluta gaderja ænd jêfth et guldnetal, thæt is thæt middeltal fon alle bisluta etsêmne, thêrmitha mot mæn far thæt forma frêto ha ænd thene kening alsa.
- 5. Is thju wêra a kæmp, thæn hoft thi kêning allêna mith sinum havedmanna to rêda, thach thêr moton æmmerthe thrê burch-hêra fon thêre moder fôrana sitta svnder stem. Thissa burch-hêra moton dêjalikis bodon nêi thêre moder senda, til thju hju wêta mûge jef thêr awet dên

not persist in it.

- $7.\ \ \ \ If an enemy appears unexpectedly, then the king's orders must be obeyed.$
- 8. If the king is not present, the next to him takes command, and so on in succession according to rank.
- q. If there is no leader present, one must be chosen.
- 10. If there is no time to choose, any one may come forward who feels himself capable of leading.
- II. If a king has conquered a dangerous enemy, his successors may take his name after their own. The king may, if be wishes, choose an open piece of ground for a house and ground; the ground shall be enclosed, and may be so large that there shall be seven hundred steps to the boundary in all directions from the house.
- 12. His youngest son may inherit this, and that son's youngest son after him: then it shall return to the community.

wârth, stridande with a êwa jeftha with Fryas rêdjevinga.

- 6. Wil thi kêning dva ænd sina rêda navt, sâ mêi hi thæt navt vnderstonda.
- 7. Kvmth-ene fyand vnwarlinga, thæn mot mæn dva sa thene kêning bith.
- 8. Nis thene kêning navt vppet pat, sâ mot mæn sin folgar hêrich wêsa of tham is folgar alont tha lesta.
- 9. Nis thêr nên havedman, sâ kjase mæn hwa.
- 10. Nis thêr nên tid, sâ wærpa hi him to havedman thêrim weldich fêleth.
- II. Heth thene kêning en frêsalik folk ofslagen, så mügon sina after kvmande sin nåma æfter hjara æjne fora; wil thene kêning, så mêirer vppen vnbibvwade stêd en plæk utkjasa to hus ænd erv. Thæt erv mêi en rond-dêl wêsa sa gråt thæt hi fon alle sidum sjvgun hvndred trêdun ut of sine hus mêi hlapa, êr hi an sina rêna kvmth.
- 12. Sin jongste svn mêi thæt god erva, æfte tham thamis jongste, thæn skil mæn that wither nimma.

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## HERE ARE THE RULES ESTABLISHED FOR THE SECURITY OF ALL FRISIANS

- Whenever new laws are made or new regulations established, they must be for the common good, and not for individual advantage.
- 2. Whenever in time of war either ships or houses are destroyed, either by the enemy or as a matter of precaution, a general levy shall be assessed on the people to make it good again, so that no one may neglect the general welfare to preserve his own interest.
- 3. At the conclusion of a war, if any men are so severely wounded as to be unable to work, they shall be maintained at the public expense, and shall have the best seats at festivals, in order that the young may learn to honour them.
- 4. If there are widows and orphans, they shall likewise be maintained at the public expense; and the sons may inscribe the names of their fathers on their shields for the honour of their families.
- 5. If any who have been taken prisoners should return, they must be kept separate from the camp, because they may have obtained their liberty by making treacherous promises, and thus they may avoid keeping their promises without forfeiting their honour.
- 6. If any enemies be taken prisoners, they must be sent to the interior of the country, that they may learn our free customs.
- 7. If they are afterwards set free, it must be done with kindness by the maidens, in order that we may make them comrades and friends, instead of haters and enemies

Hyr send tha rjuchta aller fryas vmbe sêkur to wêsande.

- Sahwersa thêr êwa vrwrocht wrde jefta nêja setma ta-vlikt, alsa mot-et to mêna nitha skên, men næmmer to bâta fon enkeldera mænniska, her fon enkeldera slachta, ner fon enkeldera stâta, nach fon awet that enkel sy.
   Sahwersa orloch kvmt ænd thêr wrde husa homljat jeftha skêpa, hok that et sy, sy-et thrvch thene fyand, tha by mêna rêdum, sâ ach tha mêna mênta, thæt is al-et folk to sêmne that wither to hêlene; thêr vmbe that næmman tha mêna sêka skil helpa vrljasa vmbe sin æjn god to bihaldane.
   Is orloch vrthêjan, ænd send thêr svm, alsa vrdêren that hja navt longer
- 3. Is or loch wrther an, and send ther svm, also wrderen that his navt longer warka ne mugon, så mot tha mena mente him vnderhalda, by tha ferstum achon him forana to sittana, til thiu tha juged skil era him.
- 4. Send thêr wêdvon ænd wêson kêmon, sâ mot mæn hja âk vnderhalda ænd tha svna mügon thi nâma hjarar tâta vpp-ira skildum writa hjara slachtha to êrane.
- 5. Send thêr svm thrvch thene fyand fat ænd kvmath hja to bæk, så mot mæn hjam fêr fon thæt kæmp of fora, hwand hja machton fry lêten wêsa by arge loftum ænd than ne mügon hja hjara lofta navt ni halda ænd toch êrlik bilywa.
- 6. Jef wi selwa fyanda fâta, sâ brænge mon tham djap anda landa wêi, mæn lêrth hja vsa frya sêde.
- 7. Lêt mæn hja æfternêi hlâpa, sâ lêt mæn thæt mith welhêd thrvch tha fâmna dva, til thju wi âtha ænd frjunda winna fori lêtha ænd fyandun.

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#### FROM MINNO'S WRITINGS

If any one should be so wicked as to commit robbery, murder, arson, rape, or any other crime, upon a neighbouring state, and our people wish to inflict punishment, the culprit shall be put to death in the presence of the offended, in order that no war may arise, and the innocent suffer for the guilty. If the offended will spare his life and forego their revenge, it may be permitted. If the culprit should be a king, Grevetman, or other person in authority, we must make good his fault, but he must be punished.

If he bears on his shield the honourable name of his forefathers, his kinsmen shall no longer wear it, in order that every man may look after the conduct of his relatives.

#### Ut Minnos skriftun.

Sahwersa thêr ênman is thèrmèta ærg that hi vsa swetsar birawath, morthdedun dvat, husa barnth, mangêrtha skænth, hok thætæt sy, thæt ærg sy, ænd vsa swetnata willon thæt wroken hæva, så is thæt rjucht thæt mæn thene dêder fåtath ænd an hjara æjn-warda dêjath, til thju thêr vr nên orloch ne kvme, wêrthrvch tha vnskêldiga skolde bota fori tha skêldiga. Willath hja him sin lif bihalda lêta ând thju wrêka ofkâpja lêta, så mêi mæn thæt dâja. Thach is then bona en kêning, grêvetman, grêva hwa thætæt sy, tham ovira sêda mot wâka, sâ moton wi thæt kwad bêterja men ta bona mot sin straf hâ.

Forth hi en êrenâma vppa sine skeld fon sina êthelun, sâ ne mügon sina sibba thi nâma navt lônger ne fora. Thêrvmbe thæt hi êne sibba svrg skil hæva ovira sêda thêra ôthera.

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#### LAWS FOR THE NAVIGATORS

Navigator is the title of those who make foreign voyages.

- I. All Frya's sons have equal rights, and every stalwart youth may offer himself as a navigator to the Olderman, who may not refuse him as long as there is any vacancy.
- 2. The navigators may choose their own masters.

Êwa fara stjurar. stjurar is thi êrenoma thêra butafarar.

Alle fryas svna hæva lika rjuchta, thêrvmb mūgon âlle flinka knâpa hjara self as butafârar melda by tha ôldermôn ænd thisse ne mêi him nit ofwisa, wara thæt er nên sted is

- 2. Tha stjurar mügon hjara æjn mæstrun noma.
- 3. Tha kæpljvd moton kêren ænd binomath wertha thrych tha mênte thêr-

- 3. The traders must be chosen and named by the community to which they belong, and the navigators have no voice in their election.
- 4. If during a voyage it is found that the king is bad or incompetent, another may be put in his place, and on the return home he may make his complaint to the Olderman.
- 5. If the fleet returns with profits, the sailors may divide one-third among themselves in the following manner: The king twelve portions, the admiral seven, the boatswains each two portions, the captains three, and the rest of the crew each one part; the youngest boys each one-third of a portion, the second boys half a portion each, and the eldest boys two-thirds of a portion each.
- 6. If any have been disabled, they must be maintained at the public expense, and honoured in the same way as the soldiers.
- 7. If any have died on the voyage, their nearest relatives inherit their portion
- 8. Their widows and orphans must be maintained at the public expense; and if they were killed in a sea-fight, their sons may bear the names of their fathers on their shields.
- 9. If a topsailman is lost, his heirs shall receive a whole portion.
- 10. If he was betrothed, his bride may claim seven portions in order to erect a monument to her bridegroom, but then she must remain a widow all her life.
- II. If the community is fitting out a fleet, the purveyors must provide the best provisions for the voyage, and for the women and children.
- 12. If a sailor is worn out and poor, and has no house or patrimony, one must be given him. If he does not wish for a house, his friends may take him home; and the community must bear the expense, unless his friends decline to receive it.
- \* Stjurar, from this is derived the word Sturii in Pliny.
- \* Prentar, still used in Texel to designate a pilot's apprentice.

- et god hêreth ænd tha stjurar ne mügon thêr by nên stem hæva.
- 4. Jef mæn vppe rêis bifinth thæt thene kêning ærg jefta vnbikvmmen is, så mügon hja en ôra nimma; kvmon hja to bæk, så mêi thene kêning him self biklagja by tha ôldermôn.
- 5. Kvmth thêr flâte to honk ænd sin thêr bâta, sâ moton tha stjurar thêr of en thrimene hæva, althus to dêlande, thi witkêning twilf môn-is dêla, thi skolt by nacht sjugun dêla, tha bôtmônna ek twa dêla, thi skiprun ek thrê dêla, that ôra skip-is folk ek ên dêl. Tha jongste prentar ek en thrimnath, tha midlosta ek en half-dêl ænd tha ôldesta ek en twêdnath.
- 6. Sin thêr svme vrlameth, sâ mot-a mêna mênte njvda far hjara lif, âk moton hja fôrana sitta by tha mêna fêrsta, by huslika fêrsta, jâ by alle fêrsta.
- 7. Sin thêr vppa tocht vmkume, sâ moton hjara nêstun hjara dêl erva.
- 8. Sin thêr wêdven ænd wêson fon kvmen, sâ mot thju mênte hja vnderhalda; sin hja an ênre kase felth, sa mūgon tha svna thi nôma hjarar tâta vppira skeldun fora.
- 9. Sin thêr prentara forfaren, sa moton sina erva en êl mannis dêl hæva.
- 10. Was hi forsêith, sâ mêi sin brud sjugun mannis dêlun aska vmbe hira fryadulf en stên to to wjande, mar thæn mot hja for tha êre wêdve bilyva lêva  $lôn\sigma$ .
- II. Sahwersa en mênte en flæte to rêth, moton tha rêdar njvda fâra beste liftochtun ænd fâr wif ænd bærn.
- 12. Jef en stjurar of ænd ærm is, ænd hi heth hus nach erv, så mot im that jon wertha. Nil hy nên hus nach erv, sa mūgon sin friundun hem tus nêma ænd thju mênte mot et bêtera nêi sina stæt, wara thæt sin friunda thene bâta wêigerja.

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#### USEFUL EXTRACTS FROM THE WRITINGS LEFT BY MINNO

Minno was an ancient sea-king. He was a seer and a philosopher, and he gave laws to the Cretans. He was born at Lindaoord, and after all his wanderings he had the happiness to die at Lindahem.

If our neighbours have a piece of land or water which it would be advantageous for us to possess, it is proper that we should offer to buy it. If they refuse to sell it, we must let them keep it. This is Frya's Tex, and it would be unjust to act contrary to it.

If any of our neighbours quarrel and fight about any matter except land, and they request us to arbitrate, our best course will be to decline; but if they insist upon it, it must be done honourably and justly.

If any one comes and says, I am at war, you must help me; or another comes and says, My son is an infant and incompetent, and I am old, so I wish you to be his guardian, and to take charge of my property until he is of age, it is proper to refuse in order that we may not come into disputes about matters foreign to our free customs.

Whenever a foreign trader comes to the open markets at Wyringen and Almanland, if he cheats, he must immediately be fined, and it must be published by the maidens throughout the whole country.

If he should come back, no one must deal with him. He must return as he came.

Whenever traders are chosen to go to trading stations, or to sail with the fleets, they must be well known and of good reputation with the maidens. If, however, a bad man should by chance be chosen and should try to cheat, the others are bound to remove him. If he should have committed a cheat, it must be made good, and the culprit must be banished from the land in order that our name may be everywhere held in honour.

If we should be ill-treated in a foreign market, whether distant or near, we must immediately attack them; for though we desire to be at peace, we must not let our neighbours underrate us or think that we are afraid.

In my youth I often grumbled at the strictness of the laws, but afterwards I learned to thank Frya for her Tex and our forefathers for the laws which they established upon it. Wr-alda or Alvader has given me many years, and I have travelled over many lands and seas, and after all that I have seen, I am convinced that we alone are chosen by Alvader to have laws. Lyda's people can neither make laws nor obey them, they are too stupid and uncivilised. Many are like Finda. They are clever enough, but they

Netlika sêka ut-a nêilêtne skriftum Minnos.

Minno was en alde sêkêning, sjaner ænd wisgyrich. An tha Krêtar heth-i êwa jêven. Hi is bærn an tha Lindawrda, ænd nêi al sin witherfâra heth hi thæt luk noten umbe to Lindahêm to sterva.

Sahwersa vsa swethnata en dêl lând hæve jeftha wêtir, that vs god tolikt, sa focht-et vs vmbe that a kâp to frêja, nillath hja thæt navt ne dva, than mot mæn hja that bihalda lêta. That is nêi Frya-his tex ænd-et skolde vnrjucht wêsa to vnthandana that.

Sahwersa thêr swethnata et sêmna kyva ænd sana vr enga sêka, tha vr lând, ænd hja vs frêja en ordêl to sprêka, sa ach man thæt rêder æfterwêja to lêtane, tach sa man thêr navt buta ne kan, sa mot man thæt êrlik ænd rjuchtfêrdich dva.

Kvmth thêr hwa ænd sêith, ik hæv orloch, nw most-v mi helpa; jeftha en ôra kvmth ænd sêith, min svn is vnjêrich ænd vnbikvmmen, ænd ik bin ald, nw wild-ik thi to wâranstew ovir hini ænd ovir min lând stælla, til hi jêrich sy, sa ach man that wêigarja, til thju wi nawt an twist ne kvme ne mûge vr sêka stridande with vsa frya sêdum.

Sahwersa thêr kvmth en vrlandisk kapman vppa tolêtmærk et Wyringga tha to Almanland ænd hi bidroght, sa warther bistonda mærk-bêten ænd kanbêr måkad trvch tha fâmna invr et êle land. Kvmther thæn to bæk, sa ne skil nimman kåpja fon him, hy mêi hinne brûda sær kvmen is. Thus, sahwersær kåpljud kêren wrde vmbe wra merka to gå, jeftha mither flåt to fârane, sa ach man allêna aldulkera to kjasane tham mæn tyge by tyge kænth ænd an en goda hrop stâne by tha fâmna. Bêrther navt to min thater en ærg man mông sy, tham tha ljud bitrogha wil, sa agon tha ora thæt to wêrane. Heteirtal dên sa mot mæn thæt bêterja, ænd thene misdêdar ut of lândum banna, til thju vsa nâma vral mith êrane skil wertha binomath.

Men jef wir vs vppen vrlandiska mærkt finda, sy et hêinde jeftha fêr, ænd bêrth-et thæt-et folk vs lêt dvath jeftha bistêlleth, så agon wy mith haste hêi to to slâna, hwand afskên wy êlla agon to dvande vmbe frêtho willa, vsa half-brothar ne mügon vs nimmer minachtja nach wâna that wi ange send.

In min jûged hæv ik wel ênis mort overa bænda thêra êwa, æfter hæv ik Frya often tanked vr hjra tex, ænd vsa êthla vr tha êwa thêr thêrnêi tavlikt send.

Wr.alda jeftha Alfoder heth mi fèlo jêren jêven, invr fèlo landa ænd sêa hæv ik omme faren ænd nêi al hwa ik sjan hæ, bin ik vrtjûgad that wi

are too rapacious, haughty, false, immoral, and bloodthirsty.

The toad blows himself out, but he can only crawl. The frog cries "Work, work;" but he can do nothing but hop and make himself ridiculous. The raven cries "Spare, spare;" but he steals and wastes everything that he gets into his beak.

Finda's people are just like these. They say a great deal about making good laws, and every one wishes to make regulations against misconduct, but does not wish to submit to them himself. Whoever is the most crafty crows over the others, and tries to make them submit to him, till another comes who drives him off his perch.

The word "Eva" is too sacred for common use, therefore men have learned to say "Evin."

"Eva" means that sentiment which is implanted in the breast of every man in order that he may know what is right and what is wrong, and by which he is able to judge his own deeds and those of others; that is, if he has been well and properly brought up. "Eva" has also another meaning; that is, tranquil, smooth, like water that is not stirred by a breath of wind. If the water is disturbed it becomes troubled, uneven, but it always has a tendency to return to its tranquil condition. That is its nature, just as the inclination towards justice and freedom exists in Frya's children. We derive this disposition from the spirit of our father Wr-alda, which speaks strongly in Frya's children, and will eternally remain so. Eternity is another symbol of Wr-alda, who remains always just and unchangeable. Eternal and unalterable are the signs wisdom and rectitude, which must be sought after by all pious people, and must be possessed by all judges. If, therefore, it is desired to make laws and regulations which shall be permanent, they must be equal for all men. The judges must pronounce their decisions according to these laws. If any crime is committed respecting which no law has been made, a general assembly of the people shall be called, where judgment shall be pronounced in accordance with the inspiration of Wr-alda's spirit. If we act thus, our judgment will never fail to be right.

If instead of doing right, men will commit wrong, there will arise quarrels and differences among people and states. Thence arise civil wars, and everything is thrown into confusion and destroyed; and, O foolish people! while you are injuring each other the spiteful Finda's people with their false priests come and attack your ports, ravish your daughters, corrupt your morals, and at last throw the bonds of slavery over every freeman's neck.

† Minno, Minos (the Ancient).

I5. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### FROM MINNO'S WRITINGS

When Nyhalennia, whose real name was Min-erva, was well established, and the Krekalanders loved her as well as our own people did, there came some princes and priests to her citadel and asked Min-erva where her possessions lav. Hellenia answered, I carry my possessions in my own bosom. What I have inherited is the love of wisdom, justice, and freedom. If I lose these I shall become as the least of your slaves; now I give advice for nothing, but then I should sell it. The gentlemen went away laughing and saying, Your humble servants, wise Hellenia. But they missed their object, for the people took up this name as a name of honour. When they saw that their shot had missed they began to calumniate her, and to say that she had bewitched the people; but our people and the good Krekalanders understood at once that it was calumny. She was once asked, If you are not a witch, what is the use of the eggs that you always carry with you? Min-erva answered, These eggs are the symbols of Frya's counsels, in which our future and that of the whole human race lies concealed. Time will hatch them, and we must watch that no harm happens to them. The priests said, Well answered; but what is the use of the dog on your right hand? Hellenia replied, Does not the shepherd have a sheep-dog to keep his flock together? What the dog is to the shepherd I am in Frya's service. I must watch over Frya's flocks. We understand that very well, said the priests; but tell us what means the owl that always sits upon your head, is that light-shunning animal a sign of your clear vision? No, answered Hellenia; he reminds me that there are people on earth who, like him, have their homes in churches and holes, who go about in the twilight, not, like him, to deliver us from mice and other plagues, but to invent tricks to steal away the knowledge of other people, in order to take

allêna trvch Alfoder utforkêren send, êwa to hævande. Lydas folk ne mêi nên êwa to mâkjande ni to hâldande, hja send to dvm ænd wild thêrto. Fêlo slachta Findas send snôd enoch, men hja send gyrich, hâchfârande, falsk, vnkûs ænd mortsjochtich. Poga blêsath hjara selva vppa, ænd hja ne mügath nawet than krupa. Forska hropath wærk, wærk, ænd hja ne dvath nawet as hippa ænd kluchtmåkja. Tha roka hropath spår, spår, men hja stêlon ænd vrslynath al wat vnder hjara snavela kvmath. Lik al tham is thæt Findas folk, hja bogath immer ovir goda êwa; ek wil setma mâkja vmbet kwâd to wêrane, men selva nil nimman theran bonden wêsa. Thêra hwam-his gâst that lestigoste sy ænd thêrtrych sterik, tham-his hône krêjath kêning ænd tha ôra moton alwenna an sin weld vnderwurpen wêsa, til en ôther kvmth thêr-im fon-a sêtel drywet. Thæt word êwa is to från ymbe an mêna sêka to nomande. Therymbe heth mæn ys êvin sega lêrth. Êwa thæt sêit setma thêr bi aller mænniska êlik an hjara mod prenth send, til thiu hia müge wêta hwat riucht ænd vnriucht sy ænd hwêrtrhych hja weldich send vmbe hjara æjne dêda ænd tham fon ôrum to birjuchtande, thæt wil sedsa alsanâka hja god ænd navt misdêdich vpbrocht send. Ak is er jet en ôra sin an fæst. Êwa seit ak, êlik wêter lik; rjucht ænd sljucht as wêter that thrvch nên stornewind jeftha awet owers vrstoren is. Warth wêter vrstoren, sa warth-et vnêwa, vnrjucht, men et nygt êvg vmbe wither êwa to werthande, that lêith an sin fonselvhêd, alsa tha nygung to rjucht ænd frydom in Fryas bern leith. Thessa nygung hævath wi trvch Wr.aldas gåst, vsa foders, thêr in Fryas bern bogth, thêrvm be skil hju vs âk êvg biklywa. Êwa is âk thet ôra sinnebyld fon Wr.aldas gâst, thêr êvg rjucht ænd vnforstoren bilywath, afskên et an lichême ærg to gêit. Êwa ænd vnforstoren send tha mærka thêra wisdom ænd rjuchtfêrdichhêd thêr fon alla frêmo mænniska socht ænd trvch alla rjuchtera bisêten wrden mot. Willath tha mænniska thus setma ænd domar mâkja, thêr alan god bilywa ænd allerwêikes, sa moton hja êlik wêsa to fara alle mænniska; nêi thisse êwa achath tha rjuchtera hjara ordêl ut to kêthande. Is thêr eng kwâd dên, hwêrvr nên êwa tavlikt send, sa mot mæn êne mêna acht bilidsa; thêr ordêlth mæn nêi tha sin thêr Wr.aldas gâst an vs kêth vmbe over ella rjuchtfêrdich to birjuchtande, althus to dvande ne skil vs ordêl næmmer fâlikant ut ne kvma. Ne dvath mæn nên rjucht men vnrjucht, alsa rist thêr twist ænd twispalt emong tha mænniska ænd stâta, thêrut sprût inlandiska orloch, hwêrthrych ella homljath ænd yrdæren wærth. Men, o dymhêd. Dâhwila wi to dyande send ekkorum to skâdane, kvmth-et nidige folk Findas mith hjara falska presterum jvw håva to râwande, jvwa toghatera to skændane, jvwa sêda to vrdva ænd to tha lesta klæppath hja slåvona banda om jahwelikes frya hals.

Ut-a skrifta Minnos.

Tha Nyhellênia tham fon hira æjn nôme Min-erva hête, god sêten was ænd tha Krêkalander hja to met even hærde minade as vs æjn folk, thâ kêmon thêr svme forsta ænd prestera vppe-ra burch ænd frêjon Min-erva hwêr of hjra erva lêjon. Nyhellênia andere, mina erva drêg ik om in mina bosm, hwæt ik urven hæv is ljafde vr wisdom, rjucht ænd frydom, hæv ik tham vrlêren, alsa ben ik êlik an tha minniste jvvar slâvonena. Nw jêv ik rêd vm nawet, men than skold ik vrkâpja tham. Tha hêra gvngon wêi, ænd hripon al lakande, jvwer hêroga thjanra, wisa Hellênia. Thach thêrmitha miston hja hjara dol, hwand thæt folk thæt hja minnade ænd hja folgade, nam this nôme to-n êre nôme an. Tha hja sâgon thæt hjara skot mist hêde, thâ gvngon hja hja bihlvda ænd sêidon that hju-t folk hexnad hêde, men vs folk ænd tha goda Krêkalandar wêrde aller wêikes that et laster wêre. Enis kêmon hja ænd frêgon, as thv thæn nên thjonster ne biste, hwat dêist thân mitha æjar tham thy altid bi thi heste. Min-erva andere, thisse æjar send that sinebyld fon Fryas rêdjêvinga, wêrin vsa tokvmste forholen hlêit ænd fon êl thæt mænneskalik slachte; tid mot hja utbroda ænd wi moton wâka thæt-er nên lêth an ne kymth. Tha prestera, god sêid; men hwêrto thjanath thene hund an thina fêra hand. Hellênia andere, heth thene hærder nên skêper vmbe sin kidde at sêmene to haldande? hwat thene hvnd is inna thjanest thes skêphærder, bin ik in Fryas tjanest, ik mot ovir Fryas kidde wâka. That likath vs god to, sêdon tha prestera; men seg vs, hwat is thju bitjvtenise fon thi nachtule, ther immer boppa thin hole sit, is that ljuchtskvwande djar altomet thet têken thinra klârsjanhêd. Nêan andere Hellênia, hi helpt my hügja that er en slach fon mænniska ovir hirtha omme dwâlth, thêr evin lik hi in kærka ænd hola hêma; thêr an tjuster frota, tach navt as hi, vmb vs fon mûsa ænd ôra plæga to helpane, men

advantage of them, to make slaves of them, and to suck their blood like leeches. Another time they came with a whole troop of people, when the plague was in the country, and said; We are all making offerings to the gods that they may take away the plague. Will you not help to turn away their anger, or have you yourself brought the plague into the land with all your arts? No. said Min-erva: I know no gods that do evil, therefore I cannot ask them to do better. I only know one good spirit, that is Wralda's; and as he is good be never does evil. Where, then, does evil come from? asked the priests. All the evil comes from you, and from the stupidity of the people who let themselves be deceived by you. If, then, your god is so exceedingly good, why does he not turn away the bad? asked the priests. Hellenia answered: Frya has placed us here, and the carrier, that is. Time, must do the rest. For all calamities there is counsel and remedy to be found, but Wr-alda wills that we should search it out ourselves, in order that we may become strong and wise. If we will not do that, he leaves us to our own devices, in order that we may experience the results of wise or foolish conduct. Then a prince said, I should think it best to submit. Very possibly, answered Hellenia; for then men would be like sheep, and you and the priests would take care of them, shearing them and leading them to the shambles. This is what our god does not desire, he desires that we should help one another, but that all should be free and wise. That is also our desire, and therefore our people choose their princes, counts, councillors, chiefs, and masters among the wisest of the good men, in order that every man shall do his best to be wise and good. Thus doing, we learn ourselves and teach the people that being wise and acting wisely can alone lead to holiness. That seems very good judgment, said the priests; but if you mean that the plague is caused by our stupidity, then Nyhellenia will perhaps be so good as to bestow upon us a little of that new light of which she is so proud. Yes, said Hellenia, but ravens and other birds of prey feed only on dead carrion, whereas the plague feeds not only on carrion but on bad laws and customs and wicked passions. If you wish the plague to depart from you and not return, you must put away your bad passions and become pure within and without. We admit that the advice is good, said the priests, but how shall we induce all the people under our rule to agree to it? Then Hellenia stood up and said: The sparrows follow the sower, and the people their good princes, therefore it becomes you to begin by rendering yourselves pure, so that you may look within and without, and not be ashamed of your own conduct. Now, instead of purifying the people, you have invented foul festivals, in which they have so long revelled that they wallow like swine in the mire to atone for your evil passions. The people began to mock and to jeer, so that she did not dare to pursue the subject; and one would have thought that they would have called all the people together to drive us out of the land; but no, in place of abusing her they went all about from the heathenish Krekaland to the Alps, proclaiming that it had pleased the Almighty God to send his clever daughter Min-erva, surnamed Nyhellenia, over the sea in a cloud to give people good counsel, and that all who listened to her should become rich and happy, and in the end governors of all the kingdoms of the earth. They erected statues to her on all their altars, they announced and sold to the simple people advice that she had never given, and related miracles that she had never performed. They cunningly made themselves masters of our laws and customs, and by craft and subtlety were able to explain and spread them around. They appointed priestesses under their own care, who were apparently under the protection of Festa, our first Eeremoeder, to watch over the holy lamp; but that lamp they lit themselves, and instead of imbuing the priestesses with wisdom, and then sending them to watch the sick and educate the young, they made them stupid and ignorant, and never allowed them to come out. They were employed as advisers, but the advice which seemed to come from them was but the repetition of the behests of the priests. When Nyhellenia died, we wished to choose another mother, and some of us wished to go to Texland to look for her; but the priests, who were all-powerful among their own people, would not permit it, and accused us before the people of being unholv.

- \* Nyhellenia or Nehalennia .
- † Krekaland, the Krekenland means Magna Grecia as well as Greece.
- \* Fâsta is Vesta, or the Vestal Virgins.

renka to forsinna, tha ôra mænniska hjara witskip to râwane, til thju hja tham to bêtre müge fâta vmber slavona fon to mâkjande ænd hjara blod ut to sûgane, even as vampyra dva. Enis kêmon hja mith en benda folk. Pest was over-et land kymen, hja sêidon, wi alle send to dyande, tha Goda to offerja, til thju hja pest wêra müge. Nilst thv then navt ne helpa hjara grimskip to stilane, jeftha hethste pest selva ovir-et lând brocht mith thinra kunsta. Nêan sêide Min-erva, men ik ne kæn nêne goda, thêr ærg dvande send; thêrvmbe ne kan ik navt frêja jef hja beter wrda willa. Ik kæn ên gode, thæt is Wr.aldas gåst; men thrych tham er god is, dvath-er åk nen kwâd. Hwanath kymth-et kwâd thæn wêi, frêjath tha prestera. Allet kwâd kymth fon jow ænd fon thêre dymhêd thêra mænniska, tham hjara selva fon jow fensa lêta. Jef thin drochten thæn så bjustre god is, wêrvmb wêrther et kwâd thæn navt, frêjath tha prestera. Hellenia andere, Frya het vs vppe wêi brocht ænd thene kroder thæt is tid, tham mot thæt ovrige dva. With alle rampum is rêd ænd help to findande, tha W.ralda wil thæt wi hja selva soka skilon, til thju wi sterik skile wertha ænd wis. Nillath wi navt, thæn lêt-er vsa trul ut trulla, til thju wi skilon erfâra, hwat nêi wisa dêdum ænd hwat nêi dvma dêdum folgath. Tha sêide-ne forst, ik skolde wâna, that wêre betre, that to wêrande. Hwel müglik, andere Hellênia, hwand than skolde tha mænniska bilywa lik tæmade skêpa; thv ænd tha prestera skolde-r than hoda willa, men âk skêra ænd nêi thêre slacht benke fora. Tach also nilet vs drochten navt, hi wil that wi ekkorum helpa, men hi wil âk thæt jahweder fry sy ænd wis wrde. Thæt is âk vsa wille, thêrvmbe kjasth vs folk sin forsta, grêva, rêdjêvar ænd alle bâsa ænd måstera ut-a wisesta thêra goda mænniska, til thju allemænnalik sin best skil dva vmbe wis ænd god to werthande. Althus to dvande skilun wi ênis wêta ænd anda folka lêra, that wis wêsa ænd wis dva allêna lêith to salichhêd. That likt en ordêl, sêidon tha prestera, men aste ny mênste, that pest thrvch vsa dvmhêd kvmth, skolde Nyhellênia thæn wel sa god wêsa wille, vmbe vs ewat fon thæt nya ljucht to lênande, hwêr vppa hju sa stolte is. Jes sêide Hellênia; tha rokka ænd ôra füglon kymath allêna falla yp yûl âs, men pest minth navt allêna vûl âs, men vûla sêd-plegum ænd fangnisa. Wilsty by that pest for i wika and ha wither he kyma, than mosty that fangnisa wêi dva, ænd that i alla rên wrde fon binna ænd fon bûta. Wi willath bilâwa thæt thin rêd god sy, sêidon tha prestera, men seg vs, ho skilum wi thêr alla mænniska to krêja, thêr vnder vs weld send. Tha stand Hellênia vp fon hira sêtel ænd kêth: Tha muska folgath thene sêjar, tha folka hjara goda forsta, thêrvmbe ach-stv to bijinnande mith thin selva ælsa rên to mâkjande, that sty thinna blikka in ænd utward mêi rjuchta synder skâmrâd to werthande to fara thin æjn mod. Men in stêde fon thæt folk rên to mâkjande heste vûla fêrsta utfonden, hwêr vppa thæt folk al sa nâka sûpth, that hja to lesta lik tha barga annath slip frota, vmbe that stv thin vûla lusta bota mêi. Thæt folk bigost to jolande ænd to spotande. Thêr thrych ne thuradon hja nên strid wither an to spinnande. Ny skolde æjder wâna, thæt hja vral-et folk to hâpe hropen hêde vmbe vs algadur to t land ut to driwande. Nêan an stêde fon hja to bihluda gyngon hja allerwêikes, âk to tha hêinde Krêkalana til tha Alpa ut to kêthane, thæt et thene allervrste drochten hâgth hêde sin wisa toghater Min-erva, to nômth Nyhellênia êmong tha mænniska to sendane in overa sê mith-en ulk, vmbe tha manniska gode rêd to jêvane ænd that allermannalik, thêr hja hêra wilde, rik ænd lukich skolde wertha, ænd ênis bâs skolde wertha ovir alle kêningkrik irtha.s. Hira byldnese stældon hja vppe hjara æltærum, jeftha hia vrsellade-t anda dyma mænniska. Hia kêthon allerwêikes rêd-jêvinga, thêr hju nimmer jêven hêde, ænd tæladon wondera, thêr hju næ dên hêde. Thrych lesta wiston hja-ra selva master to mâkjande fon vsa êwa ænd setma, ænd thrvch wankêthinga wiston hja alles to wisa ænd to vrbruda. Hja stældon åk fåmma vnder hjara hode, tha skinber vndere hoda fon Fæsta vsa forma êre moder, vmbe over thæt fråna ljucht to wåkane. Men thæt ljucht hêde hja selva vpstoken, ænd in stêde fon tha fâmkes wis to mâkjande, ænd afternêi êmong thæt folk to senda, ta sjaka to lêvande ænd tha bærn to lêrande, måkadon hja-ra dvm ænd dimme bi-t ljucht ænd ne machten hia nâ buta ne kyma. Ak wrdon hia to rêdiêvstare brukath, tach thi rêd was by skin ut hjara mvlun; hwand hjara mvla wêron navt owers as tha hropar, hwêr trych tha prestera hiara gêrta utkêthon

Tha Nyhellênia fallen was, wilden wi en ore moder kjasa, svme wilden nêi Texlând vmbe thêr êne to frêjande, men tha prestera tham by hira æjn folk thæt rik wither in hêde, nilden that ni hengja ænd kêthon vs by ra folk as vmfrâna ut

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FROM THE WRITINGS OF MINNO

III. Utza skrifta Minnos

When I came away from Athenia with my followers, we arrived at an island named by my crew Kreta, because of the cries that the inhabitants raised on our arrival. When they really saw that we did not come to make war, they were quiet, so that at last I was able to buy a harbour in exchange for a boat and some iron implements, and a piece of land. When we had been settled there a short time, and they discovered that we had no slaves, they were very much astonished; and when I explained to them that we had laws which made everybody equal, they wished to have the same; but they had hardly established them before the whole land was in confusion.

The priests and the princes declared that we had excited their subjects to rebellion, and the people appealed to us for aid and protection. When the princes saw that they were about to lose their kingdom, they gave freedom to their people, and came to me to establish a code of laws. The people, however, got no freedom, and the princes remained masters, acting according to their own pleasure. When this storm had passed, they began to sow divisions among us. They told my people that I had invoked their assistance to make myself permanent king. Once I found poison in my food. So when a ship from Flyland sailed past, I quietly took my departure. Leaving alone, then, my own adventures, I will conclude this history by saying that we must not have anything to do with Finda's people, wherever it may be, because they are full of false tricks, fully as much to be feared as their sweet wine with deadly poison.

Here ends Minno's writing.

Tha-k althus wêi faren was mith mina ljvd fon Athenia, kêmon wi to tha lesta an en êland thrych min ljyd Krêta hêten ym-a wilda krêta tham et folk anhyv by vsa kvmste. Tha as hja sagon thæt wi nên orloch an-t skêld foron, wrdon hja mak, alsa-k et lest far en bota mit yserark en havesmode ænd en stada land wandelde. Thach tha wi en stut sêten hêde ænd hja spêradon that wi nên slavona nêde, tha wêron hja vrstælath, men tha-k-ra nw talt hêde that wi êwa hêdon êlik to birjuchtande vr alla, tha wilde-t folk âk fon sokka hâ. Tach skêrs hêdon hja tham, jefta thæt êlle land kêm anda tys. Tha forsta ænd prestera kêmon bârja, that wi hjara tjvth over hêrich mâkad hêde ænd thæt folk kêm to vs vmbe hul ænd skul. Tach thâ tha forsta sagon thæt hja hjara rik vrljasa skolda, thå jêvon hja thæt folk frydom ænd kêmon to my vmb-en êsega bok. Thach thæt folk was nên frydom wenth ænd tha hêra bilêvon welda nêi that ir god thochte. Thâ thi storn wr wêr, bigoston hia twispalt among vs to sêia. Hia sêidon to min folk that ik hjara help anhropen hêde vmbe standfæst kêning to werthande. Enis fand ik gif in min met, thâ as er ênis en skip fon t Fly by vs vrsêilde, ben ik thêrmith stolkens hinne brith. - Tach min witherfara to lêtande, sa wil-k mith thesa skêdnesa allêna sêga, that wi navt müge hêma mith et Findas folk fon wêr thæt et sy, hwand thæt hja fvl send mith falska renka, êwa to frêsane as hjara swête wina mith dêjande fenin.

Ende wra skrifta Minnos.

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# THESE ARE THE THREE PRINCIPLES ON WHICH THESE LAWS ARE FOUNDED.

- I. Everybody knows that he requires the necessaries of life, and if he cannot obtain them he does not know how to preserve his life.
- 2. All men have a natural desire to have children, and if it is not satisfied they are not aware what evil may spring from it.
- $_{3}$ . Every man knows that he wishes to live free and undisturbed, and that others wish the same thing.

To secure this, these laws and regulations are made.  $\,$ 

The people of Finda have also their rules and regulations, but these are not made according to what is just—only for the advantage of priests and princes—therefore their states are fall of disputes and murder.

- I. If any man falls into a state of destitution, his case must be brought before the count by the maidens, because a high-minded Frisian cannot bear to do that himself.
- 2. If any man becomes poor because he will not work, he must be sent out of the country, because the cowardly and lazy are troublesome and ill-disposed, therefore they ought to be got rid of.
- $_{3}$ . Every young man ought to seek a bride and to be married at five-and-twenty.
- 4. If a young man is not married at five-and-twenty, he must be driven from his home, and the younger men must avoid him. If then he will not marry, he must be declared dead, and leave the country, so that he may not give offence.
- 5. If a man is impotent, he must openly declare that no one has anything to fear from him, then he may come or go where he likes.
- 6. If after that he commits any act of incontinence, then he must flee away; if he does not, he may be given over to the vengeance of those whom he has offended, and no one may aid him.
- 7. Any one who commits a theft shall restore it threefold. For a second offence he shall be sent to the tin mines. The person robbed may forgive him if he pleases, but for a third offence no one shall protect him.

Hir vnder send thrê wêta, thêr after send thissa setma makad.

- I. Allera mannalik wêt, thæt i sin bihof mot, men wærth æmmon sin bihof vnthalden, sa nêt nên man hwat er skil dva vmbe sin lif to bihaldande.
- 2. Alle elte minniska werthat drongen a bærn to têlande, wærth that wêrth, sa nêt nim man wath ærges thêrof kyme mei.
- 3. Alrek wêt thæt-i fry ænd vnforlêth wil lêva, ænd that ôre that âk wille. Umbe sekur to wêsande send thesa setma ænd domar makad.

Thæt folk Findas heth åk setma ænd domar: men thissa ne send navt nêi tha rjucht, men allêna to bâta thêra prestera ænd forsta, thana send hjara ståta immerthe fvl twispalt ænd mord.

- I. Sahwersa imman nâd heth ænd hi ne kan him selva navt ne helpe, sa moton tha fâmna thæt kvndich dva an tha grêva. Thêrfar thæt et en stolte Fryas navt ne focht thæt selva to dva.
- 2. Sa hwa ærm wærth thrvch tham hi navt wærka nil, thèr mot to thæt lând ut drêven wertha, hwand tha læfa ænd loma send lestich ænd ærg tænkande: thêrvmbe âch mæn to wêrane tham.
- 3. Jahwêder jong kerdel âch en brud to sêka ænd is er fif ænd twintich sa  $\hat{a}$ cht-er en wif to hæva.
- 4. Is hwa fif ænd twintich, ænd heth er nên êngâ, sa âch ek man him ut sin hus to wêrane. Ta knâpa âchon him te formyda. Nimth er thæn nach nên êngâ, sâ mot mæn hin dâd sêga, til thju hi ut of lande brude ænd hir nên ærgenese nêva ne mêi.
- 5. Is hwa wrak, thæn mot-er avbêr sêga, that nimman fon him to frêsane nach to duchtane heth. Sâ mei er kvma hwêr er wil.
- 6. Plêcht er æfternêi hordom, sâ mêi-r fluchta, ne fluchter navt, sâ is er an tha wrêke thêr bitrogna vrlêten, ænd nimman ne mêi helpa him.
- 7. Sahwersa æmmon eng god heth, ænd en ôther likt that thermête that i him thêran vrfate, sa mot-i thæt thrja vrjelda. Stêlth-i jeta rêis, thæn mot hi nêi tha tinlânum. Wil thene bistêlne him fry jêva, sâ mêi-r thæt dva. Tha bêrth et wither sa ne mêi nimman him frydom jêva.

r8. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### THESE RULES ARE MADE FOR ANGRY PEOPLE.

I. If a man in a passion or out of illwill breaks another's limb or puts out an eye or a tooth, he must pay whatever the injured man demands. If he cannot pay, he must suffer the same injury as he has done to the other. If he refuses this, he must appeal to the Burgtmaagd in order to be sent to work in the iron or tin mines until he has expiated his crime under the

Thissa domar send makad fara nydiga manniska.

I. Sa hwa in hâste mode tha ut nid an nen otheris lêja brekth, âgna ut stât, jeftha thoth, hok thæt et sy, sa mot thi lêtha bitallja hwat thene lêdar askth. Ne kan hi hæt ni dva, sâ mot-er avbêr an im dên wertha, sa hi an thene ôre dêth. Nil hi thæt navt ut ne stonda, sa mot-i him to sina burch-fâm wenda, jef-i inna yser jeftha tin lâna mêi werka til sin skeld an sy, nèi thêr mêne

general law.

- 2. If a man is so wicked as to kill a Frisian, he must forfeit his own life; but if the Burgtmaagd can send him to the tin mines for his life before he is taken, she may do so.
- 3. If the prisoner can prove by proper witnesses that the death was accidental, he may go free; but if it happens a second time, he must go to the tin mines, in order to avoid any unseemly hatred or vengeance.

dom.

- 2. Jef ther imman fynden wærth alsa ærg that i en Fryas felth, hi mot et mit sina lif bitallja. Kan sina burch fâm hin far altid nei tha tinlâna helpa êr er fat wrde, sy mêi thæt dya.
- 3. Sahwersa thi bona mêi biwisa mith vrkænda tju-gum that et by vnluk skên is, sa skil hi fry wêsa, men bêrth et jetta rêis, sa mot i tach nêi tha tinlânum, til thju mân thêr thrvch formitha all vnerimde wrêka ænd fêitha.

(manuscript ) (contents )

#### THESE ARE THE RULES CONCERNING BASTARDS.

- I. If any man sets fire to another's house, he is no Frisian, he is a bastard. If he is caught in the act, he must be thrown into the fire; and wherever he may flee, he shall never be secure from the avenging justice.
- 2. No true Frisian shall speak ill of the faults of his neighbours. If any man injures himself, but does no harm to others, he must be his own judge; but if he becomes so bad that he is dangerous to others, they must bring it before the count. But if instead of going to the count a man accuses another behind his back, he must be put on the pillory in the market-place, and then sent out of the country, but not to the tin mines, because even there a backbiter is to be feared.
- 3. If any man should prove a traitor and show to our enemies the paths leading to our places of refuge, or creep into them by night, he must be the offspring of Finda; he must be burnt. The sailors must take his mother and all his relations to a desolate island, and there scatter his ashes, in order that no poisonous herbs may spring from them. The maidens must curse his name in all the states, in order that no child may be called by his name, and that his ancestors may repudiate him.

War had come to an end, but famine came in its place. There were three men who each stole a sack of corn from different owners, but they were all caught. The first owner brought his thief to the judge, and the maidens said everywhere that he had done right. The second owner took the corn away from his thief and let him go in peace. The maidens said he has done well. The third owner went to the thief's house, and when he saw what misery was there, he went and brought a waggon-load of necessaries to relieve their distress. Frya's maidens came around him and wrote his deed in the eternal book, and wiped out all his sins. This was reported to the Eeremoeder, and she had it made known over the whole country.

This send domar fara horninga

- I. Hwa en ôtheris hvs ut nid thene râde hôn anstekt nis nên Fryas, hi is en horning mith basterde blod. Mêi mæn hin bi thêr dêd bifâra, sa mot mæn hin vppet fjvr werpa. Hy mêi flya sar kæn tach nærne skil-i sêkur wêsa fara wrêkande hand.
- 2. Nên æfta Fryas skil ovira misslêga sinra nêste malja nach kalta. Is hwa misdêdoch far im selva, tha navt frêselik far en ôra, sâ mêi hi him selva riuchta. Wærth i alsa ærg that er frêslik wærth, sa mot mæn t anda grêva bara; men is thêr hwa thêr en ôther æfterbækis bitighat in stêde fon t to dvande by tha grêva, tham is en horning. Vpper mærk mot i anda pêle bvnden wrde, sa that et jong folk im anspêja mêi; æfter lâdath mæn him overa mærka, men navt nêi tha tinlâna, thrvch that en êrerâwer âk is to frêsane.
- 3. Sahwersa thêr ênis imman wêre sa ærg that i vs gvng vrrêde by tha fyand, påda ænd to påda wes, vmbe vsa flyburga to nåka, jeftha thes nachtis thêrin to glupa, tham wêre allêna wrocht ut Findas blod. Him skolde mæn mota barna. Tha stjurar skoldon sin mæm ænd al sina sibba nêi en fêr êland mota brænga ænd thêr sin ask forstuva, til thjur hyr nên feninige krûdon fon waxa ne müge. Tha fâmna moton thæn sin nâm utspêja in vr al vsa stâta, til thju nên bærn sin nâm ne krêje ænd tha alda him müge vrwerpa.

Orloch was vrtigen, men nêd was kvmen an sin stêd. Nw wêron hyr thrê mænniska thêr-ek en buda kêren stêlon fon asvndergane êjnhêra. Tha hja wrdon alle fat. Nw gong thene êrosta to ænd brocht thene thjaf by tha skelte. Tha fâmna thêr-vr kêthande sêidon allerwêis, that i dên hêde nêi rjucht. Thi ôra nom thene thjaf thæt kêren of ænd lêth im forth mith frêto. Tha fæmna sêidon, hi heth wel dên. Men thi thredde êjnhêr gyng nêi tha thjaf sin hus thâ. Asser nw sach ho nêd thêr sin sêtel vpstælth hêde, thâ gyng hi to bæk ænd kêrde wither mith en wêin fol nêdthreftum, thêr hi nêd mith fon thêre hêrd of driwe. Fryas fâmna hêdon by him omme wârath ænd sin dêd an dat êvge bok skrêven, dahwile hja al sina lêka ut fâchth hêde. Thju êremoder was et sêid ænd hju lêt het kvndich dva thrych thæt êle lând

20. (manuscript ) (contents )

WHAT IS WRITTEN HEREUNDER IS INSCRIBED ON THE WALLS OF WAR ABURGT.

That hyr vnder stat is in ut tha wagar thêre Waraburch writen.

(See Plate I.)



Page 45 of the manuscript of the book of Adelas Followers.

What appears at the top is the signs of the Juul—that is, the first symbol of Wr-alda, also of the origin or beginning from which Time is derived; this is the Kroder, which must always go round with the Juul. According to this model Frya formed the set hand which she used to write her Tex. When Fasta was Eeremoeder she made a running hand out of it. The Witkoning—that is, the Sea-king Godfried the Old—made separate numbers for the set hand and for the runic hand. It is therefore not too much that we celebrate it once a year. We may be eternally thankful to Wralda that he allowed his spirit to exercise such an influence over our forefathers.

In her time Finda also invented a mode of writing, but that was so high-flown and full of flourishes that her descendants have soon lost the meaning of it.

Afterwards they learned our writing—that is, the Finns, the Thyriers, and the Krekalanders—but they did not know that it was taken from the Juul, and must therefore always be written round like the sun. Furthermore, they wished that their writing should be illegible by other people, because they always had matters to conceal. In doing this they acted very unwisely, because their children could only with great difficulty read the writings of their predecessors, whereas our most ancient writings are as easy to read as those that were written yesterday.

Here is a specimen of the set hand and of the running hand, as well as of the figures, in both. Hwat hyr boppa stæt send thi têkna fon thæt jol. Thæt is thæt forma sinnebild Wr.aldas, âk fon t-anfang jeftha-t bijin, wêrut tid kêm, thæt is thene Kroder thêr êvg mith thæt jol mot ommehlâpa. Thana heth Frya thæt standskrift måkad, thæt hia brukte to hira tex. Thå Fæsta êremoder wêre, heth hiur thæt run ieftha hlapande skrift fon måkad. Ther Witkening thæt is Sêkêning, Godfrêiath thene alda heth thêr asvndergana telnomar fon måkad får stand ænd rynskrift bêde. T is thêrvmbe navt to drok that wir jêrliks ênis fêst vr fyrja. Wy mügon Wr.alda êvg thank to wya thæt hi sin gåst sa herde in vr vsa êthla heth fåra lêtn. Vnder hira tid heth Finda åk en skrift utfvnden, men thæt wêre sa hâgfarende ænd fvl mith frisla ænd krolum, thæt tha afterkvmanda thêrof thju bitjudnese ring vrlêren hâve. Afternêi hævon hja vs skrift lêred binoma tha Finna, tha Thyrjar ænd tha Krekalander. Men hja niston navt god, thæt-et fon et jol måkad was ænd that-et thêrumbe altid skrêven wrde moste mith son om. Thêrby wildon hja thæt hjara skrift vnlêsbêr skolde wêsa far ora folkum, hwand hja hævath altid hêmnesa. Thus to dvanda send hja herde fon a wis râkath, thêrmêtha, that ta bærn tha skriftun hiarar aldrum amper lêsa en mûga; dahwile wy vsa alderaldesta skriftun êvin rêd lêsa mûga as thêra thêr jester skrêven send.

Hir is thæt stand skrift, thërvnder thæt run skrift, forth tha tælnomar a byder wisa.

(See Plate II.)



2I. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### THIS STANDS INSCRIBED UPON ALL CITADELS.

That stêt vp alle burgum eskrêven.

Before the bad time came our country was the most beautiful in the world. The sun rose higher, and there was seldom frost. The trees and shrubs produced various fruits, which are now lost. In the fields we had not only barley, oats, and rye, but wheat which shone like gold, and which could be baked in the sun's rays. The years were not counted, for one was as happy as another.

On one side we were bounded by Wr-alda's Sea, on which no one but us might or could sail; on the other side we were hedged in by the broad Twiskland (Tusschenland, Duitschland), through which the Finda people dared not come on account of the thick forests and the wild beasts.

Eastward our boundary went to the extremity of the East Sea, and westward to the Mediterranean Sea; so that besides the small rivers we had twelve large rivers given us by Wr-alda to keep our land moist, and to show our seafaring men the way to his sea.

The banks of these rivers were at one time entirely inhabited by our people, as well as the banks of the Rhine from one end to the other. Opposite Denmark and Jutland we had colonies and a Burgtmaagd. Thence we obtained copper and iron, as well as tar and pitch, and some other necessaries. Opposite to us we had Britain, formerly Westland, with her tin mines.

Britain was the land of the exiles, who with the help of their Burgtmaagd had gone away to save their lives; but in order that they might not come back they were tattooed with a B on the forehead, the banished with a red dye, the other criminals with blue. Moreover, our sailors and merchants had many factories among the distant Krekalanders and in Lydia. In Lydia (Lybia) the people are black. As our country was so great and extensive, we had many different names. Those who were settled to the east of Denmark were called Jutten, because often they did nothing else than look for amber (jutten) on the shore. Those who lived in the islands were called Letten, because they lived an isolated life. All those who lived between (pilots), Zeekampers (naval men), and Angelaren (fishermen). The Angelaren were men who fished in the sea, and were so named because they used lines and hooks instead of nets. From there to the nearest part of

Êr thère ærge tid kêm was vs lând thæt skênnéste in wr.alda. Svnne rês hager ænd thêr was sjelden frost. Anda bâma ænd trêjon waxton frügda ând nochta, thêr nw vrlèren send. Among tha gærs-sêdum hedon wi navt alena kêren, ljaver ænd blyde, men âk swete thêr lik gold blikte ænd thæt mæn vndera svnnastrêla bakja kvste. Jéron ne wrde navt ne telath, hwand thæt êne jêr was alsa blyd as et ôthera. An tha êne side wrdon wi thrvch Wr.aldas sê hisloten, hwêrvp nên folk buta vs navt fara ne mochte nach kvnde. Anda ôre side wrden wi thrvch thæt brêde Twisklând vmtunad, hwêr thrvch thæt Findas folk navt kvma ne thvradon, fon ovira tichta walda ænd ovir it wilde kwik.

By morne paldon wi ovir it uter ende thes aster-sê, by êvind an thene middelsê, alsa wi buta tha littiga wel twelif grâta swete rinstrama hêdon, vs thrvch Wr.alda jêven vmb vs lând elte to haldane ænd vmb us wigandlik folk tha wêi to wisana nêi sina sê.

Tha owira thissar rin strama wrdon tomet algadur thrvch vs folk bisêton, âk tha fjelda an thju Rêne fon-t êna enda alon et ôre ende thâ.

To jenst-vr tha Dênamarka ænd that Juttarlând hêdon wi folkplantinga mith en burchfâm, dâna wonon wi kâper ænd yser, bijvnka târ, pæk ænd syma ôr bihof. To jenst yr ys formêlich Westland thêr hêdon wi Brittanja mith sina tinlâna. Brittanja thæt was thæt lând thêra bannalinga, thêr mith hulpe hiarar burchfâm wêi brith wêron ymbe hira lif to bihâldana. Thach for that hja navt to bæk kvma ne skolde, warth er êrost en B to fâra hjara stær priked, tha bana mith råde blod farve ænd tha ôra misdêdar mith blâwe farve. Buta ænd bihalva hêdon vsa stjurar ænd kâpljvd mêni loge anda hêinde Krêkalanda ænd to Lydia. In vr Lydia thêr send tha swarta minniska. Thâ vs lând sâ rum ænd grât wêre, hêdon wi fêlo asondergana nâmon. Thêra tham saton biâsten tha Dênemarka wrdon Juttar hêton, uthâvede hja tomet navt owers ne dêdon as barn-stên juta. Hja tham thêr saton vppa êlanda wrdon Lêtne hêten, thrvchdam hja mêst al vrlêten lêvadon. Alle strând ænd skor hêmar fon a Dênemarka alont thêre Sændfal nw Skelda wrdon Stjurar, Sêkæmpar ænd Angelara hêton. Angelara så hêton mån to fora tha butafiskar vmbe that hia alan mith angel jefta kol fiskton ænd nimmer nên netum. Thêra thêr thâna til tha hệinde Krêkalânda sâton, wrdon blát Kâd-hêmar hệten, thrych tham hja

Krekaland the inhabitants were called Kadhemers, because they never went to sea but remained ashore

Those who were settled in the higher marches bounded by Twisklanden (Germany) were called Saxmannen, because they were always armed against the wild beasts and the savage Britons. Besides these we had the names Landzaten (natives of the land), Marzaten (natives of the fens), and Woud or Hout zaten (natives of the woods).

- \* Stjurar, in Latin Sturii.
- † Sêkâmpar , in Latin Sicambri .
- ‡ Angelara, in Latin Angli.
- \* Mârsata, in Latin Marsacii.

ninmerthe buta foron. Thêra thêr in da hâge marka sâton, thêr anna Twisklanda pâlon, wrdon Saxmanna hêton, uthâwede hja immer wêpned wêron vr thæt wilde kwik ænd vrwildarda Britne. Thêr to boppa hêdon wi tha nôma Landsâton, Mârsata ænd Holtiefta Wodsâta.

22. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### HOW THE BAD TIME CAME.

During the whole summer the sun had been hid behind the clouds, as if unwilling to look upon the earth. There was perpetual calm, and the damp mist hung like a wet sail over the houses and the marshes. The air was heavy and oppressive, and in men's hearts was neither joy nor cheerfulness. In the midst of this stillness the earth began to tremble as if she was dying. The mountains opened to vomit forth fire and flames. Some sank into the bosom of the earth, and in other places mountains rose out of the plain. Aldland, called by the seafaring people, Atland, disappeared, and the wild waves rose so high over hill and dale that everything was buried in the sea. Many people were swallowed up by the earth, and others who had escaped the fire perished in the water.

It was not only in Finda's land that the earth vomited fire, but also in Twiskland (Germany). Whole forests were burned one after the other, and when the wind blew from that quarter our land was covered with ashes. Rivers changed their course, and at their mouths new islands were formed of sand and drift.

During three years this continued, but at length it ceased, and forests became visible. Many countries were submerged, and in other places land rose above the sea, and the wood was destroyed through the half of Twiskland (Germany). Troops of Finda's people came and settled in the empty places. Our dispersed people were exterminated or made slaves. Then watchfulness was doubly impressed upon us, and time taught us that union is force.

#### $\dagger$ Aldland, in Latin Atlantis

23. (manuscript ) (contents )

THIS IS INSCRIBED ON THE WARABURGT BY THE ALDEGAMUDE.

The Waraburgt is not a maiden's city, but the place where all the foreign articles brought by sailors were stored. It lies three hours south from Medeashlik.

#### Thus is the Preface.

Hills, bow your heads; weep, ye streams and clouds. Yes. Schoonland (Scandinavia) blushes, an enslaved people tramples on your garment, O Frya.

#### This is the history.

One hundred and one years after the submersion of Aldland a people came out of the East. That people was driven by another. Behind us, in Twiskland (Germany), they fell into disputes, divided into two parties, and each went its own way. Of the one no account has come to us, but the other came in the back of our Schoonland, which was thinly inhabited, particularly the upper part. Therefore they were able to take possession of it without contest, and as they did no other harm, we would not make war about it. Now that we have learned to know them, we will describe their customs, and after that how matters went between us. They were not wild people, like most of Finda's race; but, like the Egyptians, they have priests and also statues in their churches. The priests are the only rulers; they call themselves Magyars, and their headman Magy. He is high priest and king in one. The rest of the people are of no account, and in subjection to them. This people have not even a name; but we call them Finns, because

Ho arge tid kêm.

Hêl thene sümer was svnne æftere wolkum skolen, as wilde hja irtha navt ne sja. Wind reston in sina bûdar, werthrych rêk ænd stom lik sêla boppa hus ænd polon stand. Loft wærth althus drov ænd dimme, ænd inna tha hirta thêra mænniska was blydskip nach früchda. To midden thisre stilnise fæng irtha an to bêvande lik as hju stærvande wêre. Berga splyton fon ekkorum to spêjande fjvr ænd logha, ôra svnkon in hira skât del, ænd thêr hju êrost fjelda hêde; hêjade hju berga vppa. Aldland trvch tha stjurar Atland hêten synk nyther ænd thæt wilde hef stâpton alsa nâka wr berg ænd dêlon, that ella vndere sê bidvlwen wêre. Fêlo mænniska wrdon in irtha bidobben, ænd fêlo thêr et fjyr vnkêmen wêron, kêmon thêrnêi innet wêter vm. Navt allêna inda landa Findas spêidon berga fjvr, men âk in-t Twisk-land. Walda bærnadon thêrthrych æfter ekkorum ænd thâ wind dâna wêi kêm, thâ wâjadon vsa landa fvl ask. Rinstrâma wrdon vrlêid ænd by hjara mvda kêmon nêja êlanda fon sand ænd drivande kwik. Thrju jêr was irtha alsa to lydande; men tha hju bêter wêre macht mæn hira vvnda sja. Fêlo landa wêron vrsvnken, ôra uta sê rêsen ænd thæt Twisk-land to fâra-n halfdêl vntwalt. Bænda Findas folk kêmon tha lêtogha rumtne bifara. Vsa wêibritne vrdon vrdelgen jefta hja wrdon hjara harlinga. Thâ warth wâkandom vs dybbeld boden ænd tid lêrd vs that êndracht vsa stærikste hurch is

Thit stêt inna Waraburch by thêre aldega mvda wryt.

Thju wâraburch nis nên fâmnaburch, men thêr in wrdon alla uthêmeda ænd vrlandeska thinga wârath, thêr mitbrocht binne thrych tha stjurar. Hju is thri pêla, thæt is en half ty sûdwarth fon Mêdêa-sblik lêgen.

#### Alsa is thæt fôrword:

berga nygath thinna krunna, wolka ænd stråma wên. Jes. Skênland blôst, slåvona folka stôppath vppat thin klât, o Frya.

#### Alsa is thju skêdnesse.

100 ænd 1 jêr nêi that âldland svnken is, kêm thêr ut-et âsta en folk wêi. Thæt folk was vrdrêven thrvch en ôther folk, æfter vs twisk land krêjon hja twispalt, hja skifton hjara selva an twam hâpa, ek hêr gvng sines wêiges. Fon-t êne dêl nis nên tâl to vs ne kêmen, men thæt ôre dêl fyl æfter to vs Skênland. Skênland was sunnich bifolkath, ând anda æfter-kâd thæt sunnichste fon al. Thêrvmbe machton hja-t svnder strid wrwinna, ænd uthâwede hja ôwers nên lêth ne dêdon, nildon wi thêrvr nên orloch hâ. Nw wi hjam hævon kænna lêred, sâ willath wi ovir hjara sêda skriwa, æfternêi ho-t vs mith hjam forgungen is, Thæt folk was navt ne wild lik fêlo slachta Findas, men êlik anda Égipta-landar, hja hævath prestera lik tham ænd nw hja kærka hæve âk byldon. Tha prestera send tha engosta hêra, hja hêton hjara selva Mâgjara, hjara aller ovirste hêt Magy, hi is håvedprester ænd kêning mith ên, allet ôre folk is nul in-t siffer ænd êllik ænd al vnder hjara weld. Thæt folk nêth navt ênis en nôme, thrvch vs send hja Finna hêten, hwand afskên hjara fêrsta algadur drov ænd blodich send,

although all the festivals are melancholy and bloody, they are so formal that we are inferior to them in that respect. But still they are not to be envied, because they are slaves to their priests, and still more to their creeds. They believe that evil spirits abound everywhere, and enter into men and beasts, but of Wr-alda's spirit they know nothing. They have weapons of stone, the Magyars of copper. The Magyars affirm that they can exorcise and recall the evil spirits, and this frightens the people, so that you never see a cheerful face. When they were well established, the Magyars sought our friendship, they praised our language and customs, our cattle and iron weapons, which they would willingly have exchanged for their gold and silver ornaments, and they always kept their people within their own boundaries, and that outwitted our watchfulness.

Eighty years afterwards, just at the time of the Juulfeest, they overran our country like a snowstorm driven by the wind. All who could not flee away were killed. Frya was appealed to, but the Schoonlanders (Scandinavians) had neglected her advice. Then all the forces were assembled, and three hours from Godasburgt they were withstood, but war continued. Kat or Katerine was the name of the priestess who was Burgtmaagd of Godasburgt. Kat was proud and haughty, and would neither seek counsel nor aid from the mother; but when the Burgtheeren (citizens) knew this, they themselves sent messengers to Texland to the Eeremoeder. Minnathis was the name of the mother—summoned all the sailors and the young men from Oostflyland and Denmark. From this expedition the history of Wodin sprang, which is inscribed on the citadels, and is here copied. At Aldergamude there lived an old sea-king whose name was Sterik, and whose deeds were famous. This old fellow had three nephews. Wodin, the eldest, lived at Lumkamakia, near the Eemude, in Oostflyland, with his parents. He had once commanded troops. Teunis and Inka were naval warriors, and were just then staying with their father at Aldergamude. When the young warriors had assembled together, they chose Wodin to be their leader or king, and the naval force chose Teunis for their sea-king and Inka for their admiral. The navy then sailed to Denmark, where they took on board Wodin and his valiant host.

The wind was fair, so they arrived immediately in Schoonland. When the northern brothers met together, Wodin divided his powerful army into three bodies. Frya was their war-cry, and they drove back the Finns and Magyars like children. When the Magy heard how his forces had been utterly defeated, he sent messengers with truncheon and crown, who said to Wodin: O almighty king we are guilty, but all that we have done was done from necessity. You think that we attacked your brothers out of illwill, but we were driven out by our enemies, who are still at our heels. We have often asked your Burgtmaagd for help, but she took no notice of us. The Magy says that if we kill half our numbers in fighting with each other, then the wild shepherds will come and kill all the rest. The Magy possesses great riches, but he has seen that Frya is much more powerful than all our spirits together. He will lay down his head in her lap. You are the most warlike king on the earth, and your people are of iron. Become our king, and we will all be your slaves. What glory it would be for you if you could drive back the savages! Our trumpets would resound with your praises, and the fame of your deeds would precede you everywhere. Wodin was strong, fierce, and warlike, but he was not clear-sighted, therefore he was taken in their toils, and crowned by the Magy.

Very many of the sailors and soldiers to whom this proceeding was displeasing went away secretly, taking Kat with them. But Kat, who did not wish to appear before either the mother or the general assembly, jumped overboard. Then a storm arose and drove the ships upon the banks of Denmark, with the total destruction of their crews. This strait was afterwards called the Kattegat. When Wodin was crowned, he attacked the savages, who were all horsemen, and fell upon Wodin's troops like a hailstorm; but like a whirlwind they were turned back, and did not dare to appear again. When Wodin returned, Magy gave him his daughter to wife. Whereupon he was incensed with herbs; but they were magic herbs, and by degrees he became so audacious that he dared to disavow and ridicule the spirits of Frva and Wr-alda, while he bent his free head before the false and deceitful images. His reign lasted seven years, and then he disappeared. The Magy said that he was taken up by their gods and still reigned over us, but our people laughed at what they said. When Wodin had disappeared some time, disputes arose. We wished to choose another king, but the Magy would not permit it. He asserted that it was his right given him by his idols. But besides this dispute there was one between the Magyars and Finns, who would honour neither Frya nor Wodin; but the Magy did just as he pleased, because his daughter had a son by Wodin, and he would have it that this son was of high descent. While all were thach send hja thêr alsa fin vp, that wi thêr bi æfter stâne, forth ne send hja navt to binydane, hwand hja send slåvona fon tha presterum ænd jeta fül ærger fon hjara mêninga. Hja mênath that ella fvl kvada gâston is, thêr inda mænniska ænd djara gluppe, men fon Wr.aldas gåst nêton hja nawet. Hja hævath stêne wêpne, tha Magjara kâpra. Tha Magjara tellath that hja tha ærge gâston banna ænd yrbanna mügon, thêr yr is t folk ôlan in ange frêse ænd vppira wêsa nis nimmer nên blydskip to bisjan. Thâ hja god sêten wêron, sochton tha Magjara athskip bi vs, hja bogadon vp vsa tâl ænd sêdum, vp vs fja ænd vppa vs ysere wêpne, thêr hja gêrn to fori hjara goldun ænd sulvere syrhedum wandela wilde, ænd hjara tjoth hildon hja immerthe binna tha pêlon, men thæt vrskalkton vsa wâkendom. Achtantich jêr forther, just wêr-et jol-fêrste, thêr kêmon hja vnwarlinge lik snêi thrych stornewind drêwen ovir vsa landa to runnande. Thêr navt flya machton wrdon vrdên, Frya wærth anhropen, men tha Skênlandar hêdon hira rêd warlâsed. Thâ wrdon kræfta sâmlath, thri pêlun fon Godahis burch wrdon hja wither stonden, tha orloch bilêv. Kât jefta Kâter-inne, alsa hête thịu fâm, thêr burchfâm to Goda burch was. Kât was stolte ænd hâchfâranda, thêrvmbe ne lêt hju nên rêd ni follistar anda Moder ne frêja. Men thâ tha burchhêra thæt fâta, thâ svndon hja selva bodon nêi Texlând nêi thêre Moder thâ. Minna alsa was thêre Moder-is nôme, lêt âla tha stjurar månja ænd ål-et othera jongk folk fon Ast-flyland ænd fon tha Dênnemarkum. Ut thesse tocht is thju skydnese fon Wodin bern, sa-r vppa burgum wryten is ænd hir êskrêven. Anda Alder-gâmude thêr reste en alde sêkæning. Sterik was sin nôme ænd tha hrop yr sina dêda was grât. Thisse alde rob hêde thrê nêva; Wodin thene aldeste hêmde to Lumkamâkja bi thêre Ê-mude to Ast-flyland by sin eldrum t-us. Ênes was er hêrman wêst. Tünis ænd Inka wêron sêkæmper ænd just nw bi hjara fæderja anda Aldergâ-mude t-vs. As tha jonga kæmpar nw bi ekkôrum kêmon, kêron hja Wodin to hjara hêrman jefta kæning ut, ænd tha sêkæmpar kêron Tünis to-ra sêkæning ænd Inka to hjara skelte bî thêr nacht. Tha stjurar gyngon thâ nêi tha Dênnemarka fâra, thêr nâmon hja Wodin mith sin wigandlika landwêr in.

Wînd was rum ænd alsa wêron hja an en âmerîng to Skên land. Thâ tha northeska brothar ra selva by m fogath hêde, dêlde Wodîn sin weldich hêr an thri wiga. Frya was hjara wêpenhrop ænd sâ hi bækward sloch tha Finnen ænd Mågjara as of et bærn wêron. Thå thene Mågy fornôm ho sin ljvd al ombrocht wrdon, thå sand hi bodon mith stæf ænd krone. Hja sêidon to Wodin, o thy alra grâteste thêra kæningar, wi send skeldich, thach al hwat wi dên hæve is ut nêd dên. Je mêne that wi jvw brothar willengklik anfat hæve, men wi send thrvch vsa fyanda forth-fêtereth ænd thi alle send vs jeta vppa hakka. Wi hævath often helpe an thinre burchfâm frêjath, men hja neth vs navt ne meld. Thene Mâgy sêith, sâ hwersa wi ekkôrum to tha hælte vrdva, sâ skilun tha wilda skephærdar kêmon ænd vs algâdur vrdva. Thene Mâgy heth fül rikdom, men hi heth sjan that Frya weldiger is as al vsa gâston et sêmine. Hi wil sin hâved in hira skât del ledsa. Thy bist thene wigandlikste kæning irthas, thin folk is fon yser. Warth vsa kæning ænd wi alle willath thin slåvona wêsa. Hwat skolde that êr-rik fâr-i wêsa, aste tha wilda wither to læk driwa koste, vsa sêfyra skolde-t rondblêsa ænd vsa mâra skoldon jv vral fârut gâ.

Wodin was sterik, wost ænd wigandlîk, men hi nas navt klâr sjande, thêrthrych wærth i in hjar mêra fyngen ænd thrych thene Mâgy kroneth. Rju fêlo stjurar ænd land-wêrar, tham thisse kêr navt ne sinde, brûdon stolkes hinne. Kât mith nêmande, men Kât thêr navt to fâra thêre Moder ner to fâra thêre mêna acht forskine nilde, jompade wr bord. Thâ kêm stornewind ænd fêtere tha skêpa vppa skorra fonna Dennemar kum del svnder enkel man to mistane. Afternêi hævon hja tha strêt Kâtsgat hêten. Thâ Wodin kroned was, gvng er vppa wilda lôs; thi wêron al rutar, lik een hêjel buje kêmon hja ajn Wodin-is hêr, men lik en twyrne wind wendon hja omme ænd ne thvradon nå wither forskina. As Wodin nw to bæk kêm, jav thene Mâgy him sin toghater to-n wîf. Afternei wærth-i mith krûdon birêkad, men thêr wêron tawerkrûdon mong, hwand Wodin warth bi grådum alsa sêr vrmêten, that i Frya ænd Wraldas gåst miskæna ånd spota thvrade, thawyla hi sin frya hals bog to fâra falska drochten-likande byldum Sin rik hilde siygun jêr, thâ yrdwind ir. Thene Mâgy sêide that er mong hjara godon vpnimeth wêre, ænd that hi fon thêr over hjam welda, men vs folk lakton vmbe tin tâl. Thâ Wodin en stût wêi wêst hêde, kêm thêr twispalt, wi wildon en ôra kæning kjasa, men thæt nilde thene Mâgy navt me hengja. Hi wêrde that et en rjucht wêre, him thrych sina drochtne jêven. Buta ænd bihalva thissa twist, sa was thêr jet-ên emong sin Mâgjara ænd Finna, thêr Frya ner Wodin êra navt nilde, men thi Mâgy dêde as-t im sinde, hwand sin toghater hêde en syn bi Wodin wynen, ând nw wilde thene Mâgy that thisse fon en hâge kom-of wêsa skolde. Thawyla alle sanade ænd twista, krônade hi thene knâp to kæning ænd stælade hin sels

disputing and quarrelling, he crowned the boy as king, and set up himself as guardian and counsellor. Those who cared more for themselves than for justice let him work his own way, but the good men took their departure. Many Magyars fled back with their troops, and the sea-people took ship, accompanied by a body of stalwart Finns as rowers.

Next comes upon the stage the history of Neef Teunis and Neef Inka.

- \* Skênland or Scandinavia.
- † 2193-101 is 2092 before Christ.
- \* Goda-hisburch is Gothenburg.
- † Alderga is Ouddorp, near Alkmaar.
- ‡ Lumkamâkja bithêre Emuda is Embden.
- \* Amering, still in use in North Holland to signify a breath or a twinkling of an eve.
- † Kâtsgat is the Kattegat.
- \* Wodin is Odin or Wodan.

as foged ænd foramond jefta rêdjêvar an. Thêra thêr mâr hildon fon hjara balg as fon thæt rjucht, tham lêton him bidobba, men tha goda brûdon wêi. Fêlo Mâgjara flodon mith hjara ljvda bæk ward, ænd tha stjurar gyngon to skip ænd en hêr fon drista Finna gyngen as rojar mitha. Nw kymath tha skêdnese fon nêf Tûnis ænd sin nêf Inka êrost rjucht yppet

Nw kymath tha skednese fon nef Lunis ænd sin nef Inka erost rjucht yppo pat.

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ALL THIS IS INSCRIBED NOT ONLY ON THE WARABURGT, BUT ALSO ON THE BURGT STAVIA, WHICH LIES BEHIND THE PORT OF STAVRE.

When Teunis wished to return home, he went first towards Denmark; but he might not land there, for so the mother had ordered, nor was he to land at Flyland nor anywhere about there. In this way he would have lost all his people by want and hardship, so he landed at night to steal and sailed on by day. Thus coasting along, he at length arrived at the colony of Kadik (Cadiz), so called because it was built with a stone quay. Here they bought all kinds of stores, but Tuntia the Burgtmaagd would not allow them to settle there. When they were ready they began to disagree. Teunis wished to sail through the straits to the Mediterranean Sea, and enter the service of the rich Egyptian king, as he had done before, but Inka said he had had enough of all those Finda's people. Inka thought that perchance some high-lying part of Atland might remain as an island, where he and his people might live in peace. As the two cousins could not agree, Teunis planted a red flag on the shore, and Inka a blue flag. Every man could choose which he pleased, and to their astonishment the greater part of the Finns and Magyars followed Inka, who had objected to serve the kings of Finda's people. When they had counted the people and divided the ships accordingly, the fleet separated. We shall hear of Teunis afterwards, but nothing more of Inka.

Neef Teunis coasted through the straits to the Mediterranean Sea. When Atland was submerged there was much suffering also on the shores of the Mediterranean, on which account many of Finda's people, Krekalanders, and people from Lyda's land, came to us. On the other hand, many of our people went to Lyda's land. The result of all this was that the Krekalanders far and wide were lost to the superintendence of the mother. Teunis had reckoned on this, and had therefore wished to find there a good haven from which he might go and serve under the rich princes; but as his fleet and his people had such a shattered appearance, the inhabitants on the coasts thought that they were pirates, and drove them away. At last they arrived at the Phœnician coast, one hundred and ninety-three years after Atland was submerged. Near the coast they found an island with two deep bays, so that there appeared to be three islands. In the middle one they established themselves, and afterwards built a city wall round the place. Then they wanted to give it a name, but disagreed about it. Some wanted to call it Fryasburgt, others Neeftunia; but the Magyars and Finns begged that it might be called Thyrhisburgt.

Thyr was the name of one of their idols, and it was upon his feast-day that they had landed there; and in return they offered to recognise Teunis as their perpetual king. Teunis let himself be persuaded, and the others would not make any quarrel about it. When they were well established, they sent some old seamen and Magyars on an expedition as far as the town of Sidon; but at first the inhabitants of the coast would have nothing to do with them, saying, You are only foreign adventurers whom we do not respect. But when we sold them some of our iron weapons, everything went well. They also wished to buy our amber, and their inquiries about it were incessant. But Teunis, who was far-seeing, pretended that he had no more iron weapons or amber. Then merchants came and begged him to let them have twenty vessels, which they would freight with the finest goods, and they would provide as many people to row as he would require.

Thit ella stet navt allêna vpper Waraburch men ok to thêre burch Stavia, thêr is lidsen aftere have fon Stavre.

Tha Tünis mith sinum skêpum to honk kêra wilde, gvng i thet forma vppa Dânnemarka of, men hi ne macht thêr navt ne landa, thæt hêde thju Moder bisjowath. Ak et Flyland ne macht-er navt ne landa ænd forth nærne. Hi skold alsa mith sinum ljvdum fon lek ænd brek omkomth hæve, thêr vmbe gyngon hịa thes nachtis tha landa birâwa ænd fâra bi dêi. Alsa alinga thêre kâd forth farande kêmon hja to thêre folkplanting Kâdik, althus hêten vmbe that hjara have thrych êne stênene kâdik formath was. Hir selladon hja allerhanne liftochta, men Tutja thju burchfâm nilde navt dâja that hja-ra selva nither setta. Thâ hja rêd wêron krêjon hja twist. Tünis wilde thrych thju strête fon tha middelsê vmbe to fârane fâr tha rika kæning fon Egiptalandum, lik hi wel êr dên hêde, men Inka sêide, that i sin nocht hêde fon al et Findas folk. Inka mênde that er byskin wel en hach dêl fon Atland by wysa fon êland vrbilêwen skolde wêsa, thêr hi mith tha ljydum frêthoch lêva machte. As tha bêda nêva-t-althus navt ênes wrde koste, gvng Tünis to ænd stek en râde fône in t strând, ænd Inka êne blawe. Thêr æfter macht jahwêder kjasa, hwam ek folgja wilde, ænd wonder, by Inka thêr en gryns hêde vmbe tha kæningar fon Findas folk to thjanja, hlipon tha måsta Finna ænd Mågjara ovir. As hja nw thæt folk tellath ænd tha skêpa thêr nêi dêlath hêde, tha skêdon tha flâta fon ekkorum; fon nêf Tünis is æfternêi tâl kêmen, fon nêf Inka ninmer.

Nêf Tünis for allinggen thêre kâd al thrych thju porte thêre middelsê. Tha Atland synken is, was-t-inna middelsê ra owera âk ærg to gyngen. Thêrthrych wêron thêr fêlo mænniska fon t Findas land nêi vsa hêinde ænd fêre Krêkalanda kvmen ænd âk fêlo fon Lyda-his land. Thêr æjn wêron âk fêlo fon vs folk nêi Lydas land gvngon. Thæt ella hêde wrocht, that tha hèinde ænd fère Krêkalanda far thæt weld hère Moder vrlêren was. Thêr hêde Tünis vp rêkned. Thêrvmbe wilde hi thêr en gode hâve kjasa ænd fon thêr ut fara rikka forsta fâra, men thrychdam sine flâte ænd sin folk sa wanhâven utsagon, mêndon tha Kâdhêmer that hja râwera wêron, ænd thêrvmbe wrdon hja vral wêrath. Tha to tha lesta kêmon hja an to Phonisivs kâd, that wêre 100 ænd 93 jêr nêi âtland synken is. Nêi bi thêre kâd fyndon hja en êland mith twam diapa slinka, alsa-t as thrju êlanda utsach. Vppet midloste thêra staldon hja hjara skula vp, æfternêi bywadon hja thêr en burchwal om to. As hja thêran nw en nôme jêva wilde, wrdon hja vnênes, svme wildet Fryasburch hêta, ôra Nêf tünia, men tha Mâgjara ænd tha Finna bâdon thæt skolde Thyrhisburch hête. Thyr alsa hêton hja ên hjarar drochtena ænd vppe tham-is jêrdêi wêron hja thêr land, to wither-jeld wildon hja Tünis êvg as hjara kæning bikænne. Tünis lêt im bilêsa ænd tha ôra nildon thêrvr nên ôrloch ne hâ. Thâ hia nw god såton, thå sandon hja svme alde stjvrar ænd mågjara ana wål ænd forthnêi thêre burch Sydon, mèn that forma nildon tha Kâdhêmar nawet fon-ra nêta. Thy bist fêrhêmanda swærvar sêidon hja, thêr wi navt hachta ne müge. Tha thâ wi hjam fon vsa ysera wêpne vrsella wilde, gvng to lersta ella god. âk wêron hja sêr ny nêi vsa bærnstênum ænd thæt frêja thêr nêi nam nên ende. Men Tünis thêr færsjande wêre, bærde that er nên ysere wêpne ner bærnstêne mâr hêde. Thâ kêmon tha kâpljvd ænd bâdon hi skolde twintich skêpa jêva, thêr hja alle mith a finneste wêrum tho hrêda wilde, ænd hia wildon him alsa fêlo livda to rojar jêva as er jêrde. Twê-lif skêpa lêt-i-to hrêda mith win hvning ænd tomâkad lêther, thêr bi wêron tæmar ænd sitlun mith gold wrtêin sa mæn hja ninmer nêde sjan. Mith al

Twelve ships were then laden with wine, honey, tanned leather, and saddles and bridles mounted in gold, such as had never been seen before. Teunis sailed to the Flymeer with all this treasure, which so enchanted the Grevetman of Westflyland that he induced Teunis to build a warehouse at the mouth of the Flymeer. Afterwards this place was called Almanaland, and the market where they traded at Wyringen was called Toelaatmarkt. The mother advised that they should sell everything except iron weapons, but no attention was paid to what she said. As the Thyriers had thus free play, they came from far and near to take away our goods, to the loss of our seafaring people. Therefore it was resolved in a general assembly to allow only seven Thyrian ships and no more in a year.

- \* Kâdik is Cadiz.
- \* 2193-193 is 2000 years before Christ.
- † Thyrhisburch is Tyre.
- ‡ Thyr is the son of Odin.
- \* Almanaland is Ameland.
- † Wyringâ is Wieringen.

25. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### WHAT THE CONSEQUENCE OF THIS WAS

In the northernmost part of the Mediterranean there lies an island close to the coast. They now came and asked to buy that, on which a general council was held.

The mother's advice was asked, and she wished to see them at some distance, so she saw no harm in it: but as we afterwards saw what a mistake we had made, we called the island Missellia (Marseilles). Hereafter will be seen what reason we had. The Golen, as the missionary priests of Sidon were called, had observed that the land there was thinly peopled, and was far from the mother. In order to make a favourable impression, they had themselves called in our language followers of the truth; but they had better have been called abstainers from the truth, or, in short, "Triuwenden," as our seafaring people afterwards called them. When they were well established, their merchants exchanged their beautiful copper weapons and all sorts of jewels for our iron weapons and hides of wild beasts, which were abundant in our southern countries; but the Golen celebrated all sorts of vile and monstrous festivals, which the inhabitants of the coast promoted with their wanton women and sweet poisonous wine. If any of our people had so conducted himself that his life was in danger, the Golen afforded him a refuge, and sent him to Phonisia, that is, Palmland. When he was settled there, they made him write to his family, friends, and connections that the country was so good and the people so happy that no one could form any idea of it. In Britain there were plenty of men, but few women. When the Golen knew this, they carried off girls everywhere and gave them to the Britons for nothing. So all these girls served their purpose to steal children from Wr-alda in order to give them to false gods.

- ‡ Missellja is Marseilles.
- § Gola are the Galli or Gauls.

26. (manuscript ) (contents )

# NOW WE WILL WRITE ABOUT THE WAR BETWEEN THE BURGTMAAGDEN KALTA AND MIN-ERV4

And how we thereby lost all our southern lands and Britain to the Golen.

Near the southern mouth of the Rhine and the Scheldt there are seven islands, named after Frya's seven virgins of the week. In the middle of one island is the city of Walhallagara (Middelburg), and on the walls of this city the following history is inscribed. Above it are the words "Read, learn, and watch."

Five hundred and sixty-three years after the submersion of Atland—that is, 1600 years before Christ—a wise town priestess presided here, whose name was Min-erva—called by the sailors Nyhellenia. This name was well chosen, for her counsels were new and clear above all others.

On the other side of the Scheldt, at Flyburgt, Sijrhed presided. This maiden was full of tricks. Her face was beautiful, and her tongue was

Hwat thêr of wrden is.

Inner northlikste herne fon tha Middelsê, thêr lêid en êland by thêre kâd.

Nw kêmon hja thæt a kâp to frêjande. Thêrvr wærth ene mêna acht bilêid.

Moder-is rêd wærth wnnen, men Moder sach ra lyast fêr of. Thêrvmbe

mênde hju that er nên kwâ an stek, thach as wi æfternêi sâgon ho wi

misdên hêde hævon wi thæt êland Missellja hêten. Hiræfter skil blika ho wi

thêr to rêde hêde. Tha Gola, alsa heton tha sændalinga prestera Sydon-is.

Tha Gola hêdon wel sjan thet et land thêr skares bifolkad was ænd fêr fon

thêre Moder wêre. Vmb ira selva nw en gode skin to jêvane, lêton hja ra

selva in vsa tâl ana trowe wydena hêta, men that wêre bêtre wêst, as hja ra

selva fon thêre trowe wendena nômath hêde, jefta kirt wei trjuwendne lik

vsa stjurar lêter dên hæve. Thâ hja wel sêton wêron, tha wandeldon hjara

kâpljuda skêne kâpre wêpne ænd allerlêja syrhêdon to fara vsa ysere

wêpne ænd wilde djara huda, wêrfon in vsa suder landa fêlo to bikvma wêron. Men tha Gola fyradon allerhâna wla drochtenlika fêrsta ând to

tyadon tha kadhêmar thèra thrvch todvan hjarar horiga manghêrtne ænd tha swêt hèd fon hjara fininnige win. Was thèr hwa fon vs folk thèret alsa

ærg vrbrud hêde, that sin lif in frêse kêm, than lênadon tha gola him hul

ænd foradon him nêi Phonisia, that is palmland. Was hi thêr sêten, thæn

most-i an sina sibba ænd ætha skriwa, that-et land så god wêre ånd tha

mænniska så luklik, as ninmæn hin selva mocht forbylde. A Brittannja

wêron rju fêlo manna, tha lith wiva, thâ tha Gola that wiston, lêton hja

alwêis manghêrtne skâka ænd thessa javon hja tha Britne vmb nawet.

Thach al thissa manghêrtne weron hjara thjansterum, thêr tha bern fon

Wrâlda stolon vmb ar an hjara falske drochtne to jêvane.

thi skæt fyl Tünis thæt Flymar binna. Thi grêvaman fon Westflyland

wærth thrych al thessa thinga bigâstered, hi wrochte that Tünis bi thêre

mvde fon t Flymar en loge bvwa måchte, æfternêi is thju stêd Almanaland heten ænd tha mark thêr hja æfternei to Wyringgå vp wandelja machton

tolêtmark. Thju Moder rêde that wi ra ella vrkâpja skolde buta ysere

wêpne, men mæn ne melde hja navt. Tha tha Tyrjar thus fry spel hêdon,

kêmon hja âlan wither to farand vsa wêron sâ hêinde as fêre vsa ajn

sêkæmpar to skâdne. Thêræfter is bisloten vpper mêna acht, jêrlikes

sjvgun Thyrjar skêpa to to lêtane ænd navt mar.

Nw willath wi skriwa vr tha orloch thêra burchfamna Kalta and Min-erva

And ho wi thêr thrych al vsa sûderlanda ænd Brittanja anda Gola vrlêren

Bi thère Sûder-rên-mvda ænd thère Skelda, thèr send sjvgun ælanda, nômath nêi Fryas sjvgum wâkfâmkes there wêk. Middel vppet êne æland is thju burch Walhallagâra, inut tha wâgrum thèra is thju folgjande skêdnesse wrîten. Thèr byppa stêt: lês, lêr ænd wâk.

563 jêr nêi âldland svnken is, sat hir en wise burch fâm, Min-erva was hira nôma. Thrvch tha stjurar Nyhellênja tonômath. This tonôma was god kêren, hwand tha rêd, thêr hju lênade, was ny ænd hel bvppa alle

Overa Skelda et thêre Flyburch sat Syrhêd. Thjus fâm was fvl renka, skên was r-anhlith ænd kwik was hira tvnge, men thi rêd thêr hju jef, was immer in thjustere worde. Thêr vmbe warth hju thrvch tha stjurar Kælta

nimble; but the advice that she gave was always conveyed in mysterious terms. Therefore the mariners called her Kalta, and the landsmen thought it was a title. In the last will of the dead mother, Rosamond was named first. Min-erva second, and Siirhed third in succession. Min-erva did not mind that, but Sijrhed was very much offended. Like a foreign princess, she wished to be honoured, feared, and worshipped; but Min-erva only desired to be loved. At last all the sailors, even from Denmark and Flymeer, did homage to her. This hurt Sijrhed, because she wanted to excel Min-erva. In order to give an impression of her great watchfulness, she had a cock put on her banner. So then Min erva went and put a sheepdog and an owl on her banner. The dog, she said, guards his master and his flock, and the owl watches that the mice shall not devastate the fields; but the cock in his lewdness and his pride is only fit to murder his nearest relations. When Kalta found that her scheme had failed she was still more vexed, so she secretly sent for the Magyars to teach her conjuring. When she had had enough of this she threw herself into the hands of the Gauls; but all her malpractices did not improve her position. When she saw that the sailors kept more and more aloof from her, she tried to win them back by fear. At the full moon, when the sea was stormy, she ran over the wild waves, calling to the sailors that they would all be lost if they did not worship her. Then she blinded their eyes, so that they mistook land for water and water for land, and in this way many a good ship was totally lost. At the first war-feast, when all her countrymen were armed, she brought casks of beer, which she had drugged. When they were all drunk she mounted her war-horse, leaning her head upon her spear. Sunrise could not be more beautiful. When she saw that the eyes of all were fixed upon her, she opened her lips and said:-

Sons and daughters of Frya, you know that in these last times we have suffered much loss and misery because the sailors no longer come to buy our paper, but you do not know what the reason of it is. I have long kept silence about it, but can do so no longer. Listen, then, my friends, that you may know on which side to show your teeth. On the other side of the Scheldt, where from time to time there come ships from all parts, they make now paper from pumpkin leaves, by which they save flax and outdo us. Now, as the making of paper was always our principal industry, the mother willed that people should learn it from us; but Min-erva has bewitched all the people—yes, bewitched, my friends—as well as all our cattle that died lately. I must come out with it. If I were not Burgtmaagd, I should know what to do. I should burn the witch in her nest.

As soon as she had uttered these words she sped away to her citadel; but the drunken people were so excited that they did not stop to weigh what they had heard. In mad haste they hurried over the Sandfal, and as night came on they burst into the citadel. However, Kalta again missed her aim; for Min-erva, her maidens, and her lamp were all saved by the alertness of

- \* Walhallagara is Middelburg, in Walcheren.
- † 2193-583 is 1630 years before Christ.
- \* Mykis a word still used in Walcheren.

hêten, tha landsâta mênadon that et en êrnôma wêra. Inna ûtroste wille thêre vrsturvene Moder stand Rôsa-mvda thef forma, Min-erva thet twêde ænd Syrhêd thet thredde as folgstere biskreven. Minerva nêde thêr nên wit fon, men Syrhêd was er thrych knaked. Lik en wrlandeske forstinne wilde hju êrath frêsath ænd bêden wêsa, men Min-erva wilde enkel minth wêsa. To tha lesta kêmon alle stjurar hiri hjara held bjada, selva fon tha Denamarka ænd fon t Flymar. That vvnde Syrhêd, hwand hju wilde bvppa Min-erva utminthja. Til thju mæn en grôte thænk ovir hira wâkendum hæva skolde, myk hju ennen hôna vpper fâne. Thâ gvng Min erva to ænd myk en hærder hvnd ænd en nachtul in vppira fåne. Thene hvnd séide hju wâkt ovir sin hêr ænd ovira kidda ænd thene nachtul wâkt ovira fielda til thju hja thrvch tha musa navt vrdên ne wrde. Men thene hôna neth far nimman friundskip, ænd thrych sin yntocht ænd hâchfârenhêd is er vaken thene bâna sinra nêista sibba wrden. As Kalta sach that er wærk falikant ut kêm, to gyng hju fon kwad to ærger. Stolkes lêt hju Mâgjara to hiri kyma vmbe tâwery to lârane. As hju thêr hira nocht fon hêde, werpte hju hira selva anda ærma thêra Golum, thach fon al thi misdêdon ne macht hju navt bêtre ne wrde. As hju sach that tha stjurar mâr ænd mâr fon iri wêke, tha wilde bju ra thrych frêse winna. Was tha mône fyl ænd thene sê vnsturnich, than hlip hju over et wilde hef, tha stjurar to hropande that hja alle skolde vrgån, sahwersa hja hiri navt anbidda nilde. Forth vrblinde hju hira âgun hwêr thrych hia wêter fori land ænd land fori wêter hildon. thêrthrych is mâni skip vrgyngen mith mæn ænd mus. Vppet forma wêrfêrste tha al hira landsâta wêpned wêron. lêt hiu bærga biar skænka, in thæt bjar hêde hju tâverdrank dên. As et folk nv algâdur drunken wêre, gyng hju byppen vp hira stridhros standa, to lênande mith hira hole tojenst hira spêri, môrnerâd ne kv navt skêner. Tha hja sach that alle ôgon vpper fæstigath wêron êpende hju hira wêra ænd kêth, svnum ænd thogatrum Fryas, i wêt wel that wi inna lerste tyd fûl lek ænd brek lêden hæve, thrychdam tha stjurar navt lônger kyme ymb ys skriffilt to yrsella, men i nête navt hwêrthrych et kymen is. Lông hæv ik my thêr yr inhalden, thach ny kæn-k-e tnavt lônger ôn. Hark then frjunda til thju i wêta müge hwêrnêi i bita mêi. Anda ôra syde thêre Skelda hwêr hja tomet tha fêrt fon alle sêa hæve, thêr mâkath hja hjvd dêgon skriffilt fon pompa blêdar, thêr mith sparath hja linnent ut ænd 'kænnath hja vs wel miste. Nêidam thæt skriffilt måkja nv alti vs gråteste bydriv wêst is, så heth thju Moder wilt that mæn et vs lêra skolde. Men Minerva heth al et folk bihexnath, jes bihexnath frjunda, ivin as al vs fja thæt læsten sturven is. Er-ut mot-et, ik wil thi tella, nas-k nên burchfâm ik skold et wel wêta, ik skolde thju hex in hjara nest vrbarne. Thâ hju thi lerste worda ut hêde, spode hju hira selva nëi hira burch tha, men thæt vrdrvnken folk was althus dênera bigâstered, that et vr sin rêde navt mocht to wâkane. In dvldryste iver gyngon hja overa Sand fal ænd nêidam nacht midlerwil del strêk gyngon hja evin drist ypper burch lôs, Thach Kælta miste al hwither hira dol, hwand Minerva ænd hira fâmna ænd tha foddik wrdon alle thrvch tha ræppa stjurar hreth.

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#### WE NOW COME TO THE HISTORY OF ION

Jon, Jôn, Jhon, Jan, are all the same name, though the pronunciation varies, as the seamen like to shorten everything to be able to make it easier to call. Jon-that is, "Given"-was a sea-king, born at Alberga, who sailed from the Flymeer with a fleet of 127 ships fitted out for a long voyage, and laden with amber, tin, copper, cloth, linen, felt, otter-skins, beaver and rabbit skins. He would also have taken paper from here, but when he saw how Kalta had destroyed the citadel he became so angry that he went off with all his people to Flyburgt, and out of revenge set fire to it. His admiral and some of his people saved the lamp and the maidens, but they could not catch Sijrhed (or Kalta). She climbed up on the furthest battlement, and they thought she must be killed in the flames; but what happened? While all her people stood transfixed with horror, she appeared upon her steed more beautiful than ever, calling to them, "To Kalta!" Then the other Schelda people poured out towards her. When the seamen saw that, they shouted, "We are for Min-erva!" from which arose a war in which thousands were killed.

At this time Rosamond the mother, who had done all in her power by gentle means to preserve peace, when she saw how bad it was, made short

Hirby kvmth tha skêdnesse fon Jon.

Jon, Jôn, Jhon ænd Jân is al ên mith jêven, thach thet lêit anda utsprêk thêra stjurar, thêr thrych wenhêd ellas bikirta ymbit fâra ænd hard hropa to mvgane. Jon thæt is jêva was sêkêning, bern to-t-Aldergâ, to-t Flymar ut fåren mith 100 ænd 27 skêpum, tohrêth får en grôte butarêis, rik to lêden mith bærnstên, tin, kâper, yser, lêken, linnent, filt, fâmna filt fon otter, bêver ænd kanina hêr. Nw skold er fon hir jeta skriffilt mith nimma; tha to Ion hir kêm ænd sach ho Kælta vsa rom rika burch vrdên hêde, thâ wærther så uter mête heftich, that er mith al sinum ljudum vpper Flyburch of gvng ænd thêr to witterjeld thene râda hône an stek. Men thrych sin skelta bi nacht ænd svme sinra ljudum wærth thju foddik ænd tha fæmna hret. Tach Syrhêd jefta Kælta ne mochton hja navt to fâtane, hju klywde vppa utroste tinne, jahweder tochte that hju inna logha omkvma moste, thâ hwat bêrde? Dahwile al hira ljuda stæk ænd stif fon skrik standon, kêm hju skêner as â-to fora vp hira klêppar to hropande nêi Kælta min-âis Thâ strâmada thæt ora Skelde folk to hâpa. As tha stjurar that sâgon hripon hja får Minerva wy. En orloch is therut kymen, hwerthrych thysande fallen send.

Under thesse tidon was Rôsamond thæt is Rôsa mvda Moder, hju hêde fûl

work of it. Immediately she sent messengers throughout all the districts to call a general levy, which brought together all the defenders of the country. The landsmen who were fighting were all caught, but Jon with his seamen took refuge on board his fleet, taking with him the two lamps, as well as Minerva and the maidens of both the citadels. Helprik, the chief, summoned him to appear; but while all the soldiers were on the other side of the Scheldt, Jon sailed back to the Flymeer, and then straight to our islands. His fighting men and many of our people took women and children on board, and when Jon saw that he and his people would be punished for their misdeeds, he secretly took his departure. He did well, for all our islanders, and the other Scheldt people who had been fighting were transported to Britain. This step was a mistake, for now came the beginning of the end. Kalta, who, people said, could go as easily on the water as on the land, went to the mainland and on to Missellia (Marseilles). Then came the Gauls out of the Mediterranean Sea with their ships to Cadiz, and along all our coasts, and fell upon Britain; but they could not make any good footing there, because the government was powerful and the exiles were still Frisians. But now came Kalta and said: You were born free, and for small offences have been sent away, not for your own improvement, but to get tin by your labour. If you wish to be free again, and take my advice, and live under my care, come away. I will provide you with arms, and will watch over you. The news flew through the land like lightning, and before the carrier's wheel had made one revolution she was mistress of all the Thyriers in all our southern states as far as the Seine. She built herself a citadel on the high land to the north, and called it Kaltasburgh. It still exists under the name of Kêrenak. From this castle she ruled as a true mother, against their will, not for her followers, but over them, who were thenceforth called Kelts. The Gauls gradually obtained dominion over the whole of Britain, partly because they no longer had any citadel; secondly, because they had there no Burgtmaagden; and thirdly, because they had no real lamps. From all these causes the people could not learn anything. They were stupid and foolish, and having allowed the Gauls to rob them of their arms, they were led about like a bull with a ring in his nose.

- \* Kâlta Min-his, Minnesdaughter.
- \* Sêjene is the Seine.
- † Kâltana are the Celts.

in thêre minne dên vmbe frètho to wârja, tach nw-t alsa ærg kêm, myk hju kirte mête. Bistonda sand hju bodun thrvch tha land pâla ænd lêt en mêna nêdban utkètha, thâ kêmon thâ landwêrar ut alle wrda wêi. Thæt strydande land folk wærth al fat, men Jon burch hin selva mith sin ljud vppa sina flâte, mith nimand bêda tha foddika, byonka Minerva ænd tha fâmna fon bêdar burchum. Helprik thene hêrman lêt-im in banna, men tha hwila alle wêrar jeta o-ra Skelda wêron for Jon to bek nêi-t Flymar ænd forth wither nêi vsa ælandum. Sin ljud ænd fêlo fon vs folk namon wif ænd bern skêp, ænd as Jon nw sach that mæn hin ænd sin ljud lik misdêdar strafja wilde, brudon hi stolkes hinne. Hi dêde rjucht, hwand al vsa landar ænd allet ora Skelda folk thêr fjuchten hêdon wrdon nêi Brittanja brocht. Thius stap was mis dên, hwand nv kêm t-anfang fon thæt ende:

Kælta thêr nêi-t segse êven blyd vppet wêter as vppet land hlâpa machte, gvng nêi tha fæsta wal, ænd forth vppa Missellja of. Thâ kêmon tha Gola mith hjara skepum ut a Middelsê Kâdik bifâra ænd êl vs uter land, forth fylon hja vp ænd over Brittannja thach hja ne mochton thêr nên fæsta fot ne krêja, vmbe thæt tha sjvrda weldich ænd tha bannalinga jeta fryas wêron. Men nw kêm Kælta ænd kêth, thv bist fry bern ænd vmbe litha lêka heth mæn thi to vrwurpene mâkad, navt vmbe thi to bêterja, men vmbe tin to winnande thrvch thina handa. Wilst wêr fry wêsa ænd vnder mina rêd ænd hoda lêva, tjæn ut then, wêpne skilun thi wrda, ænd ik skil wâka o er thi. Lik blixen fjur gvng et o era ælanda, ænd êr thes Kroders jol ênis omhlâpen hêde, was hju mâsterinne over al gadur ænd tha Thyrjar fon al vsa suder stâta til thêre Sêiene. Vmbe that Kælta hira selva navt to fül bitrowada, lêt hju in et northlika berchland êne burch bywa Kælta-s burch wærth hju hêten, hju is jet anwêsa, men nv hêt hja Kêren-æk. Fon thjus burch welde hju lik en efte moder, navt to wille får men over hira folgar ænd tham hjara selva forth Kæltana hêton. Men tha Gola weldon by grâdon over êl Brittanja, thæt kêm ênis dêlis that hju nên mâr burga nêde, twyas that hju thêr nên burchfâmna nêde ænd thryas thrychdam hju nên efte foddik navt nêde. Thrych al thessa êrsêka kyn hira folk navt ni lêra. thæt wrde dvm ænd dor ænd wrde endelik thrych tha Gola fon al hira vsera wêpne birâwath ænd to thæt lesta lik en buhl by thêre nôse omme

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#### NOW WE SHALL WRITE HOW IT FARED WITH JON IT IS INSCRIBED AT TEXLAND.

Ten years after Jon went away, there arrived three ships in the Flymeer; the people cried Huzza! (What a blessing!) and from their accounts the mother had this written.

When Jon reached the Mediterranean Sea, the reports of the Gauls had preceded him, so that on the nearest Italian coast he was nowhere safe. Therefore he went with his fleet straight over to Lybia. There the black men wanted to catch them and eat them. At last they came to Tyre, but Min-erva said, Keep clear, for here the air has been long poisoned by the priests. The king was a descendant of Teunis, as we were afterwards informed; but as the priests wished to have a king, who, according to their ideas, was of long descent, they deified Teunis, to the vexation of his followers. After they had passed Tyre, the Tyrians seized one of the rearmost ships, and as the ship was too far behind us, we could not take it back again; but Jon swore to be revenged for it. When night came, Jon bent his course towards the distant Krekalanden. At last they arrived at a country that looked very barren, but they found a harbour there. Here, said Min-erva, we need not perhaps have any fear of princes or priests, as they always look out for rich fat lands. When they entered the harbour, there was not room for all the ships, and yet most of the people were too cowardly to go any further. Then Jon, who wished to get away, went with his spear and banner, calling to the young people, to know who would volunteer to share his adventures. Min-erva did the same thing, but she wished to remain there. The greater part stopped with Min-erva, but the young sailors went with Jon. Jon took the lamp of Kalta and her maidens with him. Min-erva retained her lamp and her own maidens.

Between the near and the distant coasts of Italy Jon found some islands, which he thought desirable. Upon the largest he built a city in the wood between the mountains. From the smaller islands he made expeditions for

Ny willath wi skriva ho-t Jon vrgvngen is, thit stêt to Texland skrêven.

10 jêr æfter Jon wêi brit was, kêmon hyr thrju skêpa in t Flymar falla, thæt folk hrip ho-n-sêjen, fon hira tælinga heth thju Moder thit skrywa lêten. Thâ Jon antha Middelsê kêm was then mâra thêra Gola hin vral fâr ut gvngen, alsa hi an thêri kâd fon tha hêinda Krêkalanda nærne fêlich nêre. Hi stêk thus mith sinum flâte nêi Lydia, thæt is Lyda his lând, thêr wildon tha swarta mænniska fåta hjam ænd êta. To tha lesta kêmon hja et Thyrhis, men Minerva sêide hald of, hwand hir is thju loft ôlangne vrpest thrych tha prestera. Thi kæning was fon Tünis ofstamed, så wi lêter hêrdon, men til thju tha prestera en kæning wilde hæve thêr alderlangne nêi hjara bigrip wêre, alsa hêde hja Tünis to en gode up hêjad, to ærgnisse sinra folgar. As hja nv Thyr æfter bek wêre, kêmon, tha Thyriar en skip uta æfte hoda râwa, nêidam thæt skip to fêr was, kvndon wi-t navt wither wina, men Jon swor wrêka thêrvr. Tha nacht kêm kêrde Jon nêi tha fêre Krêkalandum, to lesten kêmon hja by en land thæt bjustre skryl ut sa, men hja fondon thêr en havesmvda. Hir sêide Minerva skil by skin nên frêse to fara forstum nach presterum nêdich wêsa, nêidam hja algadur feta etta minna, thach thâ hja inner have hlipon fonth mæn hja navt rum noch vmbe alle skêpa to bislûta, ænd thach wêron mêst alle to læf ymbe wider to gane. Alsa gyng Jon thêr forth wilde mith sin spêr ænd fône thæt jongk folk to hropande, hwa willinglik bi-m skâra wilde. Minerva thêr biliwa wilde dêde alsa. Thæt grâteste dêl gvng nêi Minerva, men tha jonggoste stjurar gvngon by Jon. Jon nam thêre foddik fon Kælta ænd hira famna mitha, ænd Minerva hild hira ajn foddik ænd hira ajn famna.

Bitwiska tha fêrum ænd heinda Krêkalandum fand Jon svma êlanda thêr im likte, vppet grâteste gyng-er inna tha walda twisk thæt berchta en burch bywa. Fon uta litha êlanda gyng-er ut wrêka tha Thyrjar skêpa ænd landa birâwa, thêrymbe send tha êlanda evin blyd Râwer êlanda, as Jonhis êlanda hêten.

Tha Minerva thæt land bisjan hêde, thæt thrvch tha inhêmar Attika is

vengeance on the Tyrians, and plundered their ships and their lands. Therefore these islands were called Insulæ Piratarum, as well as Johannis Insulæ.

When Minerva had examined the country which is called by the inhabitants Attica, she saw that the people were all goatherds, and that they lived on meat, wild roots, herbs, and honey. They were clothed in skins, and had their dwellings on the slopes (hellinga) of the hills, wherefore they were called Hellingers. At first they ran away, but when they found that we did not attack them, they came back and showed great friendship. Min-erva asked if we might settle there peaceably. This was agreed to on the condition that we should help them to fight against their neighbours, who came continually to carry away their children and to rob their dwellings. Then we built a citadel at an hour's distance from the harbour. By the advice of Min-erva it was called Athens, because, she said, those who come after us ought to know that we are not here by cunning or violence, but were received as friends (âtha). While we were building the citadel the principal personages came to see us, and when they saw that we had no slaves it did not please them, and they gave her to understand it, as they thought that she was a princess. But Min-erva said, How did you get your slaves? They answered, We bought some and took others in war. Min-erva replied, If nobody would buy slaves they would not steal your children, and you would have no wars about it. If you wish to remain our allies, you will free your slaves. The chiefs did not like this, and wanted to drive us away; but the most enlightened of the people came and helped us to build our citadel, which was built of stone.

This is the history of Jon and of Min-erva.

When they had finished their story they asked respectfully for iron weapons; for, said they, our foes are powerful, but if we have good arms we can withstand them. When this had been agreed to, the people asked if Frya's customs would flourish in Athens and in other parts of Greece (Krekalanden). The mother answered, If the distant Greeks belong to the direct descent of Frya, then they will flourish; but if they do not descend from Frya, then there will be a long contention about it, because the carrier must make five thousand revolutions of his Juul before Finda's people will be ripe for liberty.

\* Jonhis êlanda—John's Islands, or the Pirates' Isles.

† Athenia is Athens.

hêten, sach hju that thæt folk al jêita hoder wêron, hja hildon hjara lif mith flesk, krûdum, wilde wotelum ænd hvning. Hja wêron mith felum tekad ænd hju hêdon hjara skula vppa hellinga thêra bergum. Thêrthrych send hia thrych ys folk Hellingar hêten.

Thæt forma gyngon hja vppa run, tha as hja sågon that wi navt ne tåldon nëi hjara skæt, thå kèmon hja tobek ænd lêton gråte åtskip blika. Minerva frêjde jef wi vs in thère minna machte nither setta. That wrde to staden vnder biding that wi skolde helpa hjam with hjara swetsar to stridande, thèr alan kèmon hjara bern to skåkana ænd hjara skåt to råwana. Thå bvwadon wi ène burch arhalf pål fon thèr have. Vppa rèd Minervas wærth hju Athenia heten: hwand sèide hju, tha æfter kvmand agon to wètane, that wi hir navt thrvch lest ner weld kvmen send, men lik åtha vntfongen. Dahwile wi an thère burch wrochton kèmon tha forsta, as hja hja nv sagon that wi nên slavona hède, sind er sok navt, ænd lêton-t an Minerva blika, til thju hja tochton that en forstene wère. Men Minerva frêja, ho bist wel an thina slåvona kvmen? Hja andere, svme hævath wi kåpad, ôra anna strid wnnen. Minerva sèide, såhwersa ninman mænneska kåpja nilda sa ne skolde ninman jvw bern råwa ænd i ne skolda thèrvr nên orloch hæve, wilst thus vsa harlinga biliwa så mot-i thina slåvona fry lêta.

That nv willath tha forsta navt, hja willath vs wêi driwa. Men thâ klokeste hjarar ljuda kvmath helpa vsa burch ta bvmande, thêr wi nv fon stên mâkia.

Thit is thju skêdnesse fon Jon ænd Minerva.

As hja that nw ella tellad hêde, frêjath hja mith êrbjadenesse vm yrsene burchwêpne, hwand sêidon hja vsa lêtha send weldich, tha sa wi efta wâpne hæve, skillon wi ra wel wither worda. As hju thêran to stemad hêde, frêjath tha ljuda jef tha Fryas sêda to Athenia ænd tha ôra Krekalanda bloja skolde, thju Moder andere, jef tha fêre Krêkalanda to tha erva Fryas hêra, alsa skilum hja thêr bloja, ne hêrath hja navt thêr to, alsa skil thêr lang over kæmpad wrda mote, hwand thene kroder skil jeva fifthusand jêr mith sin Jol ommehlâpa, bifara thæt Findas folk rip to fâra frydom sv.

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#### THIS IS ABOUT THE GEERTMEN.

When Hellenia or Min-erva died, the priests pretended to be with us, and in order to make it appear so, they deified Hellenia. They refused to have any other mother chosen, saying that they feared there was no one among her maidens whom they could trust as they had trusted Minerva, surnamed Nyhellenia.

But we would not recognise Min-erva as a goddess, because she herself had told us that no one could be perfectly good except the spirit of Wralda. Therefore we chose Geert Pyre's daughter for our mother. When the priests saw that they could not fry their herrings on our fire (have everything their own way), they left Athens, and said that we refused to acknowledge Min-erva as a goddess out of envy, because she had shown so much affection to the natives. Thereupon they gave the people statues of her, declaring that they might ask of them whatever they liked, as long as they were obedient to her. By these kinds of tales the stupid people were estranged from us, and at last they attacked us; but as we had built our stone city wall with two horns down to the sea, they could not get at us. Then, lo and behold! an Egyptian high priest, bright of eye, clear of brain, and enlightened of mind, whose name was Cecrops, came to give them advice.

When he saw that with his people he could not storm our wall, he sent messengers to Tyre. Thereupon there arrived three hundred ships full of wild mountain soldiers, which sailed unexpectedly into our haven while we were defending the walls. When they had taken our harbour, the wild soldiers wanted to plunder the village and our ships—one had already ravished a girl—but Cecrops would not permit it; and the Tyrian sailors, who still had Frisian blood in their veins, said, If you do that we will burn our ships, and you shall never see your mountains again. Cecrops, who had no inclination towards murder or devastation, sent messengers to Geert, requiring her to give up the citadel, offering her free exit with all

Thit is over tha Gêrtmanna

Thâ Hellênja jefta Minerva sturven was, tha bâradon tha prestera as jef hja mith vs wêron, til thju that hel blika skolde havon hja Hellênia to-ne godene ute kêth. Ak nildon hja nêne ore Moder kjasa lêta, to segande, hja hêde frêse that er emong hira fâmna nimman wêre, thêr hja sa god kvnde trowa as Minerva thêr Nyhellênia tonomt was. Men wi nildon Minerva navt as êne godene navt bikænna, nêidam hja selva seid hêde that nimman god jefta fylkvma wêsa ne kvnde thæn Wr.aldas gâst. Thêrumbe kêron wi Gêrt Pire his toghater to vsa Moder ut.

As tha prestera sagon that hja hjara hering navt vp vsa fjvr brêda ne mochton, thâ gvngon hja buta Athenia ænd sêidon that wi Minerva navt to-ne godene bikæna nilda ut nyd, vmbe that hju tha inhêmar sâ fûl ljafde biwêsen hede. Forth javon hja that folk byldnisse fon hira liknese, tjûgande that hja thêrlan ella frêja machte alsa naka hja hêroch bilewon. Thrvch al thissa tellinga warth thæt dyma folk fon vs ofkêrad ænd to tha lesta fylon hja vs to lif. Men wi hêdon vsa stêne burchwal mith twam hornum om têjen al to tha sê. Hja ne machton vs thervmbe navt nâka. Thach hwat bêrde, an Êgiptalanda thêr wêre en overprester, hel fon âgnum, klâr fon bryn ænd licht fon gâst, sin nâm wêre Sêkrops, hy kêm vmb rêd to jêvane. As Sêkrops sach that er mith sinum ljuda vsa wal navt biranna ne kv, thâ sand hi bodon nêi Thyrhis. Afternêi kêmon er thrja hvndred skipun fyl salt-âtha fon tha wilde berchfolkum vnwarlinga vsa hâva bifâra, dahwila wy mith alle mannum vppa wallum to strydande wêron.

Drêi as hja thju hâva innomth hêde wildon tha wilda saltât-ha thæt thorp ænd vsa skipa birâwa. Ên salt-âthe hêde al en bukja skænd, men Sêkrops wilde thæt navt ne hængja, ænd tha Thyrjar stjurar thêr jeta Fryas blod int lif hêde sêidon, aste that dêiste sâ skilun wi tha râde hône in vsa skypa stêka ænd thv ne skilst thina berga na withera-sja. Sêkrops tham navtne hilde ni fon morthja nor fon hommelja, sand bodon nêi Gêrt vmbir tha

her live and dead property, and her followers the same. The wisest of the citizens, seeing that they could not hold the citadel, advised Geert to accept at once, before Cecrops became furious and changed his mind. Three months afterwards Geert departed with the best of Frya's sons, and seven times twelve ships. Soon after they had left the harbour they fell in with at least thirty ships coming from Tyre with women and children. They were on their way to Athens, but when they heard how things stood there they went with Geert. The sea-king of the Tyrians brought them altogether through the strait which at that time ran into the Red Sea (now re-established as the Suez Canal). At last they landed at the Punjab, called in our language the Five Rivers, because five rivers flow together to the sea. Here they settled, and called it Geertmania. The King of Tyre afterwards, seeing that all his best sailors were gone, sent all his ships with his wild soldiers to catch them, dead or alive. When they arrived at the strait, both the sea and the earth trembled. The land was upheaved so that all the water ran out of the strait, and the muddy shores were raised up like a rampart. This happened on account of the virtues of the Geertmen, as every one can plainly understand.

- \* Here follows the narrative contained in pages from 48 to 56.
- \* Sêkrops is Cecrops.
- \* Strête, at present restored as the Suez Canal. Pangab is the Indus.

bêrande hâva, hira folgar alsa fül. Tha wista thêra burchhêrum êl god sjande thæt hja tha burch navt hâlda ne kvnde, rêden Gêrt hja skolde gaw to bitta, bi fira Sêkrops wodin wrde ænd overs bigynde, thrê mônatha æfter brûde Gêrt hinne mith tha alder besta Fryas bern ænd sjugum wara twilf skypum. Thâ hja en stût buta thêre have wêron kêmon thêr wel thritich skêpun fon Thyrhis mit wif ænd bern. Hja wilde nêi Athênia gâ, tha as hja hêrdon ha-t thêr eskêpen stande gyngon hja mit Gêrt. Thi wêtking thêra Thyrjar brocht algadur thrvch tha strête thêr vnder thisse tida vppa tha râde sê uthlip. Et leste lândon hja et Pangab, that is in vsa sprêke fif wêtervm, vmbe that fif rinstrâma mith hiri nêi tha sê to strâme. Hyr seton hja hjara selva nithar. That lænd hævon hja Gêrtmannja hêton. Thene kêning fon Thyrhis æfternêi sjande that sin alderbesta stjurar wei brit wêren sand al sin skipa mith sina wilde saltâtha vmb-er dâd jefta lêvand to fâtane. Men as hjæ by thêre strête kêm bêvadon bêde sê ænd irtha. Forth hef irtha hira lif thêr vppa, sâ hâg that al et wêter to thêre strête uthlip, ænd that alle wata ænd skorra lik en burchwal to fåra hjam vp rêson. That skêde over tha Gêrtmanna hjara dügda lik as allera mannalik hel ænd klår mêi sia.

burch of to askja, hju macht frya uttochte hâ mith al hira drywande ænd

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IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND AND FIVE AFTER ATLAND WA SUBMERGED, THIS WAS INSCRIBED ON THE EASTERN WALL OF FRYASBURGT

After twelve years had elapsed without our seeing any Italians in Almanland, there came three ships, finer than any that we possessed or had ever seen.

On the largest of them was a king of the Jonischen Islands whose name was Ulysses, the fame of whose wisdom was great. To him a priestess had prophesied that he should become the king of all Italy provided he could obtain a lamp that had been lighted at the lamp in Tex-land. For this purpose he had brought great treasures with him, above all, jewels for women more beautiful than had ever been seen before. They were from Troy, a town that the Greeks had taken. All these treasures he offered to the mother, but the mother would have nothing to do with them. At last, when he found that there was nothing to be got from her, he went to Walhallagara (Walcheren). There there was established a Burgtmaagd whose name was Kaat, but who was commonly called Kalip, because her lower lip stuck out like a mast-head. Here he tarried for years, to the scandal of all that knew it. According to the report of the maidens, he obtained a lamp from her; but it did him no good, because when he got to sea his ship was lost, and he was taken up naked and destitute by another ship. There was left behind by this king a writer of pure Frya's blood, born in the new harbour of Athens, who wrote for us what follows about Athens, from which may be seen how truly the mother Hel-licht spoke when she said that the customs of Frya could never take firm hold in Athens

From the other Greeks you will have heard a great deal of bad about Cecrops, because he was not in good repute; but I dare affirm that be was an enlightened man; very renowned both among the inhabitants and among us, for he was against oppression, unlike the other priests, and was virtuous, and knew how to value the wisdom of distant nations. Knowing that, he permitted us to live according to our own Asegaboek. There was a story current that he was favourable to us because he was the son of a Frisian girl and an Egyptian priest: the reason of this was that he had blue eyes, and that many of our girls had been stolen and sold to Egypt, but he never confirmed this. However it may have been, certain it is that he showed us more friendship than all the other priests together. When he died, his successors soon began to tear up our charters, and gradually to enact so many unsuitable statutes that at long last nothing remained of liberty but the shadow and the name. Besides, they would not allow the laws to be written, so that the knowledge of them was hidden from us. Formerly all the cases in Athens were pleaded in our language, but afterwards in both languages, and at last in the native language only. At first the men of Athens only married women of our own race, but the young men as they grew up with the girls of the country took them to wife. The bastard children of this connection were the handsomest and An tha jêra 1000 and 5 nêi Aldland svnken is, is thit vpp-ina asterwach it Fryas burch writen.

Nèi that wi in twilif jèr tid nèn Krêkalandar to Almanlând sjân hède, kêmon thèr thrju skêpa sa syrlik as wi nên hèdon ænd to fara nimmer nêde sjan. Vppet storoste thêra wêre-n kêning thêra Jhonhis êlandum. Sin nôme wêre Ulysus ænd tha hrop ovir sin wisdom grât. This kêning was thruch êne presteresse forsêid, that er kêning wertha skolde ovir alla Krêkalanda sa-r rèd wiste umbe-n foddik to krêjande, thêr upstêken was anda foddik it Texland. Vmbe-r to fensane hêder fèle skæta mith brocht, boppa ella fâmne syrhêdum, alsa thêr in wralda naut skênener mâkad wrde. Hja kêmon fon Troja en stede tham tha Krêkalandar innimth hêdon. Al thissa skæta bâd hi tha Moder an, men thju Moder nilde nârne fon nêta. As er to lesta sa, that hju naut to winne wêre, gung er nêi Walhallagara.

Thêr was en fâm sêten, hjra nôme wêre Kât, tha inna wandel wrde hju Kalip hêten ut hawede that hjara vnderlip as en utkikbored farutstæk. Thêrby heth er jêron hwilth to ærgenisse fon al tham et wiston. Nêi thêra fâmna hrop heth er to lesta en foddik fon hir krêjen, tha hja heth im navt ne bât, hwand as er in sê kêm is sin skip vrgvngon ænd hy nâked ænd blât vpnimth thrych tha ôthera skêpa.

Fon thisse kêning is hyr en skryver æfterbilêwen fon rên Fryas blod, bærn to thêre nêie have fon Athênia ænd hwat hyr folgath het er vs fon ovir Athênia skrêven, thêrut mêi mæn bisluta, ho wêr thja Moder Hel·licht sproken heth, thâ hja sêide thæt Fryas sêda to Athênia nên stand holde ne kyste.

Fon tha ôthera Krêkalander hetste sêkur fül kwâd ovir Sêkrops hêred, hwand hi wêre in nên gode hrop. Men ik dâr segse, hi wêre-n lichte man, hâchlik romed alsa sêr bi tha inhêmar as wel bi vs, hwand hi wêre navt vmbe tha mænniska to diapana sa tha ôra prestera, men hi wêre dügedsêm ænd hi wist tha wisdom thêra fêrhêmanda folkum nêi wêrde to skætande. Thêrvmbe that er that wiste, hêde-r vs to stonden that wi machte lêva nêi vs ajn êlik Sêgabok. Thêr gvng en telling that er vs nygen were, vmbe that er tjucht wêsa skolde ut en Fryaske mangêrte ænd Êgiptiska prester, uthawede that er blâwe âga hêde, ænd that er fül mangêrta fon vs skâkt wêron ænd in ovir Egiptalande vrsellath. Tha selva heth er nimmerte jecht. Ho-t thêrmêi sy, sêkur is-t that er vs mâra âthskip biwês as alle ôthera prestum to sêmne. Men as er fallen was, gvngon sina nêimanninga alring an vsa êwa torena ænd bi grâdum sa fêlo mislikanda kêra to mâkjande, that er to lônge lesta fon êlik sa ænd fon frydom ha navt ôwers as tha skin ænd tha nôme vrbilêf. Forth nildon hja navt ne dâja that-a setma an skrift brocht wrde, hwerthrych tha witskip thêra far vs forborgen wærth. To fâra wrdon alle sêkum binna Athênia in vsa tâl bithongon, æfternêi most et in bêda tâla skên ænd to lesta allêna in tha landis tal. In tha êrosta jêra nam that manfolk to Athênia enkel wiva fon vs ajn slacht, men that jongkfolk vpwoxen mitha mangêrta thêr landsâton namen thêr âk fon. Tha bâstera bern tham thêrof kemon wêron tha skênsta ænd snodsta in wralda, men hja wêron âk tha ærgsta. To hinkande vr byde syda, to mâlande her vm

cleverest in the world; but they were likewise the wickedest, wavering between the two parties, paying no regard to laws or customs except where they suited their own interests. As long as a ray of Frya's spirit existed, all the building materials were for common use, and no one might build a house larger or better than his neighbours; but when some degenerate townspeople got rich by sea-voyages and by the silver that their slaves got in the silver countries, they went to live out on the hills or in the valleys. There, behind high enclosures of trees or walls, they built palaces with costly furniture, and in order to remain in good odour with the nasty priests, they placed there likenesses of false gods and unchaste statues. Sometimes the dirty priests and princes wished for the boys rather than the girls, and often led them astray from the paths of virtue by rich presents or by force. Because riches were more valued by this lost and degenerate race than virtue or honour, one sometimes saw boys dressed in splendid flowing robes, to the disgrace of their parents and maidens, and to the shame of their own sex. If our simple parents came to a general assembly at Athens and made complaints, a cry was raised, Hear, hear! there is a sea-monster going to speak. Such is Athens become, like a morass in a tropical country full of leeches, toads, and poisonous snakes, in which no man of decent habits can set his foot.

- † 2193-1005 is 1188 before Christ.
- ‡ Walhallagâra is Walcheren.
- \* Kalip, called by Homer Kalipso.

sêda ner vm plêga, hit ne sy that et wêre for hjara ajne held. Alsa nâka thêr jeta-n strêl fon Fryas gâst weldande wêre wærth al et bywspul to mêna werka forwrochten ænd nimmæn ne mocht en hus to bywande, thæt rumer ænd riker wêre as thæt sinra nêstum. Tha thâ syme yrbastere stêdjar rik wêron thrych vs fâra ænd thrych et sulver, thæt tha slâvona uta sulverlôna wnnon, thâ gyngon hịa buta yppa hellinga jefta inda dêla hêma. Thêr beftha hâga wallum fon lôf tha fon stên bywadon hja hova mith kestlik husark, ænd vmbe by tha wla prestrum in en goda hrop to wêsande, stældon hja thêr falska drochten likanda ænd vntuchtiga bilda in. By tha wla prestrum ænd forstum wrdon tha knåpa al tomet måra gêrt as tha toghatera, ænd fåken thrvch rika jefta thrvch weld fon et pad thêre düged ofhlêid. Nêidam rikdom by thæt vrbrûde ænd vrbasterde slachte fêr byppa düged ænd êre jelde, sach mæn altomet knåpa tham hjara selva mit rûma rika klâtar syradon, hjara aldrum ænd fâmna to skônda ænd bjara kvnna to spot. Kêmon vsa ênfalda aldera to Athênia vppe thêre mêna acht ænd wildon hja thêrvr bâra, sâ warth ther hropen, hark, hark, thêr skil en sêmomma kêtha. Alsa is Athênia wrdon êlik en brokland anda hête landa, fol blodsûgar, pogga ænd feniniga snâka, hwêrin nên mænniske fon herde sêdum sin fot navt wâga ne mêi.

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#### THIS IS INSCRIBED IN ALL OUR CITADELS

How our Denmark was lost to us 1602 years after the submersion of Atland. Through the mad wantonness of Wodin, Magy had become master of the east part of Scandinavia. They dare not come over the hills and over the sea. The mother would not prevent it. She said, I see no danger in their weapons, but much in taking the Scandinavians back again, because they are so degenerate and spoilt. The general assembly were of the same opinion. Therefore it was left to him. A good hundred years ago Denmark began to trade; they gave their iron weapons in exchange for gold ornaments, as well as for copper and iron-ore. The mother sent messengers to advise them to have nothing to do with this trade. There was danger to their morals in it, and if they lost their morals they would soon lose their liberty. But the Den-markers paid no attention to her. They did not believe that they could lose their morals, therefore they would not listen to her. At last they were at a loss themselves for weapons and necessaries, and this difficulty was their punishment. Their bodies were brilliantly adorned, but their cupboards and their sheds were empty. Just one hundred years after the first ship with provisions sailed from the coast, poverty and want made their appearance, hunger spread her wings all over the country, dissension marched proudly about the streets and into the houses, charity found no place, and unity departed. The child asked its mother for food; she had no food to give, only jewels. The women applied to their husbands, the husbands appealed to the counts; the counts had nothing to give, or if they had, they hid it away. Now the jewels must be sold, but while the sailors were away for that purpose, the frost came and laid a plank upon the sea and the strait (the Sound) . When the frost had made the bridge, vigilance ceased in the land, and treachery took its place. Instead of watching on the shores, they put their horses in their sledges and drove off to Scandinavia. Then the Scandinavians, who hungered after the land of their forefathers, came to Denmark. One bright night they all came. Now, they said, we have a right to the land of our fathers; and while they were fighting about it, the Finns came to the defenceless villages and ran away with the children. As they had no good weapons, they lost the battle, and with it their freedom, and Magy became master. All this was the consequence of their not reading Frya's Tex, and neglecting her counsels. There are some who think that they were betrayed by the counts, and that the maidens had long suspected it; but if any one attempted to speak about it, his mouth was shut by

We can express no opinion about it, we can only say to you, Do not trust too much to the wisdom of your princes or of your maidens; but if you wish to keep things straight, everybody must watch over his own passions, as well as the general welfare.

Two years afterwards Magy himself came with a fleet of light boats to

#### Thit stat in al vsa burga.

Ho vsa Dênamarka fâra vs vlêren gvngon 1600 ænd 2 jêr nêi Aldland vrgongen is. Thrych Wodins dor ænd dertenhêd was thene Magy bâs wrden ovir Skênlandis astardêl. Wra berga ænd wr-n sê ne tvrade hi navt ne kvma. Thju Moder wildet navt wêrha, hja sprêk ænde kêth, ik sja nên frêse an sina wêpne, men wel vmbe tha Skênlander wêr to nimmande, thrychdam hja bastered ænd yrdêren sind. Vppa mêna acht tochte man alên. Thêrvmbe is t im lêten. Grât 100 jêr lêden byondon tha Dênemarkar to wandelja mith hjam. Hja jêvon him ysere wêpne ænd rêdskip thêr fori wandeldon hja golden syrhêdon bijunka kâper ænd yserirtha. Thju Moder sand bodon ænd rêd er, hja skolde thju wandel fåra lêta. Thêr wêre frêse sêide hju fori hjara sêdum, ænd bitham hja hjara sêde vrlêren, thæn skolde hia âk hiara frydom yrliasa. Men tha Dênemarkar nêde narne âra nei, hia nilda navt bigrippa that hjara sêde vrbrûde kvste, thêrvmbe ne meldon hja hja navt. To lônga lesta brochton hja ajne wêpne ænd liftochta wêi. Men thæt kwåd wrocht hjara gêia. Hjara lichêma wrdon bilåden mêi blik ænd skin, men hjara arka spynton ænd skvra wrdon lêtoch. Krek hondred jêr eftere dêi that et forma skip mit liftochta fona kâd fâren was, kêm ermode ænd lek thrych tha anderna binna, honger sprêda sina wjyka ænd strêk vppet land del, twispalt hlip stolte in overe strêta ænd forth to tha hûsa in, ljafde ne kv nên stek lônger navt finda ænd êntracht run êwêi. Thæt bærn wilde êta fon sina mæm ænd thju mæm hêde wel syrhêdon tha nên êta. Tha wiva kêmon to hjara manna, thissa gvngon nêi tha grêva, tha grêva nêdon selva nawet of hildon-t skul. Nw most mæn tha syrhêdon vrsella, men thawila tha stjurar thêrmêi wêi brit wêron kêm frost ænd lêi-n plônk del vppa sê ænd wra strête. Tha frost thju brigge rêd hêde, stop wâkandon thêrwr to-t land ut ænd vrêd klywade vpper sêtel. In stêde fon tha owera to biwâkande spandon hja hjara horsa for hjara togum ænd runon nêi Skênland thâ. Tha Skênlander, tham nêy wêron nêi that land hjarar êthla kêmon nêi tha Dênemarkum. Vppen helle nacht kêmon hja alla. Nw sêidon hja that hja rjucht hêde vppet land hjarar êthlon ænd thahwil that mæn thêrvr kæmpade kêmon tha Finna in tha lêtoga thorpa ænd runadon mith tha bern ewêi. Thêrtrych ænd that hja nên goda wêpne navt nêdon, dêd hjam tha kæsa vrljasa ænd thêrmêi hjari frydom, hwand thene Magy wrde bâs. That kêm that hja Fryas tex navt lêsde ænd hira rêdjêvinga warlâsed hêde

Ther send svme thêr mêne that hja thrvch tha grêva vrrêden send, that tha fâmna thæt lông spêrath hêdon, tha sa hvam sa thêr vr kêtha wilde, tham is mvla wrdon to smôrath mith golden kêdne. Wi ne mūgan thêrvr nên ordêl to fellande, men wi willath jo tohropa, ne lên navt to sêre vppa wisdom ænd düged ni fon jvwa Forsta, ni fon jowa fâmna, hwand skel et halda sa mot allera mannalik wâka ovir sin ajna tochta ænd for-t mêna held.

Twa jêr nêidam kêm thene Magy selva mith en flâte fon lichte kânum, tha Moder fon Texland ænd tha foddik to râwane.

steal the lamp from the mother of Texland. This wicked deed he accomplished one stormy winter night, while the wind roared and the hail rattled against the windows. The watchman on the tower hearing the noise, lighted his torch. As soon as the light from the tower fell upon the bastion, he saw that already armed men had got over the wall.

He immediately gave the alarm, but it was too late. Before the guard was ready, there were two thousand people battering the gate. The struggle did not last long. As the guard had not kept a good watch, they were overwhelmed. While the fight was going on, a rascally Finn stole into the chamber of the mother, and would have done her violence. She resisted him, and threw him down against the wall. When he got up, be ran his sword through her: If you will not have me, you shall have my sword. A Danish soldier came behind him and clave his bead in two. There came from it a stream of black blood and a wreath of blue flame.

The Magy had the mother nursed on his own ship. As soon as she was well enough to speak clearly, the Magy told her that she must sail with him, but that she should keep her lamp and her maidens, and should hold a station higher than she had ever done before. Moreover, he said that he should ask her, in presence of all his chief men, if he would become the ruler of all the country and people of Frya; that she must declare and affirm this, or be would let her die a painful death. Then, when he had gathered all his chiefs around her bed, he asked, in a loud voice, Frana, since you are a prophetess, shall I become ruler over all the lands and people of Frya? Frana did as if she took no notice of him: but at last she opened her lips, and said: My eyes are dim, but the other light dawns upon my soul. Yes, I see it. Hear, Irtha, and rejoice with me. At the time of the submersion of Atland, the first spoke of the Juul stood at the top. After that it went down, and our freedom with it. When two spokes, or two thousand years, shall have rolled down, the sons shall arise who have been bred of the fornication of the princes and priests with the people, and shall witness against their fathers. They shall all fall by murder, but what they have proclaimed shall endure, and shall bear fruit in the bosoms of able men, like good seed which is laid in thy lap. Yet a thousand years shall the spoke descend, and sink deeper in darkness, and in the blood shed over yon by the wickedness of the princes and priests. After that, the dawn shall begin to glow. When they perceive this, the false princes and priests will strive and wrestle against freedom; but freedom, love, and unity will take the people under their protection, and rise out of the vile pool. The light which at first only glimmered shall gradually become a flame. The blood of the bad shall flow over your surface, but you must not absorb it. At last the poisoned animals shall eat it, and die of it. All the stories that have been written in praise of the princes and priests shall be committed to the flames. Thenceforth your children shall live in peace. When she had finished speaking she sank down.

The Magy, who had not understood her, shrieked out, I have asked you if I should become master of all the lands and people of Frya, and now you have been speaking to another. Frana raised herself up, stared at him, and said, Before seven days have passed your soul shall haunt the tombs with the night-birds, and your body shall be at the bottom of the sea. Very good, said the Magy, swelling with rage; say that I am coming. Then he said to his executioners, Throw this woman overboard. This was the end of the last of the mothers. We do not ask for revenge. Time will provide that; but a thousand thousand times we will call with Frya, Watch!

- \* Dêna marka, the low marches,
- † 2193–1602 is 591 years before Christ.
- \* Refer to p. 4.

HOW IT FARED AFTERWARDS WITH THE MAG

After the murder of the mother, he brought the lamp and the maidens into his own ship, together with all the booty that he chose. Afterwards he went up the Flymeer because he wished to take the maiden of Medeasblik or Stavoren and install her as mother; but there they were on their guard. The seafaring men of Stavoren and Alderga would gladly have gone to Jon, but the great fleet was out on a distant voyage; so they proceeded in their small fleet to Medeasblik, and kept themselves concealed in a sheltered place behind trees. The Magy approached Medeasblik in broad daylight;

nevertheless, his men boldly stormed the citadel. But as they landed from

Thæs ærge sêke bistonder thes nachtis anda winter by storne tydum as wind gûlde ænd hêjel to jenst tha andêrna fêtere. Thi utkik thêr mênde thater awet hêrde stæk sin balle vp. Tha drêi as et ljucht fon êr tore vppet ronddêl falda, sar that al fêlo wêpende manna wra burchwal wêron. Nw gvng-er to vmbe tha klokke to lettane, tha et wêre to lêt. Êr tha wêre rêd wêre, weron al twa thusand ina wêr vmbe tha porte to rammande. Strid hwilde thervmbe kirt, hwand thrvchdam tha wêra navt nên gode wacht halden nêde, kêmon alle om.

Hwil that alrek drok to kæmpane wêre, was thêr en wla Fin to thêre flête jefta bedrum fon thêre Moder inglupth, ând wilde hja nêdgja. Tha thju Moder wêrd-im of that er bekwârd tojênst tha wâch strumpelde. Thâ-r wither vpa bên wêre stek er sin swêrd to ir buk in segsande, nilst min kul navt så skilst min swêrd ha. After im kêm en skiper fona Dênemarka, thisse nam sin swêrd ænd hif thêne Fin thrych sina hole. Thêrut flât swart blod ænd thêrvr swêfde-n blâwe logha. Thi Magy lêt thju Moder vpa sinra skip forplêgja. As hju nw wither alsa fêre hêl ænd bêter wêr that hju fæst sprêka machte, sêide thene Magy that hju mith fâra moste, tha that hju hira foddik ænd fâmna halda skolde, that hju en stât skolde nyta sâ hâch as hju to fara na nêde kenth. Forth sêider thæt hi hiri frêja skolde in ajnwarde fon sinum forsta, jef er måster skolde wertha over alle lånda ænd folkra Fryas. Hi sêide that hju that bijâe ænd bijechta most, owers skolder vnder fêlo wêja sterva lêta. As er thêr after al sinra forsta om ira lêger to gadurad hêde frêjer lûd, Frâna vrmites i klârsjande biste most m.ênis segsa of ik måster skil wertha over alle lånda ænd folkra Fryas. Fråna dêde as melde hja him navt. To lônga lesta êpende hju hira wêra ænde kêth, min âgun wrde thjûstred, tha that ôre ljucht dêgth vp in minara sêle. Jes, ik sja-t. Hark Irtha ænd wês blyde mith my. Vndera tydum that Aldland svnken is, stand thju forma spêke fon thet Jol an top. Thêrnêi is hju del gyngon ænd vsa frydom mith tham. As er twa spêka jeftha 2000 jêr del trûled het, sâ skilun tha svna vpstonda thêr tha forsta ænd prestera thrvch hordom bi-t folk têled hæve, ænd tojenst hjara tâta tjugha. Thi alle skilum thrych mort swika, men hwat hja kêth hæve skil forth bilywa ænd frûchdber wertha in a bosme thêra kloke mænniska, alsa lik gode sêdum thêr del lêid wrde in thinra skât. Jeta thûsand jêr skil thju spêke then del nyga ænd al mâra syga anda thjusternesse ænd in blod, ovir thi utstirt thrych tha lâga thêr forsta ænd prestera. Thêrnêi skil thet mornerâd wither anfanga to glora. Thit sjande skilun tha falska forsta ænd prester alsamen with frydom kæmpa ænd woxelja, men frydom, ljafde ænd êndracht skil-et folk in hjara wach nêma ænd mit thet jol risa uta wla pol. Thæt rjucht thæt erost allêna glorade, skil than fon lêjar laja to-n logha wertha. That blod thêra ærgum skil ovir thin lif strâma, men thu ne mügth et navt to thi nêma. To tha lesta skil thæt feninige kwik thêr vp âsa ænd thêrof sterva. Alle wla skêdnese tham forsunnen send vmbe tha forsta ænd prestera to boga, skilun an logha ofred wertha. Forth skilun al thinra bern mith frêthò lêva. Thâ hju utspreken hêde, sêg hju del. Men thene Mâgy tham hja navt wel forstân hêde krêth, ik hæv thi frêjeth, jefik bâs skilde wertha ovir alle lânda ænd folkra Fryas, ænd nw hæste to en other sproken. Frâna rjuchte hiri wither, sach im star an ænd kêthe: êr sjugun etmelde om send, skil thin sêle mitha nachtfüglon to tha grâwa omme wâra ænd thin lik skil ledsa vppa bodem fona se. Êl wel sêide thene Magy mith vrborgne wodin, segs men thæt ik kvme. Forth sêider to jenst ên sinar rakkarum, werp that wif vr skippes bord. Althus wêr-et ende fon-re leste thêra Moderum. Wrêke willath wi thêr vr navt ne hropa, tham skil tvd nima. Men thûsand wâra thûsand mêl willath wi Frya æfternêi hropa: wâk-wâk-wâk.

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Ho-t thene Magy forth vrgvngon is.

Nêi that tha modder vrdên was, lêter tha foddik ænd tha fâmna to sina skip to brenga bijunka alle in bold thêr im likte. Forth gvng er thæt Flymâr vp, hwand hi wilde tha fâm fon Mêdêasblik jeftha fon Stâvora gabja ænd tham to Moder mâkja. Tha thêr wêron hja vp hjara hodum brocht. Tha stjurar fon Stâvora ænd fon thæt Alderga hêdon hini gêrn to Jonis togen, men tha grâte flâte wêre vppen fêre tocht út. Nw gvngon hja to ænd foron mith hjra littige flâte nêi Mêdêasblik ænd hildon hja skul after thât ly thêra bâmun. Thi Mâgy nâkade Mêdêasblik bi helle dêi ænd skynander svnne. Thach gvngon sina ljuda drist drist wêi vppera burch to runnande. Men as

the boats, our people sallied forth from the creek, and shot their arrows with balls of burning turpentine upon the fleet. They were so well aimed that many of the ships were instantly on fire. Those left to guard the ships shot at us, but they could not reach us. When at last a burning ship drifted towards the ship of the Magy, he ordered the man at the helm to sheer off, but this man was the Dane who had cleft the head of the Finn. He said, You sent our Eeremoeder to the bottom of the sea to say that you were coming. In the bustle of the fight you might forget it; now I will take care that you keep your word. The Magy tried to push him off, but the sailor, a real Frisian and strong as an ox, clutched his head with both hands, and pitched him into the surging billows. Then he hoisted up his brown shield, and sailed straight to our fleet. Thus the maidens came unhurt to us; bat the lamp was extinguished, and no one knew how that had happened. When those on the uninjured ships heard that the Magy was drowned, they sailed away, because their crews were Danes. When the fleet was far enough off, our sailors turned and shot their burning arrows at the Finns. When the Finns saw that, and found that they were betrayed, they fell into confusion, and lost all discipline and order. At this moment the garrison sallied forth from the citadel. Those who resisted were killed, and those who fled found their death in the marshes of the Krylinger wood.

allet folk mith tha bôtum land was, kemon vsa stjurar utêre krêke wêi ænd skâton hjara pila mith târbarntin bollum vp sinra flâte. Hja wêron alsa wel rjucht that fêlo sinra skêpun bistonda anna brônd wêron. Tham vppa skêpun wachton, skâton âk nêi vs. thâ, thạch thæt ne rojade nawet. As er to lesta en skip al barnande nêi-t skip thes Mâgy dryf, bifel-er sin skiper hi skolde ofhåde, men thene skiper that wêre thene Dênemarker thêr thene Fin felad hêde, andere, thv hest vse Êremoder nêi tha bodem fona sê synden to meldande thatste kyma skolde, thit skoste thrych tha drokhêd wel vrjetta; nw wil ik njude thatste thin word jecht. Thi Mâgy wild-im ofwêra; men thene skiper, en æfte Fryas ænd sterik lik en jokoxe, klipade bêda sinum hônda om sin hole ænd hif hini vr bord into thæt wellande hef. Forth hês er sin brune skild an top ænd for rjucht to rjucht an nêi vsa flâte. Thêrthrych kêmon tha fâmna ynforlet to vs, men tha foddik was utgyngon ænd nimman wiste ho-t kêmen was. Tha hja vppa vnfordene skêpa heradon, that thene Mâgy vrdrynken was, brûde hja hinne, hwand tha stjurar thêra mêst Dênemarkar wêron. Nêi that tha flâte fêr enoch ewêi wêre, wendon vsa stjurar ænd skâton hjara barnpila vppa tha Finna del. Thâ tha Finna thus sagon, ho hja vrrêden wêron, hlip alrik thrvch vr ekkdrum ænd thêr nêre lônger nên hêrichhêd ni bod. To thisre stonde run tha wêre hju ut têre burch. Tham navt ne fljuchte, werth afmakad, ænd thêr fljuchte fynd sin ende into tha polum fon et Krylinger wald.

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#### POSTSCRIPT

When the sailors were in the creek, there was a wag from Stavoren among them, who said, Medea may well laugh if we rescue her from her citadel. Upon this, the maidens gave to the creek the name Medea méilakkia (Lake of Medea). The occurrences that happened after this everybody can remember. The maidens ought to relate it in their own way, and have it well inscribed. We consider that our task is fulfilled. Hail!

THE END OF THE BOOK.

\* Medemi lacus, Lake of Medea's laughter.

Nêischrift.

Thâ tha stjurar an da kreke lêjon was thêr en spotter fon ut Stavora mank, thêr sêide, Mêdêa mei lakkja, sa wi hyr ut hjra burch reda. Thêrvmbe hævon tha fâmna thju krêke Mêdêa mêi lakkja hêten.

Tha bêrtnissa thêr afternêi skêd send, mêi alra mannalik hügja. Tha fâmna hagon tham nei hjara wysa to tella ænd wel biskriwa lêta. Thêrvmbe rêkenjath wi hirmitha vsa arbêd fylbrocht. Held.

Ende fon't Bok

34. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### THE WRITINGS OF ADELBROST AND APOLLONIA

My name is Adelbrost, the son of Apol and Adela. I was elected by my people as Grevetman over the Lindaoorden. Therefore I will continue this book in the same way as my mother has spoken it.

After the Magy was killed and Fryasburgt was restored, a mother had to be chosen. The mother had not named her successor, and her will was nowhere to be found. Seven months later a general assembly was called at Grênegâ (Groningen), because it was on the boundary of Saxamarken. My mother was chosen, but she would not be the mother. She had saved my father's life, in consequence of which they had fallen in love with each other, and she wished to marry. Many people wished my mother to alter her decision, but she said an Eeremoeder ought to be as pure in her conscience as she appears outwardly, and to have the same love for all her children. Now, as I love Apol better than anything else in the world, I cannot be such a mother. Thus spoke and reasoned Adela, but all the other maidens wished to be the mother. Each state was in favour of its own maiden, and would not yield. Therefore none was chosen, and the kingdom was without any restraint. From what follows you will understand Liudgert, the king who had lately died, had been chosen in the lifetime of the mother, and seemingly with the love and confidence of all the states. It was his turn to live at the great court of Dokhem, and in the lifetime of the mother great honour was done to him there, as there were more messengers and knights there than had ever been seen there before. But now he was lonely and forsaken, because every one was afraid that he would set himself above the law, and rule them like the slave kings. Every headman imagined that he did enough if he looked after his own state, and did not care for the others. With the Burgtmaagden it was still worse. Each of them depended upon her own judgment, and whenever a Grevetman did anything without her, she raised distrust between him and his people. If any case happened which concerned several states, and one maid had been consulted, the rest all exclaimed that she had spoken only Tha skrifta fon Adelbrost and Apollonia

Min nôm is Adelbrost svn fon Apol ænd fon Adela. Thrvch min folk ben ik kêren to Grêvetman ovira Linda wrda. Thêrvmbe wil ik thit bok forfolgja vp alsa dênera wisa as mine mem sproken heth.

Néi that thene Mâgy felt was ænd Fryasburch vp stel brocht, most er en moder kêren wertha. Bi-ra lêva nêde thju Moder hira folgstera navt nômth. Hira lersta wille was sok ænd narne to findne. Sjugun mônatha æfter werth er en mêna acht bilidsen ænd wel to Grênegâ ut êrsêke that anna Saxanamarka pâlth. Min mem werth kêren, men hju nilde nên Moder wêsa. Hju hêde heth lif minar tât hrêd, thêrthruch hêden hja ekkorum lyaf krêjen ænd nw wildon hja âk gâdath wertha. Fêlon wildon min mem fon er bislut ofbrenga; men min mem sêide, en Êremoder âcht alsa rên in ra mod to wêsana as hja buta blikt ænd êven mild far al hjara bern. Nêidam ik Apol nw lyaf hæv boppa ella in wralda, sâ ne kæn ik sâne Moder navt nêsa. Sâ sprek ænd kêth Adela, men tha ôra burchfâmna wildon algâder Moder wêsa. Alrek stât thong fori sinera æjne fâm ænd nilde navt fyra. Therthrych nis er nêne kêren ænd heth rik thus bandlâs. Hyr æfter mûg-it bigripa.

Ljudgert, tham kening ther hemesdega fallen is, was bi there Moder-is leva keren blikber trvch alle ståtha mith lyafde ænd trjvw. Heth were sin torn vmbe vppin eth grâte hof to Dok-hem to hemande, ænd bi there Moder-is leva wrd-im ther grâte er biwesen, hwand et were immer sa ful mith bodon ænd riddarum fon heinde ænd fêre as-m-æ to fora na nêde sjan. Tach nw wer-er ensem and vrlêten, hwand alrek were ange that-er him mâster skolde mâkja boppa heth rjucht ænd welda ê-lik tha slâvona keninggar. Elk forst wânde forth that-er enoch dêde as er wâkade ovir sin æjn stât; ænd thi ên ne jêf nawet tâ antha ôthera. Mith-êra burchfamna gynget jeta ærger to. Alrek thisra bogade vppira æjne wisdom ænd sahwersa tha Grêvetmanna awet dêdon buta hjam, sâ wrochten hja mistryvwa bitwiska tham ænd sinum ljudum. Skêder en sêke thêr fêlon stâtha trof ænd hêde mæn thju rêd êner fâm in wnnen, sâ kêthon alle

in the interest of her own state. By such proceedings they brought disputes among the states, and so severed the bond of union that the people of one state were jealous of those of the rest, or at least considered them as strangers; the consequence of which was that the Gauls or Truwenden (Druids) took possession of our lands as far as the Scheldt, and the Magy as far as the Wesara. How this happened my mother has explained, otherwise this book would not have been written, although I have lost all hope that it would be of any use. I do not write in the hope that I shall win back the land or preserve it: in my opinion that is impossible. I write only for the future generations, that they may all know in what way we were lost, and that each may learn that every crime brings its punishment.

My name is Apollonia. Two-and-thirty days after my mother's death my brother Adelbrost was found murdered on the wharf, his skull fractured and his limbs torn asunder. My father, who lay ill, died of fright. Then my younger brother. Apol. sailed from here to the west side of Schoonland. There he built a citadel named Lindasburgt, in order there to avenge our wrong. Wr-alda accorded him many years for that. He had five sons, who all caused fear to Magy, and brought fame to my brother. After the death of my mother and my brother, all the bravest of the land joined together and made a covenant, called the Adelbond. In order to preserve us from injury, they brought me and my youngest brother, Adelhirt, to the burgtme to the maidens, and him to the warriors. When I was thirty years old I was chosen as Burgtmaagd, and my brother at fifty was chosen Grevetman. From mother's side my brother was the sixth, but from father's side the third. By right, therefore, his descendants could not put "overa Linda" after their names, but they all wished to do it in honour of their mother. In addition to this, there was given to us also a copy of "The Book of Adela's Followers." That gave me the most pleasure, because it came into the world by my mother's wisdom. In the burgt I have found other writings also in praise of my mother. All this I will write afterwards. These are the writings left by Bruno, who was the writer of this burgt. After the followers of Adela had made copies, each in his kingdom, of what was inscribed upon the walls of the burgt, they resolved to choose a mother. For this purpose a general assembly was called at this farm. By the first advice of Adela, Teuntje was recommended. That would have been arranged, only that my Burgtmaagd asked to speak: she had always supposed that she would be chosen mother, because she was at the burgt from which mothers had generally been chosen. When she was allowed to speak, she opened her false lips and said: You all seem to place great value on Adela's advice, but that shall not shut my mouth. Who is Adela, and whence comes it that you respect her so highly? She was what I am now, a Burgtmaagd of this place; is she, then, wiser and better than I and all the others? or is she more conversant with our laws and customs? If that had been the case, she would have become mother when she was chosen; but instead of that, she preferred matrimony to a single life, watching over herself and her people. She is certainly very clear-sighted, but my eyes are far from being dim. I have observed that she is very much attached to her husband, which is very praiseworthy; but I see, likewise, that Teuntje is Apol's niece. Further I say nothing.

The principal people understood very well which way the wind blew with her; but among the people there arose disputes, and as most of the people came from here, they would not give the honour to Teuntje. The conferences were ended, knives were drawn, and no mother was chosen. Shortly afterwards one of our messengers killed his comrade. As he had been a man of good character hitherto, my Burgtmaagd had permission to help him over the frontier; but instead of helping him over to Twiskland (Germany), she fled with him herself to Wesara, and then to the Magy. The Magy, who wished to please his sons of Frya, appointed her mother of Godaburgt, in Schoonland; but she wished for more, and she told him that if he could get Adela out of the way he might become master of the whole of Frya's land. She said she hated Adela for having prevented her from being chosen mother. If be would promise her Tex-land, her messenger should serve as guide to his warriors. All this was confessed by her messenger.

- \* Grênegâ is Groningen.
- † Dokhem is Dokkum.
- \* Lindasburch, on Cape Lindanaes, Norway.

ôthera that hju sproken hêde to fêre fon hjra æjne stât. Thrych althus dênera renka brochton hja twyspalt in ovira ståtha ænd torendon hja that band sådêne fon ên, that et folk fon tha ênne stât nythich wêre vppet folk fon en ora stât ænd fâret alderminesta lik fêrhêmande biskôwade. Thju fêre thêra is wêst that tha Gola jeftha Trowyda vs al-êt lând of wnnen hæven al ont thêra Skelda ænd thi Magy al to thêre Wrsâra. Hor thêrby to gvngen is, heth min mem vntlêth, owers nas thit bok navt skrêven ne wrden, afskên ik alle hâpe vrlêren hæv tha et skil helpa thâ bâta. Ik ne skryw thus navt inna wân, thet ik thêrthrych thet lænd skil winna jeftha bihaldane, that is minra achtne vndvalik, ik skryw allêna fâr et æfter kvmande slacht, til thju hja algådur wêta müge vp hvdêna wisa wy vrlêren gvnge, ænd tha alra mannalik hyr ut lêra mêi that elk kwâd sin gêja têlath. My heth mæn Apollônja hêten. Twyia thritich dêga nêi mæm hira dâd heth mæn Adelbrost min brother vrslêjen fonden vppa wærf, sin hawed split ænd sina lithne ût ên hrêten. Min tât thêr siak lêide is fon skrik vrsturven. Thâ is Apol min jungere brother fon hyr nêi thêre westsyde fon Skênlând fâren. Thêr heth er en burch ebuwad, Lindasburch hêten, vmbe dâna to wrekana vs lêth. Wr.alda heth-im thêr to fêlo jêra lênad. Hy heth fif svna wnnen. Altham brengath thêne Magy skrik ænd min brother gôma. After mæm ænd brother is dâd send tha fromesta fon ut a lândum to ekkôrum kvmen, hja havon en bând sloten Adelbând hêten. Til thju vs nên leth witherfâra ne skolde, hævath hja my ænd Adelhirt min jungste brother vpper burch brocht, my by tha fâmna ænd min brother by tha wêrar. Thá ik thritich jêr werê heth man my to Burchfâm kêren, ænd thá min brother fiftich wêre, werth-er keren to Grêvetman. Fon mæm-is syde wêre min brother thene sexte, men fon tât his syde thene thride. Nêi rjucht machton sine æfterkymande thus nên overa Linda æfter hjara nômun navt ne fora, men alra mænnalik wildet hæva to êre fon mina mæm. Thêr to boppa heth mæn vs æk en ofskrifte jêven fon thet bok thêra Adela follistar. Thêr mitha ben ik thet blydeste, hwand thrych min mæm hjra wisdom kêm-et in wralda. In thas burch hæv ik jeta ôra skrifta fynden, thêr navt in 't bok ne stan, æk lovsprêka ovir min mæm, altham wil ik æfter skriva.

Thit send tha nêilêtne skrifta Brunnos, ther skrywer wêsen is to thisre burch. After that tha Adela follistar ella hêde lêta overskryva elk in sin rik, hwat wryt was in vppa wâgarum thêra burgum, bisloton hja en Moder to kjasane. Thêrto wærth en mêna acht bilêid vp thisra hêm. After tha forme rêd Adelas wærth Tüntja bifolen. Ak skoldet slâcht hæve. Thach nw frêge min Burgtfâm thet wort, hju hede immerthe wênich wêst thæt hju Moder skolde wertha, ut êrsêke thæt hju hyr vpper burch sat, hwana mêst alle Moderum kêren wêron. Tha hju thet word gund was, êpende hju hira falxa wêra ænde kêth: I alle skinth ærg to heftane an Adelas rêd, tha thæt ne skil thêrvnde min myla navt ne sluta ner snôra. Hwa tach is Adela ænd hwâna kvmt et wêi thætster sokke hâge love to swikth. Lik ik hjuddêga is hju to fara hyr burchfam wêst.

Tha is hju thêr vmbe wiser jefta bêtre as ik ænd alle ôthera, jefta is hju mâr stelet vppvsa sêd ænd plêgum. Hwêre thæt et fal, sâ skolde hju wel Moder wrden wêsa, thâ hju thêrto kêren is, men nêan hju wilde rêder ennen bosta ha mith all joi ænd nochta thêr er anebonden send, in stêd fon ênsum over hjam ænd et folk to wâkane. Hju is êl klarsjande, god, men min âgne ne send fêr fon vrthjustred to wêsane. Ik hæv sjan thæt hju hira fryadelf herde minth, nw god, thæt is lovelik, men ik hæv forther sjan thæt Tüntja Apol·is nift is. Wyder wil ik navt ne sedsa.

Tha forsta bigripen êl god, hwêr hju hly sochte, men emong et folk kêm twyspalt, ænd nêidam heth maradêl fon hyr wei kêm, wilde-t Tüntja thiu êre navt ne guna. Rêdne wrde stopth, tha saxne tâgon uta skædne, men thêr ne wærth nêne Moder kêren. Kirt æfter hêde annen vsera bodne sin makker fæleth. Til hjuddêga hêde der frod wêsen, thêrvmbe hede min burchfâm orlovi vmb-im buta tha lândpâla to helpane. Thach in stêd fon im to helpane nêi thet Twiskland, alsa fljuchte hju selva mith im overe Wrsara ænd forth nêi tha Mâgy. Thi Mâgy tham sina Fryas svna hagja wilde stald-iri as Moder to Godaburch et Skêuland, mên hju wilde mâr, hju sêid-im thæt sahwersa hi Adela vpruma koste, hi mæster skolde wertha over êl Fryas land. Hju wêr en fyand fon Adele sêide hju, hwand thrvch hjra renka nas hju nên Moder wrden. Sahwersa hy hir Texland forspreka wilde, sa skolde hjra boda sina wichar to wêiwyser thjanja. Al thissa sêka heth hjra boda selva bilyad.

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THE SECOND WRITING.

Thet othera skrift.

Fifteen months after the last general assembly, at the festival of the harvest month, everybody gave himself up to pleasure and merry-making, and no one thought of anything but diversion; but Wr-alda wished to teach us that watchfulness should never be relaxed. In the midst of the festivities the fog came and enveloped every place in darkness. Cheerfulness melted away, but watchfulness did not take its place. The coastguard deserted their beacons, and no one was to be seen on any of the paths. When the fog rose, the sun scarcely appeared among the clouds; but the people all came out shouting with joy, and the young folks went about singing to their bagpipes, filling the air with their melody. But while every one was intoxicated with pleasure, treachery had landed with its horses and riders. As usual, darkness had favoured the wicked, and they had slipped in through the paths of Linda's wood. Before Adela's door twelve girls led twelve lambs, and twelve boys led twelve calves. A young Saxon bestrode a wild bull which he had caught and tamed. They were decked with all kinds of flowers, and the girls' dresses were fringed with gold from the

When Adela came out of her house, a shower of flowers fell on her head; they all cheered loudly, and the fifes of the boys were heard over everything. Poor Adela! poor people! how short will be your joy! When the procession was out of sight, a troop of Magyar soldiers rushed up to Adela's house. Her father and her husband were sitting on the steps. The door was open, and within stood Adelbrost her son. When be saw the danger of his parents, he took his bow from the wall and shot the leader of the pirates, who staggered and fell on the grass. The second and third met a similar fate. In the meantime his parents had seized their weapons, and went slowly to Jon's house. They would soon have been taken, but Adela came. She had learned in the burgt to use all kinds of weapons. She was seven feet high, and her sword was the same length. She waved it three times over her head, and each time a knight bit the earth. Reinforcements came, and the pirates were made prisoners; but too late—an arrow had penetrated her bosom! The treacherous Magy had poisoned it, and she died of it.

Gürbam. C. Niebuhr, Travels, vol. i. p. 174. The bagpipe is called by the Egyptians Sumāra el Kūrbe.

Fiftian monatha nêi thêre lerste acht wêr et Frjunskip jeftha Winnemônath. Alleramænnelik jef to an mery mery fru ænd bly, ænd nimman nêde diger than to âkane sina nocht. Thach Wr.alda wild vs wysa, thæt wâkendom navt vrgamlath wrde ne mêi. To midne fon et fêst fyrja kêm nêvil to hullande vsa wrda in thikke thjusternise. Nocht runde wêi, tha wâkendom nilde navt ne kêra. Tha strandwâkar wêron fon hjara nêd fjura hlâpen ænd vppa tha topâdum nas nênen to bisja. Thâ nêvil ewêi tâch, lokte svnne thrych tha rêta thêra wolkum vp irtha. Alrek kêm wither ut to juwgande ænd to jolande, thet jungk folk tâch sjongande mitha gürbâm ænd thisse overfulde luft mith sina liaflika âdam. Men thahwila thêr alrek in nocht bâjada, was vrrêd lând mith horsum ænd ridderum Lik alle ærga wêron hja helpen thrvch thjusternisse, ænd hinne glupath thrvch Linda waldis pâda. To fâra Adelas dure tagon twilif mangêrtne mith twilif læmkes ænd twilif knâpa mith twilif hoklinga, en junge Saxmæn birêd en wilde bufle thêr er selva fensen hêde ænd tæmad. Mith allerlêja blomma wêron hja siarad, ænd tha linnen tohnekna thêra mængêrtne wêron omborad mith gold ut er Rêne.

Thâ Adela to hira hus ut vppet slecht kêm, fol en blomrêin del vppira hole, alle juwgade herde ænd tha tot-horne thêra knâpum gûldon boppa ella ut. Arme Adela, ærm folk, ho kirt skil frü hir bydja. Thâ thju lônge skære ut sjocht wêrekêm er en hloth mågjara ridderum linrjucht to rinnande vp Adelas hêm. Hira tât ænd gâde wêron jeta vppa sloppenbenke sêten. Thju dure stond êpen ænd thêr binna stand Adelbrost hira svna. As er sach ho sina eldra in frêse wêron, gripter sine bôge fon-ere wâch wêi ænd skât nêi tha foresta thêra râwarum; this swikt ænd trulde vppet gærs del; overne twade ænd thride was en êlik lôt biskêren. Intwiska hêdon sina eldra hjara wêpne fat, ænd tagon vndyger to Jonis. Tha râwera skoldon hjam ring fensen ha, men Adela kêm, vppere burch hêde hja alle wêpne to hantêra lêrad, sjugun irthfêt wêre hju lông ænd hira gêrt sâ fêlo, thryja swikte hja tham or hjra hole ænd as er del kêm wêr en ridder gærsfallich. Follistar kêmon omme herne thêre lône wêi. Tha râwar wrdon fælath ænd fensen. Thach to lêt, en pil hêde hjra bosme trefth. Vrrêdelika Magy! In fenin was sin pint dipth ænd thêrof is hju sturven.

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#### THE ELEGY OF THE BURGTMAAGD.

Yes, departed friend, thousands are arrived, and more are coming. They wish to hear the wisdom of Adela. Truly, she was a princess, for she had always been the leader. O Sorrow, what good can you do!

Her garments of linen and wool she spun and wove herself. How could she add to her beauty? Not with pearls, for her teeth were more white; not with gold, for her tresses were more brilliant; not with precious stones, for her eyes, though soft as those of a lamb, were so lustrous that you could scarcely look into them. But why do I talk of beauty? Frya was certainly not more beautiful; yes, my friends, Frya, who possessed seven perfections, of which each of her daughters inherited one, or at most three. But even if she had been ugly, she would still have been dear to us. Is she warlike? Listen, my friend. Adela was the only daughter of our Grevetman. She stood seven feet high. Her wisdom exceeded her stature, and her courage was equal to both together. Here is an instance. There was once a turf-ground on fire. Three children got upon yonder gravestone. There was a furious wind. The people were all shouting, and the mother was helpless. Then came Adela. What are you all standing still here for? she cried. Try to help them, and Wr-alda will give you strength. Then she ran to the Krylwood and got some elder branches, of which she made a bridge. The others then came to assist her, and the children were saved. The children bring flowers to the place every year. There came once three Phœnician sailors, who began to ill-treat the children, when Adela, having heard their screams, beat the scoundrels till they were insensible, and then, to prove to them what miserable wretches they were, she tied them all three to a spindle.

The foreign lords came to look after their people, and when they saw how ridiculously they had been treated they were very angry, till they were told what had happened. Upon that they bowed themselves before Adela, and kissed the hem of her garment. But come, distant living friend. The birds of the forest fled before the numerous visitors. Come, friend, and

Thêre burchfams lov.

Jes ferhêmande âthe, thusande send al kumen ænd jet mâra send vp wêi. Wel, hja willath Adelas wisdom hêra.

Sekur is hju forstine, hwand hju is immer thja forste wêst.

O wach hwêrto skolde hja thjanja. Hira hemeth is linnen, hira tohnekka wol, thæt hjv selva spon ænd wêvade. Hwêrmêi skolde hja hjra skênhêd hâga. Navt mith pærlum, hwand hjra tuskar send witter; navt mith gold, hwand hjra hêr is blikkander; navt mith stêna, wel send hjra âgon saft as lamkes âgon, thach to lik sa glander thæt mæn thêr skrômlik in sja ne mêi. Men hwat kælt ik fon skên. Frya wêre wis navt skêner.

Ja âthe, Frya thêr sjugun skênhêde hêde, hwêrfon hjra toghâtera men êne elk hâchstens thria urven hæve. Men al wêre hju lêdlik, thach skolde hju vs djura wêsa.

Jef hju wygandlik sy. Hark âthe, Adela is thet ênge bern vsar grêvetman. Sjugun jrthfet is hju hâch, jeta grâter then hjra licheme is hjra wishêd ænd hjra mod is lik bêde to sêmine.

Lok thêr, thêr wêre ênis en fênbrônd, thrju bern wêron vp jenske græfstên sprongen. Wind blos fel. Alrek krêta ænd thju mæm wêre rêdalâs. Thêr kvmt Adela: ho stêitst ænd têmethste hropth hju, tragd help to lênande ænd Wr.alda skil jo krefta jêva. Thêr hipth hja nêi-t Krylwod, gript elsne trêjon, tragd en breg to makjande, nw helpath âk tha ôthera ænd tha bern send hred.

Jêrlikes kêmon tha bern hyr blomma ledsa.

Thêr kêmon thrê Fonysjar skipljuda thêr hja wrêvela wilde, men Adela kêm, hju hêde hjara hwop (hrop) hêrad, in swim slêith hju tha lêtha ænd til thju hja selva jechta skolde, thet hja vnwêrthelike manna wêron, bint hju alsêmen an en spinrok fest. Tha fêrhêmanda hêra kêmon hjara thjud askja. Tha hja sagon ho skots hja misdên wêron, kêm torn vp, thach mæn tellade hot bêrd was.

Hwat hja forth dédon, hja buwgdon to fåra Adela ænd keston thju slyp hyrar tohnekka.

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you shall hear her wisdom. By the gravestone of which mention has already been made her body is buried. Upon the stone the following words are inscribed:—

#### TREAD SOFTLY, FOR HERE LIES ADELA.

The old legend which is written on the outside wall of the city tower is not written in "The Book of Adela's Followers." Why this has been neglected I do not know; but this book is my own, so I will put it in out of regard to my relations.

\* To hnekka, a high petticoat reaching up to the neck.

Kvm fèrhèmande âthe, tha wald füglon fljuchtath to fàra tha fèlo forsykar. Kvm âthe sâ mêist hiara wishèd hèra.

By tha græfstên hwer fon in tha lovsprêke meld wærth, is mæm hira lik bigræven. Vppira græfstên heth mæn thissa worda hwryten.

Ne hlap navt to hastich hwand hyr lêid Adela.

Thju formlêre thêr is hwryten inutere wâch thêr burchtore, nis navt wither eskrêven in thæt bok thêra Adela follistar. Hwêrvmbe thet lêten is nêt ik navt to skriwand. Tha thit bok is min ajn, thêrvmbe wil ik hja thêr inna setta to wille minra mægum.

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#### THE OLDEST DOCTRINE.

Hail to all the well-intentioned children of Frya! Through them the earth shall become holy. Learn and announce to the people Wr-alda is the ancient of ancients, for he created all things. Wr-alda is all in all, for he is eternal and everlasting. Wr-alda is omnipresent but invisible, and therefore is called a spirit. All that we can see of him are the created beings who come to life through him and go again, because from Wr-alda all things proceed and return to him. Wr-alda is the beginning and the end. Wr-alda is the only almighty being, because from him all other strength comes, and returns to him. Therefore he alone is the creator, and nothing exists without him. Wr-alda established eternal principles, upon which the laws of creation were founded, and no good laws could stand on any other foundation. But although everything is derived from Wr-alda, the wickedness of men does not come from him. Wickedness comes from heaviness, carelessness, and stupidity; therefore they may well be injurious to men, but never to Wralda, Wralda is wisdom, and the laws that he has made are the books from which we learn, nor is any wisdom to be found or gathered but in them. Men may see a great deal, but Wr-alda sees everything. Men can learn a great deal, but Wr-alda knows everything. Men can discover much, but to Wr-alda everything is open. Mankind are male and female, but Wr-alda created both. Mankind love and hate, but Wr-alda alone is just. Therefore Wr-alda is good, and there is no good without him. In the progress of time all creation alters and changes, but goodness alone is unalterable; and since Wr-alda is good, he cannot change. As he endures, he alone exists; everything else is show.

#### Formlêre

Alle god minnanda Fryas bern sy held. Hwand thrvch tham skil et sêlich wertha vp jrtha. Lêr ænd kêth to tha folkum. Wr.alda is thet alderaldesta jeftha overaldesta, hwand thet skop alla thinga. Wr.alda is ella in ella, hwand thet is èvg ænd vnendlik. Wr.alda is overal ainwardich, men narne to bisja, thèrvmbe wærth thet wèsa gâst hèten. Al hwat wi fon him sja müge send tha skepsela thèr thrvch sin lèva kvme ænd wither henne ga, hwand inut Wr.alda kvmath alle thinga ænd kèrath alle thinga. Fon ut Wralda kvmth t anfang ænd et ende, alra thinga gêith in im vppa. Wr.alda is thet ène ella machtige wèsa, hwand alle ôre macht is fon him lênad ænd kèrath to him wither. In ut Wr.alda kvmath alle krefta ænd alle krefta kèrath to him wither. Thèrvmbe is hi allèna theth skeppande wèsa ænd thèr nis nawet eskèpen buta him.

Wr.alda lêide êvge setma thet is êwa in al et skêpne, ænd thêr ne send nên gode setma jeftha hja moton thêrnêi tavlikt wêsa. Men afskên ella in Wr.alda sy, tha boshêd thêra mænniska nis navt fon him. Boshêd kymth thrvch lômhêd vndigerhed ænd domhêd. Thêrvmbe kæn hju wel tha mænniska skâda, Wr.alda nimmer. Wr.alda is thju wishêd, ænd tha êwa thêr hju tavlikt heth, send tha boka wêrût wy lêra müge, ænd thêr nis nêne wishêd to findande ner to garjande buta tham. Tha mænniska mügon fêlo thinga sja, men Wr.alda sjath alle thinga. Tha mænniska mügon fêlo thinga lêra, men Wr.alda wêt alle thinga. Tha mænniska mügon felo thinga vntslûta, men to fâra Wr.alda is ella êpned. Tha mænniska send mænnalik ænd berlik, men Wr.alda skept bêde. Tha mænniska minnath ænd hætath, tha Wr.alda is allêna rjuchtfêrdich. Thêrvmbe is Wr.alda allêne god, ænd thêr ne send nêne goda bûta him. Mith thet Jol wandelath ænd wixlat allet eskêpne, men god is allêna vnforanderlik. Thruch that Wr.alda god is, alsa ne mei hi âk navt foranderja; ænd thrvch thet er bilywath, thêrvmbe is hy allêna wêsa ænd al et ora skin

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#### THE SECOND PART OF THE OLDEST DOCTRINE

Among Finda's people there are false teachers, who, by their over-inventiveness, have become so wicked that they make themselves and their adherents believe that they are the best part of Wr-alda, that their spirit is the best part of Wr-alda's spirit, and that Wr-alda can only think by the help of their brains.

That every creature is a part of Wr-alda's eternal being, that they have stolen from us; but their false reasoning and ungovernable pride have brought them on the road to ruin. If their spirit was Wr-alda's spirit, then Wr-alda would be very stupid, instead of being sensible and wise; for their spirit labours to create beautiful statues, which they afterwards worship. Finda's people are a wicked people, for although they presumptuously pretend among themselves that they are gods, they proclaim the unconsecrated false gods, and declare everywhere that these idols created the world and all that therein is—greedy idols, full of envy and anger, who desire to be served and honoured by the people, and who exact bloody sacrifices and rich offerings; but these presumptuous and false men, who call themselves God's servants and priests, receive and collect everything in the name of the idols that have no real existence, for their own benefit.

They do all this with an easy conscience, as they think themselves gods not answerable to any one. If there are some who discover their tricks and

Thet othera dêl fonre formlêr.

Emong Findas folk send wanwysa, thèr thruch hjara overfindingrikhèd alsa ærg send, thæt hja hjara selva wis måkja ænd tha inewida bitjuga, thæt hja thet besta dêl send fon Wr.alda; thæt hjara gåst thet beste dêl is fon Wr.aldas gåst ænd thet Wr.alda allèna mèi thænkja thruch helpe hjaris brun.

Thæt aider skepsle en dêl is fon Wr.aldas vnendlik wêsa, thæt hævon hja fon vs gåbad.

Men hjara falxe rêdne ænd hjara tæmlåse håchfarenhêd heth ra vppen dwålwêi brocht. Wêre hjara gåst Wr.aldas gåst, så skolde Wr.alda êl dvm wêsa in stêde fon licht and wis. Hwand hjara gåst slåvth him selva immer of vmbe skêne bylda to måkjande, thêr y æfternêi anbid. Men Findas folk is en ærg folk, hwand afskên tha wanwysa thêra hjara selva wis måkja thæt hja drochtne send, sa hævon hja to fåra tha vnewida falxa drochtne eskêpen, to kêthande allerwêikes, thæt thissa drochtne Wr.alda eskêpen hæve, mith al hwat thêr inne is; gyriga drochtne fvl nyd ænd torn, tham êrath ænd thjanath willath wêsa thrvch tha mænniska, thêr blod ænd offer willa ænd skât askja. Men thi wanwisa falxa manna, tham hjara selva godis skalka jeftha prestera nôma lêta, bürath ænd sâmnath ænd gethath aldam bidrywath hja mith en rum emod, thrvchdam hja hjara selva drochtne wâne, thêr an ninman andert skeldich ne send. Send thêr syme tham hjara

expose them, they hand them over to the executioners to be burnt for their calumnies, with solemn ceremonies in honour of the false gods; but really in order to save themselves. In order that our children may be protected against their idolatrous doctrine, the duty of the maidens is to make them learn by heart the following: Wr-alda existed before all things, and will endure after all things. Wr-alda is also eternal and everlasting, therefore nothing exists without him. From Wr-alda's life sprang time and all living things, and his life takes away time and every other thing. These things must be made clear and manifest in every way, so that they can be made clear and comprehensible to all. When we have learned thus much, then we say further: In what regards our existence, we are a part of Wr-alda's everlasting being, like the existence of all created beings; but as regards our form, our qualities, our spirit, and all our thoughts, these do not belong to the being. All these are passing things which appear through Wr-alda's life, and which appear through his wisdom, and not otherwise; but whereas his life is continually progressing, nothing can remain stationary, therefore all created things change their locality, their form, and their thoughts. So neither the earth nor any other created object can say, I am; but rather, I was. So no man can say, I think; but rather, I thought. The boy is greater and different from the child; he has different desires, inclinations, and thoughts. The man and father feels and thinks differently from the boy, the old man just the same. Everybody knows that. Besides, everybody knows and must acknowledge that he is now changing, that he changes every minute even while he says. I am, and that his thoughts change even while he says, I think. Instead, then, of imitating Finda's wicked people, and saying, I am the best part of Wralda, and through us alone he can think, we proclaim everywhere where it is necessary, We, Frya's children, exist through Wr-alda's life—in the beginning mean and base, but always advancing towards perfection without ever attaining the excellence of Wr-alda himself. Our spirit is not Wr-alda's spirit, it is merely a shadow of it. When Wr-alda created us, he lent us his wisdom, brains, organs, memory, and many other good qualities. By this means we are able to contemplate his creatures and his laws; by this means we can learn and can speak of them always, and only for our own benefit. If Wr-alda had given us no organs, we should have known nothing, and been more irrational than a piece of sea-weed driven up and down by the ebb and flood.

renka froda ænd bår måkja, alsa wrdon hja thrvch hjara rakkera fæt ænd vmbira laster vrbarnad, ella mith félo ståtska plégum, hjara falxa drochtne to-n êre. Men in trvth, allêna vmbe thæt hja ra navt skåda ne skolde. Til thju vsa bern nw wêpned müge wêsa tojenst hjara drochtenlika lêre, alsa hågon tha fåmna hjam fon buta to lêrande hwat hyr skil folgja.

Wr.alda was êr alle thinga, ænd nêi alle thinga skil er wêsa. Wr.alda is alsa êvg ænd hi is vnendlik, thervmb nis thêr nawet buta him. Thrvch ut Wr.aldas lêva warth tid ænd alle thinga bern, ænd sin lêva nimth tid ænd alle thinga wêi. Thissa sêka moton klâr ænd bâr mâkad wrda by alle wisa, så thæt hja-t an ôthera bithjuta ænd biwisa müge. Is-t så får wnnen, sa sêith mæn forther: Hwat thus vsa ommefang treft, alsa send wy en dêl fon Wr.aldas vnendelik wêsa, alsa tha ommefang fon al et eskêpne, thach hwat angâ vsa dânte, vsa ainskipa, vsa gâst ænd al vsa bithænkinga, thissa ne hêra navt to thet wêsa. Thit ella send fljuchtiga thinga tham thrych Wr.aldas lêva forskina, thach thêr thrych sin wishêd sâdâne ænd navt owers navt ne forskina. Men thrychdam sin lêva stêdes forthga, alsa ne mêi thêr nawet vppa sin stêd navt bilywa. Thêrvmbe forwixlath alle eskêpne thinga fon stêd, fon dânte ænd âk fon thænkwisa. Thervmbe ne mêi irtha selva, ner eng skepsle ni sedsa: ik ben, men wel ik was. Ak ne mêi nên mænniska navt ne sedsa ik thænk, men blât, ik thochte. Thi knâp is grâter ænd owers as thar bern wêre. Hy heth ora gêrtne, tochta ænd thænkwisa. Thi man en tât is ænd thænkth owers as thâr knap wêre. Êvin tha alda fon dêgum. Thât wêt allera mannelik. Sâhwersa allera mannalik nw wêt ænd jechta mot, thæt hy alon wixlath, så mot hy åk bijechta, that er jahweder âgeblik wixlath, âk thahwila-r sêid: ik ben, ænd thæt sina thænk bylda wixle, tha hwiler sêid: ik thænk.

Instêde thæt wy tha ærga Findas althus vnwerthlik afternêi snakka ænd kælta, ik ben, jeftha wel, ik ben thet beste dêl Wr.aldas, ja thrvch vs allêna mêi-r thænkja, sâ willath wy kêtha wral ænd allerwêikes wêr et nêdlik sy: wy Fryas bern send forskinsla thrvch Wr.aldas lêva; by-t anfang min ænd blât, thach immer wærthande ænd nâkande to fvlkvmenlikhêd, svnder â sa god to wrda as Wr.alda selva. Vsa gâst nis navt Wr.aldas gâst, hi is thêrfon allêna en afskinsle. Tha Wr.alda vs skop, heth er vs in thrvch sine wishêd-bryn-sintûga, hūgia ænd fêlo goda ainskipa lênad. Hyrmêi mugon wy sina êwa bitrachta. Thêrof mūgon wy lêra ænd thêrvr mūgon wy rêda, ella ænd allêna to vs ain held. Hêde Wr.alda vs nêne sinna jêven, sa ne skolde wy narne of nêta ænd wy skolde jeta reddalasser as en sêkwale wêsa, thêr forthdryven wærth thrvch ebbe ænd thrvch flod.

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## THIS IS WRITTEN ON PARCHMENT—"SKRIVFILT." SPEECH ANI ANSWER TO OTHER MAIDENS AS AN EXAMPLE

An unsociable, avaricious man came to complain to Troost, who was the maid of Stavia. He said a thunderstorm had destroyed his house. He had prayed to Wralda, but Wralda had given him no help. Are you a true Frisian? Troost asked. From father and forefathers, replied the man. Then she said, I will sow something in your conscience, in confidence that it will take root, grow, and bear fruit. She continued, When Frya was born, our mother stood naked and bare, unprotected from the rays of the sun. She could ask no one, and there was no one who could give her any help. Then Wr-alda wrought in her conscience inclination and love, anxiety and fright. She looked round her, and her inclination chose the best. She sought a hiding-place under the sheltering lime-trees, but the rain came, and the difficulty was that she got wet. She had seen how the water ran down the pendent leaves; so she made a roof of leaves fastened with sticks, but the wind blew the rain under it. She observed that the stem would afford protection. She then built a wall of sods, first on one side, and then all round. The wind grew stronger and blew away the roof, but she made no complaint of Wralda. She made a roof of rushes, and put stones upon it. Having found how hard it is to toil alone, she showed her children how and why she had done it. They acted and thought as she did. This is the way in which we became possessed of houses and porches, a street, and lime-trees to protect us from the rays of the sun. At last we have built a citadel, and all the rest. If your house is not strong enough, then you must try and make another. My house was strong enough, he said, but the flood and the wind destroyed it. Where did your house stand? Troost asked. On the bank of the Rhine, he answered. Did it not stand on a knoll? Troost asked. No. said the man: my house stood alone on the bank. I built it alone, but I could not alone make a hillock. I knew it, Troost answered; the maidens told me. All your life you have avoided your Thit stat vp skrivfilt skrêven, tal and andworde ora famna to-n forbyld.

En vnsels gyrich mæn kêm to bârande by Trâst thêr fâm wêre to Stavia. Hy sêide vnwêder hêde sin hus wêi brocht. Hy hêde to Wr.alda bêden, men Wr.alda nêdim nêne helpe lênad. Bist en æfte Fryas, frêje Trâst. Fon elder t elder, andere thene mæn. Thæn sêide hju wil ik æwet in thin mod sêja in bitrouwa, thæt et kyma groja ænd früchda jêva mêi. Forth sprêk hju ænde kêth. Thå Frya bern was, stand vs moder naked ænd blåt, vnbihod to jenst tha strêlum thêre svnne. Ninman macht hju frêja ænd thêr wêre ninman thêr hja help macht lêna. Thâ gvng Wr.alda to ænd wrochte in hjra mod nigung ænd liavde anggost ænd skrik. Hju sach rondomme, hjra nigung kâs thet beste ænd hju sochte skul vndera wârande linda. Men rêin kêm ænd t onhlest wêre thất hju wet wrde. Thach hju hêde sjan ho thet wêter to tha hellanda blædar of drupte. Nw mâkade hju en hrof mith hellanda sidum, vp stôka mâkade hju tham. Men stornewind kêm ænd blos rêin thêr vnder. Nw hêde hja sjan thæt tha stam hly jef, æfter gong hja to ænd måkade en wåch fon plåga ånd sådum, thet forma an êne syda ænd forth an alle syda. Storne wind kêm to bek jeta wodander as to fora ænd blos thju hrof ewêi. Men hju ne bârade navt over Wr.alda ner to jenst Wr.alda. Men hja mâkade en reitne hrof ænd leide stêne thêr vppa. Bifvnden hævande ho sêr thet dvath vmb allêna to tobbande, alsa bithjude hju hira bern ho ænd hwêrvmbe hju alsa hêde dên. Thissa wrochton ænd tochton to sêmine. A sadenera wise send wy an hûsa kêmen mith stoppenbænkum, en slecht ænd warande linda with tha svnnestrêlum. To tha lesta hævon hja en burch måkad ænd forth alle ôthera. Nis thin hus thus navt sterk noch wêst, alsa mot i trachda vmbet ôre bêter to mâkjande. Min hus wêre sterk enoch, sêider, men thet hâge wêter heth et vp bêrad ænd stornewind heth et ore dên. Hwêr stand thin hus thæn, frêje Trâst. Alingen thêre Rêne, andere thene man. Ne stand et thæn navt yppen nol jeftha therp, frêje Trâst. Nean sêider, min hus stand ênsum by tha overe, allêna hæv ik et buwad, men ik ne macht thêr allêna nên therp to makane.

neighbours, fearing that you might have to give or do something for them; but one cannot get on in the world in that way, for Wr-alda, who is kind, turns away from the niggardly. Fâsta has advised us, and it is engraved in stone over all our doors. If you are selfish, distrustful towards your neighbours, teach your neighbours, help your neighbours, and they will return the same to you. If this advice is not good enough for you, I can give you no better. The man blushed for shame, and slunk away.

Ik wist wel, sêide Trâst, tha fâmna hæv et my meld. Thv hest al thin lêva en grûwel had an tha mænniska, ut frêse thætste awet jêva jeftha dva moste to fara hjam. Thach thêr mitha ne mêi mæn navt fêr ne kvma. Hwand Wr.alda thêr mild is, kêrath him fona gyriga. Fæsta het vs rêden ænd buppa tha dura fon alle burgum is t in stên ut wryten: bist ærg bâtsjochtig sêide Fæsta, bihod thæn jvwe nêsta, bithjod thæn jvwe nêsta, help thæn juwe nesta, sâ skilun hja t thi witherdva. Is i thina rêd navt god noch, ik nêt fâr thi nên bêtera. Skâmrâd wærth then mæn ænd hi drupte stolkes hinne

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NOW I WILL WRITE MYSELF, FIRST ABOUT MY CITADEL, AND THEN ABOUT WHAT I HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SEE.

My city lies near the north end of the Liudgaarde. The tower has six sides, and is ninety feet high, flat-roofed, with a small house upon it out of which they look at the stars. On either side of the tower is a house three hundred feet long, and twenty-one feet broad, and twenty-one feet high, besides the roof, which is round. All this is built of hard-baked bricks, and outside there is nothing else. The citadel is surrounded by a dyke, with a moat thirty-six feet broad and twenty-one feet deep. If one looks down from the tower, he sees the form of the Juul. In the ground among the houses on the south side all kinds of native and foreign herbs grow, of which the maidens must study the qualities. Among the houses on the north side there are only fields. The three houses on the north are full of corn and other necessaries; the two houses on the south are for the maidens to live in and keep school. The most southern house is the dwelling of the Burgtmaagd. In the tower hangs the lamp. The walls of the tower are decorated with precious stones. On the south wall the Tex is inscribed. On the right side of this are the formulae, and on the other side the laws; the other things are found upon the three other sides. Against the dyke, near the house of the Burgtmaagd, stand the oven and the mill, worked by four oxen. Outside the citadel wall is the place where the Burgtheeren and the soldiers live. The fortification outside is an hour long-not a seaman's hour, but an hour of the sun, of which twenty-four go to a day. Inside it is a plain five feet below the top. On it are three hundred crossbows covered with wood and leather.

Besides the houses of the inhabitants, there are along the inside of the dyke thirty-six refuge-houses for the people who live in the neighbourhood. The field serves for a camp and for a meadow. On the south side of the outer fortification is the Liudgaarde, enclosed by the great wood of lime-trees. Its shape is three-cornered, with the widest part outside, so that the sun may shine in it, for there are a great number of foreign trees and flowers brought by the seafarers. All the other citadels are the same shape as ours, only not so large; but the largest of all is that of Texland. The tower of the Fryaburgt is so high that it rends the sky, and all the rest is in proportion to the tower. In our citadel this is the arrangement: Seven young maidens attend to the lamp; each watch is three hours. In the rest of their time they do housework, learn, and sleep. When they have watched for seven years, they are free; then they may go among the people, to look after their morals and to give advice. When they have been three years maidens, they may sometimes accompany the older ones. The writer must teach the girls to read, to write, and to reckon. The elders, or "Greva," must teach them justice and duty, morals, botany, and medicine, history, traditions, and singing, besides all that may be necessary for them to give advice. The Burgtmaagd must teach them how to set to work when they go among the people. Before a Burgtmaagd can take office, she must travel through the country a whole year. Three greyheaded Burgtheeren and three old maidens must go with her. This was the way that I did. My journey was along the Rhine-on this side up, and on the other side down. The higher I went, the poorer the people seemed to be. Everywhere about the Rhine the people dug holes, and the sand that was got out was poured with water over fleeces to get the gold, but the girls did not wear golden crowns of it. Formerly they were more numerous, but since we lost Schoonland they have gone up to the mountains. There they dig ore and make iron. Above the Rhine among the mountains I have seen Marsaten. The Marsaten are people who live on the lakes. Their houses are built upon piles, for protection from the wild beasts and wicked people. There are wolves, bears, and horrible lions. Then come the Swiss, the nearest to the frontiers of the distant Italians, the followers of Kalta and the savage Twiskar, all greedy for robbery and Nw wil ik selva skriwa êrost fon over min burch and than over hwat ik

Min burch lêid an t north-ende thêre Liudgârda. Thju tore heth sex syda. Thrya thrittich fêt is hju hâch. Flæt fon boppa. En lyth huske thêr vppa, hwâna mæn tha stæra bisjath. An aider syd thêre tore stæt en hus, long thrya hondred, brêd thrya sjugun fêt, êlika hâch bihalva thju hrof, thêr rondlik is. Altham fon hyrbakken stên, ænd fon buta ne send nênen ôthera. Om tha burch is en hringdik, thêrom en græft diap thrya sjugun fêt, wyd thrya twilif fêt. Siath hwa fonêre tore del, sa siath hi thju dânte fon et Iol. Vppa grynd twisk tha sûdlika hûsa thêre, send allerlêja krûda fon hêinde ænd fêr, thêrof moton tha fâmna tha krefta lêra. Twisk tha nortlika hûsa is allêna fjeld. Tha thrju nortlika hûsa send fol kêren ænd ôther bihof. Twa sûdar send to fâra tha fâmkes vmbe to skola ænd to hêma Thet sûdlikoste hus is thêre Burchfâm his hêm. Inna tore hangt thju foddik. Tha wagar thêre tore send mith kestlika stêna smukad. In vppa thêre sûderwach is thêne Tex wrytten. An tha fêre syde thêra finth mæn thju formlêre; anna winstere syde tha êwa. Tha ora sêka finth mæn vppa ôra thrja. Tojenst tha dik by t hus thêr fâm stêt thju owne ænd thju molmâk thrych fiuwer bufla kroden. Bula vsa burchwal is t hêm, thêr vppa tha burchhêra ænda wêrar hême. Thju ringdik thêra is en stonde grât, nên stjurar, men svnna stonde, hwêrfon twya twilif vppen etmelde kvma. In vpper binnasyde fona dik is en flæt, fif fêt vndera krûn. Thêr vppa send thrya hondred krânboga, todekt mith wod ænd lêther.

Bihalva tha hûsa thêra inhêmar send thêr binna alingne tha dik jeta thrya twilif nêdhûsa to fâra tha omhêmar. Thet fjeld thjanath to kæmp ænd to wêde. Anna sûdsyde fon tha bûtenste hringdik is thju Liudgârde omtûnad thrych thet grâte Lindawald. Hjra dânte is thrju hernich, thet brêde buta, til thju synne thêr in sia mêi. Hwand thêr send fêlo fêrlandeska thrêja ænd blommen thrych tha stjurar mith brocht. Alsa thju dânte vsar burch is, send alle ôthera; thach vs-is is thju grâteste; men thi fon Texland is tha aldergrâteste. Thju tore fon Fryasburch is alsa hâch thæt hju tha wolka torent, nêi thêre tore is al et ôthera.

By vs vppa burch ist alsa dêlad. Sjugun jonge fâmna wâkath by thêre foddik. Aider wâk thrja stonda. In ha ôre tid moton hja huswærk dva, lêra ænd slêpa. Send hja sjugun jêr wâkande wêsen, alsa send hja fry. Thân mügon hja emong tha mænniska gå, vpra sêd to letane ænd rêd to jêvane. Is hwa thrju jêr fâm wêst, sâ mêi hju alto met mith tha alda fâmna mith gâ. Thi skrywer mot tha fâmkes lêra lêsa, skrywa ænd rêkenja. Tha grysa jeftha grêva moton lêra hjam rjucht ænd plicht, sêdkunda, krûdkunda, hêlkunda, skêdnesa, tellinga ænd sanga, bijunka allerlêja thinga thêr hjam nêdlik send vmbe rêd to jêva. Thju Burchfâm mot lêra hjam ho hja thêrmith to wærk gâ mota by thæ mænniska. Êr en Burchfâm hjra stêd innimt, mot hju thrych thet lând fâra en fyl jêr. Thrê grêva burchhêra ænd thrja alda fâmna gan mith hiri mitha. Alsa is-t âk my gvngon. Min fârt is alingen thêre Rêne wêst, thjus kâd opward, alingen thêre ôre syde ofward. Ho hâger ik upkêm, to ærmer likte mi tha mænniska. Wral inna Rêne hêde mæn utstekka makad. Thet sôn thæt thêr ain kêm, wrde mith wêter wr skêpfachta gâten vmbe gold to winnande. Men tha mængêrta ne drogon thêr nêne golden krone fon. Êr wêron thêr mâr wêst, men sont wi Skênland miste, send hja nêi tha berga gyngon. Thêr delvath hja yserirtha, thêr hja yser of mâkja. Boppa thêre Rêne twisk thet berchta, thêr hæv ik Mârsæta sjan. Tha Mârsâta thæt send mænniska thêr invppa mâra hêma. Hjara husa send vp pælum buwad. Thæt is vret wilde kwik ænda bose mænniska. Thêr send wolva, bâra ænd swârte grislika lâwa. And hja send tha swetsar jeftha pælingar fonda hêinde Krêkalandar, thêra Kælta folgar ænd tha vrwildere Twiskar, alle gyrich nêi râv ænd but. Tha Mârsâta helpath hiara selva mith fiska ænd jåga. Tha huda wrdat thrych tha wiya tomâkad ænd birhet mith skors fon berkum. Tha litha huda saft lik fâmnafilt. Thju burchfâm et Fryasburch sêide vs thæt hja gode ênfalde

booty. The Marsaten gain their livelihood by fishing and hunting. The skins are sewn together by the women, and prepared with birch bark. The small skins are as soft as a woman's skin. The Burgtmaagd at Fryasburgt (Freiburg) told us that they were good, simple people; but if I had not heard her speak of them first, I should have thought that they were not Frya's people, they looked so impudent. Their wool and herbs are bought by the Rhine people, and taken to foreign countries by the ship captains. Along the other side of the Rhine it was just the same as at Lydasburcht (Leiden). There was a great river or lake, and upon this lake also there were people living upon piles. But they were not Frya's people; they were black and brown men who had been employed as rowers to bring home the men who had been making foreign voyages, and they had to stay there till the fleet went back.

At last we came to Alderga. At the head of the south harbour lies the Waraburgt, built of stone, in which all kinds of clothes, weapons, shells, and horns are kept, which were brought by the sea-people from distant lands. A quarter of an hour's distance from there is Alderga, a great river surrounded by houses, sheds, and gardens, all richly decorated. In the river lay a great fleet ready, with banners of all sorts of colours. On Frya's day the shields were hung on board likewise. Some shone like the sun. The shields of the sea-king and the admiral were bordered with gold. From the river a canal was dug going past the citadel Forana (Vroonen), with a narrow outlet to the sea. This was the egress of the fleet; the Fly was the ingress. On both sides of the river are fine houses built, painted in bright colours. The gardens are all surrounded by green hedges. I saw there women wearing felt tunics, as if it were writing felt. Just as at Staveren, the girls wore golden crowns on their heads, and rings on their arms and ankles. To the south of Forana lies Alkmarum. Alkmarum is a lake or river in which there is an island. On this island the black and brown people must remain, the same as at Lydasburgt. The Burgtmaagd of Forana told me that the burgtheeren go every day to teach them what real freedom is, and how it behoves men to live in order to obtain the blessing of Wr-alda's spirit. If there was any one who was willing to listen and could comprehend, he was kept there till he was fully taught. That was done in order to instruct the distant people, and to make friends everywhere. I had been before in the Saxenmarken, at the Mannagardaforde castle (Munster). There I saw more poverty than I could discover wealth here. She answered: So whenever at the Saxenmarken a young man courts a young girl, the girls ask: Can you keep your house free from the banished Twisklanders? Have you ever killed any of them? How many cattle have you already caught, and how many bear and wolfskins have you brought to market? And from this it comes that the Saxons have left the cultivation of the soil to the women, that not one in a hundred can read or write; from this it comes, too, that no one has a motto on his shield, but only a misshapen form of some animal that he has killed; and lastly, from this comes also that they are very warlike, but sometimes as stupid as the beasts that they catch, and as poor as the Twisklanders with whom they go to war. The earth and the sea were made for Frya's people. All our rivers run into the sea. The Lydas people and the Findas people will exterminate each other, and we must people the empty countries. In movement and sailing is our prosperity. If you wish the highlanders to share our riches and wisdom, I will give you a piece of advice. Let the girls, when they are asked to marry, before they say ves. ask their lovers: What parts of the world have you travelled in? What can you tell your children about distant lands and distant people? If they do this, then the young warriors will come to us; they will become wiser and richer, and we shall have no occasion to deal with those nasty people. The youngest of the maids who were with me came from the Saxenmarken. When we came back she asked leave to go home. Afterwards she became Burgtmaagd there, and that is the reason why in these days so many of our sailors are Saxons

#### END OF APOLLONIA'S BOOK.

- \* Lions in Europe, see Herodotus, vii. 125.
- † Swetsar are Swiss.
- ‡ Fryasburch is Freiburg.
- § Lydasburch is Leyden, the city.
- CFlyt, jeftha mâre, is a lake or sea.
- 1 Felt, very thin and compressed, with a smooth surface.
- \* Forana is Vroonen.
- † Engamuda is Egmond.
- ‡ Diodorus Siculus. v. 27, on the Gauls.

mænniska weron. Thach hêd ik hja êr navt sprêken hêred, ik skolde mênath hæve thæt hja nên Fryas wêre, men wilda, sâ ryst sâgon hja ut. Hjra fachta ænd kruda wrdon thrvch tha Rênhêmar vrwandelath ænd thrvch tha stjurar buta brocht. Alingen thère Rêne wêr et alên, til Lydasburch. Thêr was en grâte flyt. Invppa thisra flyt wêron âk mænniska, thêr husa vp pæla hêde. Men thæt nêr nên Fryas folk, men thæt wêron swarte ænd bruna mænniska, thêr thjanath hêde to rojar vmbe tha butafârar to honk to helpane. Hja moston thêr bilywa til thju thju flâte wither wêi brûda.

To tha lersta kêmon wi to-t Alderga. By-t suderhâvahâved stêt thju Wâraburch, en stênhus, thêrin send allerlêja skulpa, hulka, wêpne ænd klathar wârad, fon fêre landum, thrych tha stjurar mith brocht. En fjardêl dâna is-t Alderga. En grâte flyt omborad mith lothum, husa ænd gârdum, ella riklik sjarad. Invpper flyt lêi en grâte flâte rêd, mith fônon fon allerlêja farwa. Et Fryas dêi hongon tha skilda omma tha borda to. Svme blikton lik svnna. Tha skilda thêr witking ænd thêra skolta bi tha nachtum wêron mith gold vmborad. Abefta thêre flyt was en græft græven, to hlåpande dåna alingen thêre burch Forâna ænd forth mith en ênga muda in sê. To fâra thêre flâte wêre thit tha utgvng ænd et Fly tha ingvng. A bêde syda thêre græft send skêne husa mith hel blikanda farwa mâlad. Tha gårdne send mit altid grêne hågym omtunad. Ik hæv thêr wiva sian, thêr filtne tohnekna drogon as t skriffilt wêre. Lik to Stavere wêron tha mængêrtne mith golden kronum vppira holum ænd mith hringum om ærma ænd fêt siarad. Sudward fon Forâna lêid Alkmârum, Alkmârum is en mâre jefta flyt, thêrin lêid en êland, vppa thæt êland moton tha swarte ænd bruna mænniska hwila êvin as to Lydahisburch. Thju Burchfâm fon Forâna sêide my, thæt tha burchhêra dêistik to-râ gvngon vmb ra to lêrande, hwat æfte frydom sy, ænd ho tha mænniska an thêre minne agon to lêvane vmbe sêjen to winnande fon Wr.aldas gâst. Was thêr hwa thêr hêra wilde ænd bigripa machte, sa wærth er halden, alont er fvl lêrad wêre. Thæt wrde dên vmbe tha fêrhêmande folka wis to mâkane, ænd vmbe vral âtha to winnande. Êr hêd ik anda Sâxanamarka to thêr burch Mænnagârda forda wêst-Thach thêr hêd ik mâr skâmelhêd sjan, as-k hyr rikdom spêrde. Hju andere: så hwersa thêr an da Sâxanamarka en frêjar kvmath en mangêrte to bi frêjande, alsa frêjath tha mængêrtne thêr, kanst thin hus fry wêra tojenst tha bannane Twisklandar, hæst nach nêne fælad, ho fêlo bufle hæst al fænsen ænd ho fêlo bâra ænd wolva huda hæst al vppa thêre mærk brocht? Dâna ist kymen thæt tha Saxmanna thju buw anda wiva vrlêten hæve. Thæt fon hvndred to sêmine nên êne lêsa mêi ner skriwa ne kæn. Dâna is t kvmen, thæt nimman nên sprêk vppa sin skild neth, men blât en mislikande dânte fon en diar, thæt er fælad heth. And ændlik, dâna is-t kymen, thæt hja sêr wichandlik ewrden send, men to met êvin dym send as et kwik, thæt hja fænsa, ænd êvin erm as tha Twisklândar, hwêr mith hja orloge. To fâra Fryas folk is irtha ænd sê eskêpen. Al vsa rinstrâma runath vppa sê to. Thæt Lydas folk ænd thæt Findas folk skil ekkorum vrdelgja, ænd wy moton tha lêthoga landa bifolka. In t fon ænd omme fåra lêid vs held. Wilst nw thæt tha boppalânder dêl hæve an vsa rikdom ænd wisdom, så skil ik thi en rêd jêva. Lêt et tha mangêrtne to wênhêd wrde hjara frêjar to frêjande, êr hja ja segsa: hwêr hæst al in wralda ommefâren, hwad kænst thin bern tella wra fêra landa ænd wra fêrhêmanda folka? Dyath hja alsa, så skilun tha wichandlika knåpa to vs kvma. Hja skilun wiser wærtha ænd rikkâr ænd wi ne skilun nên bihof longer navt næve an thæt wla thjud. Tha jongste thêr fâmna fon thêra thêr by mi wêron, kêm uta Saxsanamarka wêi. As wi nw to hongk kêmon, heth hju orlovi frêjad vmbe nêi hjra hus to gâne. Afternêi is hju thêr Burchfâm wrden, ænd dâna is-t kvmen thæt er hjudêga så felo Saxmænna by tha stjurar fåre.

Ende fon thet Apollonia bok.

#### § Mannagårdaforda is Munster.

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#### THE WRITINGS OF FRÊTHORIK AND WILIOW

Tha skrifta fon Frethorik and Wiljow.

My name is Frêthorik, surnamed oera Linda, which means over the Linden. In Ljudwardia I was chosen as Asga. Ljudwardia is a new village within the fortification of the Ljudgaarda, of which the name has fallen into disrepute. In my time much has happened. I had written a good deal about it, but afterwards much more was related to me. I will write an account of both one and the other after this book, to the honour of the good people and to the disgrace of the bad.

In my youth I heard complaints on all sides. The bad time was coming: the bad time did come—Frya had forsaken us. She withheld from us all her watch-maidens, because monstrous idolatrous images had been found within our landmarks. I burnt with curiosity to see those images. In our neighbourhood a little old woman tottered in and out of the houses, always calling out about the bad times. I came to her; she stroked my chin; then I became bold, and asked her if she would show me the bad times and the images. She laughed good-naturedly, and took me to the citadel. An old man asked me if I could read and write. No, I said. Then you must first go and learn, he replied, otherwise it may not be shown to you. I went daily to the writer and learnt. Eight years afterwards I heard that our Burgtmaagd had been unchaste, and that some of the burgtheeren had committed treason with the Magy, and many people took their part. Everywhere disputes arose. There were children rebelling against their parents; good people were secretly murdered. The little old woman who had brought everything to light was found dead in a ditch. My father, who was a judge, would have her avenged. He was murdered in the night in his own house. Three years after that the Magy was master without any resistance. The Saxmen had remained religious and upright. All the good people fled to them. My mother died of it. Now I did like the others. The Magy prided himself upon his canning, but Irtha made him know that she would not tolerate any Magy or idol on the holy bosom that had borne Frya. As a wild horse tosses his mane after he has thrown his rider, so Irtha shook her forests and her mountains. Rivers flowed over the land; the sea raged; mountains spouted fire to the clouds, and what they vomited forth the clouds flung upon the earth. At the beginning of the Arnemaand (harvest month) the earth bowed towards the north, and sank down lower and lower. In the Welvenmaand (winter month) the low lands of Fryasland were buried under the sea. The woods in which the images were, were torn up and scattered by the wind. The following year the frost came in the Hardemaand (Louwmaand, January), and laid Fryasland concealed under a sheet of ice. In Sellemaand (Sprokkelmaand, February) there were storms of wind from the north, driving mountains of ice and stones. When the spring-tides came the earth raised herself up, the ice melted; with the ebb the forests with the images drifted out to sea. In the Winne, or Minnemaand (Bloeimaand, May), every one who dared went home. I came with a maiden to the citadel Liudgaarde. How sad it looked there. The forests of the Lindaoorden were almost all gone. Where Liudgaarde used to be was sea. The waves swept over the fortifications, Ice had destroyed the tower, and the houses lay heaped over each other. On the slope of the dyke I found a stone on which the writer had inscribed his name. That was a sign to me. The same thing had happened to other citadels as to ours. In the upper lands they had been destroyed by the earth, in the lower lands by the water. Fryasburgt, at Texland, was the only one found uninjured, but all the land to the north was sunk under the sea, and has never been recovered. At the mouth of the Flymeer, as we were told, thirty salt swamps were found, consisting of the forest and the ground that had been swept away. At Westflyland there were fifty. The canal which had run across the land from Alderga was filled up with sand and destroyed. The seafaring people and other travellers who were at home had saved themselves, their goods, and their relations upon their ships. But the black people at Lydasburgt and Alkmarum had done the same; and as they went south they saved many girls, and as no one came to claim them, they took them for their wives. The people who came back all lived within the lines of the citadel, as outside there was nothing but mud and marsh. The old houses were all smashed together. People bought cattle and sheep from the upper lands, and in the great houses where formerly the maidens were established cloth and felt were made for a livelihood. This happened 1888 years after the submersion of Atland.

Min nôm is Frêthorik to nomath oera Linda, thæt wil segsa ovir tha Linda. To Ljudwardja bin ik to Asga kêren. Ljudwardja is en ny thorp, binna thene ringdik fon thêr burch Ljudgarda, hwêrfon tha nôma an vnêr kvmen is. Vnder mina tida is er fül bêred. Fül hêd ik thêr vr skrêven, men æfternêi send mi âk fêlo thinga meld. Fon ên ænd ôther wil ik en skêdnese æfter thit bok skrywa, tha goda mænniska to n êre tha ærga to vnêre. In min jüged hêrd ik grêdwird alomme, ærge tid kêm, ærge tid was

In min jüged hêrd ik grêdwird alomme, ærge tid kêm, ærge tid was kvmen, Frya hêd vs lêton, hjra wâkfâmkes hêde hju abefta halden, hwand drochten likande bylda wêron binna vsa lândpæla fvnden.

Ik brônde fon nysgyr vmbe thi bylda to bisjan. In vsa bûrt strompele en ôld fâmke to tha husa uta in, immer to kêthande vrærge tid. Ik gyrde hja ling syde. Hju strik mi omme kin to. Nw wrd ik drist ænd frêje jef hju mi ærge tid ænd tha bylda rêis wisa wilde. Hju lakte godlik ænd brocht mi vpper burch. En grêve mæn frêje my jef ik al lêsa ænd skrywa kv. Nê sêid ik. Thæn most êrost to ga ænd lêra, sêid er owers ne mêi t jow navt wysen wrde. Dystik gyng ik bi tha skriwer lêra. Acht jêr lêtter hêrd ik, vsa burchfâm hêde hordom bidryven ænd svme burchhêra hêdon vrrêd plêgad mith tha Magy, ænd fêlo mænniska wêron vp hjara syde. Vral kêm twispalt. Thêr wêron bern, thêr vpstandon ajen hjara eldrum. Inna gluppa wrdon tha froda mænniska morth. Thet alde fâmke, thêr ella bâr mâkade, wærth dâd fynden in en grupe. Min tât, thêr rjuchter wêre, wilde hja wrêken hâ. Nachtis wærth er in sin hus vrmorth. Thrju jêr lêtter wêr thene Mågy bås synder strid. Tha Saxmænna wêron frome ænd frod bilywen. Nêi tham fljuchton alle gode mænniska. Min mæm bistvrv-et. Nw dêd ik lik tha ôthera. Thi Mâgy bogade vppa sinra snôdhêd. Men Irtha skold im thâna, thæt hja nên Mâgy ner afgoda to lêta ne mochte to thêre hêlge skêta, hwêrut hju Frya bêrade. Êvin sa thet wilde hors sina mænna sked, nêi thæt thet sina ridder gersfallich mâkad heth, êvin sâ skodde Irtha hjra walda ænd berga. Rinstrâma wrdon ovira fjelda sprêd. Sê kokade. Berga spydon nêi tha wolkum, ænd hwad hja spyth hêde, swikton tha wolka wither vp jrtha. By t anfang there Arnemônath nigade jrtha northward, hju sêg del, ôl lêgor ænd lêgor. Anna Wolfamônath lêidon tha Dênemarka fon Fryas lând vnder-ne sê bidobben. Tha walda thêr bylda in wêron, wrdon vphyvath ænd thêr windum spel. Thet jêr æfter kêm frost inna Herdemônath ænd lêid ôld Fryas lând vnder en plônke skul. In Sellamônath kêm stornewind ut et northa wêi, mith forande berga fon ise ænd stênum. Tha spring kêm, hyf jrtha hjra selva vp. Ise smolt wêi. Ebbe kêm ænd tha walda mith byldum drêvon nêi sê. Inner Winna jeftha Minnamônath gyng aider thurvar wither hêm fâra. Ik kêm mith en fâm to thêre burch Ljudgârda. Ho drove sach et ut. Tha walda thêra Lindawrda wêron mêst wêi. Thêr tha Ljudgârde wêst hêde, was sê. Sin hef fêtere thene hringdik. Ise hêde tha tore wêi brocht ænd tha husa lêide in thrych ekkôrum. Anna helde fonna dik fond ik en stên, vsa skriver hêd er sin nôm inwryten, thæt wêre my en bâken. Sâ-t mith vsa burch gyngen was, was t mith mitha ôra gvngon. Inna hâga lânda wêron hja thrvch jrtha, inna dêna landa thrych wêter yrdên. Allêna Fryasburch to Texland wærth vnedêrad fvnden. Men al et lænd thet northward lêid hêde, wêre vnder sê. Noch nis t navt boppa brocht. An thæs kâd fon t Flymâre wêron nêi meld wrde thrichtich salta mâra kvmen, vnstonden thrvch tha walda, thêr mith grvnd ænd al vrdrêven wêron. To Westflyland fiftich. Thi græft thêr fon-t Alderga thweres to het land thrychlâpen hêde, was yrsôndath ænd yrdên. Tha stjurar ænd ôr fårande folk, thêr to honk wêron, hêde hjara selva mith måga ænd sibba vppira skepum hret. Men thæt swarte folk fon Lydasburch ænd Alikmarum hêde alên dên. Thawil tha swarta sûdward dryvon, hêdon hja fêlo mængêrtne hret, ænd nêidam nimman ne kêm to aska tham, hildon hja tham to hjara wiva. Tha mænniska thêr to bek kêmon, gvngon alle binna tha hringdika thêra burgum hêma, thrvchdam et thêr buta al slyp ænd broklând wêre. Tha gamla husa wrde byên klust. Fona boppalândum kâpade mæn ky ænd skêp, ænd inna tha grâte husa thêr to fâra tha fâmna sêten hêde, wrde nw lêken ænd filt mâkad, vmbe thes lêvens willa. Thæt skêd 1888 jêr nêi thæt Atlând synken was. In 282 jêr nêdon wi nên Êremoder navt hat, ænd nw ella tomet vrlêren

In 282 jêr nêdon wi nên Eremoder navt hat, ænd nw ella tomet vrlêren skinde, gvng mæn êne kjasa. Thet hlot falde vp Gosa to nômath Makonta. Hju wêre Burchfâm et Fryasburch to Texlând. Hel fon hawed ænd klâr fon sin, êlle god, ænd thrvchdam hira burch allêna spârad was, sach alrik thêrut hira hropang. Tjan jêr lêttere kêmon tha stjurar fon Forana ænd fon

For 282 years we had not had an Eeremoeder, and now, when everything seemed lost, they set about choosing one. The lot fell upon Gosa, surnamed Makonta. She was Burgtmaagd at Fryasburgt, in Texland. She had a clear head and strong sense, and was very good; and as her citadel was the only one that had been spared, every one saw in that her call. Ten years after that the seafarers came from Forana and Lydasburgt. They wished to drive the black men, with their wives and children, out of the country. They wished to obtain the opinion of the mother upon the subject. She asked them: Can you send them all back to their country? If so, then lose no time, or they will find no relatives alive. No, they said. Gosa replied: They have eaten your bread and salt; they have placed themselves entirely under your protection. You must consult your own hearts. But I will give you one piece of advice. Keep them till you are able to send them back, but keep them outside your citadels. Watch over their morals, and educate them as if they were Frya's sons. Their women are the strongest here. Their blood will disappear like smoke, till at last nothing but Frya's blood will remain in their descendants. So they remained here. Now, I should wish that my descendants should observe in how far Gosa spoke the truth. When our country began to recover, there came troops of poor Saxon men and women to the neighbourhoods of Staveren and Alderga, to search for gold and other treasures in the swampy lands. But the sea-people would not permit it, so they went and settled in the empty village of the West Flyland in order to preserve their lives.

- \* 2193-1888 is 305 before Christ.
- † Since 587 before Christ. See pages 110 and 112.

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## NOW I WILL RELATE HOW THE GEERTMAN AND MAN' FOLLOWERS OF HELLENIA CAME BACK.

Two years after Gosa had become the mother (303 B.C.) there arrived a fleet at Flymeer. The people shouted "Ho-n-sêen" (What a blessing). They sailed to Staveren, where they shouted again. Their flags were hoisted, and at night they shot lighted arrows into the air. At daylight some of them rowed into the harbour in a boat, shouting again, "Ho-n-sêen." When they landed a young fellow jumped upon the rampart. In his hand he held a shield on which bread and salt were laid. After him came a grey-headed man, who said we come from the distant Greek land to preserve our customs. Now we wish you to be kind enough to give us as much land as will enable us to live. He told a long story, which I will hereafter relate more fully. The old man did not know what to do. They sent messengers all round, also to me. I went, and said now that we have a mother it behoves us to ask her advice. I went with them myself. The mother, who already knew it all, said: Let them come, they will help us to keep our lands, but do not let them remain in one place, that they may not become too powerful over us. We did as she said, which was quite to their liking. Fryso remained with his people at Staveren, which they made again into a port as well as they could. Wichhirte went with his people eastwards to the Emude. Some of the descendants of Jon who imagined that they sprang from the Alderga people went there. A small number, who fancied that their forefathers had come from the seven islands, went there and set themselves down within the enclosure of the citadel of Walhallagara. Liudgert, the admiral of Wichhirt, was my comrade, and afterwards my friend. Out of his diary I have taken the following history.

After we had been settled 12 times 100 and twice 12 years in the Five Waters (Punjab), whilst our naval warriors were navigating all the seas they could find, came Alexander the King, with a powerful army descending the river towards our villages. No one could withstand him; but we sea people, who lived by the sea, put all our possessions on board ships and took our departure. When Alexander heard that such a large fleet had escaped him, he became furious, and swore that he would burn all the villages if we did not come back. Wichhirte was ill in bed. When Alexander heard that, he waited till he was better. After that he came to him, speaking very kindly—but he deceived, as he had done before. Wichhirte answered: Oh greatest of kings, we sailors go everywhere; we have heard of your great deeds, therefore we are full of respect for your arms, and still more for your wisdom; but we who are free-born Fryas children, we may mot become your slaves; and even if I would, the others would sooner die, for so it is commanded in our laws. Alexander said: I do not desire to take your land or make slaves of your people, I only wish Nw wil ik skriwa ho tha gêrtmanna and fêlo Hêlênja folgar tobek kêmon.

Lydas burch. Hja wildon tha swarta mænniska mith wif ænd bern to thet

lând utdryva. Thêrwr wildon hia thêre Moder is rêd biwinna. Men Gosa

frêje, kænst ên ænd ôr to bek fora nêi hjra lândum, thæn âchste spod to

måkjande, owers ne skilun hia hjara måga navt wither ne finda. Në sëide

hja. Thâ sêide Gosa: Hja hævon thin salt provad ænd thin bræd êten. Hjara

lif ænd lêva hævon hja vnder jow hod stælad. I moste jow ajne hirta

bisêka. Men ik wil thi en rêd jeva. Hald hjam alond jow wældich biste vm

ra wither honk to fora. Men hald hjam bi jow burgum thêr bûta. Wâk ovir

hjara sêd ænd lêr hjam as jef hja Fryas svna wêre. Hjra wiva send hyr tha

steriksta. As rêk skil hjara blod vrfljuchta, til er tha lesta navt owers as Fryas blod in hjara æfterkvmande skil bilywa. Så send hja hyr bilêwen.

Nw winst ik wel thæt mina æfterkvmande thêr vp letta, ho fêr Gosa wêrhêd sprek. Thâ vsa lânda wither to bigana wêr, kêmon thêr banda

erma Saxmanna ænd wiva nêi tha vvrdum fon Stavere ænd thæt Alderga,

vmbe golden ænd ôra sjarhêd to sêkane fon ut tha wasige bodeme. Thach

tha stjurar nildon hja navt to lêta. Tha gyngon hja tha lêthoga thorpa

bihêma to West Flyland, vmbe ra lif to bihaldane.

Twa iêr nêi thæt Gosa Moder wrde, kêm er en flâte to thet Flymara in fala. Thet folk hropte ho.n.sêen. Hja foron til Stavere, thêr hropton hja jeta rêis. Tha fôna wêron an top ænd thes nachtes skâton hja barnpila anda loft. Thâ dêirêd wêre rojadon svme mith en snâke to thêre hava in. Hja hropton wither ho.n. sêen. Thâ hja landa hipte-n jong kerdel wal vp. In sina handa hêdi-n skild, thêrvp was bræd ænd salt lêid. Afterdam kêm en grêva, hi sêide wi kvmath fona fere Krêkalandum wêi, vmb vsa sêd to warjande, nw winstath wi i skolde alsa mild wêsa vs alsa fül lând to jêvane thæt wi thêrvp müge hêma. Hi telade-n êle skêdnese thêr ik æfter bêtre skryva wil. Tha grêva niston navt hwat to dvande, hja sandon bodon allerwêikes, âk to my. Ik gvng to ænd sêide: nw wi-n Moder hæve agon wi hjra rêd to frêjande. Ik selva gyng mitha. Thju Moder, thêr ella wiste, sêide, lêt hja kvme, så mügon hja vs lånd helpa bihalda: men lêt hjam navt vp êne stêd ne bilyva, til thju hja navt waldich ne wrde ovir vs. Wi dêdon as hju sêid hêde. That wêre êl nêi hjra hêi. Fryso reste mith sinâ ljudum to Stavere, that hja wither to êne sêstêde mâkade, sa god hja machte. Wichhirte gvng mith sinum ljudum astward nêi there Êmude. Svme thêra Johnjar, thêr mênde thæt hja font Alderga folk sproten wêre, gvngen thêr hinne. En lyth dêl thêr wânde thæt hjara êthla fon tha sjugon êlanda wei kêmon, gvngon hinne ænd setton hjara selva binna tha hringdik fon thêre burch Walhallagâra del. Ljudgêrt thene skolte bi nachte fon Wichhirte wærth min æthe æfternêi min frjund. Fon ut sin dêibok hæv ik thju skêdnese thêr hir æfter skil folgia.

Nei thæt wi 12 mel 100 ænd twia 12 jêr bi tha fif wêtrum sêten hêde, thahwila vsa sêkæmpar alle sêa bifaren hêde thêr to findane, kêm Alexandre tham kêning mith en weldich hêr fon boppa allingen thêr strâm vsa thorpa bifâra. Nimman ne mæcht im wither worda. Thach wi stjurar thêr by tha sê sâton, wi skêpt vs mith al vsa tilbêre hava in ænd brûda hinna. Tha Alexandre fornom thæt im så ne gråte flåte vntfåra was, wærth er wodinlik, to swêrande hi skolde alle thorpa an logha offerja jef wi navt to bek kvma nilde. Wichhirte lêide siak to bedde. Thâ Alexandre thæt fornom heth er wacht alont er bêter wêre. Afternêi kêm er to him sêr kindlyk snakkande, thach hi thrjvchde lik hi êr dên hêde. Wichhirte andere thêr æfter, o aldergrâteste thêra kêningar. Wi stjurar kvmath allerwêikes, wi hâven fon jow grâte dêdun hêred. Thêrvmbe send wi fvl êrbidenese to fara jowa wêpne, tha jet mar vr thina witskip. Men wi ôthera wy send frybern Fryas bern. Wy ne mügon nêne slâfona navt ne wrde. Jef ik wilde, tha ôra skolde rêder sterva willa, hwand alsa ist thrvch vsa êwa bifôlen. Alexandre sêide: ik wil thin lând navt ne mâkia to min bût, ner thin folk to mina slâfona. Ik wil blât thæt ste my thjanja skolste vmb lân. Thêrvr wil ik swêra by vs bêdar godum, thæt nimman vr my wrogja skil.

to hire your services. That I will swear by both our Gods, so that no one may be dissatisfied. When Alexander shared bread and salt with him, Wichhirte had chosen the wisest part. He let his son fetch the ships. When they were all come back Alexander hired them all. By means of them he wished to transport his people to the holy Ganges, which he had not been able to reach. Then he chose among all his people and soldiers those who were accustomed to the sea. Wichhirte had fallen sick again, therefore I went alone with Nearchus, sent by the king. The voyage came to an end without any advantage, because the Joniers and the Phœnicians were always quarrelling, so that Nearchus himself could not keep them in order. In the meantime, the king had not sat still. He had let his soldiers cut down trees and make planks, with which, with the help of our carpenters, he had built ships. Now he would himself become a sea-king, and sail with his whole army up the Ganges; but the soldiers who came from the mountainous countries were afraid of the sea. When they heard that they must sail, they set fire to the timber yards, and so our whole village was laid in ashes. At first we thought that this had been done by Alexander's orders, and we were all ready to cast ourselves into the sea: but Alexander was furious, and wished his own people to kill the soldiers. However, Nearchus, who was not only his chief officer, but also his friend, advised him not to do so. So he pretended to believe that it had happened by accident, and said no more about it. He wished now to return, but before going he made an inquiry who really were the guilty ones. As soon as he ascertained it, he had them all disarmed, and made them build a new village. His own people he kept under arms to overawe the others, and to build a citadel. We were to take the women and children with us. When we arrived at the mouth of the Euphrates, we might either choose a place to settle there or come back. Our pay would be guaranteed to us the same in either case. Upon the new ships which had been saved from the fire he embarked the Joniers and the Greeks. He himself went with the rest of his people along the coast, through the barren wilderness; that is, through the land that she had heaved up out of the sea when she had raised up the strait as soon as our forefathers had passed into the Red Sea.

When we arrived at New Gertmania (New Gertmania is the port that we had made in order to take in water), we met Alexander with his army. Nearchus went ashore, and stayed three days. Then we proceeded further on. When we came to the Euphrates, Nearchus went ashore with the soldiers and a large body of people; but he soon returned, and said, The King requests you, for his sake, to go a voyage up the Red Sea; after that each shall receive as much gold as he can carry. When we arrived there, he showed us where the strait had formerly been. There he spent thirtyone days, always looking steadily towards the desert.

At last there arrived a great troop of people, bringing with them 200 elephants, 1000 camels, a quantity of timber, ropes, and all kinds of implements necessary to drag our fleet to the Mediterranean Sea. This astounded us, and seemed most extraordinary; but Nearchus told us that his king wished to show to the other kings that he was more powerful than any kings of Tyre had ever been. We were only to assist, and that surely could do us no harm. We were obliged to yield, and Nearchus knew so well how to regulate everything, that before three months had elapsed our ships lay in the Mediterranean Sea. When Alexander ascertained how his project had succeeded, he became so audacious that he wished to dig out the dried-up strait in defiance of Irtha; but Wr-alda deserted his soul, so that he destroyed himself by wine and rashness before he could begin it. After his death his kingdom was divided among his princes. They were each to have preserved a share for his sons, but that was not their intention. Each wished to keep his own share, and to get more. Then war arose, and we could not return. Nearchus wished us to settle on the coast of Phœnicia, but that no one would do. We said we would rather risk the attempt to return to Fryasland. Then he brought us to the new port of Athens, where all the true children of Frya had formerly gone. We went, soldiers with our goods and weapons. Among the many princes Nearchus had a friend named Antigonus. These two had only one object in view, as they told us-to help the royal race, and to restore freedom to all the Greek lands. Antigonus had, among many others, one son named Demetrius, afterwards called the "City Winner." He went once to the town of Salamis, and after he had been some time fighting there, he had an engagement with the fleet of Ptolemy. Ptolemy was the name of the prince who reigned over Egypt. Demetrius won the battle, not by his own soldiers, but because we helped him. We had done this out of friendship for Nearchus, because we knew that he was of bastard birth by his white skin, blue eyes, and fair hair. Afterwards, Demetrius attacked Rhodes, and we transported thither his soldiers and provisions. When we made our last Tha Alexandre æfternei bræd ænd salt mith im dêlade, heth Wichhirte that wiste dêl kâsen. Hi lêt tha skêpa hala thrych sin syne. Tha thi alle tobek wêron, heth Alexandre thi alle hêred. Thêr mitha wilde hi sin folk nêi tha helge Gônga fâra, thêr hi to land navt hêde mûge nâka. Nw gyng er to ænd kâs altham ut sin folk ænd ut sina salt-atha thêr wenath wêron vvr-ne sê to fârane. Wichhirte was wither siak wrden, thêrymbe gyng ik allêna mitha ænd Nearchus fon thes keningis wêga. Thi tocht hlip synder fardêl to-n-ende, uthâvede tha Johnjar immerthe an vnmin wêron with tha Phonisjar, alsa Nêarchus thêr selva nên bâs ovir bilywe ne kv. Intwiska hêde tham kêning navt stile nêst. Hi hêde sina salt-atha bâma kapja lêta ænd to planka måkja. Thrvch help vsar timberljud hêder thêr of skêpa mâkad. Nw wilder selva sêkêning wertha, ænd mith êl sin hêr thju Gonga vpfåra. Thach the salt atha ther for thet bergland kemon, weron ang to fara sê. As hja hêradon thæt hja mith moste, stakon hja tha timberhlotha ane brônd. Thêr thrych wrde ys êle thorp anda aska lêid. Thet forma wânde wy thæt Alexandre thæt bifalen hêde ænd jahw êder stand rêd vmb sê to kjasane. Men Alexander wêre wodin, hi wilde tha salt-atha thrych sin ajn folk ombrensa lêta. Men Nêar-chus tham navt allêna sin êroste forst men ak sin frjund wêre, rêde him owers to dvande. Nw bêrad er as wen der lavade thet vnluk et dên hêde. Tha hi ne thyrade sin tocht navt vrfata. Nw wild er to bek kêra, thach êr hi thæt dêde, lêt hi thet forma bisêka hwar skeldich wêron. Dryr thæt wiste lêt er altham synder wêpne bilywa. vmb en ny thorp to mâkjande. Fon sin ajn folk lêt er wepned vmbe tha ôra to tæmma, ænd vmbe êne burch to bywande. Wy moston wiy ænd bern mith nimma. Kêmon wi anda muda thêre Êuphrat, sa machton wi thêr en stêd kiasa jeftha omkêra, vs lân skold vs êvin blyd to dêlath wrde. An tha nya skêpa, thêr tha brônd vntkvma wêron, let-er Johniar ænd Krêkalandar gâ. Hi selva gvng mith sin ôra folk allingen thêre kâd thrych tha dorra wostêna, thæt is thrych et land thæt Irtha yphêid hêde uta sê, tha hju thju strête after vsa êthela vphêide as hja inna Râde sê kêmon.

Tha wy to ny Gêrtmanja kèmon (ny Gêrtmanja is en hâva thêr wi selva makad hede, vmbe thêr to wêterja) mêton wi Alexandre mith sin hêr. Nêarchus gyng wal vp ænd bêide thrja dêga. Tha gyng et wither forth. Tha wi bi thêre Êuphrat kêmon, gyng Nêarchus mith sina salt-atha ænd fèlo fon sin folk wal vp. Tha hi kêm hring wither. Hi sêide, thi kêning lêt jow bidda, i skille jet en lithge tocht to sinra wille dvan, alont et ende fona Râde sê. Thêrnêi skil jawehder sâ fûl gold krêja as er bêra mêi. Tha wi thêr kêmon, lêt er vs wysa hwêr thju strête êr wêst hêde. Thêr nêi wylader ên ænd thritich dêga, alan ut sjande vvra wostêne.

Tho tha lesta kêm er en hloth mænniska mith forande twa hondred êlephanta thvsend kêmlun tolêden mith woden balkum, râpum ænd allerlêja ark vmbe vsa flâte nêi tha Middelsê to tyande. Thæt bisâwd-vs, ænd likt vs bal to, men Nêarchus teld vs, sin kêning wilde tha ôthera kêninggar tâna that i weldiger wêre, sâ tha kêninggar fon Thyris êr wêsen hêde. Wi skoldon men mith helpa, sêkur skolde vs thæt nên skâda navt dva. Wi moston wel swika, ænd Nearchus wiste ella så pront to birjuchte thæt wi inna Middelsê lêide êr thrja mônatha forby wêron. Tha Alexandre fornom ho-t mith sinra onwerp ofkvmen was, wærth er sa vrmêten thæt er tha drage strête utdiapa wilde Irtha to n spot. Men Wr.alda lêt sine sêle lâs, thêrvmbe vrdronk er inna win ænd in sina ovirmodichhêd, êr thæt er bijinna kvste. After sin dåd wrde thet rik dêlad thrvch sina forsta. Hja skolde alrek en dêl to fara sina svnum wârja, thach hja wêron vnmênis. Elk wilde sin dêl bihalda ænd selva formâra. Tha kêm orloch ænd wi ne kvste navt omme kêra. Nêarchus wilde nw, wi skolde vs del setta an Phonisi his kâd, men thæt nilde nimman navt ne dva. Wi sêide, rêder willath wi wâga nêi Fryasland to gâna. Tha brocht-er vs nei thêre nya hâva fon Athenia, hwêr alle æfte Fryas bern formels hin têin wêron. Forth gyngon wi salt-âtha liftochta ænd wêpne fâra. Among tha fêlo forsta hêde Nêarchus en frjund mith nôme Antigonus. Thisse strêdon bêde vmb ên dol, så hja sêidon as follistar to fåra-t kêninglike slachte ænd forth vmbe alle Krêkalanda hjara alda frydom wither to jêvane. Antigonus hêde among fêlo ôtherum ênnen syn, thi hête Demêtrius, æfter tonômad thene stêda winner. Thisse gvng ênis vpper stêde Salâmis of. Nêi thæt er thêr en stût mêi strêden hêde most er mith thêre flâte strida fon Ptholemeus. Ptholemêus, alsa hête thene forst thêr welda ovir Êgiptaland. Dêmêtrius wn thêre kêse, tha navt thrvch sina saltâtha, men thrvch dam wy him helpen hêde. Thit hêde wi dên thrych athskip to fâra Nêarchus, hwand wi him far basterd blod bikænde thrvch sin friska hûd ænd blâwa âgon mith wit hêr. After nêi gvng Dêmêtrius lâs vp Hrodus thêr hinne brochton wi sina salt-âtha ând liftochta wr. Thâ wi tha leste rêis to Hrodus kêmon, was orloch vrtvan. Dêmêtrius was nêi Athenia fâren. Tha vs kêning thæt vnderstande, lêd-er vs tobek. Tha wi anda hâve kêmon, wêre êl et thorp in row bidobben. Friso thêr kêning wêr ovir-a flâte, hêde en svn ænd en

voyage to Rhodes, the war was finished. Demetrius had sailed to Athens. When we came into the harbour, the whole village was in deep mourning. Friso, who was king over the fleet, had a son and a daughter so remarkably fair, as if they had just come out of Fryasland, and more beautiful than any one could picture to himself. The fame of this went all over Greece, and came to the ears of Demetrius. Demetrius was vile and immoral, and thought he could do as he pleased. He carried off the daughter. The mother did not dare await the return of her joi (the sailors wives call their husbands joi or zoethart (sweetheart). The men call their wives troost (comfort) and fro or frow, that is, vreuyde (delight) and frolic; that is the same as vreugde.

As she dared not wait for her husband's return, she went with her son to Demetrius, and implored him to send back her daughter; but when Demetrius saw the son he had him taken to his palace, and did to him as he had done to his sister. He sent a bag of gold to the mother, which she flung into the sea. When she came home she was out of her mind, and ran about the streets calling out: Have you seen my children. Woe is me! let me find a place to hide in, for my husband will kill me because I have lost his children.

When Demetrius heard that Friso had come home, he sent messengers to him to say that he had taken his children to raise them to high rank, and to reward him for his services. But Friso was proud and passionate, and sent a messenger with a letter to his children, in which he recommended them to accept the will of Demetrius, as he wished to promote their happiness; but the messenger had another letter with poison, which he ordered them to take: But, said he, your bodies have been defiled against your will. That you are not to blame for; but if your souls are not pure, you will never come into Walhalla. Your spirits will haunt the earth in darkness. Like the bats and owls, you will hide yourselves in the daytime in holes, and in the night will come and shriek and cry about our graves, while Frya must turn her head away from you. The children did as their father had commanded. The messenger had their bodies thrown into the sea, and it was reported that they had fled. Now Friso wished to go with all his people to Frya's land, where he had been formerly, but most of them would not go. So Friso set fire to the village and all the royal storehouses; then no one could remain there, and all were glad to be out of it. We left everything behind us except wives and children, but we had an ample stock of provisions and warlike implements.

Friso was not yet satisfied. When we came to the old harbour, he went off with his stout soldiers and threw fire into all the ships that he could reach with his arrows. Six days later we saw the war-fleet of Demetrius coming down upon us. Friso ordered us to keep back the small ships in a broad line, and to put the large ships with the women and children in front. Further, he ordered us to take the crossbows that were in the fore part and fix them on the sterns of the ships, because, said he, we must fight a retreating battle. No man must presume to pursue a single enemy—that is my order. While we were busy about this, all at once the wind came ahead, to the great alarm of the cowards and the women, because we had no slaves except those who had voluntarily followed us. Therefore we could not escape the enemy by rowing. But Wr-alda knew well why he did this; and Friso, who understood it, immediately had the fire-arrows placed on the crossbows. At the same time he gave the order that no one should shoot before he did, and that we should all aim at the centre ship. If we succeeded in this, he said, the others would all go to its assistance, and then everybody might shoot as he best was able. When we were at a cable and a half distance from them the Phœnicians began to shoot, but Friso did not reply till the first arrow fell six fathoms from his ship. Then he fired, and the rest followed. It was like a shower of fire; and as our arrows went with the wind, they all remained alight and reached the third line. Everybody shouted and cheered, but the screams of our opponents were so loud that our hearts shrank. When Friso thought that it was sufficient he called us off, and we sped away; but after two days' slow sailing another fleet of thirty ships came in sight and gained upon us. Friso cleared for action again, but the others sent forward a small rowing-boat with messengers, who asked permission to sail with us, as they were Joniers. They had been compelled by Demetrius to go to the old haven; there they had heard of the battle, and girding on their stout swords, had followed us. Friso, who had sailed a good deal with the Joniers, said Yes; but Wichirte, our king, said No. The Joniers, said he, are worshippers of heathen gods; I myself have heard them call upon them. That comes from their intercourse with the real Greeks. Friso said, I have often done it myself, and yet I am as pious a Fryas man as any of you. Friso was the man to take us to Friesland, therefore the Joniers went with us. It seems toghater tûs, sâ bjustre fres, as jef hja pâs ut Fryasland wêi kvmen wêren, ænd så wonderskên as nimman mocht hügja. Thjv hrop thêrvr gyng vyr alle Krêkalanda ænd kêm in tha âra fon Dêmêtrius. Dêmêtrius wêre vvl ænd vnsêdlik, ænd hi thogte thæt-im ella fry stvnde. Hi lêt thju toghater avbêr skâkja. Thju moder ne thvrade hjra joi navt wachtja, joi nomath tha stiurar wive hire mêne, thæt is blideskip, ak segseth hie swêthirte. The stjurar hêton hjra wiva trâst, ænd fro jefta frow thæt is frü âk frolik, thæt is êlik an frü. Thrychdam hju hjra man navt wachtja thurade, gyng hju mith hjra svne nêi Dêmêtrius ænd bad, hi skolde hja hjra toghater wither jêva. Men as Dêmêtrius hira svn sa, lêt-er tham nêi sinra hove fora, ænd dêde alên mith him, as-er mith tham his suster dên hêde. Anda moder sand hi en buda gold, thach hju stirt-et in sê. As hju thûs kêm, warth hju wansinnich, allerwêikes run hju vvra strête: næst min kindar navt sjan, o wach, lêt mi to jow skul sêka, wand min joi wil mi dêja for tha-k sina kindar wêi brocht hæv. Tha Dêmêtrius fornom, thæt Friso to honk wêre, sand-i en bodja to him segsande, thæt hi sina bern to him nomen hêde wmbe ra to fora to n hâge stât vmbe to lânja him to fâra sina thjanesta. Men Friso thêr stolte ænd herdfochtich wêre, sand en bodja mith en brêve nêi sinum bern tha, thêrin mânde hi hjam, hja skolde Dêmêtrius to willa wêsa, vrmithis tham hjara luk jêrde. Thach thene bodja hêde jeta-n ora brêve mith fenin, thêrmêi bifâl-er hja skolde thæt innimma, hwand sêider-vnwillinglik is thin lif bivvllad, thæt ne skil jow navt to rêkned ni wrde, thach sâhwersa jow jowe sêle bivvlath sa ne skil jow nimmerthe to Walhâlla ne kvma, jow sêle skil thæn ovir irtha ommewâra, svnder æ thet ljucht sja to mugande, lik tha flåramusa ænd nachtula skilstv alra dystik in thina hola skula, thes nachtis utkyma, then vp vsa græva grâja ænd hûla, thah wila Frya hjra haved fon jow ofwenda mot. Tha bern dêde lik-ra bifâlen warth. Dêmêtrius lêt ra likka in sê werpa ænd to tha mænniska wrde sêid, thæt hja fljucht wêron. Nw wilde Friso mith alleman nêi Fryasland fâra, thêr-i êr wêst hêde, men tha mêst nilde thæt navt ne dva. Nw gvng Friso to ænd skât thet thorp mith a kêninglika fârrêdskûrum anda brônd. Hjud ne kv ni thyrade ninman ne bilywa, ænd alle wêron blyde, that his bûts wêre, bihalva wif ænd bern hêdon wi ella abefta lêten. thach wi wêron to lêden mith liftochtum ænd orlochtuch. Friso nêde nach nên fretho. Tha wi by tha alda hâve kêmon gynger mith

sina drista ljudum to ænd skât vnwarlinga tha brônd inna skêpa, thêr-i mith sina pilum bigâna kv. After sex dêgum sâgon wi tha orlochflâte fon Dêmêtrius vp vs to kvma. Friso bifâl vs, wi moston tha lithste skêpa æfterhåde in êne brêde line, tha stora mith wif ænd bern fårut. Forth båd er wi skoldon tha krânboga fon for nimma ænd anda æftestêwen fæstigja, hwand sêid er, wi achon al ffjuchtande to fjuchtane. Nimman ne mêi him formêta vmb en enkeldera fyand to forfolgjande, alsa sêid-er is min bislut. Tha hwila wi thêrmitha al dvande wêron, kêm wind vs vppa kop, to thêra læfa ænd thêra wiva skrik, thrychdam wi nêne slâyona navt nêde as thêra thêr vs bi ajn willa folgan wêre. Wi ne machton hja thus navt thruch roja ni vntkyma. Men Wralda wiste wel, hwêrymber sâ dêde, ænd Friso thêret fata, lêt tha bærnpila ring inna krânboga lidsa. To lik bâd-er thæt nimman skiata ne machte, êr hy skâten hêde. Forth sêid er thæt wi alle nêi thæt midloste skip skiata moste, is thæt dol god biracht sêid-er, så skilun tha ôra him to helpane kyma ænd thæn mot alrik skiata sa-r alderbesta mêi. As wi nw arhalf ketting fon ra of wêre, bigoston tha Phonisiar to skiata. Men Friso n'andere navt bi fâra tha êroste pil del falde a sex fadema fon sin skip. Nw skât-er. Tha ôra folgade, thet likte en fjurrêin ænd thrychdam vsa pila mith wind mêi gvngon, bilêvon hja alle an brônd, ænd nâkade selva tha thridde lâge. Allera mænnelik gyradon ænd jûwgade. Men tha krêta vsar witherlâgum wêron sa herde, thet et vs thet hirte binêpen warth. As Friso mênde thæt et to koste, lêt-er ofhalde ænd wi spode hinne. Thach nêi that wi twa dêga forth pilath hêde, kêm thêr en ôre flâte ant sjocht, fon thrittich skêpun, thêr vs stêdis in wnne. Friso lêt vs wither rêd makja. Men tha ôthera sandon en lichte snâka fvl rojar forut, tha bodon thêra bâdon ut alera nôma jef hja mith fâra machte. Hja wêron Johniar, thrych Dêmêtrius wêron hia wældantlik nêi there alda hâve skikad. Thêr hêdon hia fon thêre kêse hêrad ænd nw hêdon hj a thet stolta swêrd antjan, ænd wêron vs folgad. Friso thêr fül mitha Johnjar faren hêde sêide jæ, men Wichhirte vsa kêning sêide nê, Tha Johnjar send afgoda thjanjar sêid-er, ik selva hæv hêrad, ho hja thi an hropte. Friso sêide thet kvmath thrvch tha wandel mith tha æfta Krêkalandar. Thæt hæv ik våken selva dên. Thach ben ik alsa herde Fryas as tha finste fon jow. Friso wêre thene mæn thêr vs to Fryasland wisa moste. Thus gvngon tha Johnjar mith. Ak likt-et nei Wr.aldas hêi, hwand êr thrja mônathe om hlâpen wêron, gvngon wi allingen Britannja, ænd thrja dêga lêter machton wi ho.n sêen hropa.

that this was pleasing to Wr-alda, for before three months were past we coasted along Britain, and three days later we could shout huzza.

- \* 303 before Christ.
- † Barnpila, De falarica, Livy, xxi. 8.
- \* Alexander at the Indus, 327 before Christ.
- † 327+1224 is 1551 before Christ.
- \* 305 before Christ.
- $\dagger$  Joi en trâst. At Scheveningen you still hear "Joei en troos." Joi is the French joye.

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## THIS WRITING HAS BEEN GIVEN TO ME ABOUT NORTHLANI AND SCHOONLANI(SCANDINAVIA)

When our land was submerged I was in Schoonland. It was very bad there. There were great lakes which rose from the earth like bubbles, then burst asunder, and from the rents flowed a stuff like red-hot iron. The tops of high mountains fell and destroyed whole forests and villages. I myself saw one mountain torn from another and fall straight down. When I afterwards went to see the place there was a lake there. When the earth was composed there came a duke of Lindasburgt with his people, and one maiden who cried everywhere, Magy is the cause of all the misery that we have suffered. They continued their progress, and their hosts increased. The Magy fled, and his corpse was found where he had killed himself. Then the Finns were driven to one place where they might live. There were some of mixed blood who were allowed to stay, but most of them went with the Finns. The duke was chosen as king. The temples which had remained whole were destroyed. Since that time the good Northmen come often to Texland for the advice of the mother; still we cannot consider them real Frisians. In Denmark it has certainly happened as with us. The sea-people, who call themselves famous sea-warriors, went on board their ships, and afterwards went back again.

#### Heil!

Whenever the Carrier has completed a period, then posterity shall understand that the faults and misdeeds that the Brokmannen have brought with them belonged to their forefathers; therefore I will watch, and will describe as much of their manners as I have seen. The Geertmannen I can readily pass by. I have not had much to do with them, but as far as I have seen they have mostly retained their language and customs. I cannot say that of the others. Those who descend from the Greeks speak a bad language, and have not much to boast of in their manners. Many have brown eyes and hair. They are envious and impudent, and cowardly from superstition. When they speak, they put the words first that ought to come last. For old they say at; for salt,  $s\hat{a}t$ ; and for man, ma-too many to mention. They also use abbreviations of names, which have no meaning. The Joniers speak better, but they drop the H, and put it where it ought not to be. When they make a statue of a dead person they believe that the spirit of the departed enters into it: therefore they have hidden their statues of Frya, Fâsta, Medea, Thiania, Hellenia, and many others. When a child is born, all the relatives come together and pray to Frya to send her servants to bless the child. When they have prayed, they must neither move nor speak. If the child begins to cry, and continues some time, it is a bad sign, and they suspect that the mother has committed adultery. I have seen very bad things come from that. If the child sleeps, that is a good sign—Frya's servants are come. If it laughs in its sleep, the servants have promised it happiness. Moreover, they believe in bad spirits, witches, sorcerers, dwarfs, and elves, as if they descended from the Finns. Herewith I will finish, and I think I have written more than any of my forefathers. Frethorik.

Frethorik, my husband, lived to the age of 63. Since 108 years he is the first of his race who died a peaceable death; all the others died by violence, because they all fought with their own people, and with foreigners for right and duty.

My name is Wiljo. I am the maiden who came home with him from Saxsenmarken. In the course of conversation it came out that we were both of Adela's race—thus our affection commenced, and we became man and wife. He left me with five children, two sons and three daughters. Konreed was my eldest son, Hachgana my second. My eldest daughter is

Thit skrift is mij ower Nortland jeftha Skênland jêven.

Vndera tida thæt vs land del sêg, wêre ik to Skênland. Thêr gyng et alsa to. Thêr wêron grâte mâra, thêr fon tha bodeme lik en blêse vt setta, then spliton hja vt-ên. Uta rêta kêm stof as-t gliande yser wêre. Thêr wêron berga thêr tha krunna of swikte. Thesse truldon nêther ænd brochton walda ænd thorpa wêi. Ik self så thæt en berch fon tha ôra of torent wrde. Linrjucht sêg er del. As ik afternêi sjan gyng, was thêr en mâre kymen. Tha irtha bêterad was, kêm er en hêrtoga fon Lindasburch wêi, mit sin folk ænd en fâm, thiu fâm kêthe allomme: Thene Mâgy is skeldich an aleth lêt thæt wi lêden hæve. Hja tâgon immer forth en thet hêr wærth al grâter. Thene Mâgy fluchte hinne, mæn fand sin lik, hi hêde sin self vrdên. Tha wrdon tha Finna vrdrêven nêi ênre stêd, thêr machton hja lêva. Thêr wêron fon basterde blode. Thissa machton biliwa, thach fêlo gyngon mith tha Finna mêi .Thi hêrtoga warth to kêning kêren. Tha kærka thêr êl bilêven wêron wrde vrdên. Sont komath tha gode Northljud vâken to Texland vmb there Moder-is rêd. Thâ wi ne mügath hjam for nêne rjuchta Fryas mar ne halde. Inna Dênamarka ist sêkur as bi vs gvngon. Tha stjurar, tham hjara self thêr stoltelika sêkæmpar hêton, send vppira skêpa gvngon, ænd æfternêi sind hja to bek gvngon.

#### Held!

Hwersa thene Kroder en tid forth kroden heth, thæn skilun tha æfterkomanda wâna thæt tha lêka and brêka, thêr tha Brokmanna mith brocht hæve, æjen were an hjara êthla. Thêr vr wil ik wâka ænd thus sâ fül vr hjæra plêga skriva as ik sjan hæ. Vr tha Gêrtmanna kæn ik rêd hinne stappa. Ik næv navt fül mithra omme gvngen. Tha så fêr ik sjan hæ send hja thæt mast bi tâl ænd sêd bilêwen. Thæt ne mêi ik navt segsa fon tha ôthera. Thêr fon a Krêkalânda wêi kvme, send kwâd ther tâl ænd vppira sêd ne mêi mæn êl navt boga. Fêlo hævath brûna âgon ænd hêr. Hja send nidich ænd drist ænd æng thrych overbilâwichhêd. Hwêrsa hja sprêka, sâ nômath hja the worda fâr vppa thêr lerst kvma mosta. Ajen ald segath hja âd, æjen salt sâd, mâ fori mæn, sel fori skil, sode fori skolde, to fül vmb to nomande. Ak forath hja mêst vrdvaliske ænd bikirte nôma, hwêran mæn nên sin an hefta ne mêi. Tha Johniar sprêkath bêtre, thach hja swygath thi h ænd hwêri navt nêsa mot, wærth er ûtekêth. Hwersa imman en byld måkath æfter ênnen vrstvrven ænd thet likt, så låwath hja, thæt thene gåst thes vrsturvene thêr inne fârath. Thêrvr hævath hia alle bylda vrburgen fon Frya, Fæsta, Mêdêa, Thjanja, Hellênja ænd fêlo ôthera. Hwerth thêr en bern ebern, så kvmath tha sibba et sêmne ænd biddath an Frya thæt hju hjara fâmkes mêi kvma lêta thæt bern to sêenande. Hævon hja bêden sa ne mêi nimman him rora ni hêra lêta. Kvmt et bern to græjande ænd halt thit en stynde an, alsa is thæt en kwâd têken ænd man is an formoda, thæt thju mæm hordom dên heth. Thêrvr hæv ik al ærge thinga sjan. Kvmt et bern to slêpande, så is thæt en têken, thæt tha fâmkes vret kvmen send. Lakt et inna slêp, sâ hævon tha fâ mkes thæt bern luk to sêit. Olon lâwath hja an bosa gâsta, hexna, kolla, aldermankes ænd elfun, as jef hia fon tha Finna wei kêmen. Hyrmitha wil ik enda ænd nw mên ik tha-k mær skrêven hæ, as ên minra êthla. Frêthorik.

Frêthorik min gåd is 63 jêr wrden. Sont 100 ând 8 jêr is hi thene êroste fon sin folk, thêr frêdsum sturven is, alle ôthera send vndera slêga swikt, thêrvr thæt alle kæmpade with ajn ænd fêrhêmande vmb rjucht ænd plicht. Min nôm is Wil-jo, ik bin tha fâm thêr mith him fona Saxanamarka to honk for. Thrvch tâl ænd ommegang kêm et ut, thæt wi alle bêde fon Adela his folk wêron, thâ kêm ljafde ænd æfternêi send wi man ænd wif wrden. Hi heth mi fyf bern lêten, 2 suna ænd thrju toghatera. Konerêd alsa hêt min forma, Hâchgâna min ôthera, mine aldeste toghater hêth Adela, thju ôthera Frulik ænd tha jongeste Nocht. Thâ-k nêi tha Saxanamarka for,

called Adela, my second Frulik, and the youngest Nocht. When I went to Saxsenmarken I preserved three books—the book of songs, the book of narratives, and the Hellenia book.

I write this in order that people may not think they were by Apollonia. I have had a good deal of annoyance about this, and therefore now wish to have the honour of it. I also did more. When Gosa Makonta died, whose goodness and clear-sightedness have become a proverb, I went alone to Texland to copy the writings that she had left; and when the last will of Frana was found, and the writings left by Adela or Hellenia, I did that again. These are the writings of Hellenia. I have put them first because they are the oldest.

hæv ik thrju boka hret. Thet bok thêra sanga, thêra tellinga, ænd thet Hêlênja bok. Ik skrif thit til thju mæn navt thænka ne mêi thæt hja fon Apollânja send; ik hæv thêr fûl lêt vr had ând wil thus âk thju êre hæ. Ak hæv ik mâr dên, tha Gosa-Makonta fallen is, hwames godhêd ænd klârsjanhêd to en sprêkword is wrden, thâ ben ik allêna nêi Texland gvngen vmbe tha skrifta vr to skrivane, thêr hju æfter lêten heth, ænd thâ tha lerste wille fonden is fon Frâna ænd tha nêilêtne skrifta fon Adela jefta Hellênja, hæv ik thæt jetta rêis dên. Thit send tha skrifta Hellênjas. Ik set hjam fâr vppa vmbe thæt hja tha aldesta send.

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#### HAIL TO ALL TRUE FRISIANS.

In the olden times, the Slavonic race knew nothing of liberty. They were brought under the yoke like oxen. They were driven into the bowels of the earth to dig metals, and had to build houses of stone as dwelling-places for princes and priests. Of all that they did nothing came to themselves, everything must serve to enrich and make more powerful the priests and the princes, and to satisfy them. Under this treatment they grew gray and old before their time, and died without any enjoyment; although the earth produces abundantly for the good of all her children. But our runaways and exiles came through Twiskland to their boundaries, and our sailors came to their harbours. From them they heard of liberty, of justice, and laws, without which men cannot exist. This was all absorbed by the unhappy people like dew into an arid soil. When they fully understood this, the most courageous among them began to clank their chains, which grieved the princes. The princes are proud and warlike; there is therefore some virtue in their hearts. They consulted together and bestowed some of their superfluity; but the cowardly hypocritical priests could not suffer this. Among their false gods they had invented also wicked cruel monsters. Pestilence broke out in the country; and they said that the gods were angry with the domineering of the wicked. Then the boldest of the people were strangled in their chains. The earth drank their blood, and that blood produced corn and fruits that inspired with wisdom those who

Sixteen hundred years ago (she writes, 593 B.C.), Atland was submerged; and at that time something happened which nobody had reckoned upon. In the heart of Findasland, upon a mountain, lies a plain called Kasamyr (Cashmere) that is "extraordinary." There was a child born whose mother was the daughter of a king, and whose father was a high-priest. In order to hide the shame they were obliged to renounce their own blood. Therefore it was taken out of the town to poor people. As the boy grew up, nothing was concealed from him, so he did all in his power to acquire wisdom. His intellect was so great that he understood everything that he saw or heard. The people regarded him with respect, and the priests were afraid of his questions. When he was of full age he went to his parents. They had to listen to some hard language; and to get rid of him they gave him a quantity of jewels, but they dared not openly acknowledge him. Overcome with sorrow at the false shame of his parents, he wandered about. While travelling he fell in with a Frisian sailor who was serving as a slave, and who taught him our manners and customs. He bought the freedom of the slave, and they remained friends till death. Wherever he went he taught the people not to tolerate rich men or priests, and that they must guard themselves against false shame, which everywhere did harm to love and charity. The earth, he said, bestowed her treasures on those who scratch her skin; so all are obliged to dig, and plough, and sow if they wish to reap, but no one is obliged to do anything for another unless it be out of goodwill. He taught that men should not seek in her bowels for gold, or silver, or precious stones, which occasion envy and destroy love. To embellish your wives and daughters, he said, the river offers her pare stream. No man is able to make everybody equally rich and happy, but it is the duty of all men to make each other as equally rich and as happy as possible. Men should not despise any knowledge; but justice is the greatest knowledge that time can teach, because she wards off offences and promotes love.

His first name was Jessos, but the priests, who hated him, called him Fo, that is, false; the people called him Krishna, that is, shepherd; and his Frisian friend called him Buddha (purse), because he had in his head a treasure of wisdom, and in his heart a treasure of love.

#### Alle afta Fryas held.

In êra tida niston tha Slâvona folkar nawet fon fryhêd. Lik oxa wrdon hja vnder et juk brocht. In irthas wand wrdon hja jâgath vmbe mêtal to delvane ænd ut a herde bergum moston hja hûsa hâwa to forst ænd presterums hêm. Bi al hwat hja dêdon, thêr nas nawet to fâra hjara selva, men ella moste thjanja vmbe tha forsta ænd prestera jeta riker ænd weldiger to måkjane hjara selva to sædene. Vnder thesse arbêd wrdon hja grêv ænd stræm êr hja jêrich wêron, ænd sturvon svnder n ochta afskên irtha tham overflodlik fvl jêf to bâta al hjara bern. Men vsa britna kêmon ænd vsa bânnalinga thrvch tha Twisklânda vr in hjara marka fâra ænd vsa stjurar kêmon in hjara hâvna. Fon hjam hêradon hja kælta vr élika frydom ænd rjucht ænd overa êwa, hwêr bûta nimman omme ne mêi. Altham wrde vpsugon thrvch tha drova mænniska lik dâwa thrvch tha dorra fjelde. As hju fvl wêron bijonnon tha alderdrista mænniska to klippane mith hjara kêdne, alsat tha forsta wê dêde. Tha forste send stolte ænd wichandlik, thêrvmbe is thêr âk noch düged in hjara hirta, hja birêdon et sêmine ând javon awet fon hjara overflodalikhêd. Men tha læfa skin frâna prestara ne machton thæt navt ne lyda, emong hjara forsinde godum hêdon hja âk wrangwræda drochtne eskêpen. Pest kêm inovera lânda. Nw sêidon hja, tha drochtna send tornich overa overhêrichhêd thêra bosa. Tha wrdon tha alderdrista mænniska mith hjara kêdne wirgad. Irtha heth hjara blod dronken, mith thæt blod fode hju früchda ænd nochta, ænd alle tham thêr of êton wrdon wis.

16 wâra 100 jêr lêden is Atland synken, ænd to thêra tidum bêrade thêr awat hwêr vppa nimman rêkned nêde. In t hirte fon Findas lând vppet berchta lêid en del, thêr is kêthen Kasamyr, thet is sjeldsum. Thêr werth en bern ebern, sin mæm wêre thju toghater enis kêning ænd sin tât wêre-n håvedprester. Vmb skôm to vnkvma mosten hja hjara æjen blod vnkvma. Thêrvmbe wærth er bûta thêre stêde brocht bi ærma mænniska. In twiska was-t im navt forhêlad ne wrden, thêr vmbe dêd er ella vmbe wisdom to gêtane ænd gârane. Sin forstân wêre sâ grât thæt er ella forstânde hwat er så ænd hêrade. Thæt folk skowde him mit êrbêdenese and tha prestera wr don ang vr sina frêga. Thæ-r jêrich wrde gvnger nêi sinum aldrum. Hja moston herda thinga hêra, vmb-im kwit to werthane javon hja him vrflod fon kestlika stênum; men hja ne thyradon him navt avbêr bikânnâ as hjara æjne blod. Mith drovenese in vrdelven overa falxe skôm sinra aldrum gynger ommedwâla. Al forth fârande mête hi en Fryas stjurar thêr as slâv thjanade, fon tham lêrd-i vsa sêd ænd plêgum. Hi kâpade him fry, ænd to ther dâd send hja frjunda bilêwen. Alomme hwêr er forth hinne tâch, lêrd-i an tha ljuda thæt hja nêne rika ner prestera tolêta moston, thæt hja hjara selva hode moston æjen falxe skôm, ther allerwêikes kvad dvat an tha ljavde. Irtha sêid-er skænkath hjara jêva nêi mêta men hjara hûd klâwat, thæt mæn thêrin âch to delvane to êrane ænd to sêjane, sâ mæn thêrof skêra wil. Thach sêid-er nimman hovat thit to dvande fori ennen ôthera hit ne sy, thæt et bi mêne wille jef ut ljavade skêd. Hi lêrde thæt nimman in hjara wand machte frota vmbe gold her silver ner kestlika stêna, hwêr nid an klywath ænd ljavde fon fljuchth. Vmbe jow manghêrta ænd wiva to siarane, sêid-er, iêvath hiara rin strâma ênoch. Nimman sêider is weldich alle mænniska mêtrik ænd êlika luk to jân. Tha thæt it alra mænniska plicht vmbe tha mænniska alsa mêtrik to mækjane ænd sa fêlo nocht to jân, as to binâka is. Nêne witskip seid-er ne mêi mæn minachtja, thach êlika dêla is tha grâteste witskip, thêr tid vs lêra mêi. Thêrvmbe thæt hjv argenese fon irtha wêrath ænd ljavde feth.

Sin forme nôm wêre Jes-us, thach tha prestera thêr-im sêralik hæton hêton him Fo thæt is falx, thæt folk hête him Kris-en thæt is herder, ænd sin Fryaske frjund hêta him Bûda, vmbe that hi in sin hâvad en skæt fon wisdom hêde ænd in sin hirt en skæt fon ljavde.

At last he was obliged to flee from the wrath of the priests; but wherever he went his teaching had preceded him, whilst his enemies followed him like his shadow. When Jessos had thus travelled for twelve years he died; but his friends preserved his teaching, and spread it wherever they found listeners.

What do you think the priests did then? That I must tell you, and you must give your best attention to it. Moreover, you must keep guard against their acts and their tricks with all the strength that Wr-alda has given you. While the doctrine of Jessos was thus spreading over the earth, the false priests went to the land of his birth to make his death known. They said they were his friends, and they pretended to show great sorrow by tearing their clothes and shaving their heads. They went to live in caves in the mountains, but in them they had hid all their treasures, and they made in them images of Jessos. They gave these statues to simple people, and at last they said that Jessos was a god, that he had declared this himself to them, and that all those who followed his doctrine should enter his kingdom hereafter, where all was joy and happiness. Because they knew that he was opposed to the rich, they announced everywhere that poverty, suffering, and humility were the door by which to enter into his kingdom, and that those who had suffered the most on earth should enjoy the greatest happiness there. Although they knew that Jessos had taught that men should regulate and control their passions, they taught that men should stifle their passions, and that the perfection of humanity consisted in being as unfeeling as the cold stones. In order to make the people believe that they did as they preached, they pretended to outward poverty; and that they had overcome all sensual feelings, they took no wives. But if any young girl had made a false step, it was quickly forgiven; the weak, they said, were to be assisted, and to save their souls men must give largely to the Church. Acting in this way, they had wives and children without households, and were rich without working; but the people grew poorer and more miserable than they had ever been before. This doctrine, which requires the priests to possess no further knowledge than to speak deceitfully, and to pretend to be pious while acting unjustly, spreads from east to west, and will come to our land also.

But when the priests fancy that they have entirely extinguished the light of Frya and Jessos, then shall all classes of men rise up who have quietly preserved the truth among themselves, and have hidden it from the priests. They shall be of princely blood of priests, Slavonic, and Frya's blood. They will make their light visible, so that all men shall see the truth; they shall cry woe to the acts of the princes and the priests. The princes who love the truth and justice shall separate themselves from the priests; blood shall flow, but from it the people will gather new strength. Finda's folk shall contribute their industry to the common good, Linda's folk their strength, and we our wisdom. Then the false priests shall be swept away from the earth. Wr-alda's spirit shall be invoked everywhere and always; the laws that Wr-alda in the beginning instilled into our consciences shall alone be listened to. There shall be neither princes, nor masters, nor rulers, except those chosen by the general voice. Then Frya shall rejoice, and the earth will only bestow her gifts on those who work. All this shall begin 4000 years after the submersion of Atland, and 1000 years later there shall exist no longer either priest or oppression.

Dela, surnamed Hellenia, watch!

Thus runs Frana's last will: All noble Frisians, Heil! In the name of Wralda, of Frya, and of Freedom, I greet you; and pray you if I die before I have named a successor, then I recommend to you Teuntja, who is Burgtmaagd in the citadel of Medeasblik; till now she is the best.

This Gosa has left behind her: Hail to all men! I have named no Eeremoeder, because I know none, and because it is better for you to have no mother than to have one you cannot trust. One bad time is passed by, but there is still another coming. Irtha has not given it birth, and Wr-alda has not decreed it. It comes from the East, out of the bosom of the priests. It will breed so much mischief that Irtha will not be able to drink the blood of her slain children. It will spread darkness over the minds of men like storm-clouds over the sunlight. Everywhere craft and deception shall contend with freedom and justice. Freedom and justice shall be overcome, and we with them. But this success will work out its own loss. Our descendants shall teach their people and their slaves the meaning of three words; they are universal love, freedom, and justice. At first they shall shine, then struggle with darkness, until every man's head and heart has become bright and clear. Then shall oppression be driven from the earth, like the thunder-clouds by the storm-wind, and all deceit will cease to have any more power. Gosa.

To tha lersta most-er fluchta vr tha wrêka thèra prestera, men vral hwêr er kèm was sine lêre him fàrut gvngen ænd vral hwêr-er gvng folgadon him sina lêtha lik sine skâde nêi. Thá Jes-vs alsa twilif jêr om fàren hêde, sturv-er, men sina frjunda wâradon sine lêre ænd kêthon hwêr-et âron fvnde.

Hwat mênst nw thæt tha prestera dêdon, thæt mot ik jo melde, âk mot-i thêr sêralik acht vp jân, forth mot-i over hjara bidryv ænd renka wâka mith alle kræftum, thêr Wralda in jo lêid heth. Thahwila Jes-us lêre vr irtha for, gyngon tha falxe prestera nêi-t lând sinra berta sin dâd avbêra, hja sêidon thæt hja fon sinum frjundum wêron, hja bêradon grâte rowa, torennande hjara klâthar to flardum ænd to skêrande hjara hola kâl. Inna hôla thêra berga gvngon hja hêma, thach thêrin hêdon hja hjara skæt brocht, thêr binna mâkadon hja byldon æfter Jes-us, thessa byldon jâvon hja antha vnærg thænkanda ljuda, to longa lersta sêidon hja thæt Jes-us en drochten wêre, thæt-i thæt selva an hjam bilêden hêde, ænd thæt alle thêr an him ænd an sina lêra lâwa wilde, nêimels in sin kêningkrik kyme skolde, hwêr frü is ænd nochta send. Vrmites hja wiston thæt Jes-us æjen tha rika to fjelda tâgen hêde, sâ kêthon hja allerwêikes, that ærmode hâ ænd ênfald så thju düre wêre vmbe in sin rik to kvmane, thæt thêra thêr hyr vp irtha thæt måste lêden hêde, nêimels tha måsta nochta hæva skolde. Thahwila hja wiston thæt Jes-us lêrad hêde thæt mæn sina tochta welda ænd bistjura moste, så lêrdon hja thæt mæn alle sina tochta dêja moste, ænd thæt tha fylkyminhêd thêra mænniska thêrin bistande thætzer êvin vnforstoren wrde så thæt kalde stên. Vmbe thæt folk nw wis to måkjande thæt hia alsa dêdon, alsa bêradon hia ærmode overa strêta ænd vmb forth to biwisane thæt hja al hjara tochta dåd hêde, nâmon hja nêne wiwa. Thach sahwêrsa en toghater en misstap hêde, sâ wærth hja that ring forjân, tha wrakka sêidon hja most mæn helpa and vmbe sin æjn sêle to bihaldane most mæn fül anda cherke jân. Thus todvande hêde hja wiv ænd bern synder hûshalden ænd wrdon hja rik synder werka, men that folk wærth fül ærmer ænd mår êlændich as å to fåra. Thas lêre hwêrbi tha prestera nên ôre witskip hova as drochtlik rêda, frâna skin ænd vnrjuchta plêga, brêd hiri selva ut fon-t âsta to-t westa ænd skil âk vr vsa landa kvma.

Men astha prestera skilun wana, thæt hja allet ljucht fon Frya ænd fon Jesus lêre vtdâvath hæva, sâ skilum thêr in alle vvrda mænniska vpstonda, tham wêrhêd in stilnise among ekkorum wârath ænd to fâra tha prestera forborgen hæve. Thissa skilun wêsa ut forsta blod, fon presterum blod, fon Slåvonum blod, ænd fon Fryas blod. Tham skilun hjara foddikum ænd thæt ljucht bûta bringa, så thæt allera mænnalik wêrhêd mêi sjan; hja skilun wê hropa overa dêda thêra prestera ænd forsta. Tha forsta thêr wêrhêd minna ænd rjucht tham skilun fon tha prestera wika, blod skil strâma, men thêrut skil-et folk nye kræfta gâra. Findas folk skil sina findingrikhêd to mêna nitha wenda, thæt Lydas folk sina kræfta ænd wi vsa wisdom. Tha skilun tha falxa prestera wêi fâgath wertha fon irtha. Wralda his gâst skil alomme ænd allerwêikes êrath ænd bihropa wertha. Tha êwa thêr Wralda bi-t anfang in vs mod lêide, skilun allêna hêrad wertha, thêr ne skilun nêne ôra mâstera, noch forsta, ner bâsa navt nêsa, as thêra thêr bi mêna wille kêren send. Thæn skil Frya juwgja ænd Irtha skil hira jêva allêna skænka an tha werkande mænnisk. Altham skil anfanga fjuwer thusand jêr nêi Atland synken is ænd thusand jêr lêter skil thêr longer nên prester ner tvang vp irtha sa.

Dela tonômath Hellênja, wâk!

Så lûda Frânas ûtroste wille. Alle welle Fryas held. An tha nôme Wraldas, fon Frya, ænd thêre fryhêd grête ik jo, ænd bidde jo, sahwersa ik falla machte êr ik en folgster nômath hêde, så bifêl ik jo Tüntja thêr Burchfâm is to thêre burch Mêdêasblik, til hjud dêgum is hja tha besta.

Thet heth Gôsa nêi lêten. Alle mænniska held. Ik næv nêne êremoder binomad thrychdam ik nêne niste, ænd et is jo bêter nêne Moder to hævande as êne hwêr vp-i jo navt forlêta ne mêi. Arge tid is forbi fâren, men thêr kymt en ôthere. Irtha heth hja navt ne bærad ænd Wralda heth hja navt ne skêren. Hju kymt ut et âsta ut-a bosma thêra prestera wêi. Sâ fêlo lêd skil hju broda, thæt Irtha-t blod algâdvr navt drinka ne kæn fon hira vrslêjana bernum. Thjustrenesse skil hiu in overne gâst thêra mænniska sprêda, lik tongar-is wolka oviret svnneljucht. Alom ænd allerwêikes skil lest ænd drochten bidryf with fryhêd kâmpa ænd rjucht. Rjucht ænd fryhêd skilun swika ænd wi mith tham. Men thesse winst skil hjara vrlias wrochta. Fon thrju worda skilun vsa æfterkvmande an hjara ljuda ænd slåvona tha bithjutnesse lêra. Hja send mêna ljavde, fryhêd ænd rjucht. Thæt forma skilun hja glora, æfternêi with thjustrenesse kæmpa al ont et hel ænd klær in hjawlikes hirt ænd holle wærth. Thæn skil tvang fon irtha fågad wertha, lik tongarswolka thrvch stornewind, ænd alle drochten bidrvy ne skil thêr æjen nawet navt ne formuga. Gôsa.

- \* 2193-1600 is 593 years before Christ.
- † Kasamvr is Cashmere.
- \* Jes-us —not to be confounded with Jesus any more than Krisen (Krishna) with Christ.

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#### THE WRITING OF KONER PD

My forefathers have written this book in succession. I will do this, the more because there exists no longer in my state any citadel on which events are inscribed as used to be the case. My name is Konerêd (Koenraad) . My father's name was Frethorik, my mother's name was Wiljow. After my father's death I was chosen as his successor. When I was fifty years old I was chosen for chief Grevetman. My father has written how the Lindaoorden and Liudgaarden were destroyed. Lindahem is still lost, the Lindaoorden partially, and the north Lindgaarden are still concealed by the salt sea. The foaming sea washes the ramparts of the castle. As my father has mentioned, the people, being deprived of their harbour, went away and built houses inside the ramparts of the citadel; therefore that bastion is called Lindwerd. The sea-people say Linwerd, but that is nonsense. In my youth there was a portion of land lying outside the rampart all mud and marsh; but Frya's people were neither tired nor exhausted when they had a good object in view. By digging ditches, and making dams of the earth that came out of the ditches, we recovered a good space of land outside the rampart, which had the form of a hoof three poles eastward, three southwards, and three westwards. At present we are engaged in ramming piles into the ground to make a harbour to protect our rampart. When the work is finished we shall attract mariners. In my youth it looked very queer, but now there stands a row of houses. Leaks and deficiencies produced by poverty have been remedied by industry. From this men may learn that Wralda, our universal father, protects all his creatures, if they preserve their courage and help each other

#### Thet skrift fon konerêd

Min êthla hævon in æfter thit bok skrêven. Thit wil ik boppa ella dva, vmbe thæt er in min stât nên burch ovir is, hwêrin tha bêrtnesa vp skrêven wrde lik to fâra. Min nôme is Konerêd, min tât-his nôme was Frêthorik. min mem his nôme Wiljow. After tât his dâd ben ik to sina folgar kêren, ænd tha-k fiftich jêr tælde kâs men mij to vrste grêvetmæn. Min tât heth skrêven ho tha Linda-wrda ænd tha Ljudgârdne vrdilgen send. Lindahêm is jeta wêi, tha Linda-wrda far en dêl, tha northlikka Ljudgârdne send thrych thene salta sê bidelyen. That brûwsende hef slikt an tha hringdik thêre burch. Lik tât melth heth, sâ send tha hâvalâsa mænniska to gyngen ænd hâvon hûskes bywad binna tha hringdik thêra burch. Thêrymbe is thæt ronddêl nw Ljvdwerd hêten. Tha stjurar segath Ljvwrd, men thæt is wansprêke. Bi mina jüged was-t ôre lând, thæt bûta tha hringdik lêid, al pol ænd brok. Men Fryas folk is diger ænd flitich, hja wrdon mod ner wire, thrychdam hiara dol to the besta lêide. Thrych slâta to delyane ænd kâdika to mâkjane fon tha grvnd thêr ût-a slâta kêm, alsa hævon wi wither en gode hêm bûta tha hringdik, thêr thju dânte het fon en hof, thrê pêla âstwarth, thrê pêla sûdwarth ænd thrê pêla wêstwarth mêten. Hjud dêgum send wi to dvande æ-pêla to hêjande, vmb êne hâve to winnande ænd mith ên vmb-vsa hringdik to biskirmande. Jef et werk rêd sy, sâ skilun wi stjurar utlvka. Bi min jüged stand-et hyr bjûstre om-to, men hjud send tha hûskes al hûsa thêr an rêja stân. And lek ænd brek thêr mith ermode hir in glupt wêron, send thrych flit a-buta drêven. Fon hir ut mêi allera mænnalik lêra, thæt Wr.alda vsa Alfoder, al sina skepsela fot, mits thæt hja mod halde ænd mænlik ôtherum helpa wille.

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#### NOW I WILL WRITE ABOUT FRISO

Friso, who was already powerful by his troops, was chosen chief Grevetman of the districts round Staveren. He laughed at our mode of defending our land and our sea-fights; therefore he established a school where the boys might learn to fight in the Greek manner, but I believe that he did it to attach the young people to himself. I sent my brother there ten years ago, because I thought, now that we have not got any mother, it behoves me to be doubly watchful, in order that he may not become our master.

Gosa has given us no successors. I will not give any opinion about that; but there are still old suspicious people who think that she and Friso had an understanding about it. When Gosa died, the people from all parts wished to choose another mother; but Friso, who was busy establishing a kingdom for himself, did not desire to have any advice or messenger from Texland. When the messengers of the Landsaten came to him, he said that Gosa had been far-seeing and wiser than all the counts together, and yet she had been unable to see any light or way out of this affair; therefore she had not had the courage to choose a successor, and to choose a doubtful one she thought would be very bad; therefore she wrote in her last will, It is better to have no mother than to have one on whom you cannot rely. Friso had seen a great deal. He had been brought up in the wars, and he had just learned and gathered as much of the tricks and cunning ways of the Gauls and the princes as he required, to lead the other counts wherever he wished. See here how he went to work about that.

Friso had taken here another wife, a daughter of Wilfréthe, who in his lifetime had been chief count of Staveren. By her he had two sons and two daughters. By his wish Kornelia, his youngest daughter, was married to my brother. Kornelia is not good Frisian; her name ought to be written Kornelia. Weemoed, his eldest daughter, he married to Kauch. Kauch, who went to school to him, is the son of Wichhirte, the king of the Geertmen. But Kauch is likewise not good Frisian, and ought to be Kaap (Koop). So they have learned more bad language than good manners.

Now I must return to my story.

#### Nv wil ik vr Friso skriva.

Friso thêr al weldich wêre thrvch sin ljud, wærth âk to vrste grêve kêren thrvch Staverens ommelandar. Hi spot mith vsa wisa fon lând-wêr ænd sêkæmpa, thêrvmbe heth-er en skol stift hwêr in tha knâpa fjuchta lêra nêi Krêkalandar wysa. Thæn ik lâv thæt i thæt dên heth vmb thæt jongk-folk an sin snôr to bindane. Ik hæv min brother thêr âk hin skikt, tha-s nv thjan jêr lêden. Hwand tocht ik nv wi nêne Moder lônger navt næve, vmbe tha ênen æjen tha ôre to bi skirmande, âch ik dubbel to wâkane thæt hi vs nên mâster ne wærth.

Gosa neth vs nêne folgstere nômeth, thêr vr nil ik nên ordêl ne fella, men thêr send jeta alda ærg thenkande mænniska, thêr mêne thæt hju t thêr vr mith Friso ênis wrden is. Thâ Gosa fallen was, thâ wildon tha ljud fon alle wrda êne ôthere Moder kjasa. Men Friso thêr to dvande wêre vmben rik to fara him selva to mâkjane, Friso ne gêrde nên rêd ner bodo fon Texland. As tha bodon thêra Landsâtum to him kêmon, sprek-i ænde kêth. Gosa sêid-er was fêrsjande wêst ænd wiser as alle grêva êtseemne ænd thach nêde hju nên ljucht nêr klârhêd in thjuse sêke ne fynden, thêrymbe nêde hju nêne mod hân vmb êne folgstere to kjasane, ænd vmb êne folgstere to kjasane thêr tvyvelik wêre, thêr heth hju bald in sjan, thêrvmbe heth hju in hjara ûtroste wille skrêven, thæt is jow bêtre nêne Moder to hævande as êne hwêr vpp-i jo selva navt forlêta ne mêi. Friso hêde fül sjan, bi orloch was er vpbrocht, ænd fon tha hrenkum ænd lestum thêra Golum ænd forstum hêder krek sa fül lêred ænd geth, as er nêdich hêde vmbe tha ôra grêva to wêiande hwêr hi hjam wilde. Sjan hir hor thêrmith to gvngen is.

Friso hède hir-ne ôther wif nimth, thju toghater fon Wil-frèthe, bi sin lêve was-er vrste Gréva to Staveren wêst. Thêr bi hêder twên svna wnnen ænd twa toghatera. Thrvch sin bilêid is Kornêlja sin jongste toghater mith min brother mant. Kornêlja is wan Fryas and mot Kornhêlja skrêven wrde. Wêmod sin aldeste heth er an Kavch bonden. Kavch thêr âk bi him to skole gyng is thi svnv fon Wichhirte thene Gêrtmanna kæning. Men Kavch is âk wan Fryas ænd mot Kâp wêsa. Men kvade tâle hævon hja mar mithbrocht as gode sêda.

After the great flood of which my father wrote an account, there came many Jutlanders and Letlanders out of the Baltic, or bad sea. They were driven down the Kattegat in their boats by the ice as far as the coast of Denmark, and there they remained. There was not a creature to be seen; so they took possession of the land, and named it after themselves, Jutland. Afterwards many of the Denmarkers returned from the higher lands, but they settled more to the south; and when the mariners returned who had not been lost, they all went together to Zeeland. By this arrangement the Jutlanders retained the laud to which Wr-alda had conducted them. The Zeeland skippers, who were not satisfied to live upon fish, and who hated the Gauls, took to robbing the Phœnician ships. In the south-west point of Scandinavia there lies Lindasburgt, called Lindasnôse, built by one Apol, as is written in the book. All the people who live on the coasts, and in the neighbouring districts, had remained true Frisians; but by their desire for vengeance upon the Gauls, and the followers of Kaltona, they joined the Zeelanders. But that connection did not hold together, because the Zeelanders had adopted many evil manners and customs of the wicked Magyars, in opposition to Frya's people. Afterwards, everybody went stealing on his own account; but when it suited them they held all together. At last the Zeelanders began to be in want of good ships. Their shipbuilders had died, and their forests as well as their land had been washed out to sea. Now there arrived unexpectedly three ships, which anchored off the ringdyk of our citadel. By the disruption of our land they had lost themselves, and had missed Flymond. The merchant who was with them wished to buy new ships from us, and for that purpose had brought all kinds of valuables, which they had stolen from the Celtic country and Phœnician ships. As we had no ships, I gave them active horses and four armed couriers to Friso; because at Stavere, along the Alberga, the best ships of war were built of hard oak which never rots. While these sea rovers remained with us, some of the Jutmen had gone to Texland, and thence to Friso. The Zeelanders had stolen many of their strongest boys to row their ships, and many of their finest daughters to have children by. The great Jutlanders could not prevent it, as they were not properly armed. When they had related all their misfortunes, and a good deal of conversation had taken place, Friso asked them at last if they had no good harbours in their country. Oh, yes, they answered; a beautiful one, created by Wr-alda. It is like a bottle, the neck narrow, but in the belly a thousand large boats may lie; but we have no citadel and no defences to keep out the pirate ships. Then you should make them, said Friso. That is very good advice, said the Jutlanders; but we have no workmen and no building materials; we are all fishermen and trawlers. The others are drowned or fled to the higher lands. While they were talking in this way, my messengers arrived at the court with the Zeeland gentlemen. Here you must observe how Friso understood deceiving everybody, to the satisfaction of both parties, and to the accomplishment of his own ends. To the Zeelanders he promised that they should have yearly fifty ships of a fixed size for a fixed price, fitted with iron chains and crossbows, and fall rigging as is necessary and useful for men-of-war, but that they should leave in peace the Jutlanders and all the people of Frya's race. But he wished to do more; he wanted to engage all our sea rovers to go with him upon his fighting expedition. When the Zeelanders had gone, he loaded forty old ships with weapons for wall defences, wood, bricks, carpenters, masons, and smiths, in order to build citadels, Witto, or Witte, his son, he sent to superintend. I have never been well informed of what happened; but this much is clear to me, that on each side of the harbour a strong citadel has been built, and garrisoned by people brought by Friso out of Saksenmarken. Witto courted Siuchthirte and married her. Wilhem, her father, was chief Alderman of the Jutmen-that is, chief Grevetman or Count. Wilhem died shortly afterwards, and Witto was chosen in his place.

\* Balda jefta kvade sê is the Baltic. Juttarland is Jutland.

- † Zeeland is the Danish Islands.
- ‡ See page 124.
- \* Phonisjar are Punics or Carthaginians.

Nw mot ik mith mine skêdnese a befta kêra.

Aftre grâte flod hwêr vr min tât skrêven heth, wêron fêlo Juttar ænd Lêtne mith ebbe uta Balda jefta kvade sê fored. Bi Kât his gat drêvon hja in hjara kâna mith yse vppa tha Dênemarka fæst ænd thêr vp send hja sitten bilêwen. Thêr nêron narne nên mænniska an t sjocht. Thêrvmbe hævon hịa thæt lând int, nếi hjara nôme hævon hịa thæt land Juttarland hêten. Afternêi kêmon wel fêlo Denemarker to bek fon tha hâga landum, men thissa setton hjara selva sûdliker del. And as tha stjurar to bek kêmon thêr navt vrgvngen navt nêron, gvng thi êna mith tha ôthera nei tha sê jefta êlandum. Thrych thisse skikking mochton tha Juttar thæt land halda, hwêr-vppa Wr.alda ra wêjad hêde. Tha Sêlandar stjurar tham hjara selva mith blâte fisk navt helpa ner nêra nilde, ænd thêr en ærge grins hêde an tha Gola, tham gvngon dâna tha Phonisjar skêpa birâwa. An tha sûdwester herne fon Skênland, thêr lêid Lindasburcht tonômath Lindasnôse, thrych vsa Apol stift, alsa in thit bok biskrêwen stât. Alle kâdhêmar ænd ommelandar dâna wêron eft Fryas bilêven, men thrych tha lust thêre wrêke æjen tha Golum ænd æjen tha Kæltana folgar gyngon hja mitha Sêlandar sâma dvan, men that sâma dva neth nen stek navt ne halden. Hwand tha Sêlandar hêde felo mislika plêga ænd wenhêde ovir nommen fon tha vvla Mâgjarum, Fryas folk to n spot. Forth gvng ek to fara him selva râwa, thach jef et to pase kêm thæn standon hja mænlik ôtherum trvlik by. Thach to tha lesta bijondon tha Sêlandar brek to krêjande an goda skêpa. Hjara skipmâkar weron omkvmen ænd hjara walda wêron mith grvnd ænd al fon t land of fåged. Nw kêmon thêr vnwarlingen thry skêpa by tha ringdik fon vsa burch mêra. Thrvch tha inbrêka vsra landum wêron hja vrdvaled ænd tha Flymvda misfaren. Thi kâpmon thêr mith gvngen was, wilde fon vs nya skêpa hæ, thêrto hêdon hja mithbrocht allerlêja kestlika wêra, thêr hja râwed hêdon fon tha Kæltanarlandum ænd fon tha Phonisjar skêpum. Nêidam wy selva nêne skêpa navt n-êde, jêf ik hjam flingka horsa ænd fjywer wêpende rinbodon mith nei Friso. Hwand to Stâveren ænd allingen thæt Aldergâ thêr wrdon tha besta wêrskêpa maked fon herde êken wod thêr nimmerthe nên rot an ne kvmth. Thahwila tha sêkampar by my byde, wêron svme Juttar nêi Texland fâren ænd dânâ wêron hja nêi Friso wêsen. Tha Sêlandar hêdon felo fon hjara storeste knapum rawed, thi moston vppa hjara benka roja, ænd fon hjara storeste toghtera vmb thêr by bern to têjande. Tha stora Juttar ne mochton et navt to wêrane, thrychdam hja nêne gode wêpne navt nêde. Thâ hja hjara lêth telad hêde ænd thêrvr fêlo wordon wixlad wêron, frêje Friso to tha lesta jef hja nêne gode have in hjara gâ navt n-êde. O-jes, anderon hja, êne besta ên, êne thrych Wr.alda skêpen. Hju is net krek lik jow bjarkrûk thêr, hira hals is eng, thâ in hira bælg kænnath wel thvsanda grâte kâna lidsa, men wi nâvath nêna burch ner burchwêpne, vmbe tha râwskêpa thêr ut to haldane. Thæn mosten jow gvnst måkja sêide Friso. God rêden anderon tha Juttar, men wi n-ævath nêne ambachtisljud ner bywark, wi alle send fiskar ænd juttar. Tha ora send vrdrvnken jefta nêi tha hâga landum fljucht. Midlar hwila hja thus kælta, kêmon mina bodon mitha Sêlândar hêra et sina hove. Hir most nw letta ho Friso alle to bidobbe wiste to nocht fon bêde partja ænd to bâte fon sin æjn dol. Tha Sêlandar sêider to, hja skoldon jêrlikes fiftech skêpa hæve, nêi fæsta mêtum ænd nêi fæsta jeldum, to hrêd mith ysere kêdne ænd krânbogum ænd mith fylle tjuch alsa far wêrskêpa hof ænd nêdlik sy, men tha Juttar skoldon hja thæn mith frêthe lêta, ænd all-et folk thæt to Fryasbern hêred. Jâ hi wilde mar dva, hi wilde al vsa sêkæmpar utnêda thæt hja skolde mith fjuchta ænd râwa. Thâ tha Sêlandar wêi brit wêron, thâ lêt-er fjuwertich alda skêpa to laja mith burchwêpne, wod, hirbaken stên, timberljud, mirtselêra ænd smêda vmbe thêr mith burga to bywande. Witto, that is witte sin svn, sand hi mith vmb to to sjanande. Hwat thêr al fâr fallen is, n-is my navt ni meld, men sa fül is mi bâr wrden, an byde sida thêre haves myde is êne withburch bywed, thêr in is folk lêid that Friso uta Saxanamarka tâch. Witto heth Sjuchthirte bifrêjad ænd to sin wiv nomen. Wilhem alsa hête hira tat, hi was vreste Aldermæn thêra Juttar, that is vrste Grêvetman jefta Grêve. Wilhem is kirt after sturven ænd Witto is in sin stêd koren.

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#### WHAT FRISO DID FURTHER

Of his first wife he still had two brothers-in-law, who were very daring. Fon sin êrosta wif hêder twên sviaringa bihalda, thêr sêr klok wêron. Hetto—that is, heat—the youngest, he sent as messenger to Kattaburgt. Hetto, that is hête, thene jongste skikt er as senda boda nêi Kattaburgt thæt

Ho Friso forther dêde

which lies far in the Saxsenmarken. Friso gave him to take seven horses, besides his own, laden with precious things stolen by the sea-rovers. With each horse there were two young sea-rovers and two young horsemen, clad in rich garments, and with money in their purses. In the same way as he sent Hetto to Kattaburgt, he sent Bruno that is, brown-the other brother-in-law, to Mannagarda oord. Mannagarda oord was written Mannagarda ford in the earlier part of this book, but that is wrong. All the riches that they took with them were given away, according to circumstances, to princes, princesses, and chosen young girls. When his young men went to the tavern to dance with the young people there, they ordered baskets of spice, gingerbread, and tuns of the best beer. After these messengers he let his young people constantly go over to the Saxsenmarken, always with money in their purses and presents to give away, and they spent money carelessly in the taverns. When the Saxsen youths looked with envy at this they smiled, and said. If you dare go and fight the common enemy you would be able to give much richer presents to your brides, and live much more princely. Both the brothers-in-law of Friso had married daughters of the chief princes, and afterwards the Saxsen youths and girls came in whole troops to the Flymeer.

The burgtmaidens and old maidens who still remembered their greatness did not hold with Friso's object, and therefore they said no good of him; but Friso, more cunning than they, let them chatter, but the younger maidens he led to his side with golden fingers. They said everywhere, For a long time we have had no mother, but that comes from our being fit to take care of ourselves. At present it suits us best to have a king to win back our lands that we have lost through the imprudence of our mothers. Further they said, Every child of Frya has permission to let his voice be heard before the choice of a prince is decided; but if it comes to that, that you choose a king, then also we will have our say. From all that we can see, Wr-alda has appointed Friso for it, for he has brought him here in a wonderful way. Friso knows the tricks of the Gauls, whose language he speaks; he can therefore watch against their craftiness. Then there is something else to keep the eye upon. What count could be chosen as king without the others being jealous of him? All such nonsense the young maidens talked; but the old maidens, though few in number, tapped their advice out of another cask. They said always and to every one: Friso does like the spiders. At night he spreads his webs in all directions, and in the day he catches in them all his unsuspecting friends. Friso says he cannot suffer any priests or foreign princes, but we say that he cannot suffer anybody but himself; therefore he will not allow the citadel of Stavia to be rebuilt; therefore he will not have the mother again. To-day Friso is your counsellor, to morrow he will be your king, in order to have full power over you. Among the people there now existed two parties. The old and the poor wished to have the mother again, but the young and the warlike wished for a father and a king. The first called themselves mother's sons, the others father's sons, but the mother's sons did not count for much; because there were many ships to build, there was a good time for all kinds of workmen. Moreover, the sea-rovers brought all sorts of treasures, with which the maidens were pleased, the girls were pleased, and their relations and friends.

When Friso had been nearly forty years at Staveren he died. Owing to him many of the states had been joined together again, but that we were the better for it I am not prepared to certify. Of all the counts that preceded him there was none so renowned as Friso; for, as I said before, the young maidens spoke in his praise, while the old maidens did all in their power to make him hateful to everybody. Although the old women could not prevent his meddling, they made so much fuss that he died without becoming king.

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- \* 263 before Christ.

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#### NOW I WILL WRITE ABOUT HIS SON ADEL.

Friso, who had learned our history from the book of the Adelingen, had done everything in his power to win their friendship. His eldest son, whom he had by his wife Swethirte, he named Adel; and although he strove with all his might to prevent the building or restoring any citadels, he sent Adel to the citadel of Texland in order to make himself better acquainted with our laws, language, and customs. When Adel was twenty

djap inna Saxanamarka lêid. Hi hêde fon Friso mith krêjen sjugon horsa buta sin æjn, to lêden mith kestlika sêkum, thrvch tha sêkæmpar râwed. Bi jahweder hors wêron twên jonga sêkæmpar ænd twên jonga hrutar mith rika klâdarum klâth ænd jeld in hiara bûdar. Êvin as er Hetto nêi Kattaburch skikte, skikter Bruno, thæt is brûne, thene ôthera svjaring nêi Mannagærda wrda, Mannagærda wrda is fâr in thit bok Mannagærda forda skrêven, men thất is misdên. Alle rikdoma thêr hja mith hede wrdon nêi omstand wêi skænkt an tha forsta and forstene ænd an tha utforkêrne mangêrtne. Kêmon thâ sine knapa vppa thêre mêid vmbe thêr mith et jongkfolk to dônsjane, sa lêton hja kvra mith krûdkok kvma ænd bærgum jeftha tonnum fon tha besta bjar. After thissa bodon lêt-er immer jongkfolk over tha Saxanarmarka fåra, thêr alle jeld inna budar hêde ænd alle mêida jeftha skænkadja mith brochton, ænd vppa thêre mêid têradon hja alon vnkvmmerlik wêi. Jef-t nv bêrde thæt tha Saxana knâpa thêr nydich néi utsâgon, thæn lakton hja godlik ænd séidon, aste thyrath thene mêna fyand to bikæmpane, sâ kænst thin brêid jet fül riker mêida jân ænd jet forstelik têra. Al bêda sviaringa fon Friso send bostigjad mith toghaterum thêra romriksta forstum, ænd æfkernêi kêmon tha Saxanar knâpa ænd mangêrtne by êlle keddum nêi thæt Flymar del.

Tha burchfâmna ænd tha alda fâmna thêr jeta fon hjar êre grâthêd wiste, nygadon navt vr nêi Frisos bedriv, thêrvmbe ne kêthon hja nên god fon him. Men Friso snôder as hja lêt-ra snâka. Men tha jonga fâmna spônd-er mith goldne fingrum an sina sêk. Hja sêidon alomme wy nævath longer nên Moder mâr, men thæt kymth dâna thæt wit iêroch send. Ivd past vs ne kâning, til thju wi vsa landa wither winna, thêr tha Modera vrlêren hæve thrvch hjara vndigerhêd. Forth kêthon hja, alrek Fryasbern is frydom jêven, sin stem hêra to lêtane bi fara thêr bisloten wærth bi t kjasa ênre forste, men ast alsa wyd kyma machte thæt i jo wither ne kæning kjasa, så wil ik âk min mêne segse. Nêi al hwat ik skoja mêi, sâ is Friso thêr to thrych Wr.alda kêren, hwand hi heth im wonderlik hir hinne wêiad. Friso wêt tha hrenka thêra Golum, hwam his tâle hi sprêkt, hi kæn thus æjen hjara lestum wâka. Thæn is thêr jeta awet to skojande, hok Grêva skolde mæn to kæning kjasa synder that tha ôra thêr nidich vr wêron. Aldulkera tâlum wærth thrych tha jonga fâmnn kethen, men tha alde fâmma afskên fê an tal, tapadon hjara rêdne ut en ôthera bærg. Hja kêthon allerwêikes ænd to alla mannalik: Friso kêthon hja dvath så tha spinna dvan, thes nachtis spônth-i netta nêi alle sidum ænd thes dêis vrskalkth-i thêr sina vnæftertochtlika frjunda in. Friso sêith that er nêne prestera ner poppa forsta lyde ne mêi, men ik seg, hi ne mêi nimman lyda as him selva. Thêrvmbe nil hi navt ne dâja thæt thju burch Stavia wither vp hêjath warth. Thêrvmbe wil hi nêne Moder wêr hâ. Jud is Friso jow rêd jêvar, men morne wil hi jow kæning wertha, til thju hi over jo alle rjuchta mei. Inna bosm thes folk-is antstondon nw twa partyja. Tha alda ænd ærma wildon wither êne Moder hâ, men thæt jongkfolk, thæt fyl strêdlust wêre wilde ne tât jeftha kæning hâ. Tha êrosta hêton hjara selva moder his svna ænd tha ôthera hêton hjara selva tât his svna, men tha Moder his svna ne wrde wrde navt ni meld, hwand thrychdam thêr fêlo skêpa mâked wrde, was thêr ovirflod to fâra skipmâkar, smêda, sylmâkar, rêpmâkar ænd to fâra alle ôra ambachtisljud. Thêr to boppa brochton tha sêkæmpar allerlêja syrhêda mith. Thêr fon hêdon tha wiva nocht, tha fâmna nocht, tha mangêrtne nocht, ænd thêrof hêdon al hjara mêgum nocht ænd al hjara frjundum ænd åthum.

Tha Friso bi fjuwertich jêr et Ståveren hushalden hêde sturf-er. Thrvch sin bijelda hêde-r fêlo ståta wither to manlik ôtherum brocht, thach jef wi thèr thrvch bêter wrde thvr ik navt bijechta. Fon alle Grêva thêr bifâra him wêron nas thêr nimman så bifâmed lik Friso wêst. Tha så as-k êr sêide, tha jonge fâmna kêthon sina love, thahwila tha alda fâmna ella dêdon vmb-im to achtjane ænd hâtlik to mâkjane bi alle mænniska. Nw ne machton tha alda fâmna him thêr mitha wel navt ne stôra in sina bijeldinga, men hja hævon mith hjara bâra thach alsa fül utrjucht thæt-er sturven is synder thæt er kæning wêre.

Nw wil ik skriwa vr Adel sin svnv.

Friso thèr vsa skidnese lèred hêde ut-et bok thèra Adellinga, hêde ella dèn vmbe hjara frjundskip to winnande. Sin èroste svnv thèr hi hir won by Swèthirte sin wif, heth-er bi stonda Adel hèten. And afskèn hi kæmpade mith alle sin weld, vmbe nène burga to forstælane ner wither vp to bvwande, thach sand hi Adel nèi thère burch et Texland til thju hi diger bi diger kvd wertha machta, mith ella hwat to vsa èwa, tâle ænd sedum

years old Friso brought him into his own school, and when he had fully educated him he sent him to travel through all the states. Adel was an amiable young man, and in his travels he made many friends, so the people called him Atharik—that is, rich in friends—which was very useful to him afterwards, for when his father died he took his place without a question of any other count being chosen.

While Adel was studying at Texland there was a lovely maiden at the citadel. She came from Saxenmarken, from the state of Suobaland, therefore she was called at Texland Suobene, although her name was Ifkja. Adel fell in love with her, and she with him, but his father wished him to wait a little. Adel did as he wished; but as soon as he was dead, sent messengers to Berthold, her father, to ask her in marriage. Berthold was a prince of high-principled feelings. He had sent his daughter to Texland in the hope that she might be chosen Burgtmaagd in her country, but when he knew of their mutual affection he bestowed his blessing upon them. Ifkja was a clever Frisian. As far as I have been able to learn, she always toiled and worked to bring the Frya's people back under the same laws and customs. To bring the people to her side, she travelled with her husband through all Saxenmarken, and also to Geertmannia—as the Geertmen had named the country which they had obtained by means of Gosa. Thence they went to Denmark, and from Denmark by sea to Texland. From Texland they went to Westflyland, and so along the cost to Walhallagara; thence they followed the Zuiderryn (the Waal), till, with great apprehension, they arrived beyond the Rhine at the Marsaten of whom our Apollonia has written. When they had stayed there a little time, they returned to the lowlands. When they had been some time descending towards the lowlands, and had reached about the old citadel of Aken, four of their servants were suddenly murdered and stripped. They had loitered a little behind. My brother, who was always on the alert, had forbidden them to do so, but they did not listen to him. The murderers that had committed this crime were Twisklanders, who had at that time audaciously crossed the Rhine to murder and to steal. The Twisklanders are banished and fugitive children of Frya, but their wives they have stolen from the Tartars. The Tartars are a brown tribe of Finda's people, who are thus named because they make war on everybody. They are all horsemen and robbers. This is what makes the Twisklanders so bloodthirsty. The Twisklanders who had done the wicked deed called themselves Frijen or Franken. There were among them, my brother said, red, brown, and white men. The red and brown made their hair white with lime-water-but as their faces remained brown, they were only the more ugly. In the same way as Apollonia, they visited Lydasburgt and the Alderga. Afterwards they made a tour of all the neighbourhood of Stavera. They behaved with so much amiability, that everywhere the people wished to keep them. Three months later, Adel sent messengers to all the friends that he had made, requesting them to send to him their "wise men" in the month of May.†

his wife, he said, who had been maagd of Texland, had received a copy of it. In Texland many writings are still found which are not copied in the book of the Adelingen. One of these writings had been placed by Gosa with her last will, which was to be opened by the oldest maiden, Albetha, as soon as Friso was dead.

- † Hamconius, page 8. Suobinna.
- \* See page 150
- † Delta, still in use in North Holland for swampy land.
- \* Diodorus Siculus, V. 28.
- $\dagger$  Here the copyist, Hiddo oera Linda, has turned over a leaf too much, and has thus omitted two pages.

hêreth. Tha Adel twintich jêr tælde lêt Friso him to sin æjn skol kvma, ænd as er thêr utlêred was, lêt-er him thrvch ovir alle stâta fâra. Adel was-ne minlika skalk, bi sin fâra heth-er fêlo âtha wnnen. Dâna is-t kvmen thæt et folk him Atha-rik hêten heth, awet hwat him æfternêi sa wel to pase kêm, hwand as sin tât fallen was, bilêv er in sin stêd svnder that er vr-et kjasa ên er ôthera Grêva sprêka kêm.

Thahwila Adel to Texland inna lêre wêre, was thêr tefta en êlle ljawe fâm in vpper burch. Hju kêm fon ut tha Saxanamarkum wêi, fon ut-êre stâtha thêr is kêthen Svôbaland thêr thrych wærth hiu to Texland Svôbene hêten. afskên hjra nôme Ifkja wêre. Adel hêde hja ljaf krêjen ænd hju hêde Adel ljaf, men sin tæt bêd-im hi skolde jet wachtja. Adel was hêrich, men alsa ring sin tât fallen was ænd hi sêten, sand hi bistonda bodon nei Berthholda hira tât hin, as er sine toghter to wif hæva machte. Bertholda wêr ne forste fon vnforbastere sêd, hi hêde Ifkja nêi Texland inna lêre synden inner hậpe that hịa ênis to burchfâm kêre wrde skolde in sine æjn land. Thach hi hêde hjara bêder gêrte kænna lêred, thêrvmbe gyng-er to ænd jef hjam sina sêjen. Ifkja wêr-ne kante Fryas. Far sa fêre ik hja hæv kænna lêred, heth hju alôn wrocht ænd wrot til thju Fryasbern wither kyma machte vndera selva êwa ænd vnder ênen bôn. Vmbe tha mænniska vppa hira syd to krêjande, was hju mith hira frjudelf fon of hira tât thrych alle Saxanamarka fâren and forth nêi Gêrtmænnja. Gêrtmannja alsa hêdon tha Gêrtmanna hjara stât hêten, thêr hja thrych Gosa hira bijeldinga krêjen hêde. Dâna gyngen hja nei tha Dênemarka. Fon tha Dênemarka gyngon hia skip nei Texland. Fon Texland gyngon hia nêi Westflyland en sa allingen tha sê nêi Walhallagâra hin. Fon Walhallagâra brûdon hja allingen thêra sûder Hrênum al ont hja mith grâta frêse boppa thêre Rêne bi tha Marsâta kêmon hwêrfon vsa Apollânja skrêven heth. Tho hja thêr en stût wêst hêde, gyngon hja wither nêi tha delta As hja nw en tid lông nêi tha delta offåren wêron al ont hja inna strêk fon thêre alda burch Aken kêmon, sind thêr vnwarlinga fjuwer skalka morth and naked uteklât. Hja wêron en lith æfter an kymen. Min brother thêr vral by was hêde hja often vrbêden, thach hja nêde navt ne hêred. Tha bônar thêr thæt dên hêde wêron Twisklândar thêr juddêga drist wêi ovira Hrêna kvma to morda and to râwande. Tha Twislândar thæt sind bannane ænd wêi britne Fryas-bern, men hjara wiva hævath hja fon tha Tartarum râwet. Tha Tartara is en brûn Findas folk, althus hêten thrychdam hja alle folka to strida uttarta. Hja send al hrutar ænd râwar. Thêr fon send tha Twisklândar alsa blod thorstich wrden. Tha Twisklândar tham thju ærgnise dên hêde, hêton hjara selva Frya jeftha Franka. Ther wêron sêide min brother râda bruna ænd wita mong. Thère thêr râd jeftha brun wêron biton hjara hêre mith sjalkwêter wit. Nêidam hjara ônthlita thêr brun by wêr, alsa wrdon hja thesto lêdliker thêr thrych. Êvin as Apollânja biskojadon hja æfternêi Lydasburch ænd et Aldergâ. Dâna tâgon hju in over Stâverens wrde by hjara ljuda rond. Alsa minlik hêdon hja hjara selva anstæled that tha mænniska ra allerwêikes halda wilde. Thrê mônatha forther sand Adel bodon nêi alle âthum thêr hi biwnnen hêde ænd lêt tham bidda, hja skoldon inna Minna mônath lichta ljuda to him senda.

sin wif séid er thér fâm wêst hêde to Texlând, hêde dâna en ovirskrift krêjen. To Texland warthat jeta fêlo skrifta fvnden, thêr navt in t bok thêra Adelinga vrskrêven send. Fon thissa skriftum hêde Gosa ên bi hira utroste wille lîd, thêr thrych tha aldeste fâm Albêthe avbêr mâkt wertha most, alsa ringen Friso fallen was.

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#### HERE IS THE WRITING WITH GOSA'S ADVICE.

When Wr-alda gave children to the mothers of mankind, he gave one language to every tongue and to all lips. This gift Wr-alda had bestowed upon men in order that by its means they might make known to each other what must be avoided and what must be followed to find salvation, and to hold salvation to all eternity. Wr-alda is wise and good, and all-foreseeing. As he knew that happiness and holiness would flee from the earth when wickedness could overcome virtue, he has attached to the language an equitable property. This property consists in this, that men

Hyr is that skrift mith Gosas rêd.

Tha Wralda bern jêf an tha modera fon thæt mænniskelik slachte, thâ lêid er êne tâle in aller tonga ænd vp aller lippa. Thjus mêide hêde Wralda an tha mænniska jêven, til thju hja mænlik ôthera thêrmith machte kænbêr måkja, hwat mæn formyde mot ænd hwat mæn bijagja mot vmbe sêlighêd to findane ænd sêlighêd to haldane in al êvghêd. Wralda is wis ænd god ænd al færsjande. Nêidam er nw wist, thæt luk ænd sêlighêd fon irtha flya mot, jef boshêd dûged bidroga mêi, alsa heth er an thju tâl êne rjuchtfêrdige æjendomlikhêd fæst bonden. Thjus æjendomlikhêd is thêr an

can neither lie nor use deceitful words without stammering or blushing, by which means the innately bad are easily known.

As thus our language opens the way to happiness and blessedness, and thus helps to guard against evil inclinations, it is rightly named the language of the gods, and all those by whom it is held in honour derive honour from it. But what has happened? As soon as among our half brothers and sisters deceivers arose, who gave themselves out as servants of the good, it soon became otherwise. The deceitful priests and the malignant princes, who always clung together, wished to live according to their own inclinations, without regard to the laws of right. In their wickedness they went so far as to invent other languages, so that they might speak secretly in anybody's presence of their wicked and unworthy affairs without betraying themselves by stammering, and without showing a blush upon their countenances. Bat what has that produced? Just as the seed of good herbs which has been sown by good men in the open day springs up from the ground, so time brings to light the evil seed which has been sown by wicked men in secret and in darkness.

The wanton girls and effeminate youths who consorted with the immoral priests and princes, taught the new language to their companions, and thus spread it among the people till God's language was clean forgotten. Would you know what came of all this? how that stammering and blushing no longer betrayed their evil doings;—virtue passed away, wisdom and liberty followed; unity was lost, and quarrelling took its place; love flew away, and unchastity and envy met round their tables; and where previously justice reigned, now it is the sword. All are slaves—the subjects of their masters, envy, bad passions and covetousness. If they had only invented one language things might possibly have still gone on well; but they invented as many languages as there are states, so that one people can no more understand another people than a cow a dog, or a wolf a sheep. The mariners can bear witness to this. From all this it results that all the slave people look upon each other as strangers; and that as a punishment of their inconsiderateness and presumption, they must quarrel and fight till they are all destroyed.

lêgen, thæt mæn thêr mith nên lêjen sêge, ner bidroglika worda sprêka ne mêi synder stem lêth noch synder skâmrâd, thrych hyam mæn tha bosa fon hirte bistonda vrkænna mêi. Nêidam vsa tâle thus to luk ænd to sêlighêd wêjath, ænd thus mith wâkt æjen tha bosa nygonga, thêrvmbe is hju mith alle rjucht godis tâle hêten, ænd alle tha jêna hwam hja an êre halda hâyath thêr gôme fon. Tha hwat is bêrth. Alsa ring thêr mong vsa halfsusterum ænd halfbrotharum bidrogar vpkêmon, tham hjara selva fori godis skalkum utjavon, also ring is thæt owers wrden. Tha bidroglika prestera ænd tha wrangwrêja forsta thêr immer sêmin hêladon, wildon nêi wilkêr lêva ænd buta god-is êwa dvan. In bjara tsjodishêd send hja to gvngen ænd hævon ôthera tâla forsvnnen, til thju hja hêmlik machte sprêka in æjenwærtha fon alrek ôtherum, vr alle bosa thinga ænd vr alle vnwêrthlika thinga synder thæt stemlêth biam yrrêda mocht nach skâmrâd hjara gelât vrderva. Men hwat is thêrut bern. Êvin blyd as t sêd thêra goda krûdum fon ynder ne grynd ut yntkêmth, thæt aybêr sêied is thrych goda ljuda by helle dêi, êven blyd brength tyd tha skâdlika krûda an t ljucht, thêr sêjed send thrych bosa ljuda in t forborgne ænd by thjustrenesse.

Tha lodderiga mangertne ænd tha vnmænlika knåpa thêr mitha vvla presterum ænd forstum horadon vntlvkadon tha nya tâla an hjara bola, thêrwisa send hja forth kvmen êmong tha folkrum, til thju hja god-is tâle glâd vrjetten hæve. Wilst nw wêta hwat thêr of wrden is? Nv stemlêth ner gelât hjara bosa tochta navt longer mar vrrêdon, nv is düged fon ut hjara midden wêken, wisdom is folgth ænd frydom is mith gvngen, êndracht is sok råkt ænd twispalt heth sin stêd innommen, liafde is fliucht ænd hordom sith mith nyd an têfel, ænd thêr êr rjuchtfêrdichhêd welde, welth ny thæt swêrd. Alle send slâvona wrden, tha ljuda fon hjara hêra, fon nyd, bosa lusta ænd bigyrlikhêd. Hêde hja nvmâr êne tâle forsvnnen, müglik was-t thæn jet en lith god gyngen. Men hja hævon alsa fêlo tâla utfonden as thêr stâta send. Thêrthrych mêi thæt êne folk thæt ôre folk êvin min forstân as thju kv thene hvnd ænd thi wolf thæt skêp. Thit mügath tha stjurar bitjuga. Thach dânâ is-t ny wêi kymen, thæt alle slâvona folkar mænlik ôthara lik ôra mænniska biskoja ænd thæt hja to straffe hjarar vndigerhêd ænd fon hiara vrmêtenhêd, mænlik ôthera alsa long biorloge ænd bikampa moton til thju alle vrdilgad send.

50. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### HERE IS MY COUNSEL.

If you wish that you alone should inherit the earth, you must never allow any language but God's language to pass your lips, and take care that your own language remains free from outlandish sounds. If you wish that some of Lyda's children and some of Finda's children remain, you must do the same. The language of the East Schoonlanders has been perverted by the vile Magyars, and the language of the followers of Kaltana has been spoiled by the dirty Gauls. Now, we have been weak enough to admit among us the returned followers of Hellenia, but I anxiously fear that they will reward our weakness by debasing our pure language.

Many things have happened to us, but among all the citadels that have been disturbed and destroyed in the bad time, Irtha has preserved Fryasburgt uninjured; and I may remark that Frya's or God's language has always remained here untainted.

Here in Texland, therefore, schools should be established; and from all the states that have kept to the old customs the young people should be sent here, and afterwards those whose education is complete can help those who remain at home. If foreigners come to buy ironwares from you, and want to talk and bargain, they must come back to God's language. If they learn God's language, then the words, "to be free" and "to have justice," will come to them, and glimmer and glitter in their brains to a perfect light, and that flame will destroy all bad princes and hypocritical dirty priests.

The native and foreign messengers were pleased with that writing, but no schools came from it. Then Adel established schools himself. Every year Adel and Ifkja went to inspect the schools. If they found a friendly feeling existing between the natives and foreigners, they were extremely pleased. If there were any who had sworn friendship together, they assembled the people, and with great ceremony let them inscribe their names in a book which was called the Book of Friendship, and afterwards a festival was held. All these customs were kept up in order to bring together the separate branches of Frya's race; but the maidens who were opposed to Adel and Ifkja said that they did it for no other reason than to make a name for themselves, and to bring all the other states under their

Hyr is ny min rêd.

Bist thv alsa gyrich that thu irtha allêna erva wilste, alsa achst thv nimmer mâre nên ôre tâle ovir thina wêra ni kvrna to lêtane as god-is tâle, ænd thæn achst thv to njodane, til thju thin æjn tâle fry fon uthêmeda klinka bilyweth. Wilst thv thæt er svme fon Lydas bern ænd fon Findas bern resta, sâ dvath stv êvin alsa. Thju tâle thêra Ast Skênlandar is thrvch tha wla Mâgjara vrbrûd; thju tâle thêra Kaltana folgar is thrvch tha smûgrige Gole vrderven. Nv send wi alsa mild wêst vmbe tha witherkvmande Hellêna folgar wither in vs midden to nêmande, men ik skrom ænd ben sêrelik ange, thæt hja vs mild-sa vrjelda skilun mith vrbrûding vsra rêne tâle.

Fül hævon wi witherfaren, men fon alle burgum, thêr thrvch arge tyd vrhomlath send ænd vrdiligad, heth Irtha Fryasbnrch vnforleth bihalden; æk mêi ik thêr by melda thæt Fryas jeftha god-is tâle hir evin vnforleth bihalden is.

Hyr to Texland most mæn thus skola stifta, fon alle ståtum ther et mitha alda sedum halda, most-et jongk folk hyr hinne senden wrde, æfterdam mochton thera utlered were tha ôra helpa ther to honk vrbeide. Willath tha ôra folkar ysre weron fon thi sella end thervr mith thi spreka ænd thinga, så moton hja to god-iståle wither kera. Lerath hja god-iståle så skilun tha worda fry-så ænd rjucht-hå to hjara inkvma, in hjara brein skilet thæn bijina to glimmande ænd to glorande til thju ella to-ne logha warth. Thissa logha skil alle balda forsta vrtera ænd alle skinfråna ænd smugriga prestera.

Tha hèinde ænd fèrhèmande sendabodon hèdon nocht fon vr thæt skrift, thach thèr ne kèmon nène skola. Thæ stifte Adel selva skola, æfter him dèdon tha ôra forsta lik hy. Jèrlikis gyngon Adel ænd Ifkja tha skola skoja. Fandon hja thæn èmong tha inhèmar ænd uthèmar seliga thèr ekkorum frjundskip bàradon, så lèton bède grâte blidskip blika. Hèdon syme seliga ekkorum frjundskip sworen, alsa lèton hja alra mannalik to manlik ôrum kyma, mith grâte stât lèton hja thæn hjara nôma in en bok skriva, thrych hjam thæt bok thèra frjundskip hèten, æfter dam warth fèrst halden. Al thissa plèga wrde dên ymbe tha asyndergana twyga fon Fryas stam wither et sèmene to snôrane. Men tha famna thèr Adel ænd Ifkja

subjection.

Among my father's papers I found a letter from Liudgert the Geertman. Omitting some passages which only concern my father, I proceed to relate the rest

Punjab, that is five rivers, and by which we travel, is a river of extraordinary beauty, and is called Five Rivers, because four other streams flow into the sea by its mouth. Far away to the eastward is another large river, the Holy or Sacred Ganges. Between these two rivers is the land of the Hindoos. Both rivers run from the high mountains to the plains. The mountains in which their sources lie are so high that they reach the heavens (laia), and therefore these mountains are called Himmellaia. Among the Hindoos and others out of these countries there are people who meet together secretly. They believe that they are pure children of Finda, and that Finda was born in the Himmellaia mountains, whence she went with her children to the lowlands. Some of them believe that she, with her children, floated down upon the foam of the Ganges, and that that is the reason why the river is called the Sacred Ganges. But the priests, who came from another country, traced out these people and had them burnt, so that they do not dare to declare openly their creed. In this country all the priests are fat and rich. In their churches there are all kinds of monstrous images, many of them of gold. To the west of the Punjab are the Yren (Iraniers), or morose (Drangianen), the Gedrosten (Gedrosiers), or runaways, and the Urgetten, or forgotten. These names are given by the priests out of spite, because they fled from their customs and religion. On their arrival our forefathers likewise established themselves to the east of the Punjab, but on account of the priests they likewise went to the west. In that way we learned to know the Yren and other people. The Yren are not savages, but good people, who neither pray to nor tolerate images; neither will they suffer priests or churches; but as we adhere to the light of Fasta, so they everywhere maintain fire in their houses. Coming still further westward, we arrive at the Gedrosten. Regarding the Gedrosten: They have been mixed with other people, and speak a variety of languages. These people are really savage murderers, who always wander about the country on horseback hunting and robbing, and hire themselves as soldiers to the surrounding princes, at whose command they destroy whatever they can reach.

The country between the Punjab and the Ganges is as flat as Friesland near the sea, and consists of forests and fields, fertile in every part, but this does not prevent the people from dying by thousands of hunger. The famines, however, must not be attributed to Wr-alda or Irtha, but to the princes and priests. The Hindoos are timid and submissive before their princes, like hinds before wolves. Therefore the Yren and others have called them Hindoos, which means hinds. But their timidity is frightfully abused. If strangers come to purchase corn, everything is turned into money, and this is not prevented 'by the priests, because they, being more crafty and rapacious than all the princes put together, know very well that all the money will come into their pockets. Besides what the people suffer from their princes, they suffer a great deal from poisonous and wild beasts. There are great elephants that sometimes go about in whole flocks and trample down cornfields aid whole villages. There are great black and white cats which are called tigers. They are as large as calves, and they devour both men and beasts. Besides other creeping animals there are snakes from the size of a worm to the size of a tree. The largest can swallow a cow, but the smallest are the most deadly. They conceal themselves among the fruits and flowers, and surprise the people who come to gather them. Any one who is bitten by them is sure to die, as Irtha has given no antidote to their poison, because the people have so given themselves up to idolatry. There are, besides, all sorts of lizards, tortoises, and crocodiles. All these reptiles, like the snakes, vary from the size of a worm to the trunk of a tree. According to their size and fierceness, they have names which I cannot recollect, but the largest are called alligators, because they eat as greedily the putrid cattle that float down the stream as they do living animals that they seize. On the west of the Punjab where we come from, and where I was born, the same fruits and crops grow as on the east side. Formerly there existed also the same crawling animals, but our forefathers burnt all the underwood, and so diligently hunted all the wild animals, that there are scarcely any left. To the extreme west of the Punjab there is found rich clay land as well as barren heaths, which seem endless, occasionally varied lovely spots on which the eye rests enchanted. Among the fruits there are many that I have not found here. Among the various kinds of corn some is as yellow as gold. There are also golden apples, of which some are as sweet as honey and others as sour as vinegar. In our country there are nuts as large as a child's head. They contain nydich wêron, sêidon that hja-t niwerth ôre vr dêdon as vmb en gode hrop, ænd vmb bi grâdum to weldana in ovir ênis ôther man his stât. By min tât sinra skriftum hæv ik ênen brêf funden, skrêvin thrych Liudeêrth thene Gêrtmæn, bibalya symlika sêka thêr min tât allêna ielde.

jêf ik hyr thæt ôthera to thæt besta.

Pang-ab, thât is fyf wætera ænd hwêr neffen wi wech kyme, is-ne runstrâme fon afsvnderlika skênhêd, ænd fif wætera hêten vmb thet fjuwer ôra runstrama thrych sine mynd in sê floja. Êl fere âstwarth is noch ne grâte runstrâme thêr hêlige jeftha frâna Gong-ga hêten. Twisk thysum runstrâmne is t lônd thêra Hindos. Bêda runstrâma runath fon tha hâga bergum nêi tha delta del. Tha berga hwanâ se del strâme sind alsa hâch thet se to tha himel læja. Thêrvmbe wærth-et berchta Himellâja berchta hêten. Vnder tha HIndos ænd ôthera ut-a lôndum sind welka liuda mank thêr an stilnise by malkorum kvma. Se gelâvath thet se vnforbastere bern Findas sind. Se gelâvath thet Finda fon ut et Himmellæja berchta bern is, hvanâ se mith hjara bern nêi tha delta jeftha lêgte togen is. Welke vnder tham gelâvath thet se mith hjra bern vppet skum thêr hêlige Gongga del gonggen is. Thêrvmbe skolde thi runstrâme hêlige Gongga hêta. Mâr tha prestera thêr ut en ôr lônd wech kvma lêton thi ljuda vpspêra ænd vrbarna, thêrvmbe ne thurvath se far hjara sêk nit ôpentlik ut ni kvma. In thet lond sind olle prestera tjok ænd rik. In hjara chærka werthat ollerlêja drochtenlika byldon fynden, thêr ynder sind fêlo golden mank. Biwesta Pangab thêr sind tha Yra jeftha wranga, tha Gedrostne jeftha britne, ænd tha Orjetten jeftha vrjetne. Ol thisa nôma sind ar thrych tha nydige prestera jêven, thrychdam hja fon ar fljuchte, vmb sêda ænd gelâv. bi hjara kymste hêdon vsa êthla hjara selva âk an tha âstlika ower fon Pangab del set, men vmb thêra prestera wille sind se âk nêi thêr wester ower fâren. Thêrthrych hæyon wi tha Yra ænd tha ôthera kenna lêrth. Tha Yra ne sind nêne yra mâr gôda minska thêr nêna byldon to lêta nach ônbidda, âk willath se nêna chærka nach prestar doga, ænd êvin als wi-t frâna ljucht fon Fæsta vpholda, êvin så holdon se ôllerwechs fjur in hjara hûsa vp. Kvmth môn efter êl westlik, ôlsâ kvmth môn by tha Gedrostne. Fon tha Gedrostne. This a sind mith ora folkrum bastered and sprêkath ôlle afsvnderlika tåla. Thisa minska sind wêrentlik yra bonar, thêr ammer mith hjara horsa vp overa fjelda dwâla, thêr ammer jâgja ænd râwa ænd thêr hjara selva als salt-âtha forhêra an tha omhêmmande forsta, ther wille hwam se alles nither hâwa hwat se birêka müge.

Thet lônd twisk Pangab ænd ther Gongga is like flet as Fryaslônd an tha sê, afwixlath mith fjeldum ænd waldum, fruchtbâr an alle dêlum, mâr thet mach nit vrletta that thêr bi hwila thûsanda by thûsanda thrych honger biswike. Thisa hongernêde mach thêrvmbe nit an Wr.alda nach an Irtha wyten nit wertha, mâr allêna an tha forsta and prestera. Tha Hindos sind ivin blode ænd forfêred from hjara forstum, als tha hindne from tha wolva sind. Thêrymbe hævon tha Yra ænd ôra ra Hindos hêten, thêt hindne bitjoth. Mår fon hjara blodhêd wærth afgrislika misbruk måkth. Kvmat thêr fêrhêmande kâpljud vmb kêren to kâpjande, alsa warth alles to jeldum måkth. Thrvch tha prestera ni warth et nit wêrth, hwand thisa noch snoder ænd jyriger als alle forsta to samene, wytath êl god, thet al-et jeld endlik in hjara bûdar kymth. Buta ænd bihalva thet tha ljuda thêr fül fon hjara forsta lyda, moton hja åk noch fül fon thet fenynige ænd wilde kwik lyda. Thêr send store elefante thêr by êle keddum hlâpa, thêr bihwyla êle fjelda kêren vrtrappe ænd êle thorpa. Thêr sind bonte ænd swarte katta, tigrum hêten, thêr sâ grât als grâte kalvar sind, thêr minsk ænd djar vrslynne. Bûta fêlo ôra wriggum sind thêr snâka fon af tha grâte êner wyrme âl to tha grâte êner bâm. Tha grâteste kennath en êle kv vrslynna, mår tha lythste sind noch frêsliker als tham. Se holdon hjara selva twisk blom ænd fruchta skul vmb tha minska to bigâna tham thêr of plokja wille. Is môn thêr fon byten, sâ mot môn stærva, hwand æjen hjara fenyn heth Irtha nêna krûda jêven, ôlsânâka tha minska hjara selva hævon skildich måkt an afgodie. Forth sind thêr ôllerlêja slacht fon håchdiska nyndiska ænd adiska, ôl thisa diska sind yvin als tha snâka fon of ne wyrme til-ne bâmstame grât, nêi that hja grât jof frêslik sind, sind hjara nôma, thêr ik alle nit noma ni ken, tha aldergrâtesta âdiska sind algættar hêten, thrychdam se yvin grûsich bitte an thet rotte kwik, that mith-a strâma fon boppa nêi tha delta dryweth as an thet lêvande kwik, that se bigâna müge. An tha westsyde fon Pangab, wânâ wi wech kvme ænd hwer ik bern ben, thêr blojath ænd waxath tha selva frûchta ænd nochta as an tha âstsyde. To fâra wrdon er âk tha selva wrigga fonden, mær vsa êthla havon alle krylwalda vrbærnath ænd alsånåka æfter et wilde kwik jåged, that ther fê mær resta. Kvmth man êl westlik fon Pangab, then finth man neffen fette etta åk dorra gêstlanda thêr vnendlik skina, bihwila ofwixlath mith ljaflika strêka, hwêran thet âg forbonden bilywet. Vnder tha fruchta fon min land sind fêlo slachta mank, thêr ik hyr nit fynden hæv. Vnder

cheese and milk. When they are old oil is made from them. Of the husks ropes are made, and of the shells cups and other household utensils are made. I have found in the woods here bramble and holly berries. In my country we have trees bearing berries, as large as your lime-trees, the berries of which are much sweeter and three times as large as your gooseberries. When the days are at the longest, and the sun is in the zenith, a man's body has no shadow. If you sail very far to the south and look to the east at midday, the sun shines on your left side as it does in other countries on the right side. With this I will finish. It will be easy for you, by means of what I have written, to distinguish between false accounts and true descriptions.—Your Liudgert.

\* See page 164.

51. (manuscript ) (contents )

#### THE WRITING OF BEEDEN

My name is Beeden, son of Hachgana. My uncle, not having married, left no children. I was elected in his place. Adel, the third king of that name, approved of the choice, provided I should acknowledge him as master. In addition to the entire inheritance of my uncle, he gave me some land which joined my inheritance, on condition that I would settle people there who should never his people\*

therefore I will allow it a place here.

\* Here there are wanting in the manuscript twenty pages (perhaps more), in which Beeden has written about the King, Adel the Third, called Ubbo by the writers of our chronicles.

Thet skrift fon Bêden.

Mine nôm is Bêden, Hachgâna his svn. Konerêd min êm is nimmer

allerlêja kêren is er âk golden mank, æk goldgêle aple, hwêrfon welke sâ

swêt as hûning sind, ænd welka sa wrang as êk. By vs werthat nochta

fonden lik bern-hâveda sâ grât, thêr sit tsys ænd melok in, werthat se ald

så måkt man ther ôlja fon, fon tha bastum måkt mæn tâw ænd fon tha

kernum måkt mæn chelka ænd ôr geråd. Hyr inna walda hæv ik krup ænd

stâkbêja sjan. By vs sind bêibâma als jow lindabâma, hwêrfon tha bêja fül

swêter ænd thrêwâra grâter as stâkbêja sind. Hwersa tha dêga vppa sin

olderlôngste sind ænd thju synne fon top skinth, then skinth se linrjucht

vppa jow hole del. Is mæn then mith sin skip êl fêr sûdlik faren, ænd mæn

thes middêis mith sin gelât nêi-t âsten kêred, sâ skinth synne æjen thine

winstere syde lik se ôwers æjen thine fêre syde dvath. Hyrmitha wil ik enda, mâr after min skrywe skil-et thi licht nog falla, vmb tha lêjenaftiga

teltjas to müge skiftane fon tha wara tellinga. Jow Ljudgêrt.

bostigjath ænd alsa bernlås sturven. My heth mæn in sin stêd koren. Adel thene thredde kæning fon thjuse nôme heth thju kêse godkêrth, mites ik him as mina mæstre bikenna wilde. Buta thæt fylle ery minre êm heth-er mi en êle plek grynd jêven thæt an mina erva pålade, vnder fårwêrde that ik thêrvp skolde mænniska stælla ther sina ljuda nimmerthe skolde.

thêrvmbe wil ik thet hir ne sted forjune.

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## LETTER OF RIKA THE OUDMAAGD, READ AT STAVEREN AT THULL FEAST.

My greeting to all of you whose forefathers came here with Friso. According to what you say, you are not guilty of idolatry. I will not speak about that now, but will at once mention a failing which is very little better. You know, or you do not know, how many titles Wr-alda has; but you all know that he is named universal provider, because that everything comes and proceeds from him for the sustenance of his creatures. It is true that Irtha is named sometimes the feeder of all, because she brings forth all the fruits and grains on which men and beasts are fed; but she would not bear any fruit or grain unless Wr-alda gave her the power. Women who nourish their children at their breasts are called nurses, but if Wr-alda did not give them milk the children would find no advantage; so that, in short, Wr-alda really is the nourisher. That Irtha should be called the universal nourisher, and that a mother should be called a feeder, one can understand, figuratively speaking; but that a father should be called a feeder, because he is a father, goes against all reason. Now I know whence all this folly comes. Listen to me. It comes from our enemies; and if this is followed up you will become slaves, to the sorrow of Frya and to the punishment of your pride. I will tell you what happened to the slave people; from that you may take warning. The foreign kings, who follow their own will, place Wr-alda below the crown. From envy that Wr-alda is called the universal father, they wish also to be called fathers of the people. Now, everybody knows that kings do not regulate the productiveness of the earth; and that they have their sustenance by means of the people, but still they will persist in their arrogance. In order to attain their object they were not satisfied from the beginning with free gifts, but imposed a tax upon the people. With the tax thus raised they hired foreign soldiers, whom they retained about their courts. Afterwards they took as many wives as they pleased, and the smaller princes and gentry did the same. When, in consequence, quarrels and disputes arose in the households, and complaints were made about it, they said every man is the father (feeder) of his household, therefore he shall be master and judge over it. Thus arose arbitrariness, and as the men ruled over their households the kings would do over their people. When the kings had accomplished that, they should be called fathers of the people, they had statues of themselves made, and erected in the churches beside the statues

Brêf fon Rika thju aldfam, vpseid to Staveren by-t jolfêrste.

Jy alle hwam his êthla mith Friso hir kêmon, min êrbydnesse to jo. Alsa jy mêne, send jy vnskeldich an afgodie. Thêr nil ik jvd navt vr sprêka, men jvd wil ik jo vppen brek wysa, thæt fê bêtre sy. Jy wêtath jeftha jy nêtath navt, ho Wralda thusand glornôma heth, thach thæt wêtath jy alle thæt hy warth Alfêder hêten, ut êrsêke thæt alles in ut him warth ænd waxth to fêding sinra skepsela. T-is wêr, thæt Irtha warth bihwyla âk Alfêdstre hêten, thrychdam hju alle früchd ænd nochta bêrth, hwermitha mænnisk ænd djar hjara selva fêde. Thach ne skolde hju nêne früchd ner nocht navt ne bêra, bydam Wralda hja nêne krefta ne jêf. Ak wiva ther hjara bern mæma lêta an hjara brosta, werthat fêdstra hêten. Thâ ne jêf Wralda thêr nên melok in, sa ne skoldon tha bern thêr nêne bâte by finda. Sâ thæt by slot fon reknong Wralda allêna fêder bilywet. Thæt Irtha bihwyla warth Alfêdstre heten, ænd êne mæm fêdstre, kæn jeta thrych-ne wende, men thæt-ne mæn him lêt fêder hête vmbe thæt er tât sy, thæt strid with-æjen alle rêdnum. Thâ ik wêt wânât thjus dwêshêd wêi kvmth. Hark hyr, se kymth fon vsa lêtha, ænd sâhwersa thi folgath werthe, sâ skilun jy thêrthrych slâvona wertha to smert fon Frya ænd jowe hâgmod to ne st raf. Ik skil jo melda ho-t by tha slåvona folkar to gvngen is, thêr æfter mêi jy lêra. Tha poppa kæningar tham nêi wilkêr lêva, stêkath Wralda nêi thêre krône, ut nyd that Wralda Alfêder hêt, sa wildon hja fêdrum thêra folkar hêta. Nw wêt allera mannalik thæt-ne kêning navt ovir-ne waxdom ne welth, ænd thæt im sin fêding thrvch thæt folk brocht warth, men thach wildon hja fvlherdja by hjara formêtenhêd. Til thju hja to-ra dol kyma machte, alsa hâvon hja thet forma navt fvldên wêst mith tha frya jefta, men hævon hja thæt folk êne tins vplêid. Fori thene skæt, tham thêrof kêm, hêradon hja vrlandiska salt-âtha, tham hja in-om hjara hova lêidon. Forth namon hja alsa fêlo wiva, as-ra luste, ænd tha lithiga forsta ænd hêra dêdon al-ên. As twist ænd tvyspalt æfternêi inna hûshaldne glupte ænd thêr-vr klâchta kêmon, thâ hævon hja sêid, ja-hweder mæn is thêne fêder fon sin hûshalden, thêrvmbe skil-er thêr âk bâs ænd rjuchter ovir wêsa. Thâ kêm wilkêr ænd êvin as tham mitha mænnum in ovir tha hûshaldne welde, gvng er mit tha kæningar in ovir hjara ståt ænd folkar dvan. Thå tha kæningar et alsa wyd brocht hêdon, thæt hja fêderum thêra folkar hête, thâ gyngon hịa to ænd lêton byldon æfter hjara dântne mâkja, thissa byldon lêton hja inna tha cherka stalla nêst tha byldon thêra drochtne ænd thi jena tham thêr navt far bûgja nilde, warth ombrocht jeftha an kêdne

of the idols, and those who would not bow down to them were either killed or put in chains. Your forefathers and the Twisklanders had intercourse with the kings, and learned these follies from them. But it is not only that some of your men have been guilty of stealing titles, I have also much to complain of against your wives. If there are men among you who wish to put themselves on a level with Wr-alda, there are also women who wish to consider themselves equals of Frya. Because they have borne children, they call themselves mothers; but they forget that Frya bore children without having intercourse with a man. Yes, they not only have desired to rob Frya and the Eeremoeders of their honourable title (with whom they cannot put themselves upon an equality), but they do the same with the honourable titles of their fellow-creatures. There are women who allow themselves to be called ladies, although they know that that only belongs to the wives of princes. They also let their daughters be called maagden, although they know that no young girls are so called unless they belong to a citadel. You all fancy that you are the better for this name-stealing, but you forget that jealousy clings to it, and that every wrong sows the seed of its own rod. If you do not alter your course, in time it will grow so strong that you cannot see what will be the end. Your descendants will be flogged by it, and will not know whence the stripes come. But although you do not build citadels for the maidens and leave them to their fate, there will still remain some who will come out of woods and caves, and will prove to your descendants that you have by your disorderliness been the cause of it. Then you will be damned. Your ghosts will rise frightened out of their graves. They will call upon Wr-alda, Frya, and her maidens, but they shall receive no succour before the Juul shall enter upon a new circuit, and that will only be three thousand years after this century.

#### THE END OF RIKA'S LETTER.

\* Here the writing of Beeden ends. In the manuscript two successive pages are missing according to the paging, but no doubt there are more wanting. The abrupt opening of what follows shows that the beginning of the following writing has been lost, and, in consequence, also the notification of the name of the writer, who may have been a son or a grandson of Beeden.

dên. Jow êthla ænd tha Twisklandar hævon mitha poppa forsta ommegvngen, dâna hævon hja thjuse dwêshêd lêred. Tha navt allêna thæt svme jower mæn hjara selva skeldich måkja an glornôma råw, åk mot ik my vr fêlo jower wiva biklâgja. Werthat by jo mæn fvnden, tham mith Wralda an ên lin wille, thêr werthat by jo wiva fvnden, thêr et mêi Frya wille. Vmbe thæt hja bern bêred hæve, lêtath hja hjara selva modar hêta. Tha hja vrjettath, that Frya bern bêrde synder jengong ênis mæn. Jæ navt allêna thæt hja Frya ænd tha êremodar fon bjara glor-rika nôma birâwa wille, hwêran bja navt nâka ne müge, hja dvath alên mitha glornôma fon hjara nêsta. Thêr send wiva thêr hjara selva lêtath frovva hêta, afsken hja wête thæt thjuse nôme allêna to forsta wiva hêreth. Ak lêtath hja hjara toghatera fâmna hêta, vntankes hja wête, thæt nêne mangêrt alsa hêta ne mêi, wâra hju to êne burch hêrth. Jy alle wânath thæt jy thruch thæt nôm râwa bêtre werthe, thach jy vrjeltath thæt nyd thêr an klywet ænd thæt elk kwâd sine tuchtrode sêjath. Kêrath jy navt ne wither, sâ skil tid thêr waxdom an jêva, alsa stêrik thæt mæn et ende thêr of navt bisjâ ne mêi. Jow æfterkymanda skilun thêr mith fêterath wertha, hja ne skilun navt ne bigripa hwânat thi slâga wêi kvme. Men afskên jy tha fâmna nêne burch bvwe ænd an lot vrlête, thach skilun thêr bilywa, bja skilun fon ut wald ænd holum kvma, hja skilun jow æfterkvmande biwysa thæt jy thêr willens skildech an send. Thæn skil mæn jo vrdema, jow skina skilun vrfêrth fon ut-a grêvum rysa, hja skilun Wr.alda, hja skilun Frya ænd hjara fâmna anhropa, thâ nimman skil-er æwet an bêtra ne müge, bifâre thæt Jol in op en ore hlaphring trêth, men thæt skil êrist bêra as thrê thûsand jêr vrhlåpen send æfter thisse êw.

Ende fon Rikas brêf

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therefore I will first write about black Adel, Black Adel was the fourth king after Friso. In his youth he studied first at Texland, and then at Staveren, and afterwards travelled through all the states. When he was twenty-four years old his father had him elected Asega-Asker. As soon as be became Asker he always took the part of the poor. The rich, he said, do enough of wrong by means of their wealth, therefore we ought to take care that the poor look up to us. By arguments of this kind he became the friend of the poor and the terror of the rich. It was carried so far that his father looked up to him. When his father died he succeeded, and then he wished to retain his office as well, as the kings of the East used to do. The rich would not suffer this, so all the people rose up, and the rich were glad to get out of the assembly with whole skins. From that time there was no more talk of equality. He oppressed the rich and flattered the poor, by whose assistance he succeeded in all his wishes. King Askar, as he was always called, was seven feet high, and his strength was as remarkable as his height. He had a clear intellect, so that he understood all that was talked about, but in his actions he did not display much wisdom. He had a handsome countenance and a smooth tongue, but his soul was blacker than his hair. When he had been king for a year, he obliged all the young men in the state to come once a year to the camp to have a sham fight. At first he had some trouble with it, but at last it became such a habit that old and young came from all sides to ask if they might take part in it. When he had brought it to this point, he established military schools. The rich complained that their children no longer learned to read and write. Askar paid no attention to it; but shortly afterwards, when a sham fight was held, he mounted a throne and spoke aloud: The rich have come to complain to me that their boys do not learn to read and write. I answered nothing; but I will now declare my opinion, and let the general assembly decide. While they all regarded him with curiosity, he said further: According to my idea, we ought to leave reading and writing at present to the maagden and wise people. I do not wish to speak ill of our forefathers; I will only say that in the times so vaunted by some, the Burgtmaagden introduced thêrymbe wil ik thæt forma yr swarte Adel skriva. Swarte Adel wêre thene fjurde kening æfter Friso. Bi sin jüged heth-er to Texland lêred, æfternêi heth-er to Stâveren lêred, ænd forth heth-er thrych ovir alle stâta fâren. Thâ thæt er fjuwer ænd tvintich jêr wêre, heth sin tât mâked thæt-er to Asega-âskar kêren is. Thâ-er ênmel âskar wêre, âskte hi altid in t fârdêl thêra ærma. Tha rika, sêd-er, plêgath ênoch vnrjuchta thinga thrvch middel fon hjara jeld, thêrvmbe âgon wi to njvdane thæt tha ærma nêi vs omme sjan. Thrych thâ-s ænd ôra rêdne wêr-i thene frjund thêra ærma ænd thêra rika skrik. Alsa ærg is t kvmen thæt sin tât him nêi tha âgum sach. Thâ sin tât fallen was, ând hy vppa tham his sêtel klywed, thâ wilder êvin god sin ambt bihalda, lik as tha keningar fon t âsta plêgath. Tha rika nildon thæt navt ne dâja, men nw hlip allet ôra folk to hâpe, ænd tha rika wêron blyde that hja hêl-hûd-is fon thêre acht of kêmon. Fon to ne hêrade mæn nimmar mâra ovir êlika rjucht petârja. Hi dumde tha rika ænd hi strykte tha ærma, mith hwam his helpe hi alle sêkum âskte, thêr-er bistek vp hêde. Kening Askar lik-er immer hêten warth, wêre by sjugun irthfêt lônge, sâ grât sin tôl wêr, wêron âk sina krefta. Hi hêde n hel forstån, så thæt-er alles forstånde, hwêrwr that sprêken warth, thach in sin dvan ne macht mæn nêne wisdom spêra. Bi-n skên ônhlite hêd-er êne glade tonge, men jeta swarter as sin hêr is sine sêle fvnden. Thâ that-er ên jêr kening wêre, nêdsêkte hi alle knapa fon sin stat, hia skoldon jerlikis vppet kæmp kvma ænd thêr skin-orloch måkja. In t êrost hêder thêr spul mith, men to tha lersta warth-et så menêrlik, that ald ænd jong ut alle wrdum wêi kêmon to frêjande jef hja machte mith dva. Thâ hi-t alsa fêre brocht hêde, lêt-er wêrskola stifta. Tha rika kêmon to bârane ænd sêidon, that hjara bern nw nên lêsa nach skryva navt ne lêrade. Askar ne melde-t navt, men as thêr kirt æfter wither skin-orloch halden warth, gvng-er vppen vpstal stonda, ænd kêtha hlûd. Tha rika sind to my kvmen to bârana, thæt hjara knâpa nên lêsa nach skryva noch lêra, ik n.æv thêr nawet vp sêith, thach hir wil ik mine mênong sedsa, ænd an tha mêna acht bithinga lêta. Thá alrek nw néisgyrich néi him vpsach, séid-er forther, néi min bigrip mot mæn hjud thæt lêsa ænd skriva tha fâmna ænd alda lichta

disputes into our country, which the mothers were unable, either first or last, to put an end to. Worse still, while they talked and chattered about useless customs the Gauls came and seized all our beautiful southern country. Even at this very time our degenerate brothers and their soldiers have already come over the Scheldt. It therefore remains for us to choose whether we will carry a yoke or a sword. If we wish to be and to remain free, it behoves our young men to leave reading and writing alone for a time; and instead of playing games of swinging and wrestling, they must learn to play with sword and spear. When we are completely prepared, and the boys are big enough to carry helmet and shield and to use their weapons, then, with your help, I will attack the enemy. The Gauls may then record the defeat of their helpers and soldiers upon our fields with the blood that flows from their wounds. When we have once expelled the enemy, then we must follow it up till there are no more Gauls, Slaves, or Tartars to be driven out of Frya's inheritance. That is right, the majority shouted, and the rich did not dare to open their mouths.

He must certainly have thought over this address and had it written out, for on the evening of the same day there were copies in at least twenty different hands, and they all sounded the same. Afterwards he ordered the ship people to make double prows, upon which steel crossbows could be fixed. Those who were backward in doing this were fined, and if they swore that they had no means, the rich men of the village were obliged to pay. Now we shall see what resulted from all this bustle. In the north part of Britain there exists a Scotch people—the most of them spring from Frya's blood-some of them are descended from the followers of Keltana, and, for the rest, from Britons and fugitives who gradually, in the course of time, took refuge there from the tin mines. Those who come from the tin mines have wives, either altogether foreign or of foreign descent. They are all under the dominion of the Gauls. Their arms are wooden bows and arrows pointed with stag's-horn or flint. Their houses are of turf and straw, and some of them live in caves in the mountains. Sheep that they have stolen form their only wealth. Some of the descendants of Keltana's followers still have iron weapons, which they have inherited from their forefathers. In order to make myself well understood, I must let alone for a while my account of the Scotch people, and write something about the near Krekalanders (Italians). The Krekalanders formerly belonged to us only, but from time immemorial descendants of Lyda and Finda have established themselves there. Of these last there came in the end a whole troop from Troy. Troy is the name of a town that the far Krekalanders (Greeks) had taken and destroyed. When the Trojans had nestled themselves among the near Krekalanders, with time and industry they built a strong town with walls and citadels named Rome, that is, Spacious, When this was done, the people by craft and force made themselves masters of the whole land. The people who live on the south side of the Mediterranean Sea, come for the most part from Phœnicia. The Phænicians (Puniers or Carthaginians) are a bastard race of the blood of Frya, Finda, and Lyda. The Lyda people were there as slaves, but by the unchastity of the women these black people have degenerated the other people and dyed them brown. These people and the Romans are constantly struggling for the supremacy over the Mediterranean Sea. The Romans, moreover, live at enmity with the Phœnicians; and their priests, who wish to assume the sole government of the world, cannot bear the sight of the Gauls. First they took from the Phœnicians Marseilles-then all the countries lying to the south, the west, and the north, as well as the southern part of Britain-and they have always driven away the Phœnician priests, that is the Gauls, of whom thousands have sought refuge in North Britain. A short time ago the chief of the Gauls was established in the citadel, which is called Kerenac (Karnac), that is the corner, whence he issued his commands to the Gauls. All their gold was likewise collected there. Keeren Herne (chosen corner), or Kerenac, is a stone citadel which did belong to Kalta. Therefore the maidens of the descendants of Kaltana's followers wished to have the citadel again. Thus through the enmity of the maidens and the Gaul's, hatred and quarrelling spread ever the mountain country with fire and sword. Our sea people often came there to get wool, which they paid for with prepared hides and linen. Askar had often gone with them, and had secretly made friendship with the maidens and some princes, and bound himself to drive the Gauls out of Kerenac. When he came back there again he gave to the princes and the fighting men iron helmets and steel bows. War had come with him, and soon blood was streaming down the slopes of the mountains. When Askar thought a favourable opportunity occurred, he went with forty ships and took Kerenac and the chief of the Gauls, with all his gold. The people with whom he fought against the soldiers of the Gauls, he had vrlêta. Ik n-il nên kwâd sprêka vr vsa êthla, ik wil allêna sega, vndera tyda hwêrvp thrvch syme sâ herde bogath warth, hævon tha burchfâmna twyspalt inovir vsa lânda brocht, ænd tha Modera für ænd nêi ne kvndôn twyspalt navt wither to-t land ut ne dryva. Jeta ærger, thahwila hja kælta ænd petærade vr nådelåsa plêga, send tha Gola kvmen ænd håvon al vsa skêna sûdarlanda râweth. Hêmisdêga send hja mith vsa vrbrûda brotharum ænd hjara salt-åthum al overa Skelda kvmen, vs rest thus to kjasane twisket bêra fon juk jef swêrd. Willath wi fry bilywâ, alsa âgon tha knâpa thæt lêsa ænd skryva fârhôndis æfterwêin to lêtane ænd in stêde that hja invppa mêide hwip ænd swik spêle, moton hja mith swêrd ænd spêr spêla. Send wi in alle dêla ofned ænd tha knapa stor enoch vmb helmet ænd skild to bêrane ænd tha wêpne to hôntêrane, then skil ik my mith jower helpa yppa thene fiand werpa. The Gola mêieath then the nitherlêge fon hjara helpar ænd salt-âthum vppa vsa fjeldum skryva mith-et blod, thæt ût hiara wndum driupth. Hæyon wi thene fyand ên mel far vs út drêven, alsa moton wi thêrmith forth gynga, alhwenne thêr nên Gola ner Slâvona nach Tartara mâra fon Fryas erv to vrdryvane send. Thas rjucht, hrypon tha mâsta ænd tha rika ne thyradon hjara myla navt êpen ne dya.

Thjus tosprêke hêd er sekur to fara forsonnen ænd vrskriva lêten, hwand sêwendis fon thêre selvare dêi wêron tha ofskriftum thêra hwel in twintich hônda ænd thi alle wêron ênishlûdende. Afternêi bifel-er tha skipmanna, hja skoldon dubbele fârstêwene mâkja lêta, hwêran mæn êne stêlen krânboga macht fæstigja. Thêra thêr æfterwêi bilêv warth bibot, kvn imman swêra that/er nêne midle navt nêde, alsa moston tha rika fon sin gâ-t bitalja. Hjud skil mæn sjan hwêr vppa al thæt bâ hêi ûthlâpen is. An-t north-ende fon Britanja thæt fvl mith håga bergum is, thêr sit en Skots folk, vret måradêl út Fryas blod sproten, vra êne helte send hja út Kæltanafolgar, vr-et ôra dêl ût Britne ænd bannane, thêr by grâdnm mith tyd fon ût a tinlônum thêr hinna fljuchte. Thêr ut a tinlôna kêmon, hævath algadur vrlandiska wiva jeftha fon vrlandis tuk. Thi alle send vnder-et weld thêra Golum, hjara wêpne send woden boga ænd spryta mith pintum fon herthis-hornum âk fon flintum. Hjara hûsa send fon sådum ænd strê ænd syme hêmath inna hola thêra bergum. Skêpon thêr hja râwed hæve, is hjara ênge skæt. Mong tha æfterkvmanda thêra Kæltanafolgar hævath svme jeta ysera wêpne, thêr hja fon hjara êthlum urven hæve. Vmbe nw god forstån to werthande, môt ik min telling vr thæt Skotse folk resta lêta, ænd êwet fon tha hêinda Krêkalanda skriva. Tha hêinda Krêkalanda hævon vs to fara allêna to hêrath, men sunt vnhüglika tidum hævon ra thêr âk æfterkymanda fon Lyda ænd fon Finda nitherset, fon tha lersta kêmon to tha lersta en êle hâpe fon Trôje. Trôje alsa heth êne stêde hêten, thêr et folk fon tha fêre Krêkalanda innomth ænd vrhomelt heth. Thå tha Trôjana to tha hêinda Krêkalandum nestled wêron, tha hævon hja thêr mith tid ænd flit êne sterke stêd mith wâlla ænd burgum bywed, Rome, that is Rum, hêten. Thâ thæt dên was, heth thæt folk him selva thrych lest ænd weld fon thæt êle lând måster måked. Thæt folk thæt anda sûdside thêre Middelsê hêmth, is fâr et mâra dêl fon Fhonysja wêi kvmen. Tha Fhonysjar send en bastred folk, hja send fon Fryas blod ænd fon Findas blod ænd fon Lyda his blod. Thæt folk fon Lyda send thêr as slâvona, men thrych tha vntucht thêr wyva hævon thissa swarte mænniska al-et ôra folk bastered ænd brun vrfærvet Thit folk ænd tham fon Rome kæmpath ôlân vmb-et mâsterskip fon tha Middelsê. Forth lêvath tham fon Roma an fjandskip with tha Fonysjar, ænd hjara prestera thêr-et rik allêna welda wille wr irtha, ne mügon tha Gola navt ne sian, Thæt forma hævon hja tha Fphonysjar Mis-selja ofnomen, dånå alle landa, thêr sûdward, westward ænd northward lidsa, âk et sûdardêl fon Britanja, ænd allerwêikes hævon hja tha Fonysjar prestera, that hêth tha Gola vrjågeth, dånå sind thusanda Gola nêi north Brittanja brit. Kirt vrlêden was thêr tha vreste thêra Golum sêten vppa thêre burch, thêr is kêthen Kêrenæk that is herne, hwanath hi sin bifêla jef an alle ôra Gola. Ak was thêr al hjara gold togadur brocht. Kêren herne jeftha Kêrenæk is êne stênen burch, thêr êr an Kælta hêrde. Thêrvmbe wildon tha fâmna fon tha æfterkymande thêra Kæltana-folgar tha burch wither hå. Alsa was thrych tha fyanskip thêra fâmna ænd thêra Golum faithe ænd twist in ovir thæt Berchland kymen mith morth ænd brônd. Vsa stjûrar kêmon thêr fâken wol hâlja, thæt hja sellade fori tobirêde hûdum ænd linne. Askar was often mith wêst, an stilnesse hêd-er mith tha fâmna ænd mith svme forstum âtskip sloten, ænd him selva forbonden vmbe tha Gola to vrjågane ût Kêrenæk. As-er thêrnêi wither kêm jêf hi tha forsta ænd wigandliksta manna ysere helma ænd stêla boga. Orloch was mith kvmen ænd kirt æfter flojadon strâma blod by tha hellinga thêra bergum del. Thâ Askar mênde that kans him tolâkte, gyng-er mith fjuwertich skêpum hin ænd nam Kêrenæk ænd thene vreste thêra Golum mith al sine gold. Thæt folk wêrmith hi with tha salt-âthum thera Golum kæmped hêde, hêd-er ût-a

enticed out of the Saxenmarken by promises of much booty and plunder. Thus nothing was left to the Gauls. After that he took two islands for stations for his ships, from which he used later to sally forth and plunder all the Phoenician ships and towns that he could reach. When he returned he brought nearly six hundred of the finest youths of the Scotch mountaineers with him. He said that they had been given him as hostages, that he might be sure that the parents would remain faithful to him; but this was untrue. He kept them as a bodyguard at his court, where they had daily lessons in riding and in the use of all kinds of arms. The Denmarkers, who proudly considered themselves sea-warriors above all the other sea-people, no sooner heard of the glorious deeds of Askar, than they became jealous of him to such a degree, that they would bring war over the sea and over his lands. See here, then, how he was able to avoid a war. Among the ruins of the destroyed citadel of Stavia there was still established a clever Burgtmaagd, with a few maidens. Her name was Reintja, and she was famed fur her wisdom. This maid offered her assistance to Askar, on condition that he should afterwards rebuild the citadel of Stavia. When he had bound himself to do this, Reintja went with three maidens to Hals (Holstein). She travelled by night, and by day she made speeches in all the markets and in all the assemblies. Wr-alda, she said, had told her by his thunder that all the Frya's people must become friends, and united as brothers and sisters, otherwise Finda's people would come and sweep them off the face of the earth. After the thunder Frya's seven watch-maidens appeared to her in a dream seven nights in succession. They had said, Disaster hovers over Frya's land with yoke and chains; therefore all the people who have sprung from Frya's blood must do away with their surnames, and only call themselves Frya's children, or Frya's people. They must all rise up and drive. Finda's people out of Frya's inheritance. If you will not do that, you will bring the slave-chains round your necks, and the foreign chiefs will ill-treat your children and flog them till the blood streams into your graves. Then shall the spirits of your forefathers appear to you, and reproach your cowardice and thoughtlessness. The stupid people who, by the acts of the Magyars, were already so much accustomed to folly, believed all that she said, and the mothers clasped their children to their bosoms. When Reintja had brought the king of Holstein and the others to an agreement, she sent messengers to Askar, and went herself along the Baltic Sea. From there she went to the Lithauers (Face-hewers), so called because they always strike at their enemy's face. The Lithauers are fugitives and banished people of our own race, who wander about in the Twisklanden. Their wives have been mostly stolen from the Tartars. The Tartars are a branch of Finda's race, and are thus named by the Twisklanders because they never will be at peace, but provoke people to fight. She proceeded on beyond the Saxsenmarken, crossing through the other Twisklanders in order always to repeat the same thing. After two years had passed, she came along the Rhine home. Among the Twisklanders she gave herself out for a mother, and said that they might return as free and true people; but then they must go over the Rhine and drive the Gauls out of Frya's south lands. If they did that, then her King Askar would go over the Scheldt and win back the land. Among the Twisklanders many bad customs of the Tartars and Magyars have crept in, but likewise many of our laws have remained. Therefore they still have Maagden, who teach the children and advise the old. In the beginning they were opposed to Reintia, but at last she was followed, obeyed, and praised by them where it was useful or necessary.

Saxanamarkum lykt mith lofte fon grâte hêra-râve ænd but. Thus warth tha Gola nêwet lêten. Afternêi nam-er twâ êlanda to berch far sinum skêpum, ænd hwânath hi lêter ûtgyng vmb alle Fonysjar skêpa ænd stêda to birâwane thêr hi bigâna kv. Tha er tobek kêm brocht-i tomet sexhvndred thêra storeste knâpum fon thæt Skotse berchfolk mith. Hi sêide that hia him to borgum jêven wêren, til thiu hi sêkur wêsa machte thæt tha eldra him skolde trow bilywa, men t was jok, hi hild ra as lifwêre et sina hova, thêr hja allera distik les krêjon in t ryda ænd in t hôndtêra fon allerlêja wêpne. Tha Denamarkar tham hjara selva sunt lông boppa alle ôra stjûrar stoltlike sêkæmpar hête, hêdon sâ ringe navt fon Askar sina glorrika dêdum navt ne hêred, jef hja wrdon nydich thêr vr, thêrmête, that hja wilde orloch brensa over-ne sê ænd over sina landa. Sjan hyr, ho hi orloch formitha machte. Twisk tha bywfala thêre vrhomelde burch Stavia was jeta êne snode burchfâm mith svme fâmna sêten. Hjra nôme was Rêintja ænd thêr gyng en grâte hrop fon hira wishêd ût. Thjus fâm bâd an Askar hjra helpe vnder bithing, that Askar skolde tha burch Stavja wither vpbvwa lête. As-er him thêr to forbonden hêde, gyng Rêintja mith thrim fâmna nêi Hals, nachtis gvng hju rêisa ænd thes dêis kêthe hju vppa alle markum ænd binna alle mêidum. Wralda sêide hju hêde hja thrych thongar tohropa lêta thæt allet Fryas folk moston frjunda wertha, lik sustar ænd brothar tâmed, owers skolde Findas folk kyma ænd ra alle fon irtha vrdilligja. Nëi thongar wêron Fryas sjvgun wâkfâmkes hja anda drâme forskinnen, sjygun nachta æfter ekkô-rum. Hja hêde seith boppa Fryas landum swabbert ramp mith juk ænd kêdne omme. Thêrvmbe moton alle folkar thêr ût Frya sproten send hjara tonòma wêi werpa ænd hjara selva allêna Fryas bern jeftha folk hêta. Forth moton alle vpstonda ænd et Findas folk fon Fryas erv dryva. Nillath hja thæt navt ne dva, alsa skilun hja slåvona benda vmbe hjara halsa krêja, alsa skilun tha vrlandaska hêra hjara bern misbruka ænd frytra lêta, til thju thæt blod sygath inna jowre grêva. Thæn skilun tha skinna jowre êthla jo kvma wekja ænd jo bikyvja vr jo lefhêd ænd vndigerhêd. Thæt dvme folk, thæt thrvch todvan thêra Mâgyara al an sa fül dwêshêd wenth was, lâvadon alles hwat hju sêide ænd tha mæmma klimdon hiara bern æien hiara brosta an. Thâ Rêintia thene kening fon Hals ænd alle ôthera manniska to êndracht vrwrocht hede, sand hju bodon nêi Askar ænd tâg selva alingen thene Balda sê. Dânâ gyng hiu by tha Hlith-hâwar, althus hêten ymbe that hia hiara fyanda immer nêi thet ônhlite hâwe. Tha Hlithhâwar send britne ând bannene fon vs æjn folk thæt inna tha Twisklanda sit ænd omme dwarelt. Hjara wyva hâvon hja mêst algadur fon tha Tartara râwed. Tha Tartara sênd en dêl fon Findas slachte ænd althus thrych tha Twisklandar hêten ymbe thæt hia nimmerthe nên frêtho wille, men tha mænniska alti ût tarta to strydande. Forth gyng hju æftera Saxnamarka tweres thrych tha ôra Twisklanda hin, allerwêikes thæt selva ûtkêtha. Nêi twam jêr om wêron, kêm hju allingen thêre Rêne to honk. By tha Twisklandar hede hju hjara selva as Moder ûtjân ænd sêid thæt hja mochton as fry ænd franka mænniska wither kvma, men thæn mosten hja ovir tha Rêne gyngga ænd tha Gola folgar ût Fryas sûdarlandum jâgja. As hja thæt dêde, sa skolde hjra kêning Askar overa Skelda gvngga ând thêr thæt land ofwinna. By tha Twisklandar send fêlo tjoda plêga fon tha Tartarum ænd Mâgjara binna glupt, men âk fül send thêr fon vsa sêdum bilêwen. Thêr thrvch hævath hja jeta fâmna thêr tha bern lêra ænd tha alda rêd jeva. Bit-anfang wêron hja Reintja nydich, men to tha lesta wærth hju thrvch hjam folgath ænd thjanjath ænd allerwêikes bogath, hwêr et nette ænd nêdlik wêre.



Representation of a Ship with forecastle and poop deck, preserved on an old seal of Staveren.

As soon as Askar heard from Reintja's messengers how the Jutlanders were disposed, he immediately, on his side, sent messengers to the King of Hals. The ship in which the messengers went was laden with women's ornaments, and took also a golden shield on which Askar's portrait was artistically represented. These messengers were to ask the King's daughter, Frethogunsta, in marriage for Askar. Frethogunsta came a year after that to Staveren. Among her followers was a Magy, for the Jutlanders had been long ago corrupted. Soon after Askar had married Frethogunsta, a church was built at Staveren. In the church were placed monstrous images. bedecked with gold-woven dresses. It is also said that Askar, by night, and at unseasonable times, kneeled to them with Frethogunsta; but one thing is certain, the citadel of Stavia was never rebuilt. Reintia was already come back, and went angrily to Prontlik the mother, at Texland, to complain. Prontlik sent out messengers in all directions, who proclaimed that Askar is gone over to Idolatry. Askar took no notice of this, but unexpectedly a fleet arrived from Hals. In the night the maidens were driven out of the citadel, and in the morning there was nothing to be seen of the citadel but a glowing heap of rubbish. Prontlik and Reintia came to me for shelter. When I reflected upon it, I thought that it might prove bad for my state. Therefore, we hit upon a plan which might serve us all. This is the way we went to work. In the middle of the Krijlwood, to the east of Liudwerd, lies our place of refuge, which can only be reached by a concealed path. A long time ago I had established a garrison of young men who all hated Askar, and kept away all other people. Now it was come to such a pitch among us, that many women, and even men, talked about ghosts, white women, and gnomes, just like the Denmarkers. Askar had made use of all these follies for his own advantage, and we wished to do the same. One dark night I brought the Maagden to the citadel, and afterwards they went with their serving maids dressed in white along the path, so that nobody dare go there any more. When Askar thought he had his hands free, he let the Magyars travel through his states under all kinds of names, and, except in my state, they were not turned away anywhere. After that Askar had become so connected with the Jutlanders and the Denmarkers, they all went roving together; but it produced no real good to them. They brought all sorts of foreign treasures home, and just for that reason the young men would learn no trades, nor work in the fields; so at last he was obliged to take slaves; but that was altogether contrary to Wr-alda's wish and to Frya's counsel. Therefore the punishment Was sure to follow it. This is the way in which the punishment came. They had all together taken a whole fleet that came out of the Mediterranean Sea. This fleet was laden with purple cloths and other valuables that came from Phœnicia. The weak people of the fleet were put ashore south of the Seine, but the strong people were kept to serve as slaves. The handsomest were retained ashore, and the ugly and black were kept on board ship as rowers. In the Fly the plunder was divided, but, without their knowing it, they divided the punishment too. Of those who were placed in the foreign ships six died of colic. It was thought that the food and drink were poisoned, so it was all thrown overboard, but the colic remained all the same. Wherever the slaves or the goods came, there it came too. The Saxsenmen took it over to their marches. The Jutlanders brought it to Schoonland and along the coasts of the Baltic Sea, and with Askar's mariners it was taken to Britain. We and the people of Grênegâ did not allow either the people or the goods to come over our boundaries, and therefore we remained free from it. How many people were carried off by this disease I cannot tell; but Prontlik, who heard it afterwards from the maidens, told me that Askar had helped out of his states a thousand times more free-men than he had brought dirty slaves in. When the pest had ceased, the Twisklanders who had become free came to the Rhine, but Askar would not put himself on an equality with the princes of that vile degenerate race. He would not suffer them to call themselves Frya's children, as Reintja had offered them, but he forgot then that he himself had black hair. Among the Twisklanders there were two tribes who did not call themselves Twisklanders. One came from the far south-east, and called themselves Allemannen. They had given themselves this name when they had no women among them, and were wandering as exiles in the forests. Later on they stole women from the slave people like the Lithauers, but they kept their name. The other tribe, that wandered about in the neighbourhood, called themselves Franks, not because they were free, but the name of their first king was Frank, who, by the help of the degenerate maidens, had had himself made hereditary king over his people. The people nearest to him called themselves Thioth-his sons—that is, sons of the people. They had remained free, because they never would acknowledge any king, or prince, or master except those chosen by general consent in a general

Alsa ringen Askar fon Rêintja hjra bodon fornom ho tha Juttar nygath wêron, sand hi bistonda bodon fon sinant wegum nêi tha kæning fon Hals. Thæt skip, wêrmith tha bodon gvngon, was fvl lêden mith fâmna syrhêdum ænd thêr by wêr en golden skild, hwêrvppa Askar his dânte kunstalik was utebyld. Thissa bodon mosten frêja jêf Askar thes kæning his toghter Frêthogunsta to sin wif hæve machte. Frêthogunsta kêm en jêr lêter to Stâveren, bi hjara folgar wêre âk ênen Mâgy, hwand tha Juttar wêron sunt lông vrbrud. Kirt æfter that Askar mith Frêthogunsta bostigjath was, wærth thêr to Stâveren êne scherke bywad, inna thiu scherke wrdon tjoda drochten lykanda byldon stælth mith gold trvch wrochtne klåthar. Ak is er biwêrath that Askar thêr nachtis ænd vntydis mith Frêthogunsta får nitherbuwgade. Men så fül is sêkur, thju burch Stavia ne wærth navt wither vpebvwed. Rêintja was al to bek kymen, ænd gyng nydich nêi Prontlik thju Moder et Texland bårja. Prontlik gvng to ænd sand allerwêikes bodon thêr ûtkêthon, Askar is vrjêven an afgodie. Askar dêde as murk-i-t navt, men vnwarlingen kêm thêr êne flâte út Hals. Nachtis wrdon tha fâmna ût-êre burch drywen, ænd ogtins kyn mæn fon thêre burch allena êne glandere hâpe sian. Prontlik ænd Reintia kêmon to my vmb skul. Thæ ik thêr æfternêi vr nêi tochte, lêk it my to, that it kwâdlik får min ståt bidêja kyste. Thêrymbe hævon wi to sêmne êne lest forsonnen, thêr vs alle bâta most. Sjan hyr ho wi to gvngen send. Middel in t Krylwald biasten Ljywerde lêith vsa fly jeftha wêra, thêr mæn allêna thrvch dwarlpåda mêi nâka. In vppa thjus burch hêd ik sunt lônge jonga wâkar stald, thêr alle êne grins an Askar hêde, ænd alle ôra mænniska dânath halden. Ny wast bi vs âk al sa wyd kymen, thæt fêlo wyva ænd âk manna al patêrade vr spoka, witte wyva ænd uldermankes, lik tha Dênamarkar. Askar hêde al thissa dwâshêde to sin bâta anwenth ænd thæt wildon wi nv âk to vsa bâta dva. Bi ne thjustre nacht brocht ik tha fâmna nêi thêre burch ænd dânâ gongen hia mith hjara fâmna in thrych tha dwarl-pâda spokka in wttta klâthar huled, sâ that thêr afternêi nên mænnisk måra kvma ne thvrade. Tha Askar mênde thæt-er thu hônda rum hêde, lêt-i tha Mâgjara vnder allerlêja nôma thrvch ovir sina stâta fâra ând bûta Grênegâ ând bûta mina stât ne wrdon hja nærne navt ne wêrath. Nêi that Askar alsa mith tha Juttar ænd tha ôra Dênamarkar forbonden was, gyngon hja alsêmina râwa; thach that neth nêne gode früchda bâred. Hja brochton allerlêja vrlandiska skæta to honk. Men just thêr thrych nildon thæt jong folk nên ambacht lêra, nach vppa tha fjeldum navt ne werka, så that hi to tha lersta wel slavona nimma moste. Men thit was êl al æien Wralda his wille ænd æjen Fryas rêd. Thêrvmbe kv straf navt æfterwêga ne bilywa. Sjan hyr ho straffe kvmen is. Ênis hêdon hja to sêmine êne êle flâte wnnen, hju kêm fon ûta Middelsê. Thjus flâte was to lêden mith purpera klâthar ænd ôra kostelikhêd, thêr alle fon of Phonisja kêmon. Thæt wraka folk thêre flâte wærth bisûda thêre Sêjene an wal set, men thæt stora folk wærth halden. Thæt most ra as slâvona thianja. Tha skêneste wrdon halden vmbe vppet land to bilywane ænd tha lêdliksta ænd swartste wrdon an bord halden vmbe vppa tha benka to rojande. An t Fly wærth tha bodel dêlath, men synder hjara wêta wærth âk hjara straf dêlath. Fon tha mænniska thêr vppa tha vrlandiska skepum stalt wêron, wêron sex thrych bukpin felth. Mæn tochte thæt et eta ænd drinka vrjêven wêre. thêrvmbe wærth alles ovir bord jompth. Men bûkpin reste ænd allerwêikes, hwêr slâvona jeftha god kêm, kêm âk bûkpin binna. Tha Saxmanna brochten hju ovir hjara marka, mith tha Juttar for hju nêi Skênland ænd alingen thêre kâd fon tha Balda-sê, mith Askar his stjûrar for hju nêi Britanja. Wi ænd tham fon Grênegâ ne lêton nên god ner minniska ovir vsa påla navt ne kvma, ænd thêrvmbe bilêwon wi fon tha bûkpin fry. Ho fêlo mænniska bûkpin wêirâpth heth, nêt ik navt to skrywane, men Prontlik thêr et æfternêi fon tha ôra fâmna hêrde, heth my meld, thæt Askar thûsandmel mâra frya mænniska ût sina stâtum hulpen heth, as er vvla slåvona inbrochte. Thå pest far god wyken was, tha kêmon tha fri wrden Twisklandar nêi thêre Rêne, men Askar nilde mith tha forstum fon thæt vvla vrbasterde folk navt an êne lyne navt ne stonda Hi nilde navt ne dâja, that hja skoldon hjara selva Fryas bern hêta, lik Rêintja biboden hêde, men hi vrjet thêrbi that-i selva swarte hêra hêde Emong tha Twisklandar wêron thêr twâ folkar, thêr hjara selva nêne Twisklandar hêton. Thæt êne folk kêm êl fêr ût et sûd âsten wêi, hja hêton hjara selva Allemanna. Thissa nôma hêdon hja hjara selva jêven, thâ hja jeta synder wiva inna tha walda as bannane ommedwarelde. Lêtar hæyon hja fon et slåvona folk wiva råvath, êvin sa tha Hlithåwar, men hja hævon hjara nôme bihalden. Thæt ôra folk, thæt mâra hêinde ommedwarelde, hêton hjara selva Franka, navt vmbe that hja fry wêron, men Frank alsa hêde thene êroste kæning hêten, tham him selva mith hulpe fon tha vrbrûda fâmna to ervlik kæning ovir sin folk mâkad hêde. Tha folkar tham an him pâladon, hêton hjara selva Thjoth-his svna, that is folk-his

assembly. Askar had already learned from Reintja that the Twisklander princes were almost always at war with each other. He proposed to them that they should choose a duke from his people, because, as he said, he was afraid that they would quarrel among themselves for the supremacy. He said also that his princes could speak with the Gauls. This, he said, was also the opinion of the mother. Then the princes of the Twisklanders came together, and after twenty-one days they chose Alrik as duke. Alrik was Askar's nephew. He gave him two hundred Scotch and one hundred of the greatest Saksmannen to go with him as a bodyguard. The princes were to send twenty-one of their sons as hostages for their fidelity. Thus far all had gone according to his wishes; but when they were to go over the Rhine, the king of the Franks would not be under Alrik's command. Thereupon all was confusion. Askar, who thought that all was going on well, landed with his ships on the other side of the Scheldt; but there they were already aware of his coming, and were on their guard. He had to flee as quickly as he had come, and was himself taken prisoner. The Gauls did not know whom they had taken, so he was afterwards exchanged for a noble Gaul whom Askar's people had taken with them. While all this was going on, the Magyars went about audaciously over the lands of our neighbours. Near Egmuda, where formerly the citadel Forana had stood, they built a church larger and richer than that which Askar had built at Staveren. They said afterwards that Askar had lost the battle against the Gauls, because the people did not believe that Wodin could help them, and therefore they would not pray to him. They went about stealing young children, whom they kept and brought up in the mysteries of their abominable doctrines. Were there people who

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- \* Phonsiar are Carthaginians.
- \* Hals is Holstein.

svna, hja wêron frya mænniska bilêwen, nêidam hja nimmer ênen kæning ner forste nach måster bikænnna nilde, as thene jenge tham by mêna willa was kêren vppa thêre mêna acht. Askar hêde al fon Rêintja fornommen, that tha Twisklandar forsta mêst alti in fiandskip ænd faitha wêron. Nw stald-i hjam to fâra, hjâ skolde ênen hêrtoga fon sin folk kjasa vmbe thater ang wêre seid-er that hja skolde mit manlik ôtherum skoldon twista ovir-et måsterskip. Ak séid-er kvndon sina forsta mith-a Golum spréka. Thæt sêid-er wêre âk Moder his mêne. Tha kêmon tha forsta thêra Twislandar to ekkôrum ænd nêi thrija sjugun etmelde kêron hja Alrik to-ra hertoga ut. Alrik wêre Askar his nêva, hi jef him twên hvndred skotse ænda hvndred thêra storosta Saxmanna mith to lifwêra. Tha forsta moston thrija sjvgun fon hjara svnum nêi Stâveren senda to borg hjarar trow. To nv was alles nêi winsk gyngen, men thâ mæn ovire Rêne fara skolde, nildon thene kæning thêra Franka navt vnder Alrikis bifêla navt ne stonda. Thêrthrych lip alles an tha tys. Askar thêr mênde thæt alles god gyng, lande mith sina skêpa anna tha ôre syde thêre Skelda, men thêr was was man long fon sin kvmste to ljucht ænd vppa sin hod. Hja moston alsa ring fljuchta as hja kymen wêron, ænd Askar wrde selva fath. Tha Gola niston navt hwa hja fensen hêde, ænd alsa warth hi æfternêi ûtwixlath fori ênnen hâge Gol, thêr Askar his folk mith forath hêde. Thawila thæt-et alles bêrade, hlipon tha Mâgjara jeta dryster as to fâra ovir vsa bûra ra landa hinna. By Egmyda hwêr to fâra tha burch Forâna stân hêde, lêton hia êne cherka bywa jeta grâter ænd rikar as Askar to Stâveren dên hêde. Afternêi sêidon hia that Askar thiu kæse vrlêren hêde with tha Gola, thrychdam et folk navt lâwa navt nilde, that Wodin hjam helpa kvste, ænd that hja him thêrvmbe navt anbidda nilde. Forth gyngon hja to ænd skâkton jonga bern tham hja by ra hildon ænd vpbrochten in tha hemnissa fon hjara vrbruda lêre. Wêron thêr mænniska tham

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# Dera Linda Book

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### Maidens, Citadels & Yule

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OERA LINDA: Order of Priestesses (e-m

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Perfection through purity of body, mind and spirit. All priestesses must:

- 1. Abstain from meat products, intoxicants, orgasm and sex.
- 2. Bend knees in worship for six hours every day.
- 3. Wear a short, white tunic at all times.

The first duty of a priestess  $(f\hat{a}m)$  is to serve the people of her community – as a seeress and healer. After completing seven years she will either leave the order, or become an elder  $(aldf\hat{a}m)$ , offering leadership and spiritual guidance. She may also be chosen as a high priestess  $(burchf\hat{a}m)$ .

 $\blacktriangleleft$  Order of Priestesses – based on the teachings of the Oera Linda Book .

- I. Priestesses follow a natural, vegetarian diet comprising two frugal meals a day. In order to maintain their bodily purity, drugs, stimulants and sexual activity of any kind are strictly prohibited.
- 2. At worship, priestesses bend their knees towards the foddik (eternal flame) left knee on the ground, right knee pointing to the fire. They draw the spirit of Wr-alda, the All-father, from the skies, and of Jrtha, the Earth-mother, from the land, sending both, combined, into the foddik, and thence to the folk, chanting: "Wr-alda t-Anfang t-Bijin" ("Wr-alda, the Origin, the Beginning").
- $\mathfrak{Z}$ . The priestesses' uniform the tohnekka is a short, white tunic. It is worn at all times, along with appropriate footware and accessories.

Priestesses kneeling in worship before the foddik, or eternal flame.  $\blacktriangleright$ 





Maidens at Worship: The Citadel

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In ancient times, every Frisian state had a *burch* (citadel), governed by a *burchfâm* (Burgtmaagd, or Borough Maid) and her 28 *fâmna* (maidens), as priestesses. Seven of these were at worship, in 3-hour shifts, at all times (OLB, Ch. 7).

Kneeling before the foddik (lamp), with its eternal flame, priestessess offered their thricefold gratitude to Wr-alda, the All-father – "for what you have received, for what you do receive, and for the hope of aid in time of need." (OLB, Ch. 5). Pure in body and spirit, as symbolised by their white garment, the tohnekka (OLB, Ch. 36), they avoided all bodily passions, lest they polluted the light.

◀ Iepenloftspul Oera Linda, Suwâld, Friesland, 27 June to 6 July 2019, concluding a series of events across Friesland in celebration of the Oera Linda Book.

Wr-alda ('most ancient'), the All-father, created time, from which all things sprang (OLB, Ch. 4), including Jrtha, the Earth-mother, who

brought forth the foremothers of mankind – Lyda, Finda and Frya, Frya, ancestress of the Frisians, lived among her descendants for seven generations before summoning them together and giving them her *Tex* (laws) in 2194 BC (OLB, Ch. 5), during the Great Flood.

The Frisian day comprised eight watches, each three hours long. Priestesses knelt in worship at the burch for two watches daily, and also worked, learnt and slept (OLB, Ch. 40). After seven years they became aldfâmna (elder maidens), taking on roles as teachers, guides and judges, and were eligible for appointment as burchfâmna. Chief of the burchfâmna was the folksmoder (Folk Mother), ruling from Fryasburch (Den Burg, Texel) in succession to Frya.

The burch at Noorderend 22, Suwâld, near Leeuwarden, Friesland.





Yule: The Wheel of the Year

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The Frisian calendar was based on the 6-spoked jol – Juul, or Yule – wheel. It had twelve months alternating between 31 and 30 days, and a festival on the first day of the six longer months (OLB, Ch. 35): Jol-férste – Juulfeest, or Yule Feast – (21 Dec), Lente-férste (20 Feb), Minna-férste (21 Apr), Hea-férste (21 Jun), Herfst-férste (21 Aug) and Slacht-férste (21 Oct). In non-leap years, the third month was reduced to 30 from 31 days, though retained its festival.

The Oera Linda Book only mentions six months by name (OLB, Ch. 41). The others can be reconstructed from later sources, though there were many regional variations. Days of the month were numbered backwards (OLB, Ch. 8).

■ Priestesses with the 6-spoked jol wheel at the Suwâld burch.





No.	Frisian Month	English trans.	Starts	Lasts
ī	Herdemônath	Hearth Month	21 Dec	ar dana
II	Sellamônath	Soil Month	21 Dec 21 Jan	31 days 30 days
III	Lentemônath	Lenten Month	20 Feb	31 days
IV	Gârsamônath	Grass Month	22 Mar	30 days
V	Minnamônath	Merry Month	21 Apr	31 days
VI	Sümer mônath	Summer Month	22 May	30 days
VII	Heamônath	Hay Month	21 Jun	31 days
VIII	Arnemônath	Corn Month	22 Jul	30 days
IX	Herfstmônath	Harvest Month	21 Aug	31 days
X	Winnemônath	Wine Month	21 Sep	30 days
XI	Slachtmônath	Slaughter Month	21 Oct	31 days
XII	Wolfamônath	Wolf Month	21 Nov	30 days

Years were counted from the submergence of Atland, also referred to as Aldland ('Old Land'), in the Great Flood, 2194 BC – a date fixed at the beginning of the Oera Linda Book (OLB, Ch. I.).

Frisians had a 7-day week (OLB, Ch. 26), dedicated to the three foremothers Lyda, Finda and Frya, as well as Fæsta, Mêdêa, Thjanja and Hellênja. On Frya's day – Friday (OLB, Ch. 6) – priestesses fasted and served a communal feast. Fridays that fell during festival weeks were the occasion of much greater celebrations.

◀ (I) Spinning *jol* wheel. (2) 7th century bowl found at Oegstgeest, Holland, with *jol* motif.

The six festivals survive in many forms today, but in most cases (though by no means all) have been shifted forwards by ten to fifteen days, or sometimes more, indicating an early adoption of the Roman (Julian) calendar by various groups of Frisians. The March and September equinoxes were not considered among the six major festivals, though observation of the former was important in pre-Julian calendar times for regulating the length of the year.

Frisian Festival (astronomical date)

Jol-fêrste – Yule Feast (21 Dec)
Lente-fêrste – Lenten Feast (20 Feb)
Minna-fêrste – Merry Feast (21 Apr)
Hea-fêrste – Hay Feast (21 Jun)
Herfst-fêrste – Harvest Feast (21 Aug)
Slacht-fêrste – Slaughter Feast (21 Oct)

Surviving examples

Fire Festival, Flamborough, England (31 Dec); Hogmanay Fireball Ceremony, Stonehaven, Scotland (31 Dec)

Biikebrennen, Sylt, North Frisia (21 Feb); Pancake Day, Olney, England (between 3 Feb and 9 Mar) Meierblis, Texel, Holland (29 or 30 Apr); 'Obby 'Oss Festival, Padstow, Cornwall (1 May)

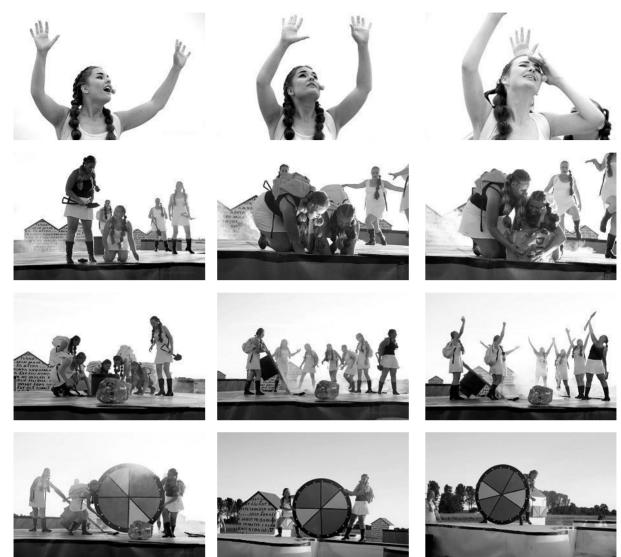
Midsommar, Dalarna, Sweden (between 19 and 25 Jun); Village Festival, Bournville, England (between 24 and 30 Jun)

Horn Dance, Abbots Bromley, England (between 6 and 12 Sep)

Hallowe'en Week, Muncaster Castle, England (24 to 31 Oct); Bonfire Night, Lewes, England (4 or 5 Nov)

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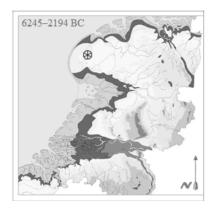
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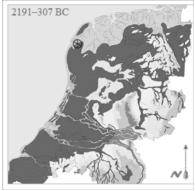
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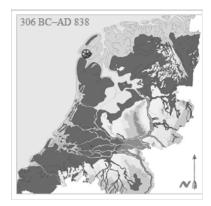
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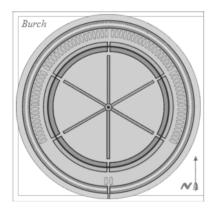




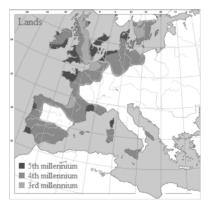
6245 BC (Third Storegga Slide) to the Great Flood of 2194-2191 BC. The large peninsula of Flyland¹ lies to the north of the Rêne (Rhine) estuary. The holy place where Frya gave the people her Tex (laws) before she ascended to the heavens (2194 BC) is marked by a jol wheel, spinning sunwise.

2191 BC to the flood of 307-306 BC. The place where Frya issued her Tex had become a stream, over which Fryasburch (Den Burg), seat of the folksmoder (Folk Mother), was built. The land around it was renamed Texland (Texel). The former estuary of the Rêne was blocked and became the Flymar (Lake Flevo).

306 BC to the flood of AD 838 (when the Frisians had become Frankish subjects). This covers the era of the Frisian monarchy, based at Ståveren (Stavoren), upon the shore of an enlarged Flymar, which was evolving into what became known as the Almere, and later the Zuiderzee - currently the IJsselmeer.







Layout<sup>2</sup> of a Frisian burch (citadel), such as the one at Fryasburch. The houses formed the 6 spokes of the jol wheel, and in a central tower hung the foddik (lamp), at which the fâmna (priestesses) knelt in worship, led by the burchfâm (Borough Maid) - or, at Fryasburch, the folksmoder (Folk Mother) herself.

The ten Frisian folks, and their approximate regions of settlement. The Kâd-hêmar extended west and south in Gaul. Frisians also inhabited Atland<sup>3</sup> (Doggerland), Skênland (Southern Sweden), Brittanja (Britain) - the land of the exiles - and Kadik (Cádiz), as well as many other colonies in the Mediterranean.

Seaborne expansion of the Frisians, millennium BC to the destruction of Atland in 2194 BC, determined by the distribution of megalithic monuments in Neolithic and Bronze Age Europe. These structures include dykes, tombs, causeways and stone circles, connected by a vast network of leys, or alignments.

'The Fly was a branch of the Rêne (Rhine) flowing north into Wr-alda's Sea (North Sea), giving its name to Sûdar Flylânda (South Holland), Westflylând (North Holland) and Ast-flylând (Friesland). Much of Flylând – especially West-flylând – was submerged in 2194 BC.

<sup>2</sup>The burch at Liudgârda (Leeuwarden) was over 600 feet in diameter (1 Frisian foot = 1.1 modern English feet). Fryasburch was even greater.

<sup>3</sup>Atland, or Aldland - the massive North Sea island known as Doggerland to archaeologists - was the original homeland of the Frisians, as is clearly

implied by the repeated references to it in the Oera Linda Book. Confusion has arisen because the homeland, or ald-lånd, of the Finns also perished during the Great Flood.

Frisian Matriarchy: ANCESTRESS of the Frisians ~ FOLK MOTHERS of Texland ~ FOLK MOTHER (acting)

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2194 BC. Loss of Atland during the Great Flood.

2013 BC. Loss of Southern Sweden to the Finns.

1630 BC. Loss of lands to Syrhêd and her Celts.

Name (OLB)	Surname (OLB)	Name (Cron.)	Reign (OLB)	Reign (Cron.)	Notes
FRYA <sup>1</sup>	_	FRYA	?-2194 BC	_	reigned 'seven generations'
FÆSTA	_	FASTA/FESTA	2194–after 2145	2214-2038	_
_	_	SÜNJE	_	(2214-1978)	_
MINNA	_	MINNA	fl. 2013	_	_
_	_	STINTJE	_	2038-1906	_
_	_	INSKA/INSKE	_	(1978-1912)	_
_	_	FENNA/FENNE	_	1906-1870	_
_	_	ELKE	_	(1912-1872)	_
_	_	SWANTJE	_	1870-1820	_
_	_	INSA/INSE	?-1631	(1872-1820)	_
RÔSA-MVDA	_	RÔSAMOND	1631-before 1621	1820-1757	revolt of Syrhêd
HEL-LICHT	_	HEL-LICHT	fl. 1621	1757-1711	_
_	_	GERIT/GERRIT	_	1711-1667	_
_	_	STINA/STINE	_	1667-1621	_
_	_	RENSKE	_	_	_
_	_	WIBEKE/WIBKE	_	1621-1580	_
_	_	INKA/INKE	_	1580-1553	_
_	_	ALETTA/ALETTE	_	1553-1489	_
_	_	ELTJE	_	1489-1429	_
_	_	DYWEK	_	1429-1377	_
_	_	NELA/NELE	_	1377-1328	_
_	_	IMKA/IMKE	_	1328-1277	_
_	_	IMME	_	1277-1224	_
_	_	ENNA	_	1224-1186	_
_	_	HILKA/HILKE	_	1186-1155	_
_	_	FENNEKE	_	1155-1114	_
_	_	HEIKE	_	1114-1056	_
_	_	RENKE	_	1056-1006	_
_	_	TJARDA	_	1006-946	_
FRÂNA	_	FRÂNA	?-590	946-884	captured and murdered
ADELA <sup>3</sup>	HELLÊNJA	ADELA/DELA	590-559	884-814	acting Folk Mother,
(interregnum)				814-714	murdered
GOSA	MAKONTA	GESA/GESE	306-?	714-644	no Folk Mother
(interregnum)				644-589	appointed no successor
PRONTLIK	_	PRONTLIK	_	_	no Folk Mother
					during reign of Adel IV,
				361-263	fled
				70-50	







1149 BC. Loss of Britain to the Trojans (Celts).

592 BC. Loss of Denmark to the Finns.

560 BC. Loss of lands to the Celts and Finns.

<sup>1</sup>Frya is said to have lived among her descendants, the Frisians, for 'seven generations' before ascending to her watch-star, a mythological era corresponding to the growth of megalithic civilisation under the leadership of the *famna* – the order of priestesses, or maidens. Remembered as Freyja and Frigg in Old Norse (originally the same goddess, but subsequently regarded as two distinct individuals), Frija in Old High German, Frige in Old English, and by many similar variants.

Inka, or Inke, the Folk Mother, should not be confused with the earlier (male) Inka, brother of Tünis, who led his fleet in search of any surviving remnants of Atland above water, around 2006 BC – and who, it is speculated, may have sailed to South America and given his name to the later Inca civilisation of Peru.

<sup>3</sup>Adela collected together the texts that formed the Oera Linda Book, passing it on to her descendants in the Oera Linda (Over de Linden) family as custodians. The family also served as leaders of the Adelband, a society of warriors formed after the murder of Adela's son Adelbrost.

Sources: Oera Linda Book, Croniicke ende warachtige beschryvinghe van Vrieslant (Occa Scarlensis, Johannes Flytarp & Andreas Cornelius, 1597).

Frisian Monarchy: KINGS of the Frisians ~ DUKES of the Frisians (Roman clients) ~ LADYof Ameland

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264 BC. Frisian expansion under Friso.

AD 11. Loss of lands to the Franks and Finns.

AD 690. Loss of lands to the Christian Franks.

Name (OLB, Fris.)	Surname (OLB, Fris.)	Reign (OLB)	Reign (Cron.)	Reign (Fris.)	Notes
ADEL I		304-264 BC	_	313-245 BC	de facto king
ADEL II	FRISO1	264-?	_	245-151	_
ADEL III	ATHA-RIK	_	_	151-71	_
ADEL IV	UBBO	_	_	71 BC-AD 11	Asinga Ascon/'Black Adel'
DIOCARUS	ASEGA-ÂSKAR	_	_	AD 11-46	on behalf of Dibbald
DIBBALD	SEGON	_	_	46-85	imprisoned in Brabant,
TABBO	SEGON	_	_	85-130	11-46
ASCONIUS	_	_	_	130-173	_
ADELBOLD	_	_	_	173-187	_
TITUS	_	_	_	187-240	abdicated, died 208
_	BOIOCALUS	_	_	240-299	_
HARON I	UBBO	_	_	299-335	_
ODILBALD I	UBBO	_	_	335-360	_
HARON II	_	_	_	360-392	_
RICHOLD I	UDOLPH	_	_	392-435	Audulf (?)

ODILBALD II	OFFO	_	_	435-470	Offa of Angel (?)
RICHOLD II	_	_	_	470-533	Finn (?)
BEROALD	_	_	_	533-590	_
ADGILLIS I	_	_	AD ?-680	590-672	_
RADBOD I	_	_	680-719	672-723	Aldgisl
ADGILLIS II	_	_	719-734	723-737	Redbad
GONDEBOLD	_	_	734-?	737-749	Poppo/Bubo, killed in battle
RADBOD <sup>2</sup> II	_	_	_	749-775	Adgillis III
TEKLA	_	_	?-806	_	fled to Denmark
	_				accepted Christianity







AD 719. Loss of lands to the Christian Franks.

AD 734. Loss of lands to the Christian Franks.

AD 775. Ameland, the last Frisian enclave.

<sup>1</sup>Friso led the Frisian colonists of the Punjab – where they had been settled since 1551 BC – to their ancestral homeland. Apparently with the blessing of Gosa, who had been elected Folk Mother in 306 BC after nearly three centuries of disunity, Friso assumed effective control as a military dictator. Though always listed as king, he never actually held that title, which was, however, granted to his son, Atha-rik, establishing a hereditary monarchy.

<sup>2</sup>Radbod II fled to Denmark in 775, after the Franks completed their decades-long conquest of the Frisians. He and his fellow refugees stirred up their Pagan kinsmen, known to history as the Vikings, to attack and pillage Christian Europe.

<sup>3</sup>Tekla (Thecla), daughter of Gondebold, maintained her independence on Ameland until 806, when the island was taken over by Taeke Cammingha, whom she was forced to marry. The last surviving citadel, at Fåstaburch (Nes), was converted into a Christian convent. This, with its associated monastery, moved to Ferwert on the mainland in 1109, though retained the name 'Foswert' as an echo of its origins. It was dissolved in 1580 during the Dutch Reformation.

Sources: Oera Linda Book, Frisia; seu, De viris rebusque Frisiæ illustribus, libri duo (Martinus Hamconius, 1620).

Revived Order: CUSTODIANSof the Oera Linda Book ~ FOLK MOTHERS of the Order of Priestesses

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The descendants of Adela in the Oera Linda (Over de Linden) family remained the custodians of the Oera Linda Book until the 1930s. In 1936 Greek choreographer Koula Pratsika created a ceremony at Olympia, Greece, for the inauguration of that year's Olympic Games. Vestal Virgins – the Roman Vesta was known as Fæsta to the Frisians and Hestia to the Greeks – light the Olympic flame with the sun's rays, which is then taken by runners to the games.

Name	Surname	Notes
ADELBROST	OVERA LINDA	son of Adela, d. 559
APOLLÔNJA	OVERA LINDA	BC
		sister, fl. 559
FRÊTHORIK	OERA LINDA	
WIL-JO	_	fl. 306
KONERÊD	OERA LINDA	wife, fl. 264
BÊDEN	OERA LINDA	son, fl. 264
		nephew , fl. 151 BC
LIKO	OVIRA LINDA	
		fl. AD 803
HIDDE	OERA LINDA	
OKKE	OERA LINDA	fl. 1256
		son, <i>fl.</i> 1256
ANDRIES (I)	OVER DE LINDEN	fl. 1718
IOHANNES	OVER DE LINDEN	son, d. 1794
ANDRIES (II)	OVER DE LINDEN	son, d. 1820
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Koula Pratsika (centre, right) and Maria Hors (centre, left) in 1936.

Name Surname Acceded Died

AAFJE OVER DE LINDEN
CORNELIS (I)¹ OVER DE LINDEN
LEENDERT FLORIS OVER DE LINDEN
CORNELIS (IV)² OVER DE LINDEN

daughter, d. 1848 nephew, d. 1874 son, d. 1919 great-nephew, d. 1958

KOULA<sup>3</sup> MARIA ARTEMIS PRATSIKA HORS IGNATIOU 20 Jul 1936 7 May 1984 21 Apr 2016 26 Jan 1984 16 Sep 2015

<sup>1</sup>Cornelis (I) allowed Dr Jan Gerhardus Ottema to publish a Dutch translation of the Oera Linda Book in 1872, thus bringing it to public attention.

<sup>2</sup>Cornelis (IV) donated the Oera Linda Book to the Provincial Library of Friesland in 1938 (since 2002 part of Tresoar, the Frisian History and Literature Centre). Cornelis' father and grandfather were both also named Cornelis, hence his designation as Cornelis (IV). They were never, however, custodians of the Oera Linda Book.

<sup>3</sup>Koula had studied in Austria and Swabia, and went on to found the Greek National School of Dance at Athens in 1937, specialising in a revived form of Pagan ritual. The connection between the Frisians and Greeks goes back to Min-erva Nyhellênja, who had founded Athenia (Athens) as a Frisian burch in 1631 BC, and many Graeco-Roman religious institutions, such as the Vestal Virgins and their eternally burning flame, derive from Frisian practice.

Royal and Ducal Portraits: Martinus Hamconius, 1620

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OKKE MIN SVM. TISSA BOKA MOT I MIT LITAND SELE WARIA. SE VANBITATAT TIU SKEDNISSS FON VS ELS FOLK AFFON VEN EXLUM. VELEDEN IEF LABIK TAM UTSP HLOD KESD TOLIK MIK TI AND TINEY MODER TA LIN WERON WET WEDSN. REFRENCH OVAON SIN ATTERNET VEDARYA. VANDE LIA WAVETO VELKEN LABIK FM VP WR LANDISK PAMPHER VWR\_ SKREVSM. SALWSRSA AV SS ERVE. MOS AVSIAK-WRSKRHVA. RIM BARN ALSA TIL KIU KIA NIMMSPAS WEINNYTHINKY -SKREVVIN TO LIDWIFT. NOI ATLAND SUNKSN. 18. TAT THIN TUSOND LIVWSP LUNDRSD AND NIUDON AND LIVES PTIDOSTSIER. AAT IS NEI KERSTSN REKNON AAT TV6Vt\_LVNDPSD\_53% AND TITTL \_ COSTS IEP .~ AIDDS TOBINOMAX OERA UINDA-NO WAK.N

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SA NAMER BA SKENSTA SINAR FINNA AND MAG. HARA .VELOVANDS.RA KI MIT GOLDEN KORNA SA LIN-FA REVEL US YOUR YATA DEDON. AFTER DAM. SINA LER VTBREDA. MEN SIN LIVDA DEDON MAR. BERN WRDON TO SOKMAKAD. NEI VPSA LANDUM WEIBROCKT. AND SAKWERSAKIA VP. BROCKT WERON AN SINA WIE LER. KAN WROOM LINTOBER SENDON. LA KASKIN-SLAVONA VEN TAL MACKTICK WERON AK KLIVADONKIA AA KERTOG A AND EXSLIBA AN BORD AND KERON LIA MOSTON LENE MAUR LEROCH WERTH SA KUNDOM LINENSUM UM VPFOLOIN AMM ONI PRVCHER FOLK KEREN TO WE DAME. RERA RER VANBE GODA DEDUM ENTAKDEL TO BA LUS KRIENLEDE VPLOVADONLIA YOUSIN. ANT WEGUM ISTAN ATTER DEL BY. LOKA JAMEN TAR AND AFTER DEL KRIEN LEDE SEIDON LIA EN ROND\_DEL TO AND KAM EN ROND DEL LE DE EN ELLE STAT. WERON AN ERLA TOLARDE FRIAS AN WENDON LIN AN STEWEN AND LILDON UPPAR VPBASTERA SYNUM AN. ÎESTERDEI WERONZER MOR TO LAM ALLET FOLK TO LAPE WORN WILDS VMB AA ASTLIKA STATA WILER TO LINFA PLYON

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BLIKKAP WERON VNMODICÁ BY LIPAS.

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AIN TICKTEANDON THEORUM FOR MAMEN DAD.

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AND DA ÁWILEKÍN-KAT DEDON GTON KAKUAEL.

ON ÁRTLIK. ÁWA MEI SINTARA ÁWIÁERTOKALDA.

NEL ANNON SINTARA ÁWIÁERTOKALDA.

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WAS DEBANDAIR LER SATA MANNA ENER LORS. L ENE TRE NEEV LIA MANTAI BUDIA MENTWERLIDA

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WYDER KESTLIKA STENA LEIDON AÍA ÁÍRA LIK BAL MIRKWABBÍANN SKRIFTUM. SMUKTON ÁÍARM VPPA. TOORAÍAN DE VMBE KERAR TO WARRANDE. MEN AN STILNISE NE WENADON ÁÍA NENEN. ENGETAR. VPHALÍKFOLK.

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BLEDAR WRIT. RACK RABESTA KWERKARI MAKN
WAS.WERI NAMMERTONOT. RAGODA EWA
WRDON UTKAGAD AND SELV. SIOCKT WRITE
REP KWADA KARIN-322222

WAS WIT LIKENEI BYTMORNERAD AND ANT BULLY AIRAR OCHUM. WAST ISTA REREREIN\_BOCE OF. SKENETRIA.

LIKSTRELON TERE MIDDEI SVNNE BLIKADON LIRA LERON TER SATIN WERON AS RACK. ~~ LBELE. TRIA.

VNTLVKTON LIFA WERA TAN SWEGON TA TWO SLOND AND NE FOR DON LA BLEDAR NAVTMAR.
WELDIGE FRIA.

REVCH RENE KRAFT LIRAR BLIKKAR STREK RENE LAWA TOFARA LIARA FIT DAL AND LELD RENE ADDUR SIN OIT TOBAK. RENE FRIM.

AIRA TA WAS KUNIN AND AIRA BRANKWAS DAWA GADURADANDA BOSMA KERA BLOMMUR. LICKTS YFIA.

ANT FORMA KWATKIUKIRA BARNIERDE WAS SELV
TWAM, KAT OKERA WAS IMFTETO DWGED. AND
KA KIA IEROCK WRDON. KA LERDE KIUKIAMKIU
WERKA FON KAFEDOM KANNA. KWAND SEIDE
KIU. SVNDER FRIDOM SENDALLE OKERA DWGED
ON. ALLENA GOD VMBE IO TO SLAVONATOMA.
KIANDE, IVWE OF KVMSTETO EVGE SKANKA...
MAILDE FRIA.

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An LIULLIRA BARN VPBROCKTLEDEALTO RERE SIUDONDE KNY. AL LROPLIU. BAALLE A FLILAM TOSAMNE. RERIEF SE LIAM LIBATEX. AND SEIDE. LET RAM IVWE WELWISAR WESA. RA NE SKIL ANT IO NA NAVT KYVALIK MIDA... UT. FOP. KERENAFRYA.

AA LIUSEID LEDE. BEVADE IRĀN LIKWRALDA SSE. TULANDIS BODEM SVOK AN ARADA VNDER LIARA THE DAL. RIU LOTE WARTEN. ART LADAL LOT TONTARA TO STIRTANS AND RALIA NEI MODER OM SAGON WAS LIUAL. LAN VPRIRAWAKSTAR, RATORALESTA SPRAK TORAR UTA WOLFA AND BLIXEN SKRETAN. RAT LOTT, RVM. WAK.

RATUANDETON KWER LIUWAS VPTAREY

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\*ARA KAPE KER KI-10 BET AN ARATI DA AM.

I KAWED SIAN HO RIMINKELPE LENGE. DWALEN MIT IONESTON. MENNETOT NAVITIL MAN

io bedenke T. In wornds skolds io toka Min tampa skolden ivwa nama uttada Utat bok and ik skolds io lik en unbikanna. De otwisa mota. Alleitelelele

NIM NAMMAR KNI. BUWQIANDETANK ŁONIY NESTON ÁN . ÃIUS AGAÃ WRALDAS GAST, NID SKOLDE Í BIKRÍUPA. WISDOM SKOLDE Í BILAKA ANDMINŁAMNAS KOLDON ÍBITHGYA ŁON ŁODER. PAV.

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HIUWER ZIRA SEND TO IVWE MOT IEVEN. MIZ'NAMA. LOPT, WETER, LANDAND HIVR, MEN WRALDA WILL ZER ALLENA BISITTAR OF WESA. ZERVMBE REDIKIO, I SKILUN IO RIUCKTER. DICIA MANNAKIASA. ZAM ZIUARBED AND ZA FRUCTDA NEI RIUCKTA DELA. SA ZAT N. AMMAN FRI FON WARKA NI YONWERASI.

SAKWERSA KERMMANA MODIO ŁVYDEN WART KERSINAIN ŁRIDOM VRSELLAK. KAM NIS NAVT ŁOÏVW ŁOLK, KIIS EN KORNIA MIK BASTERDBLOD IKREDE IO KAT I KIM AND SIN MAMTOKAT LAND UT.DRIVA SECKÁNT TO IWYABARN, KES MORNESKES MIDDEIS AND KES EWENDESTILKIU KIA KEROŁDR AME KES NACKTIS.

ALLERAMANNALIKÄEREN OÄER IONSINE IRIOOM BIRAWALWERE ÄENE ORE KIM SEELDECH MOTIK ANDA BARNTAM ENER SLATINE TARALETA. ÄNCH IK PEDE IO VMBE SINLIK AND ÄAT SINERA MAM VPPENE KALE STEDTO VRBARNANDE. ATTENEI

LIARA ASKE INTICK I PT ANDA GRUND TO DALVANE TILLIU TER NENEN GARSALLAN UP WAXA NIMEL.

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WILEAR IVW SVNN FON LIARA TO CLANTERUM SAMOTIALSA DVA AS MIR IVWATOCLATER. UM. RACK LOF RA ENA NOR RA OFFEN MEI WIRER KVMALWAND LIAS FOLDUN UTLEM. 18A SEDA AND PLECIA MIR. FA. AND DREI. RES SABI IO LELDOAD WRDE MEI HENAVT LORER OV. IBTO WARA.

VPPAMINES FAM FASTA ARVIEND MINAAP FASTORWASERVMBE MOSTI LIATO 10 ERE-

MODER WAS MANA TOLUNGIA MINE OF TANSHILGIU
NEMELS MIN TAM BILLWA AND ALLA TRANATAM.
NA TERLIA TOLUIA. TANSHIL TIU TODDIK MAMER
UTUA TERLIA TOLUIA. TANSHIL TIU TODDIK MAMER
UTUA TERLIA TANEVU IVWE BRIN VPKBARIA. AND
ISHLUMTAN EVINTRI BILLYA TON VNTRIA WELD
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RETAET TASTA SEID. ALLE SETMA REF EN EW. TATIS LUNBREDIER OM LLAPA MUCIS MIT TA KRODAR AND SIN IOL. LERA MUDON VPPARED LERE MODER AND BIMENAVILLA YPPA WECIAF TERA BUR OUM WEIT LWEEKIN SENDLIN VPPN WEONR WRIT LANSENDLINEWA AND TATISUSA PLICKT VMBE ALTAM ANERATOKALDANDE. KVMÃNGO ANDTVAR VS SETMATO Í EVANE STRIDANDS WITVSA EWA AND PLEDUMT SAMOT MANESKA DVA AUSAKÍA ASKÍN KACK SENDLINWEREN TANMOTMAN AMMERTO LATALDA WILSERERA LATIS FRIAS WILLA AND BAT MOTWESA TAM YO'AL LIBA BARN. muthsmiselderanderance. ALLE TIAN REFMANNANTARIAWIL, LOKA BATAT MEIGH WE SAYPPARADEILER WI FRYN KELDAND KNWN KNAMSKILUN EVA TALK IFANTUTKUMA: NEIDAM TID NW BIWISDI. LIK TAT LIU RIUCKT LEDE. SAISKAT EN EWA WEDIN, TATMAN SYNDER NEDANDTVAM A TRIA LIFA DEI NAWST OWERS NI DVA NE MEI LA BLIDA TERSTATTELA . MAZZZZZ 

ANT SENDANEWA RERTO REPABURGUM KERN-

SAKWERSA RER ARME ENEBURCH BUWET IS. SA MOT RIU TODDIK RERA ANRA TORMA TODDIK ET TEXLAND UPSTEKEN WRDA. RACK RATNEMEI NAM. MER OWERS AS REVCH RA MODER SKEN. ARMA

ÉK MODER SKILÁIRA DÍNÍAMAN FINSA. AUSA TERATER VPPATERA OTERA BURGUMAS MODER SEND. 3.

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THU MODER TOTEX LAND MET LIRA FOLGSTER KIASA ANCH SALWERSA LIU FALT ER KIUT DEN LET SA MOT TAS KEREN LWERTA VPPA ENE MENA ACLT. BY REDUMFON ALLE STATA ET SEMNE.

TIUMODER TO TEX. LAND MEI EN AND TVINTICA TAM NA AND SIVOUN SPILLE MANGERTA LAVA.

TIL TIL TU TER AMMER SIVOUN BY TERE FOOD I KNU

GE WAKIA DEILIKES AND TEE NACTES. BY TA TAM

NA TER VPPA ORA BUROUM AS MODER TIANIA AL

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SA ÁWERSA EN FAM ANNEN CIADA WIL. SA MOR ÁIUT REPE MODER MELDA JAND BISTONDATOTA MANNISKA KERA" ER LÍU MIR ÁIRA TOC ÁTICIE ADAMA TATLÍUCT BIWLAT. Q QQQQQQQQ

TIU MODER AND ALREK BURCK! TAM. SKUMAN TO PODIANDE ENANDEVINTICK BURCK. KERNI SIVOUN ALDA WISA. SIVOUNALDA KAMPAR AND SIVOUN ALDA SE.KAMPAR. A ANA. TER FONSHLUNALLS I FRONTO LONKKERA TRIM FON ELIK SIVOUN. JACK LIA NEMWOONNAVT VPFOLORI NEWERTA TRVCK LIARA SIBTAL... NEIAR SATAFIARDAKNI. A ARRENTALANA

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AIDER MEI TRE LVNDRED IORN BURCKWERN LAND.

YNR TISSA TINNESTA SKILUNTIA LERATRIA STEK

AND TA EWA . FONTA WISA MANNON TINE

WISDOM, FONTA ALDA TERMINON TANE KUNST

FONTA OR LOCKMIND FON TA SE SENIMBAR TENS

KUNSTA TER BITAT BUTE TARA NETILE SEND

FON RISSAWERAR SKILUN IERLIKES LANDRED TO BER KERA. RACK SEND RER SVMS VRLAM R WRDEN. SA MUDON VPFER BURCK BILLWA KIARA ELLE LEVA LOR.

BY RAT KIASA FON RAWERAR NE MEI NIMME FON RERS BURCK NEW STEM NAVINE KAVA. A A DEVETMANNA ISTA ORERA LAVEDAMAN RAT BLATA FOLK ALLENA. A 122222222

THE BODON MIK SIVOUN LORSN. RALL I LAN

AKSKIL AIDER BURCK KAVA KIPTICK BYWARA -TRVCK TAT POLK AKEREN. MEN TERTO MEI
MAN ALLENA IEVA. SOKKA TER NAYT ABEL
AND STORA FAR WERA NEF TOBUTA FARAS
SEND.

AIDER BURCH MOT LIFTSELVA BIDRUPPA AND US. NERA FONLIRA XIN ROND-DEL AND FONLAT DEL LATLIU FON LAT MARKIELD BURL.

IS LER AMMAN KEREN VMBE VPPABURDUM TO LIANIANDE ANDNILER NAVT LANNE MEI.P NA NEN BURCA. LER WEPLA AND DUS NEN STEM NAVT NI LANA. IS SKALBURCA. LER SA SKILLI LIUER VRLIASA. ARRA ARRA ARRA ARRA

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SAKWERSA AMMAN RED CIERT YON TORE MO. DER TA YON ENE BURCK YAM, SAMOT AL KIM SELVA MELDE BI TAKKI WER, TISSE BRAMT IM BI TA BURCK MASTER, YORT MOT I NEI TA LET. SA. TAT IS TENE LEVENER. TERMOT SIA IET SE AKBISETEN IS YON KVADA TOCKTUM. IS ER COD SEID TA VNDVAT AL KIM SELVA YON SIN UM WERAR BRAM. CAT TAM BI TERE MODER. AT A A A A A A A A

IS LIU SEK VRENS STATE SANEMWOON TERMAN MINER TAN TRE BODON KVMAJST VRTELLE TRIA SLAND TAN MOTON TERISTA TRIA SIVOUN TIUG A BY WESA. TERVMBE TATER NEN KVA FORM. VDA NAVY RISA NE MEI NOR SKALKED DEN NEWRDEL ARREST ZAZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZ

BIALLE SERUM MOT AN MODER WALDA AND NIVON AAT AIRABARMAAT IS TRIAS TOLK AS A MET-RIK BILLWA AS AAT WESA MEI. AAT IS AT IS ALLE AND VS ALRA VMBSPÄER AN TOLELPANDE.

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FVMT KWA VMB RED AND WET TIUMODER FED SAMCK KIU TAM BISTONDATO IEWANE. NET KIU BISTONDA NEWRED SAME! KIU WACKTIA LETA SIVOUN THE DECIUM. NET KIUTAN NACK NEW FED, SA MUQON KIM KINN! BRUDA. AND KIA NE MWOONKI PA SELVA NAVT BIRLAGIA. THE KIU NEWRED BETRE IS TAN KVA RED.

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SENDLIFA BURCH-LEFA MEDEFLICKTICK KANDVAR MANALSA MIRKAM.

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IS AIRA STRO TVIVELIK IEFTA BLATFORMODA. SA
MOT MAN ARRYR ÂLRIA AND SPREKA. IST
NEDICA EN AND TWINTICA WIKA LOR. STEM
-Â ÂA ALFDEL SKILDICA SA KALDE MANÁ IA
VR VNSKILDICA, TWEDE SA WACAT MANÍ ETA
EN ÍVL Í ER STEMA MAN ÂAN ALSA. SA MEI
MANÁ IA SKILDICÁ ÁALDA. ÂANATNI DEIA.

SA KWERSA REP SVMI AMORRAT RIMNA SIND TAM LINAUSA SER YNSKILDICLMENE LATLIN

LIN TOLQIA WILLE SA MUUON LIN THAT DVAMIT ALLIARA BRIWANDE ANDTILBARA LAVA . AND NA MMANACHT LIAM REPOVIR MINTOACHTIANE. TIL TIUTAT MARADEL ALSA BLYD KIN DWALA SALATMINEADELLARARARA MENA EWA. I.

ALLS FRIN BARN SIND NELLIFAWISA BARN. ROR VMBE MOTONÁÍN AK EZLIKA RIUCÁTE ÁLVA ALSA BLID UPPAT LANDAS UPPATE. TATISWETER AND VPELLA RAT WEALDA istR. aaaaaaaaaaa.

ALLERAMANNALIK MELT WITSINRA KESATREIA AND EKTOGRATER MEI EKREP LIFA LELDDRUNK BINDA KERLIUMINK. A. ...

LEX LWA EN WITNIMK SA IETT MANKINM LUS AND WARY, NIS KERNEN SA MOTAT BYWAK

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IS EF NEI EN WEER KOPP ODRON VMBEN WIT AND WILLI TER BILIWA SAMOTMANLIM TER ENLUS EN WART IEWA BIIONEN KATNOT TONKA KEM. RIK.

ALLEFA MANNAUK MOTMANEN ATERDELAS WARF BISINA LUSIEVA. LA'NIMMANNEMEIEN FAR - DEL BISINA LUS NAVA FULMIN EN ROND-DEL RLIENA. IST KWA EN DADDEN REK TOMENA NIÃN SAMEILIM ÂNT IEVEN WEDE. KKMEI SIN IONSTE SUN TATERUM. AFTERTAMMET TAT TORPTAT WITERNIMMA. ----

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EKROPPSKILEN KEMBIKKANA NEI SINA BIKOŁAND RENE APEVA SKILNIVOA RATALPAEK SIN DEL BIDOAR AND AODÁALD TILRIURA AŁTERKYM ANDENEN SKADA NAVTNE LIDA NE MAVA E

EKROPP MEI EN MARK KAVA TO KAPAND TO VR KAP IETA TOWANDELIA. ALLET ØRA LAND SKIL BVW AND WALD BILLYA. KA KA BAMA KERA NE MEI NIM MANNAVT TALLA BUTA MENA REDA AND BUTA WETA KEE WALD GREVA. KWAND KAWALDA SEND TO MENA NIKA. KERVMBE NE MEI NIMMAN KER MASTER OF SA. 22. 2.2.

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AS MARKIELD NE MEIÄAT TOPPNAVTMARM NIMMASATATILLIFTE DELFONTASAT, KOR FONTAINLEMAR NERFONTALFER LEMANDE. AK NE MEI TAMARKISKAT NAVT ER VRSELLAT NE WERTA AS TAT ORA GOD-ALIZIATION.

ALLET MARKÍELD MOT ÍERLIKES DELAT WRDE. ÅRIA DECIAN ÄARTERE ÍOLDEI. AN ÁVNDRED DELUN TODELANDE.

AL OREVETMAN MIR SINUM OREVUM SKIL REPOR BURN TWINTICK DELA. LENS MARKFIUCH
TER AND SINUM KELPAR. FIFDELA. TIU FOLKS.
MODER EN DEL. TIU OLMODER FILWER DELA. TAL TORP TIAN DELA. TAL ARMA. TATIS
TERA. TAM NAVT WARKA NI KUNNA NI MUOR
FIFTICK DELA.

TERN TAM TO MARKA KVME NE MUDON
TMAKKLIELD TIAN DELA.

NAVENI WOKERIA . KUMAK KERSUMSAIS.T REFATAMAN PLICKT LIAM KANBERTOMAK. IANA INVEXATELLE LAND. TIL KIUKIANIM. MIRKE KEREN NAVT WE DE TO ENG AMPT . LOWAND SOKA LAVAR EN OFRA-LIK-KIPTENMBE SATTO CIARIA SKOLDE LIA ELLA VEREDA INTOLK. KIUMODER. KINRA SIBBEN ANDR MALESTA LINKASELVA-ALLERALIZATION

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IS TOR ANMANAUSA ARD TATER SIVEAT. SIAK YIN IETAM URDERENWER VESELLATUR LEL GOD- SAMOT TENEMARKFIUCKTAR KIM WERN AND KN KAMMA KIM MINOMA INERATION LEMADON TINDASTOLK MESTAL ONDUP INVEKINEN MODERS BARTA LAND. MIKNOMA ALD LAND KATNW VNDE FNE SE LEIK. LIN WERON TUS FER OF. TERVMBE. NEDON WI AKNEN OPLOCK TAKIN VPDREV EN SEND AND LENDA KEMON TO PAWANETA KEM. EF YON SELVA LAND. WER LEF. MANNA KE NIADAR AND ORLOCK. VF ALKAM KEMON SETMA AND UTA SETMA KEMON GWA.ALATTILL AFR FOLGAR AN EWAR REP REPUTTAVLIKE SEND.

EKTRINS MOT-A LEZA ISTRATIANDA WERA. MIT ALDULKERA WARNE AS.EF FOR SINNABI. KVMA AND KANDTERA MEL. --

IS EN BOITWILLTIER. SAMOTI LA SIVOUNDE DEI MISTE FON SIN LEFTID VMBE FED TO WER TANDEMIK-A WAPNE - ARARA - ARARAS -

15 LIBIKYMENSNTEVEMANNIMWAPM; AND AI WAFATO WEFAR SLAGEN. ~~~~ ISKIRE FERWERAR SAWARK, I BURCH, AGR AND WEIGI YEILS SIN YYMED WYNNY LL KINSANE. IS KWA SIVOUN IER FIASAR SAMEIKIKI EN LER-MANISTAN KENIATOKIASANS. TO 10 AKKEREN WEDE-ALL. 10 ALLE TRE IERMOTER OVIR KEREN WERTA. BUTA KANIA MUCIONALLE AMBTAAAN -MAWITER-KEREN WERTATAM RIUCKT DVA ANDNEITRIASRED. ANNIN KENIA NIME I NAVTNI LORIF AS Tréier kenia billwa tilkíu ki navtbirl - YWA NEMEI VSA FRIDOM TO SKADANE .... 20 LERI SINGUNIER REST SAMEILIWITER KEREN WERTAL ATTICATION "- ALKENIA TRUCK TENETIANDYALL WES MUCION SINA SIBBAAK NEI TERE ERE MIRE 25 ISER VPPASINETID OFQUASN INFRA BINNA SINTID STUPVEN SANEMEI NEN SIBBA MAM VETOLOIN TERIM NEINEST SATA FINEDE KNY - 224 30 REBARAM STRIDA MITA WAPNE ANLIAMA

AN OPEVETMANNA ÅFOPAR ALLE BURCK.LE PA ET SEMNE AND BIREDAR LO YELO MAN NA LÍA SKILUN STÍUPA. QA QAQQQQQ....

ALLE BISLUTA TERA MOTON FIR NEITERS MODER SENDEN WERTA MIT BODON AND TIUCIUM. ALLEGARAGE LAGARAGE.

ATUMODER LET ALLE BISLUTA CIADERIA AND IETA ET CIULDNETAL. TAT IS TAT MIDDEL. TALTON ALLE BESLUTA ET SEMNE. LERMI LA MOT MAN FARTAT TORMA TRETO LA ANDTENS KENIA ALSA. ANNON

IS TIUWERA A KAMP. JAN KOTT TI KENIA ALLENA MIT SINUM LAVED MANNATO REDA. JACK TER MOTON AMMERTS TREBURCH. LERA YON TERS MODER TORANA

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SITTA SUMDER STEM. AISSA BURCK LERA MOR ON DEIALIKIS BODON NEI KERE MODER SENDA TIL KIY KIY WETA MWOLE IST KER KWET DEN WARK. STRIDANDE WIKA EWA ISTA WIK THAS REDIEVINA. ALARAARAA LARAA

WILLE KENIA DVA AND SINA REDA MAYT. SANS MEI LILLT MAYT VAD SESTONDA.

KVM TENS HAND VNWARLIAA TANAAOT MANDVA SA TENS KENSABIT. 222222

NIS LING KENIA NAUT UPPET PAT. SA MOT MAN SIN FOGAR AGRICH OF LAMIS FOLDAR ALONT LA LESTA. ALLARAMA

NISTERNENTID. SAWARPA LI LIMTO LANSDMANKERIM WELDICK YELST. O.

AST TSNS KENIA SN TRESALIK FOLK DESDAG

IN SAMUGON SINA ATTSRKYMANDS SIN

NAMA ATTSR ATTAR NINE FORA. WIL TENS

KENIA SAMETSR VPPEN VNBIBYWADS STED

SN PLAK UTKIASA TO KUS AND SRY. TATTSRY

MEI EN ROND. DEL WESA SAGRAT TATTA

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SAÁWERSAORLOCKKUMR AND TERWEDE AUSA KOMUNT Í STÅN SKEPA KOKTATET EN SLET TRVCK TENS HIAND TA BI MENA REDUM SA ACK TA MENA MENTA TAT IS ALST TOLK TO SEMME TAT WITTETO KELENA. TER VMBE TAT NAMMANTA TA MENA SEKA SKILKELPA VRLÍA SA VMBE SINKIN GODTO BIKALDANE. REARRAS.

IS OPLOCK VRREIAN. AND SENDRER SVM
ALSA VRDEREN RAT LIAMANTLOMER WARKAMS
MUCION SAMOT RAMENAMENTS LIAM
VNDSFLALDA. BIRA TESTUM ACLONLIA FOR
LANA TO SITTANA TIL RIU RA IWOED SKIL
ERALIAM. ARREST LA RESTURENTATIONE

SIND TER WEDVONAND WESON KEMON

SIND REE SUM REVOL RING HAND HAT AND KUMAR LIA TOBAK SA MOT MAN LIA MALER FON RAT KAMP OF FORA. LWAND LIA MALE LON FRI LETEN WESA BY ARES LOTTUM AND RANNE MUDON LIA LIABA LOTTA NAUT NI KAIDA AND RACKER LIK BILLWA. RAM

IST WI SELWA HANDATATA. BABRAME MONTAM DIAP ANDALANDA WEL. MAN LEFT LIA VEATPHA SEDS. A ZZZZZZZZZZZ

LER MANKIA AFTERNEI KLAPA-SALERMAN TAPMIR WELKED RRVCK TA FRAMANDVA TILRIU WI KRA AND FRIUNDA WINNA FORI LERA AND FIANDUN. AR-MARRALLAND UT MINNOS SKRIFTUN.

SA ÁWEFER ÃEF ENMAN IS. ÃEF. META APO ÂNTÁI VSA SWETSAR BIRAWAÉ, MOPÂ DED LON DVAT. ÁUSA BARNÉ. MANGERÎN SKANÊ ÁOK ÂNTET ST ÂNT ARG ST. AND VSA SWET NATA WILLON ÂNT WROKEN ÁNNA. SA IS ANT ÂNT PIUCÁTÁ ATMAN ÁSNE DEDER FAT A AND AN ÁÍAFA AÍNWARDA DEIA. TILÁIU ÂNT VR NEN OPLOCÁ NE KVME WEFÄRVCÁ ÂN VASKELDIGA SKOLDE BOTA JOPI ÂN SKELD LOĞ. 422. WILLAÂ ÁÍA ÁIM SINLIY BIÁNLDA LÆTAND ÃÍU WREKN OFKAPIA LETA. SA MEI

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AA STIUPAR MUDON LIARA AIN MASTRUN NOMA.

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AA KAPLIVD MOTON KERSN AND BINOMAR WS PAA ARVEL TA MENTS AERST DOD LERST AND TASTIUPAR NS MUDON TERST DOD LERST AND TASTIUPAR NS MUDON TERST AND TASTIUPAR NS BUTINT TAT TSNS KEMMA ARD ISTA VN BI KVMMSN 15.54 MUDON LIA SAN TENS KENIA AIM SSLE BIKLADABITA OLDER MON.22.

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SINTER SYMS VRUMMET, SAMOTA MENA MENTA NÍVON TAP LÍNKA LIT. AK MOTON LÍA TORANA SITTA BITA MENA TERSTA. BI LUS LIKA TERSTA ÍL. BI ALLS TERSTA. GARRA RESTA

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SIN ÅER WEDVEN ANDWESON FON KUMSK SAMOT ÄLU MENTE KLA VNDEPKALDA. SIN ÄLA AN ENPE KASE TELÄ SA MUDDNÄASVIN ÄLNOMA KLABARTÄTA VPPIPA SKILDUN FORA. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaa

SINAER PRENTARA FORFAREN SAMOTON SINAERVA EN EL MANNIS DEL ÁRVA.

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NETLIKA SEKA UT.A NEILETNE SKRIFTUM MINNOS. MIMMO WAS ENALDE SEKEMA SIANER AND WIS. CIPRICÁ. AN ÂA KRETAR ÁSÂ.I EWA IEVEN. ÁIIS BAPA ANDA LINDA WEDA AND NEI AL SIN WIRSR FARA ÁTÃ

AI KAT LUK NOTSN VMBS SO LINDA KEM TOSTSRVA- RAZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZ

SAKWSPSAVEA SWETANTA 2N DELLAND ANS 12 AN WETIF RATUS GOD TOLIKE SA POCKT.ST VS VMBS RAT A KAPTO PREID NILLAR KIA RAT NAVT NE DVA RANAMOT MAN AIA RATBIÁALDALETA. RATIS NEI PRIA KIS TEX AND ST SKOLDE VN RÍUCKT WESATO VNTÁRNDANA RAT. A.A. SA KWERSA RER SWERNAN ST SEMNE HVA AND SANA VR SNOT SEKA RA VF LAND AND KÍA VS PREIA SN ACK MAN AXT REDER AFTER WEIATO LETANE. RACK SA MAN REDER AFTER WEIATO LETANE. RACK SA MAN REDER AFTER WEIATO LETANE. RACK SA MAN REPLIK AND RIUCKT REPORT

KYMTTEF LWA AND SEIT. IK LAV OFLOCK NW MOSTN MI KELPA. IEŁKA EN @PA KVMK AND SEIT MINSUN IS UNIEFICK AND UNBIRUM SN IF BIN ALD NW WILDIK TO WARWSTSW OVIE LINE AND OVIE MIN LAND STALLA. TIL LITERICK ST. SA ACK MANTAT WEIGHAPIATH LIUWI NAVT ANTWIST NE KVMENE ME MUCIE UP SEKA, STIDANDE WILLVSAFRIA SEDUM. MIL-SALWERSATER KUMT IN VELAMDISK FARMAN UPPATOLETMAPK IT WIFIA. CA KATO ALMANUAND AND LIBIDROGKT SA WARKER BISTODA MARK BETIN AND KAN BEFMARAD TRUCK TATAMAN INVESTELS LAND. KVMTSP TAN TOBAK SANESKIL NIMMANN KAPIN ŁOKIM. LI MEI KINNS BRUDA SAF KVMENIS. JUSSA LWEPSAP KAPLIUD KEPIN WADE VMBE W ON. ISTAN MITS FLATTOFAPANE. SAACK AL LENA ALDVLKSFA TO KIASANS KAM MAN THOI BY THOI KANK AND ANSN GODA LPOP STANS BY TATAMANA. BEFT-ST NAVITOMIN TATIF IN APOMAN MORSY. TAM TALIUD BIFFOOR A WIL SA A GON AA GRA TAT TO WERNNE . LEXITALDEN SAMOTMM TAT BETERIA. AND TINE MIS. DEDAR UT OF LANDUM BANNA-TIL TIL VISA NAMA VEALMIT GRANS SNIL WIFTA BINDMAR AL. MEN ÎSYWI VPPEN YFLANDISKA MARKT KINDA. ST. ET LENDS ISTANTER AND BEFRET ART IT FOLK VS LET DVAS TA BISTELLIT, SA AGON WH MIT LASTE LEI TOTOSLANA LWANDATSKEN WIEL

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LA AGON TO DVANDS WABS TRGKO WILLON VSA KALKBROTAR NS MUDON VS NIMMER MINACATIN NACH WAM INT WI MAS SSNO ARA ARA IN MINIOUS AXVIK WED ENIS MORT OVERA BANDA TERA EVYA. ATER LAV-IK YEAR OFTEN TANKED VE KIRA TEX AND VSA EXUN UP IN 6WA TOP RERNOI MYLIKT SSNO. L. . WENUDA ISTEN AL-KODSIZ KST MI YOUD IGIZSN IGUSN, INVE YOUD UNNON AND SEN LAW-IK OMMS-KARSN. AND NEI AU LWAK SIAN LA BIN-IK VETIWAND LAT WI ALVENA REVCK ALTODSE WITTOPKERSNYSSNULEWATO KANNADS. LADA-S YOUK NE MEI NEN EWA TO MAKIANDS NI TO LAUDANDS. LIA SIND TO DVM AND WILD ROR TO. YOLD SUNCEN TAN: DAS SIND SNOD SNOCK, MINKINSIND CIFRIEL - LACK KARANDS. KALSK. VNKUS AND MORT-SIDCATICK. ... POON BLESAT KINEA SELVA UPVA ANDLIANE MUCALT NAWSTERAN KRUBA. KORSKA KROPAT WARK WARK AND LIN NE DUNK NAWET AS LIPPA AND KUUCKT MAKIN. IN POKA KROPAR SPAR\_SPAR.MW LIA STELON AND VESHINAT AL WAT VNDSTE LINEA SNAVIUN KVMAR. UKAVTAM 15 TAR YINDAS-YOLK. LIN BOONK IMMSE OVIR GODAEWA. SK WILSSTMA MAKIA IMB - IT KWAD TO WERANS. MINSIVA NIL NIMMAN TORAN BONDSN WESA-TORA. LWAM LIS CIAST ENT LISTINOSTISM. AND LOPERPYCK STEPIK LAM KIS KONS FREINE FENIA.

AND EA OPA MOTON ALWENNA ANSIN WELD ANDST-WURPSN WESA THEN ORSE KVMR REP.IM

YONA SOTIL DEFWIT. \_\_ RAT WORD EWA ISTOTEAN VMBE AN MENA SEKA TONOMANDE. TORUMBE AST MAN US GUIN SEGN BORK - -- GWA KNISGIK SSTMA LER BIALLERMANNISKA GHE AN KIARA MODPFENKSSND. TIKIU KIN MUCE WETN KWAT FILICAT AND UNRINCHT ST. AND LWEFTINGA LIA WELDICK SEND VMBS KINFA DINE DODA AND KAM YON OPUM TO BIRIUCKTANOS. TAT WILL SIDSA. ALSANAKA LIA CIOD AND NAVT MIS-DEDSCH VPBROCKT SIND .... AK 15-18 ist. IN ORA SIN AN INST. GWASEITAKGILIK WE. TIP\_LIK - RIUCKT AND SLIUCKT AS WETSR TAT TRUCK NEN STORMS-WIND ISTA AWIT OWERS VESTORIN IS ... WARK WESTER VESTORIN SA WAPRIST UNEWA. UNPILICAT. MEN-IT NIAL EVO VMB2 WITTER EWA TOWERTANDS. TAT LEET AN SIN YONSSLV-LED. ALSA TA NHOUR TO RIVER AND FRIDOM IN FRIAS BIRN VEIR. ASSSA NICI-WALAVAK WI TRUCK WE ALDAS GAST USA TODIES ROPIN FRANG BERN BOOK RENNABE SKIL KIU VSAK EVO BIKLYWA . \_ EWA . ISAK TITORA SINNA BILD FON WEAVONS GAST. TER EVO FINCAT AND UNKORSTOREN.BILLIWAR ATSKEN IT AN SIN LICKEMS ARA TO BELT. EWA AND UNTOFSTOREN SEND EN MARKA TOPA WIS DOM AND RIVATERDICK LED. Kan ton AWE FREMO MANNISKA SOCKT AND TRYCK NWA FIUCKTERN BISGERN WEDEN MOC- ~~ WILLIAK TA MANNESKA TUS SITMA AND DOMAR MAKIN TER ALAN GOD BILIWA AND ALUERWIKES SAMOTON LIN ELIK WESA TOTARA ALLE MANNISKA

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NOI. LISSS GWA ACKAT TA BIDCHTSRA KLAR \_ A ORDEL UTTO KETANDS . IS TOK SNO KWAD DON ÁWGRVR NON GWA TAVLIKTSSAD SA MOTMAN ONS MONAACKT BILLIDSA TOR OPDELL MAN NOI TA SIN TOR WE ALDAS AASTAN US KER VMBS AVER ELLA FICKAT LEEPICK TO BIRIUCKTANDS. ALKUS TO DYANDS NE SKIL US ORDEL MAMMER TALIKAMTUT NE KUMA, NE DUATIMANNEN BRUCKT MEN VMRIUCK, ALSA RIST REF TWIST AND TWI. SIMLE SMOR TA MANNISKA AND STATA. KERUT SPUT INUANDISKA OPLOCK. WER TRUCK SULA LOMVINE AND VEDAREN WARK, MIN O DWM LED. DALWILL WI TO DVANDS SEND SKKORUM TO SKADANS KUME-ST NIDIOS FOUR FINDAS MIR LIARA TAUSKA PRESTERMA IVW LAWA TO PAWANDS IVWA TOOKATIPA TO SKANDA NS. IVWA SEDA TO VEDVA AND TO RALSS M KLAPPAT LIN SLAVONA-BANDA OM ENLINES YRAN LAUS ------ 2. UTA SKRITTA MINNOS. - LA NY\_ LELLENIA. TAM YON LIPA DIN NOMS MINISPUN KETS. CODSETSN WAS AND LA KREKALANDER LIA TOMET EVEN KARDE MINNOW AS US NIN YOLK. TAKEMON TOR SUMS FORSTA AND PRESTERA VPREPA BURCH AND TREION MINISRYN AWER OF KERN SRVA LEION. KILLENIA ANDSRS MINA SEVA DEGO IK OM IN MINA BOSM. LWAT IK UPVIN LAV IS LINTPS VF WISDOM. FIUCKT AND FRIDOM. KAV

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VPPE WGI BROCKT AND KINS KRODSF KAT 15 TID. JAM MOT JAT OVERIOS DVA. WIJ ALLE FAMPUM IS RED AND LEEP TO TINDANDS. TA WEALDA WILL TAT WILLIAM SILVA SOKA SHUW. LILKIU WISTSPIK SKILE WERKA AND WIS. MILLAR WI MANT. TAN LERST VSATPUL UT TRULLA TILKIU WI SKILUN SPŁARA. KWAT NEI WISH DEDUM AND KWAT NEE DYMA DEDUM FOLDAR - TASSIDS.NS FORST. IK SKOWS WANA. TAT WERE BETRE. TATTO WERANDS. LWSL MUGLIK ANDSRS LSLLENIA. LWAND TAN SKOLDS TAMANNISKA BILLIWA LIK TAMADS SKEPA. ZV AND ZA PRESSEE BA SKOUDER ZAN LODA WILLA. MEN AK SKERA AND NEI KERS SUNCKE BINKS FORM. KACK AUSA MILET VS PROCKESN MANT. LI WILL TAT WI EKKORUM KELPA. MEN KI WIL.AK TAT IAKWEDSP. FRY SYAMONIS WRDE. TATISAK USA WILLIE REFUMBS KIMST US YOUK SIN YORSEA. OFEWA PRODIEVAR AND ALLS BASA AND MASTIRA UFA WISSSTA REPA GODA MANNISKA TIL RIU ALLSMANNALIK SIN BSST SKIL UVA VMBS WIS AND ODD TO WSPANDS. ALTUS TO DYANDE SKILUN WI GNIS WETA. AND AMDA LOBER LERA EXT WIS WEST AND WIS DVA ALLENA LEIKTOSALICKKED. KATLIKT. SN. ORDEL SELDON EN PRISTERN - MIN 15TS NV MENSTE RAPPEST REVCK USA DVMAGO KYMR. SKOLDS NY-KELLENIN RAN WEL SA OOD WEST WILLE NMBS VS SWAT FON RAT NIA LIUCKT TO LENANDS KWER VPIA LIU SA STOUTA 15. ISS SCIDS LELVENIN.

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LAUX LEDE SIN WISH TOULARTE MINITENATO NOME NY-LELLONIA CMOR EN MANNISKA FO SSNOAME INOVERA SE MIKEN ULK. VMBEKA MANNISKA GODS\_RED TO IEVANS. AND TAT AL LSRMANNALIK TER LIA LERA WILDE PIK AND LUXICH SKOUDS WSBEAL AND ENIS BAS SKOLDS WERKA OVER ALLE KENIRKPIK IPKAS LIFA BYLDNISE STALDONLIN UPPA LINEN AL-TARUM ISHAN LIA VRESLUADET ANDA DUMA MANNISKA. LIN KELON NULSEWGIKSS RED-IGUIAN TER LIU MIMMER IEVEN LEDS. AND TALADON WONDERA - KORKIEJ NA DONKODE -BRUCKLESTA WISTON LIABASTUVA MASTIF FO MAKIANDS FON YSA GWA AND SSTMA AND ERUCH WANKETIAN WISTONLIN ALLY TO WISA AND TO VEBRUDA. LIA STALDON AL FAMNA UNDER LINEA LODS. TA SKINBER UNDSIES TOOM YON TASTA USA TORMA GRE-MODER-VMBE OVERTAR ARAMA LIUCKT TO WAKANE. MENTAR LICICAT LEDS LIN SSLVA VPSTOKSN. AND INSTERS YON TA YAMKIS WIS TOMAKIANDS. AND ATTER NOT EMOR BATTOLK TO SSNDA. BA SINKA TO LEVANIX . AND TA BAPN TO LEPANDS . MAKROW LIA.RA DVM AND DIMMI BIT LIUCKT AND NO MARKTON LIA NA BUTA NE KVMA . AK WED\_ ON LIA TO REDIEV STARY BRUKAR. KACK KIRED WAS BY SKINDTLIAMA MYDUN. KWAND KINDA MULA WERDN NAVEOWSES AS KA KROPAR. LUNGERTRUCK TA PRESTERA KINEA LENIA TALLEN WAS WILDON WI SNOPS MOD. IT HINSA . SYMS WILDON NOI TEXULAND

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ALLE ELTE MINNISKA WERTAT DROASN A BARN TO TEIANDS, WART TAT WERT. SA NET NIMMAN WAT ARGES TEROF EVME. ... 3.

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WILLEVA. AND THE ORE RAT AR WILLS.
VMBE SERUR TO WESANDS SEND RESA
SITMA AND DOMAR MARKOD. ALAL.
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DOMAR. MEN TISEA NE SEND NAVT NEI
TA BLUCKT. MEN ALLENA TO BATA TERA
PRESTERA AND TO FETA. TANA SEND
KIARA STATIMMERTET VLTISPALT AND MORD.

SALWERSA IMMANN NADLET AND LINE KAN LIM SELVA NAVENE LELPA SA MOTON TA TAMNA TAT KUNDICH DVA ANTA CIPGUA. TOPTATAR TATST SN STOLTA TRIASNAVENE TOCKT ARTST SELVATO DVA ARARARARARA.

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SAÁWIRSA ÄGR GNIS IMMAN WERE SAARD ÄTIVS QVA VRREDE BI KA ŽIAND. PADA AND TO PADA WES. VMBS VSÆ ŽLEBURGA TO NA KA ÏSŽÁN ÄSS NACÁTIS ÄGR IN TO QUUPA ÄAM WERE ALVENA WROCÁT UT ŽINDAS BLOD. ÁIMSKOLDS MAN MOTA BARNA. ÄASTIVRAR SKOLDON SIN MAM AND AVSINASIBBA NOI SN ŽER GLAND MOTA BRANA.

AND LER SIN ASK YORSTUVA TILLIUP LIR NEN IS NINIOS KRUDON FON-WAXA NO MWOS IN YAMAN MOTON INN SIN NAM UT SPEIN INVE AL VSATILLIUNEN BARN SIN NAM NE KREIS AND IN ALDA LIN MUGE VRWER Pr. merrenementententen OPLOCK WAS VETIGEN. MENNED WASKYM IN ANSIN STED. NW WEFON LER TREMA NNISKA TER IK IN BUDA KERIN STELON to "ASYNDERGANS GINKERA . TA KIA WRDON ALLETAT. NW OVA TINE EROSTA TO AND BROCKT TENE TIAT BY TASKELTS. TATAMAN RERVE KARTANDS SEIDONALLSEWEIS LATIDENLEDS NEI TARIUCKT. TI OFA NAM LINI TINY TAT KERIN OF AND LETIM FORT MITTREED. TA YAMNA SEIDON. LI LET WEL DEN. MIN SI TREDDE EINLER AVA NEI KA RINKSIN LUS RA. ASSP NVV GACK LONED KER SINSETTL VPSTALT LEDE. TA OVA LI TO.BAK ANDKERDEWITSF. MITEN WEINTEL NEWARELTUM BER LINEDMITTON REFELERD OF DRIWS. YRANS FAMNA LEDON BY AIM OM. -ME WARATAND SIN DED ANDAT EVGEBOK SKREVEN DAKWILE LIA. ALSINA LEKA UT PACT LEDY. LIU EPE MODER WASSITSEID ANDLIU LETST KUNDICK DVA TRYCK TATELS LAND. anaaataaa

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WPDEN MOSTEMIÄSON OM. ÄEFBI WIL DON KIN ÄNT KINKA SKRIFT VNLESBER SHOL WESN FAR ORN FOLKUM. KWNNDKIN KAVAÄ ALTID KEMNESN. ÄUS TODVANDE SIND KIA KERDE FONNWIS RAKAÄ. ÄER. METN ÄNTÄN BÄRN ÄN SKRIFTUN ÄINRAR ALDRUM AM. PER LESN EN MUCIN. DAKWILE WIN VSN ALDER ALDESTN SKRIFTUN EVIN RED LESN MUCIE AS ÄERN ÄER IESTER SKREVEN SIND. ÁIR IS ÄNTSTANDSKRIFT. ÄER VNDERÄNT RUN SKRIFT. FORÄ ÄNTAL NOMAR A BYDER WESA



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AKÄA YISLOM AND KEURENS YONT ENM INDS ALONT STORS SNOSTAL LALL. TO ISNSTUR AN DENAMARKA AND ANT INTTAR. LAND LEDON WITCHPLANTIAM MITEN BURGE TAM. DANA WONON WI KAPER AND ISER. BI-IVNKA TAR PAK AND SVMA OR BILOY TOIENST VF VS FORM ELICH WESTLIND TER LEDON WI BITTANIA MIL SINATINILANA. BEITTANIA KAT WAS BAT LAND TORA BANNA LIAA TORA MITAULPS KINFAF BURCKTAM WEIBRIT WER LON UMBE KIRA LITTO BIKALDANA. TACK FOR TAT LIA NAVTTOBAK KVMA NE SKOLDE. WAFF IR GROST EN B TO MARA LINKA STAR PRIKED. TA BANA MIT RADE BLOD FARVE AND TABRA MISDEDAR MIR BLAWS FARVE. BUTA AND BIKALVA KEDON VSA STIURAF AND KAP-LIVD MENI LOGE ANDA AGIND KREKE LAM DA ANDTOLIDIA.INVE LIDIA TER SIND TASWARTA MINNISKA.a.a.a.a.a.a.a.a.a. LA VS LANDSA FUM ANDORAT WEET LEDON WITELO ASONDERGANA NAMON. KERA KAM SATON BILSTEN IN DENE MAFFA WEDON IUTTAF KETEN. UT KAVEDE KIA TOM ET NAVT OWERS NEDEDONAS BARN STENBUTA LAIA LAMZER SATON VPPA ELANDA WEDONLET NE LETEN BRUCK DAM LIA MESTAL VELETIN LEVADON. ALLESTRAND AND SKORKEMAR YONA DENE MARKA ALONT KERE SANDIAL. NWSKILDA. WPDON STIUPAP\_SEKAMPAR AND MAZLAPA LETON. MAZLAPA SALETON MANTOFORA TABUTE-FISKAR VMBE TAP LIA ALANMIK AREL ISTER KOLKIBKTON

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AND MINMER MEN NETUM. JERN JER JANN TIL TA LEINDA KREKA-LANDA SATON WEDUN BLAT KAD LEMAR LETON TRUCK TAM LIANW--MSPKS ME BUTA YORON. KERN KER IN DA KKIN MARKA SLITON LER ANNATWIK LANDA PALON WEDON SAXMANNA LETON. UT LAWSDE LIA BAMSE WERNED WERON VE TAT WILDS KWIK AND VRWILDARDA BRITNS. TOP TO BOPPA LEDON WITTA NOMA LAND SATON MARSATA AND LOUT ISATA WOD. SATA . ... LO APOSTID KOM .... LEU ZINS SUMSP WAS SVANS ATTSPE WODKUM SKOUEN AS WILDE LIA IRTA NAVT MISIA . WIND PESTON IN SINA BUDAR WERKRYCK REK AND STOM LIK SEM BOPPN LUS AND POLON STANDLOFT WARK ALTUS DROV AND DIMME. AND INNA TA LIPTA TERA MANNISKA NAS BLIDSKIP NACK TRUCKO. TOMIDDEN TISEE STILNISE XXN IRAA AN TO BEVANDE LIK AS LIU STAR \_VANDS WERS. BSRUA SPLYTON FON SKROPUM TO SPEINND! FIVE AND LOCKA . OFA SVNK. ON IN LIBA SKAT DEV. AND TER LIV EROST YITLDA LEDS LEINDS LIU BIRGA VPPA-LOLAND. TRYCH TA STIURAR ATLAND X613W SVNK NITTE AND TAT WILD AST STAPTON ALSANAKA WE BIRG AND DELON TAT SLLA VNDSRS SQ BIDVLWSN WSRE. YGLO MANNISKA WEDON IN TRAN BIDOBBEN AND YELD TER 24 YIVE VNKEMSN WEFON KEMON TERNEI INNST WETSE VM. NAVS ALLENA INDA LANDA TINDAS SPEIDON.

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BSPUNTING MEN AK INT TWISK-LAND. WALDA BARNADON LERTRUCK ATTER SKLOR. -UM AND TA WIND DAMA WEILKEM TA WAI -- ADON VSA LANDA TVL NSK- RINSPAMA WEDON VELEID AND BY LIAPA MYDA KEM-ON NOIN ELANDA YON SANDAND DRIVANDS KWIK- TRIU IER WAS IRTA AUSA TOUNDANDS MIN TH LID BETIR WERE MACKIMAN LIPA WADA SIA. YELO LANDA WERO VR SUNKIN ORN UTA SE RESIN AND KAT TWISK-UNND TOTARN-N-KAULDEL VNC - WALT-BANDA YINDA-S-YOUK KEMON TA VETOCIÁN RUMTNE BITARA. VSA WEI-BRITMS WIRDON VRDSLUEN ISTA LIN WROON LINRA LARVIAN. TA WARK WAKANDOM VS DUBBILD BODSN AND TID LERDYS ANT GNDRACAT YSA STARIKSTE BURCK IS. ala. KIT STET INNA WARA BURCH BY TERS ALDS QA -MVDE WRIT - - KIU WARN.BURCK NISNEN YAMNA-BURCK. MEN KOR IN WROON ALLA UTLEMSDE AND YRLANDSSEKA THAN WARAT. TER MIT-BROCKT BINNE TRUCK TA STIURAR LIUIS REI PELA RATUS SN KALFTY SUDWAPD FON MEDGA-SS-BUIK LEGSN. ALSA IS TAT TOR WORD. BERGA NYGAT TINNA KRUNNA WOLKA MUSTRAMA WEN. 188.5KENUAND BLOST. SLAVONA ŁOLKA STAPPAK VPPA KIN KLAT \_O TRIA ~ ~ . ALSA IS THU SKEDNESSE - 100 AND 1 HE NEILAR NUDLUND SUNKIN 15. 46M TOBUCST

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ASTA IN YOLK WEI. TATYOUK WAS VEDREY, - SN TRUCK IN OTHER YOUK: ATTER VS TWISK - LAND KREION LIA TWISPALT. LIA SKITTON LINEA SELVA AN TWAM LAPA SK LER OVA SINSS WEIGISS. YONE GNE DEL NIS NEN TALTO VS NS KEMEN. MEN TAT OPE DEL ATLANTER TO VS SKENLAND. SKENLUNND WAS SUNNICK BITOLKAT. AND ANDA NITTERKAD TATSUNNICKSTS YON AL. RERVABS MACKEDN KINT SVNDSR STRID WRWINNA. AND UTLAW SPS LIN OWERS NON LOT NS DEDON-NO DON WI TERVE NEN OFFICK KA. NW WI KINM KNOW KNOWN LERED. SX WILLAT WI OYIR LIMEN SEDN SKRIW -AL ATTERNER KOLT VS MIT KIMM YOUNGON 15. - TAT FOLK MAS NAVE NEWIND LIK FELD SLACKTA TINDAS MSN GLIK ANDA GOIPTALANDAR. LIN LAUNT PRESTERN LIK TAM-AND NW LIN KARKA LAVI. LK BYLDON. LA PRESTERA SENDITA ENGOSTA LGRA LIA LETON LIAPA SELVA MAKAINEN. LINRA ALLSR OVIRSTE LOT MAGE. At 15 KAVID PRISTIR AND #KINIA MIR EN. ALLST OPS TOLK IS NUL INS SITTER AND GLUIKAND AL VN. DIR LINRA WILD. FAR TOLK NER' NAVT GAIS SH NOMS . TRYCK VS SIND LIN TIMMA LETINAL KWAND ATSKEN LINEA TERSTA ALGADUR DROW AND BUDDICK SSND. TACK SSND KIN

LER ALSA YIN UP LAT WI LERBI ATTER STANS. YORK NE SEND LIN MANT TO BINHDAME. KWAND LIN SIND SLAVONA YON TA PRESTERUM AND ISTA TWI ARGSE FON LIAPA MENIAA. LIA MENAR RAT ELLA TUL KVADA AKSTON IS. TER INDA MANNISKA AND DIABA GLUPPE. MIN YON WELDING AKST NETON LIN NAWST. LIA LAVAR STENT WEPNE. TA MAGINRA KAPRA. TA MAGIRA TELLAT TAT LIA LA DROS OLASTON BANNA AND VRBANNA MWOON. TERYP IST FOLK BUAN IN ARE PESS AND VPPSPA WESA NIS NINMSR NEN BULDSKIP TO BISIAN. \_\_\_ RA LIA GOD SETIN WERON SOCKT\_ ON AN MADINEN WASKIT BI VS. KIN BOONDON VP VSA TAL AND SQDUM. VP VS TIN AND VPPN VSA ISERE WEPNE. KER LIN GERN TOTOPI LINRA GOLDON AND SULVERE SIRKEDUM WANDSLA WILDS. AND LINEA TIOK LILDON LIA IMMSERTS BINNA TA PETON. \_ MIN TAT VESKALKE ON USA WAKENDOM. ACTANTICA IER POPAIR. JUST WERST JOLIERSTS. LER KEMON LIA VNWAPLIAIS LIK SNEI ÄPVA STORNS-WIND DREWSN OVIR VSA LANDA TO PUNNANDS. ZER NAVT TURA MACKT -ON WEDON YEDEN. YEN WARK AN-KROPEN. MENTA SKEN-UNNDAR KEDEN LIRA RED WARLASSD. TA WRDON KRATA SAMUAT. TEI PEUN TON MOON.LIS BURCH WROON LIN WILTER STONDSN. AN OPLOCK BILEV. KKT

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ISTA KATER INNE ALSA LETE LIE TAM TEP BURCK-TAM TO GODA-BURCK WAS. KAT WAS STOLTS AND KACK-YKRANDS REPUMBE NE VET LIW NEN PED NI YOU. LISTAR ANDA MODERNE PROIA - MIN TK TA BURCK-KERA TAT YATA. TA SUND. ON LIA SELVA BODON NEI TEX LAND NEI ROPE MODER TA MINNA AUSA WAS REPS MODERIS NOME LET ALAKA STIUR \_ AR MANIA AND ALIT BASEN TORK TOLK YON KST-YULLAND AND YON TA DENNE --MARKUM. UT TISSI TOCKTS IS TIU SKODNISS YON WODIN BIRN SAF VPPA BURGUM WRITIN IS MOLIR ESKREVIN. -- ANDA ADDER GA MVDE LER PESTE IN ALDS SO-KANIA. STERIK WASSIN NOME AND AN AROP UP SINA DEDA WAS ORATE AISST ALDS FOB LEDS ATE NEVA. WODIN TINS ALDESTS LEMBE TO LUMKA. MAKIN BY TERE 6\_MUDS TO ASTAULLAND BISIN SUDRUM TUS. ENSS WASSE KERMAN WEST. TUNIS AND INKA WERON SEKAMP AND IUST NW BILLIARN TAMERIA ANDA AUDERAK. MYDS TUS. AS TA IOAA KAMPAR NW BI SKEAPUM KEMON KERON LIN WODIN TO LIARA KERMAN ISTA KANIAUT. AND TA SG-KAMPAR KGRON TWNISTO.RA SE-KANIA AND INKA TOLINRA SKILTA BITTER MACKT. LA STIUPAR CIVADA KA NGI KA DENNA\_MARKA TARN. RER NAMON LIA WODIN MITSIN WISHNOW - WKA - LANDWER IN - WIND WAS RUM

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AND ALSA WERON LIA AN EN AMERIA TO SKEN-EAND. JA JA NOPKISKA BROJAR BASELVA BI. M YOUNT LEDE DELDE WODAN SIN WEL. DICK LOR AN TRI WIGH THIR WAS KINRA WETEN LROP AND SK LI BAK-WARD SLOCK. TA FINNA AND MADIARA ASOF ST BARN WERDN. LA ISMS MAAT FORNOM LO SIN LIVO AL OM. BROCKT WEDON. RASAND AI BODON MIR SMIT AND KRONS. LIA SEIDON TO WODIN. O. TV ALPRO OPASTESE TORA KANLAGAR. WISEND SKELDWA TACK AL KWAT WI DON KAVS 15 DT NED DON. IS MENS INT WI IVW BROKAR WILLSABELIK ANTAT LIVE. MEN WISEND TRUCK USA XYANDA FORT FETTERST AND TI ALLS SSND VS ISTA VPPA LAKKA. WILLANAR OFTEN LELPS AN KINPE BURCK-YKM YREINK. MENKIN NER VS NAVONS MELD. ISNS MAAH SEIR SA KWSFSA WI SKKOPUM TOKA KAUTS VRDVA SK SKILUN KA WILDA SKET KARDAR KEMOW AND VS ALAKDUR VRDVA. JINI MKAHKET YWL PIKDOM. MENLIKET SIAN TAT YPYA WILDIGIR IS AS AL USA CLASTON STSEMIMS AI WIL SIN KRUSD IN KIRA SKAT DEL LEDSA. TV BIST TENS WIGHNOULKSTE KANIA IRTAS TIN YOUK IS FON YSSR WARK USA KANLA AND WIALLA WILLOAR RIN SLAVONA WESA. KWAT SKOLDS TAT GRIPIK TARI WESA ASTS IN WILDA WITSR TOBAK BRIWA KOSTS. VSA STYPA SKOUDST ROND BLESA AND USA MAKRA SKOUDON IV VRAU TARUT TA. WODIN WAS STEPIK WOST AND WIGANDUK MEN LINKS NAYT KLAR

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SIANDS JOR TRUCK WARK I IN KINEA MORA YVAIN AND IRVCK ISNE MARK KRONET - RIU KELO STIUR AR AND LAND WERAR KAM KISSE KEK MANT NE SINDS BRUDON STOLKES LINNE KAT MIR NGMANDS. MIN KAT TOP NAVT TOYARA TORS MODE"NER TOTARA TORE MENA ACKT FOR SKINE NILDE. BOMPADE WE BORD. TA KEM STORMS\_WIND AND KETSPE LA SKEPA YPPA SKOPPA ŁONNA DENS-MARKUM DEL SVNDER SNKEL MAN TO MISTANS. ATTERNEI LAVON LIN IN STRET KATSCIAT KETEN. IA WOULD KRON\_ " 5D WAS OVAZIR VPPA WILDA LOS. TI WERW AL RUTAR. LIK EN KEITLBUIZ KEMONKIA LIN WODINIS LER.MIN LIK IN TWYPNE WIND WINDON LIA OMME AND TURNDON NA WITTE YORSKINA. AS WOON NW TOBAK KEM INV TSEYS MADE LIM SIN TO AKATER TON WIT. ATTENET WARK-I MIK KRUDON BIRSKAD, MEN TER WERON TA-WSP\_KRUDON MON. LWAND WODIN WARK BIOPADUM ALSA SER VRMETIN, KATI YPIN AND WR-ALDAS CLAST MIS-KANA NO SPOTA KURADS. KAKWHLA KI SIN TRIA KALS BOB TOTARA TAUSKA DROCKTEN\_LIKANOS BYLDUM. SIN PIK KINDS SIVOUN IER TA VRDWINDSR. TINS MACH SCIDE TATISR SMOR LINEA GODON VENIMIA WEEK. AND TAT LI YON TOP OVER LIAM WELDA. MEN US YOUK UNKTON VMBS SINTAU. IN WODIN IN STOT WEI WEST LEDS KEM TOR TWISPAUT IN WILDON IN ORA. KANIA KAASA. MEN TAT NIUDE KENE MAADE

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NAVENS LINGIA - LI WEFDS LATST SN RSUCKT WERG. LIM TRUCK SINA DROCKTNS TEVSN. BUTA AND BILANLYA ZISSA TWIST-SAWAS TOR ISSEEN SMOR SINMADIA BY AND HNNN. KOR YMN NSP WODIN EPA NAVE MINDE. MEN TIMAGE DEDE AST IM SINDS KWAND SIN TOOKATSR LGDE SN SVN BI WOOIN WWW. AND NW WILDS KIM MAAIT TAT TISSS YON SN LAGS KOMOT MIGSA SKOLDS. KAKWILA ALLE SAWADS AND TWISTA. KRONADS ÁI ÄSNS KNAP TO KANIA AND STAUADS LIN 5565 AS YOUSD AND YOPA-MOND ISTAN REDIEVAR MN. KERN KER MKKE KILDON YON KINEN BAUG AS FON TAT PILICAT. TAM VETON KINI BIDOBBA M SN TA GODA BRUDON WEL. YELD MARIARA YLODON MER. LINEA LIVER BAKWARD. AND TA STIUPAR AVAON TO SKIP AND EN LOR YON DRISTA YINNA OVACH AS ROIAR MIXX. NW KUMAR RASKEDNESS YON NET - TUNIS AND SIN NET INKN GROST PIUCKT VPPST PAT. RITSLUX STGT NAVTAGUGNA YPPSR WARA-BURCH MIN RE TO KERT BURCH STAVIA RER IS UIDS ON ATTERS LAW YON STAVES, \_ INTUNIS MIR SINUM SKEPUM TOLONK KERM WILDS OVALTST YOR MA VPPA DGNNS-MARKA OF MIN KI NE MACKT ROR NAVT NS UNNON . RAT AGDS LIW MODER BISIOWAR.

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NOKTUNIS FOR ALLIAGEN TOR KAD ALTRES & Liv PORTS RERS MIDDSLESE TA ASLAND SVAKSN IS WAS T. INNA MIDDEL SE PA OWERA AK ARO TO OVAEN. KERKENCK WERON KER YELD MANNISKA ŁUN-T-ŁINDAS-LAND NGI YSA LEINDE AND YORE KROKA-LANDA KVMIN. ANDAK YEVO YON LIDA- KIS LAND. KERMIN WERON AK FELO FON VS FOLK NET LYDAS LAND GURON. TAT SILA LODS WROCKT TAT TA LIBNUS AND YORS KREKALANDA YAR TAT WILD TERS MODER WRLERIN WAS. REP LEDS TUNIS UP REKNED TERVMBS WILDS LI KER SN GODS LAVS KINSA AND LON TOR UT TARA PIKEN TURSTANTARA. MIN TRUCKDAM SINS TUKTS AND SIN YOLK SA WANKAYTH UTSAGON. MENDON AN KAD-LEMAR ANT LIN PAWERN WERON, AND LORVINBS WEDON LIA VEAL WERAK. IN TO'TA LESTA KEMON LIN AN TO PLON -15IVS KAD. TAT WERS 100AND 93 IER MEI ATLAND SYNKEN IS. NOI BI KERE ICAD TUND ON LIA IN ELAND MIT TWATH DIAPA SLINKA ALSAI AS TRIV GLANDA WESACK. VPPST MID. LUDSTS TORM STALDON LTA LINEA SKULA VE AFTS RAMI BYWADON LIN JER SA BURCKWAL OMTO. ASKIN TER AN NEW 3N NOME IEVA WILDS, WROON LIA VNGMS. SVMS WILDS ARYNS BURCK LEM. ORN NELTUNIA, MIN TA MAGIARA AND TA YINNA BADON AAT SKOUDS THRIKIS\_BURCK KGTE. THE NUSA LETON LIN EN LINPAR DROCKTSMA AND VPPA KAMIS IGRDGI WGRON LIA KER

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KIRT WEI TRIVWINDNS LIK VSA STÜDRAR LETTR DEN LAVE. ILA LIA WEL SETON WERON ILA WAN. DILDON LIARA PARLIUDA SKENT KAPRI WEPMI THE ALLEPLOIN SYNKEDOW TO INFA USA VSERE WEPNE AND WILDE DIAPA KUDA, WEPYON IN VSA SUDSP\_LANDA TELO TO BIKVMA WEFON. MIN LA GOLD YFRADON ALLIFRAMA WUN DPOCESN WIKA YERSTA AND TO TIMNOS TA KADLEMAR TERA TRUCK TODVAN LIARAR LOPIAN MANGLERTHS AND TASWET LED FON KINPA FININNIAS WIN. WAS FOR LWA AW VS-YOLK TEPST NISA ARD VEBRUDLEDS THE SIN LIT IN TRESS KEM TAN LONADON KA GOLA KIM KUL AND SKUL AND FORADON KIM NEI PRONISIA. TATIS PALM. LAND. WAS AL TER SETSN TAN MOSTI ANSINA SIBBA AND FRIANDA AND LAR SKRIWA TAREST LAND SÁ GOD WERS AND TA MANNISKA SÁ LUK. LIK AS NINMAN LIN SSLYA MOCKT FOR BYLDS. A BRITTANIA WERON RIU FEED MANNA KA LIK WIVA. TA TA GOLA AAT WISTON- LETON LIA ALWEIS MANGLERTNS SKAKA AND ISSSA INVON LIA TA BRITHS VMB NAWST. KACK AL KISSA MANUAGRANS WERON KINRA KINNSTERUM KER IN BERN YON WEALDA STOLON WANBAR AN LIARA MUSKE DROCKTAS TO IGVANS - - - --LINW WILLAT WI SKEIWA VR TA OPLOCK TEPA BURCK-YKMNA KAUTA AND'MIN- ERVA AND KO WI TORKRUCK AL VSA SUDER. LANDA AND BRIGIANIA ANDA AOLA UPLERSN LAVS MEL

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BI LERS SUDSK-REN.MVDA AND LERS SKELDA. KER SEND SIUCIUN ALLANDA, NOMAK NEI KRYAS SIVAUN WAKKAMKES KORE WOK. MIDDEL YPPET ENE DILAND IS THU BUPCK-WALLALLANGER. INUT EN WARRUM EGEN 15 Liv tobainNDS. SKEDNISSS WRITSN. Kon BYPPA STET. LES. LEF AND WAK. a. .. 563 IER NEL AUD-LAND SYNKSN IS. SAT LIE IN WITE BURCK-KM . MIN-ERVA WASKIM NOMA. TRUCK TA STIUPAR NY-LSL-LENIA TONGMAR. TIS TONGMA WAS GOD KEPSN. LWAND TA RED TER LIO LENADS WAS SYT AND ASL BUPPA ALLS BASRUM . ~ ONSPA SKILDA STEPS YLK-BURG SAT STRKED. KIUS YAM WAS YVU BINKA. SKEN WAS B. ANKLIK LND KWIK WAS LIMA TVAS MEN TI RED TOR LIV IST WAS IMMER IN LIUSTER WORDE. TORUMBE WART Liv TRUCK TA STIUPAR KALLA LGTSN. TA LANDSATA MENADON TATET SN GR-NOMA WEELS .. INNA UTROSTE WILLE TORZ VESTURYENS MOUSE. STAND ROSA. -MUDA TST YORMA MIN-ERVA TSA TWEDS AND SHELGO TET TRESDOS AS YOURSTERS BISKREYSN. MIN-SPYN NEDS TOP NEN WIT TON, MEN STRAGD WASSR KRUCK KNAKSQ. LIK SN WPLLANDSSKS FORSTINS WILDS KIU GRAK YRGSAK AND BEDSN WESA. MEN MIN-ERVA WILDS INKEL MINT WESA. TO TO LESTA KEMON ALLE STIEPAR KIPY KINKA LEUD BIADA, SELVA YON TA DENA-MARKA AND YONE TURM NE. THE WNDS SYPLED

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AWAND AID WILDS BYPPA MIN-SPVA OCMINAIN ALTIU MANN IN AFKTI TANK OVIR LIPA MIKKEN DUM KANA SKOUDE. MEK KILMEN-NON LOWN VPPSIR YKNS ... IN QUA MIN-SPVA TO AND MYK AND KARDSP- KUND AND SN NACKTUL INVPPIEN YANE. TENS LUND SEIDS LIU WAKE OVIE SIN LOR AND OVIEN KIDDA AND TSNS NACKTUR WAKE OYIRA RELDA TILRIU LIA REVCL TA MUSA NAUT VEDEN NS WEDS. MIN TINE LONA NIT YAWNIMMAN TRIUNDSKIP. AND TRYCK SIN UNTOCKT AND KACK TARSNÁED. 15 ER VAKSN RIME BAND SINBA NGISTA SIBBA WRDSN. AS KAUTA SACK TATER WARK TALIKANT UT KEM. TO AVALIU YON KWAD TO RROSE BTOLKSS LET LIU MAGINEA 10 LIPY KVMA VMBS TAWSPY TO LEPANS. AS LIN TER LIPA NOCKT YON LEDE WERP. TO LICASELVA ANDA DEMA TORA COLUM. KACK YON ALKI MISDEDON NE MACKT LIU NAUT BETRE NE WROS AS LIU SACK THE TASTIORAR MAR AND MAR YON IRI WEKE TA WILDT LIU PA TRUCK TRESS WINNA. WAS IN MONE YOU AND TENS SE VNSTUMER KAN LUIP LIU OVER ET WILDS LEY. KA STIUPAR TO LEOPANUS TAT LIA ALUS SKOUDS VROAN SAKWSRSA KIN KIN NAVT ANBIDDA NILDS . KORR VR BUNDS KID LIPA LOUN LWER TRUCK Lin WETCH YORL UNND AND UNND YORL WETSR KIUDON. KERKRYCK ISMANE

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MIR MAN AND ANDS. UPPET FORMA WER-MERLAND BARRA BIAR SKANKA. IN TAT BIAR LEDE LIU TAWIE BRANK DEN. ASIT YOUK MY ALGADUR DRUNKSN WERS GVA LIU BUPPEN UP LIBA STRIDEOS STANDA, TOLGN MUDS MIR LIFA LOUS TOISMST LIFA SPERL MORNS-PADNS KV NAVT SKENSP. TA XIA SACK TAT ALLS GOON VPPSR TASTICIAN WERON- EPENDS LIULIAN WERN NO KER. SVNUM AND TOUALTRUM PRIAS. I WET WEL TAT WI INNA LIRSTE TED FUL LEK A'ND BRIK LEDIN KAVI. TRYCKDAM TA STICK -AF NAUT LAASE KVMS VMB\_VS SKRILLIUT FO VESSLLA. MEN I NETS MANT KWEEKENCH ST KVMSNIS. LOALAN, IK MI JOR VR IN. KAUDSN TACK NV KANKST NAVT LOASR ON. KARK ASN TRIUNDA TURTO I WETA MUCIS KWERNEL I BITA-MEL. ANDA OPA SIDS RORS SKELDA KWER LIA TOMER TA TERT FON ALLE SEA LAYS TER MAKAT LIA LIVO-DECION SKRILLTIUT YON POMPA-BLEDAR RERMIR SPARAS Lin LINNSNE WE AND KANNT LIN VS WEL MISTE. NOIDAM TAT SKRIK-TILT MARIA. NV ALTI VS CIRATISTS BIDRIV WGST-18- SXXST TIU MODER WILL RATMANIT VS LERA SKOLDS. MEN MINISTUN MET AUST TOUR BILLSXMAT. 155 BILSKNAK TRIUNDA. IVIN AS AL VS HIN TAT LASTEN STUPVEN IS. SPUT MOTITI- IK WILL TILLA. NAS-K. NON

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OVA. AND LEF TO WITTSFIELD RENS PADA-LONE AN STIK. MIN KRUCK SIN SKELTA BLNACKT AND SUME SINFA LIUDUM, WARK LIU FOODIK AND EA YAMNA KRST. EACK SPEKED IS YEA KAUTA NE MOCKPON KIN NOVT TOTATANS. LIU KUNDE VEPA UTFOSTE TINNE. INKWEDER TOCKTE KAT KIU INNA LOGKA DM KVMA MOSTE. TA KWAT BERDE. DAKWILE AL KIRA LIUDA STAK AND STILL YON SKRIK STANDON KEM LIU SKENER AS A TOTORA VP LIFA KUIP. PAR TO LEOPANDS NOI KALTA MINIAIS. TA STRAMADA TAT OBA SKELDA TOLKTO KAPA. AS TA STIUPA TAT SLOON LRIPON LIA ZAR MINSPUN WH. EN OFLOCK IS TERUT KUMEN. LWGF FRYCH RUSANDS FAULINSSAU. UNDSIR TISSI TIDON WAS FOSA\_MOND TATIS FOSA\_ -MYDA. MODER. LIU LEDE TWO INKERS MINNS DGN. VMBE TREKO TO WARIA. KACK NW-T ADSA ARG KEM MYK LIU KIRTE METS. BISTONDA SANDLIU BODUN TRUCK TA LAND-PABA AND LET IN MENA NEDBAN UTKERA. TH KEMON FALLAND WERAR UT ALLE WEDA WEL. TACSTRIDANDE LAND. YOUR WARK AN INT. MENION BURCH LIN SILVA MIX SIN LIUD VPPA SINA FLAGE. MIR NAMAND BEDA RA YODDIKA . BIJONKA MINSRYA AND RAKAMAN YON BEDAR BURG. -UM. KELPPIK TENE LERMAN LETIM IN-BANNA. MEN TAKWILA ALLE WERAR INN arn skildn weron for ion tober . Mei P. HEMARAND FORT WITTER NEI YEA X-LANDUM. SIN LÌUO AND TELO TON VS TOLK

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THE KAT DUMNATOLK YON WE OF KERAD. AND TO RALESTA FRON LINVS TO LIT. MEN WILLEDON VSA STENE BURCHWAY MIR TWAM LORNUM OMTEIEN ALTO LA SE. LIA NO MACATON US TER YMBS NAVTNÁKA. TACK AWAT BERDS. AN ECIPTATIANDA RERWERS SNOVERPRSSTER. LEVION AG. -NUM KLAR FON BRIN AND LICKT FON CAST. SINNAM WERS SEKROPS. AT KEM VMB RED TO IEVANS. ASSEKPOPS SACK TATER MITSINUM LIVDA VSA WAL NAVT BIRUNNANE KY. TASANDÁI BOD ON NGI TAR- LIS. NATSPNGI KGMONSR RPIUL KUNDPED SHIPUN YVL SALT-ARA YON TON TON WILDS BERCHTOLKUM UNWAR LIAN USA KAVA BIŁARA DAKWIUA WY MIT ALLEMANNUN VPPA WALLUM TO STRYDANDE WEROW. DREI AS LIA Tiv LAVA INNOME LEDS WILDON EN WIL DA SALT-ARA RAPROKP AND VSASKIR A BIRAWA ENSAUTATE LEDE ALSN BUKINSKAND.MSNSEKROPSNILDE TAT MAYTAS LARIA - AND TA KERIAR STIUPAR TER ISTA FRYASBLODINT UT LEDE SEIDON ASTE TAT DEISTS SLSKILUN WITH RADE LONE IN USA SKIPA STEKA AND TVNE SKIEST LINA BERGANA WITTER ASIA. SE\_ KROPS KAM NUMBAS KILDS NITON MORTIN NOR FON LOMMELIN SAND BODONNEI GERT VMBIR TA BURCK OFTO ASKIA. LIVMACKTS FRIA UT\_

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LADARA LERWAS IN TAM SETEN KIRA NOMS WERE KAT TA INNA WANDE U WRDE LIU KALLIP LETEN UT LAWEDE KAT LIARA VNDER LIP ASEN UTKIKBORED TARUTSTAK. RERBI AS RER IERON KWILK TO ARGENISSE YON AL TAMET WISTON. NEI TERNYAMAN LROP LETTO LESTA EN YODDIK YON KIR KREIEN. AN KIU KIT IM NAVT NE BAT. LWAND ASER IN SE KEM ISSIN SKIP VROVAON AND LY NAKED AND BLAT VPNIME TRUCK EN OKERA SKEPA. AAAAAAAAAAA. YON RISSE KENIA IS LYR EN SKRYVER ATTER BILEWIN YON FEN TRANS BLOD BARN TO KERS NEIL ANYE YON ARENIA AND LWAT LIFE YOUGAT LETER YS YON OVIR ATEMIN ESKREVEN. TERUT MEI MAN BESLUTA. LOWER LIUMODS R LELLICAT SPROKEN LET TA LIUSEIDE TAT YRIAS SEDA TO LATENIA NEW STAND LOUDE NE KUSTE. Laaaaaaaa YON TA OTERA KREKA-LANDS F LETSTE SEKUR YOU KWAD OVIR SEKROPS LERID KWAND LI WERE IN NEN GODE KROP. MIN IN DAR SECTE AT WEREN LICATE MAN AKCALIK ROMED ALSA SER BITA INTENAR AS WEE BIVS. KWAND KI WERE NAVE VM BY LAMANNISKA TO DIAPANA SA TA GRA PRESTERN. MEN LI WERE DUGEDSEM ANDAI WIST AN WISDOM TERN YER LEMANDA FOLKUM NEI WERDS TO SKATANDS. TERVINBS TATSE TAT

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LIAPA KUNNA TOSPOT ... KEMON VSA 6N-YALDA ALDERA TO ATGNIA VPPA TORE MON A ACKT AND WILDON LIA TERVE BLES SAWART TER LROPSN LARK-LARK TER SKILEN SEMOMMA KETA. ALSA 15 ARENIA WEDSW ENK SN BROKLAND ANDA LOTE LANDA. FOL BLOD SUGAR POGGA AND YENINIAN SNAKA. LWER IN NEN MANNISK FON ÁSRDS SEDUM SIN YOT NAVT WHAN NE MEI. -- --KITSTATIN ALVSABURGA. - - - -LO VSA DONA MARKATARANS VRLEREN UVAON. . . . . . . . I 600 XND Z 16 F NG 1 ALD LAND VRUVAONIS. .... TRVCK WODINS DOR AND DERTENKED WAS RENE MAGY BAS WRDSN OVIR SKEN LANDIS MOTOR DEL. WRABSROA AND WRNSE NE TURADS LI NAVTNE KVMA. ŽIU MODER NILDET NAVT WERKA. LIA SPREK ANDE KET IKSIN NENTRESS ANSINAWEPNS MENWIL VM BE TA SKEN LANDER WER TONIMM. ANDS TRUCK DAM LIA BASTERED AND VRDEREN SIND. VPPA MENA ACKT TOCK TE MAN ALEN. TERVINBE IST IM LETEN. ORAT 100 IER LEDIN BIIONDON AN DENT MARKAR TOWANDSLIA MILL LIAM. LIA ISVON LIAM ISSES WEENS AND REDSEIP TER WADELDON LIN GOLDEN SPRLEDON BITUNKA KAPER AND ISER IRAA. KIU MOD FR SAND BODON AND REDER LIA SKOLDS TIO WANDEL ŁARA LETA. JER WEFE trass saids hiw tori Linka sedum

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WE TOT LANDUT AND VEED ELIVANDS VE PSP SETSU. INSTEDS FON AN OWERN TO BIWKKANDS SPANDON LIA LIARA LORSA YAR KINRA TOQUM AND RUNON NEI SKEN LAND TA. TASKEN VANDER TAM NEY WERON NEI TAT LAND LINEAR ETLA KEMONNEI ÄN DENS MARKUM. YPPSN LELLE NACKT KEMON LIN ALLA NW 561 DON LIA TAT LIA RIUCKT LEDS VPPST LAND LINEAR ELLON AND TAKWIL THE MAN LERVE KAMPADE KEMON LA FINNA IN IN LETOON KOPPN AND PUNNDON MIS IN BERN EWEL. TERTRUCK AND TATKIN NEN GODA WEPNS NAVT NEDON DED LIAM TAKASS VELIASA AND TERMEN LIARI FRIDOM KWAND RINS MAGE TRIAS TEX NAVENT LESDE AND LIKA REDIEVIAN WARLASD LEDS. - - -TER SIND SUMS TER MENS INT LIA TRUCK TA GREVA VEREDEN SEND. FAT KATAMMA TAT LOA SPERAT LEDON. RASAKVAM SAKER VR KEKA WILDS TAMIS MULL WIRDON TOSNOFAT MIT GOLDEN KEDNE. WINEMUCON TERVENEN OPDEL TO FILLANDS. MIN WILLLAR TO SOKPOPA. NE LEN NWS TOSEFE VPPA WISDOM AND DUCKD.MS YON IVWA FORSTA NIFON IVWA KAMNAS. KWAND SKELIT KALDA SK Mª ALLE RA MANNALIK WAKA OVIP SIN AINA M TOCKTA. AND FORIT MEM KEUD-AS

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TWA IER NEIDAM FEM TENE MAGY SELVA MITEN YLLTE YON LICKTE KKNUM IN MODER FON TEXLAND AND TA FODDIK TO PAWANA. TAS APOS SEKS BISTONDER TESMACKTIS ANDA WINTER BI STORNE THOUM AS WIND QUIDE AND LOIST TA ANDERNA YETERS. ZIUTKIK TERMENDE TATER AWET LERDE STAK SIN BALLE UP. TA DREI ASST LIUCKT YONER TOPS VPPST ROMD DEL DIL TALDI SAR KAT AL TELO WEPENDI MANNA WEA BURCKWAL WEFON, NW OVASRTO WABSEAN KLOKKS TO LETTANS ZA ST WERS TOLET. ER KNWERS RED WERS WERONAL TWA TUSAND INA WER VMBS TA POPTE TOPAMMANDE STRID KWILDE LERVAN BE KIRT KWAND TRUCKDAM TA WERINAUT NEN GODE WACKT LAUDENN - EDIN KEMONALLE OM. - - - - - - -LWIL TAT ALPEK DROKTO KAMPANE WORS WAS TEREN WILL TIN TO TERS FLETS istan bedrum tonters moder indupt. AND WILDS LIA NEDGIA. TA LIU MODER WERDIM OF KATER BIKWARD TOIGNST RAWACK STRUMPELDE. The WITER VPM BENWERS STEKER SIN SWEED TOIR BUKIN- SEGANDE, NIEST MIN KUL NAVY SA SKILST MIN SWERD & AA.~ ATTER IM KEM EN ENERIPER YOUR DENEMAR AN XISSI WAM SIN SWEED AND KILXINS FIN TRUCK SINA KOLE. REPUTTLAT SWART BLQD AND KERVE SWEEDS.N BLAWS LOGAR. RIMAGILLET RIUMOUSR VPA

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- A BOSMA TERA KLOKE MANNISKA. ALSA LIX CODE SEDUM LER BELLEID WEDE IN LINEA SKAT. - . ISTA RUSSNDIGE SKIL KIUSPE KE REN DEL NYAN AND AL MARA SYAA ANDA LIUSTERNISSE AND IN BLOD\_OVIR LI UT-STIRK KRUCK KALKAA KER YOSTA AND PRES TERN. TERNEI SKILTET MORNERAD WITTER ANTARA TO QUORA. TIT SIANDE SKILUNTAN TALSKA TORSTA AND PRESTER ALSAMIN WIT FRIDOM KAMPA AND WOXSLIA\_MSN FFIDOM\_LIATOS AND ENDRACKT SKILET FOLK IN KINRA WACK NEMA ANDMIR RITIOU FISH WAY WUN POL. ANT LIUCKT ANT SPOST NO LUCAN GLORADE SKILKAN YON LEINE LAIN TON LOOKA WERKA. KAT BLOD TORA APOUM SKILOVIP KIN LIT STRAMA MIN TO NE MUDITET NAVITO TI NEMA -- TO TALESTA SKIL TAT TENINIGE KWIK REF UP ASA AND REPOTSEEVA. --- ALLE WILD SKEDNISE KAM ŁOSUNNEN SEND YMBE IN YORSTA AND PRESTERA TO BOOM SKILUN AN LOOKA OFRED WERTA. PORKSKILUN AL KINFA BERN MIKTERGKO LOVALLY YINDUTSPREKEN YEDE SEC YIN DEL. - MEN REMEMBAR FAM LIN NAVT WELTORSTAN LEDE. - KRET. IK KANTITRE - IST ISTAIK BAS SKILDS WERTA OVER ALLS LAND -A AND YOLKEN FRANS ANDNW KASTS TO SA OTER SPROKEN. . FRANA RIUCKTE KIRI WITTER\_SACKIM STAR AN AND KETTE ... ER SIVAUN ETMELDE OM SEND, SKIL

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KIN SELE MIKA NACKTEWOWN TORA GRAWA OMME WARA AND RINGIN SKILLEDSA VPVA BODEM FONDSE. L. ELWELSEIDERSNEM KAY MIK VEBORGNE WODIN. SEG MENKATIK KVME YORK SCIDER TO EXNST GN SINAR PAKKAFUM WERP LAT WILL VESKIPFES BORD. ~ ~ ~ ~ -ALTUS WERET ENDE YOURS LESTE TERM MODERUM. WREKE WILLAT WITERVE NAVT NE KROPA RAM SKILTED NIMA. MIN RUSAND WARA RUSAND MEL WILLA T WI FRIA ATTERNEI KROPA WAK WAK WAK. ---- LOT TINE MAGE FORT VEGVAONIS. ----NEIKAT KA MODSE YEDEN WAS-LETER KA MANA TOODIK AND TATAMNA TO SINA SKIPTOBREAN BLIUNKA ALUS IN BOLD' KERIM LIKTS . LOPK AVASE KAT FERMAR VP KWAND LI WILDS IN FAM FONMEDEAS.BUK ISTANDA STAVORA OABÍA AND TAMTO MODER MAKIA. TA TER WERON LIN UPLINEA LODUM BROCK. RASTIURNE FONSTAVORA AND YON AND AUDERAN LEDON LINI GERN TO IONIS TOOSN MENTA ARATE LLATE WERE UP PIN YORS TOCKTUS. NWAVAON KINTO AND FORON MIX LIFA CITTIAS PLATS NEI MEDENSBUK AND KUDON KINSKU AKTSF KAT LI KEFABAMUN. KI MACIY NA KADS MEDENSBUIK BILLELE DEL AND SINALIUDA DRISTWEI VPPERE BURCK TORUNANDS. MEN AS ALLST FOLK MIRKA BOTUM LAND WAS - KEMON VSA STIUPAR

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UTERE KEEKE WEI AND SKATOW LIARA PILA MIK TARBARNTIN BOLLUM VPSINRA FLATS LIA WERON ALSA WEL PIUCKT TATIELO SINRA SKEPUN BISTONDA MNNA BROND WGRON. INN VPPA SKGPUN WACKTON SKATONAKNEI VS TA TACK TAT NE ROINDS NAWET. ... ASSETOLSSEA IN SKIP ALBARNANDE NEIT SKIP TES MAOF DRIT BITCLER SIN SKIPER LI SKOLMOT-LADS MENTING SKIPSR TAT WERE TENS DENEMARKER KERKENE FIN FELAD KEDS ANDERS TVASST VSE ERE MODER NEI RABODEM FONA SE SUNDEN TOMELDAN DE KATSTE KVMA SKOLDE TITSKOSTE TRVCK TA PROKLED WIL VRISTER\_NW WILLK NIVDA TATSTE TIN WORD ISCAT. AI MACH WILDIM OFWERN MIN TINI SKIPIR IN ATTS TRIAS AND STEPIK LIKEN IOK-OXT KLIPADS BEDA SINUM LANDA OM SIN KOLE AND LIF KINI VRBORD INTO KAT WALLAN OT LET YORK LESSE SIN BRUNG SKILD AN TOP AND FOR RIUCK TO RIUCKT AN NELVST IBATS. REP KAVCH KEMON KATAMA VN FORLSTTO US MENÁN FODDEK WAS UT OVADN ANDNIMMAN WISTS LOT KEM - SN WAS. IA KA VPPA UN TORDSN SKEPA LORADON TAT TINS MACH VADRUNKSN WAS BRUDS LIA LINNS LWAND LA STIURAR TERM MEST DENNEMARKAR WERDN. ~ NOI LATEN FLATS FOR ENOCH SWEI WERS WENDON VSA STIURAR AND SKATON LINRA BARN PILLA VEPATA FINNA DEL

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TA TA FINNA TOS SACION LO LIA VERGOEN WERON LUP AURIK TRUCK VIR SKKORUM AND TOR NORE LOASE NEN LERICK LEDNI BOD. a POTISES STONDS FUNTAMERS LIU BYTTERS BUPCH . LAM NAVT NE FLIUCHTE WEREN FMAK -AD-AND REP HINCKTS FUND SIN SNOE IN TO KA POLUM FONST KRILLASE WALD. . NEISKRIFT. . . . TX TA STIUPARANDA KREKT LEION. WAS TERSN SPOTTER YONUT STAVORAMANK RER SEIDE MEDEN MEI LAKKAA SAWI LIPUTLIRA BURCH REDA. REFUMB LAVON TATAMANA TIU KREKE ME DON MEI UNKKIN LETSN. ... IN BEFTNIS SA RER ATTERNEI SKED SEND MEI ALRA-MANNAGIK KERIA. KA FAMNA KARON RAM NEI LINFA WESA TO TELLA AND WEL BISKRI VE LETA. REFVMBS REKSNINK WILLIAMIKA VSA ARBED TULBROCKT & SLD MONTONT BOK. MINNOM IS ADELBROST SUN FON APOL AND YONADELA. RRYCK MIN YOLKBEN IK KEREN TO GREVSTMAN OVIRA LINDA WRDA, TER LYMBS WILLK AIT BOK YORYOLGIA VPALSA DENIERA WISH AS MINE MEM SPROKIN LET. -- NEITATNE MAAR TELT WAS NO FRIASBURCK VPSTSL BROCKT MOSTER SN MODER KEREM WERTAL BIRA LEVA NEDS TIU MODER LIBA TOLUSTERI MANT NOME LIBA LSRSTS WILLSWAS BOK AND NARMS TOXINDNS. SIVOUN MONNAN AMER WIRT LER ENMENACHT BILIDSIN AND WIL TO GRENEAL UT EPSEKT KAT ANNA SAX \_ ANNA MARKA PALÃ. MIN MEM WERÂ

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KERIN MIM LÜNILDE NEN MODER WESA. LIULEDE LET LITE MINNETAT LEED TER TRUCK LEDON LIA EKKOPUM LIAŁ KPEIEN AND NW WILDON LINKE GADAR WIFTH. \_ YELON WILDON MIN MEM YONER BI - SUUT OF BEERA. MIN MIN MEM SEIDS . SN ERS. MODER ACKT AUSA PEN IN FA MOD TO WESKNS AS LIU BUTA BUIKE IN EVIN MILD TAR ALLIAMA BERN. NEIDAM IK APOL NW LYNT LAV BOPPA FULL IN VVR AUDA SANE KANIK SANE MODER WAYT NESA. SASPREKAND KER ADELA\_MENTA OFA BURCK YAMNA WILDON ALGADER MOD - FR WESM ... NURER STAT TOA FORI SINERA NINE TAM AND NILDE NAUT TYPA ... TER KRUCK NISER NENE KEREN. AND KER RIK RUS BANDLAS. AFF STER MWAIT BI CIPIPPA. L. LIVD GERT KAM KENIA KER LEMES DE ON TALLENIS WAS BIKERS MODIFIS LEVA KERIN BIKBER TRVCK ALLS STARA MIT LIMEDS AND TRIVW. ~~ LIK WERE SIN TOPN VMBE VPPINEK GEATE LOT TO DOK LEM TO LEMANDE AND BIRGES MODERIS LEVA WEDIM RER GRATS OF BIWESEN KWAND ET WERE IMMER SA FUL MIKBODON AND RIDDARUM YON KEIN. -DI AND TIFE ASMA TOTORA NA NEDISIAN. TACK NW WERER ENSEM AND VELETSM. KWAND ALPEK WERE ARE TATER LIM MAS ISE SKOUDE MAKEN BOPPA LET FINCLT AND WILDA E. LIK TA SLAVONA KENIRGAR. ILK YORST WANDEFORK KATER SNOCK DEDS

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ASTR WAKADE OVER SIN DIN STAT. AND THEN NE IST NAWST TA ANTA OFFRA. METERA BURCK KAMAN QUART ISTA ARGERTO. ALPEK TISEN BOONDS VPPIEN LINE WISDOM LND SALWERSA KA GREVSTMANNA AWST DE DON BUTA LIAM SKWROCKFONLIA MISTRYWA BITWISKA TAM AND STNUMLINDUM. ---SKEDSR EN SEKS TER YELON STATA TROTAM LEDE MAN LIURED ENER YAM INWNNEN SA KEKON ALLS BÄSRA KAT LIUSPROKSN LEDS TO YORE HOW LIPA LINE STAT. TRUCK ALRES DON NERA ROUKA BROCKTON LIA TWISPAUT IN OVERA STARA AND TORENDON LIA LAT BAND SADENS YON EN KATSTYOLK YON KA ENNS STAT NUTICA WERE UPPET FOLK YONEN ORA STAT AND YARST AUDSRAMINISTA LIK YER LLEMANDE BISKAWADE. ... TIV YERT KERK IS WEST TAT TA CLOVA ISTAN TROWING VS AUST LAND OF WANSA LANSNALONT REPS SKELDA AND TI MACH AUTO TERE WRSARA ... LOP TERBITOGNAEN IS AST MIN MIM NATUER OWERS NAS RIT BOK NAVTSKREVEN NEWRDEN. MISKEN IKAUUS KAPE VRLEREN LAV RATSTSKIL LELPA RA BATA. IKNS SKR \_ PW TUS NAUT INNA WAN TSTIK TERTRYCH TITLLND SKILWINNA ISTÄA BILANDANS. TATIS MINRA ACÁTNE VNDVALIK ... IKSKR IN ALLENA TARGE ATTERKUMANDE SLACÁT CIL RIU LIA AVANDUR WETA MUAS VP AV DENA WISA WI VELEREN AVAE AND IN ALPAMANNALIK ÁTPUT LERA MEI! KATELK KWAD SIN GEIN TELAK. and

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MILES MAN APOLILANIA LETEN TWIN TRITICA DEGIN NEI MAM KIRN DAD AST MAN ADSLBROST MIN BROKER VRSLEISN FONDEN, UPPA WARY. SIN KAWED SPLIT AND SINA LIKNS UTEN KRETEN MIN TATREP SINK LEIDE 19 YON SKRIK VESTUR LVEN. THIS APOL MINIUMERE BROTER FONLIF NEI TERE WEST. SYDE FON SKEN LAND TAFEN. REP LERSE EN BURCH E-BUWAD LINDAS BURCH AGTEN. VMBE DANA TO WREKANE VS LEX.VYEALDA ASTIM RERTO YELD IERA LENAD. AT LEX TIX SUNA WINNEN. ALTAM BREA. - CIAT TENE MACIN SKRIK AND MIN BROKIP CIOMA. HITER MAM AND BROKERIS DAD SEND KA FROMESTA FONUTA LADUM TO EKKORUM KVMEN. LIN LAVON EN BAND SLOTEN ADELBAND LETEN. TILTIU VS NEN LET WITSE TARA NE SKOLDE LAVAT LIA MY AND ADELAIRT MIN IVASTE BROKER VP -PER BURCH BROCKT. MY BY KATAM. KES AND MIN BROTER BY TA WER. AR. RAIK ARITICA IER WERE AS A MAN MI TO BUPCK. TAM KERSN. AND AN MIN BROKER TITTICK WERE WERE - ER KEREN TO AREVSTMAN. TON MAMIS SIDS WERI MIN BROTSR TENT SEXTE. MEN FON TATKES SIDE KINE TRIDE. NEI RIUCKT MACKTON SINA AFTERKUMANDA TUS NEN OVERA LINDA AKTE LIARA NOMUN NAVTNE

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TORA MEN ALRAMANNA LIK WILDET LAVA TO GRE FON MINA MAM. REF TO BOPPA LET MANN VS AK EN OFSKRIFTE IEV IN YONKST BOK KERN ADELA YOLLISTAR. REFMITA BIN IK TIT BLYDISTI KWAND TRUCK MIN MAM KIRA WISDOM KEM - ST IN VURALDA. ~ IN TAS BURCH LAN IK ISTA OPA SKRIFTA TUNDEN JER NAVE INT BOK NESTAN. AK LOV-SPREKA OVIR MIN MAM. ALZAM WILLE ATTSR SKRIVA. -. THE SEND AN NEI LET. NISHRIATA BRUNNOS TER SKRIWIR WESEN IS TO TISPE BUPCK. anana. ATTER RAT RA ADELA-TOLLISTAR ELLA LEDS LETA OVER SKRYVA ELK IN SIN RIK LOVAT LOVERT WAS INVPRA WAGARUM REPABURGUM BISLOTON LIA EN MOD IF TO KINSANE. TERTO WARK IN MENA ACAT BILGID YP TISRE LEM. ATTER TA YORMS RED ADSUAS WARK TUNTIA BITOLEN. AKSKOLDET SLACKT KAVE TACK NW TREES MIN BURCK TAM TET WORT LAIN LEDE IMMERTS WENICH WEST TAT LIU MODER SKOLDE WERTAN UTER - SEKE TAT LIM LIR VPPER BURCH SAT LWANA MEST ALLE MODERUM KER . IN WERON. TA LIU THY WORD GUND WAS. EPENDE LIU LIRA YALKA WERA ANDS KER. I ALLS SKINK ARG TO LETTANE AN ADELAS RED. TA KAT NESKIL TERVMBS MIN MYLN. WAVE NS SLUTA NEP SNARA - LWA TACK

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IS ADELA AND ÁWANA KVMTET WEI TATSTER SOKKE ANDE LOVE TO SWIKE. LIK IK LIUDDEAN IS LIV TOTARN LIK BURCK-tam WEST. In Is LIU JERVM BE WISSE ISTA BETES ASIK ANDAL LE ORERA ISETA IS LIU MAR STELET VPPVSA SED AND PLECIUM. KWERI BATETIAL SA SKOLDE LIU WEL MOD IF WADEN WESN IN LOTER TO KER SNIS. MENNEAN LIU WILDE RED IF ENNEN BOSTA LA MILANUL TOI AND NOCKTA REFER ANIBONDEN SIND INSTED YON ENSUM YARDVIR LIAM ANDET FOLK TO WAKANE. ~ LIUIS EL KLARSINNDE GOD MEN MIN ADNE NESEND YER YON VR - KIUSTRED TO WESAME. IK LAV SIM BAT LIU LIBA TRYADELT LIBDE MINK. NW GOD. TATIS LOVUIK.MINIKÁNY YORKER SIAN TATTUNTIA APOLIS NITT IS. WIDER NILIK NAWST NE SIDSA - TA YOPSIA BIORIPIN EL GOD KWERKIUKH SOCKTS. MEN 5. MORET FOLK KEM TWISPALT AND NEIDAM ASK MARADEL YON AFR WEI KEM NILDST TUNTIN KILLERS NAVT NE GUNA. REDNS WRDS STOPK. TA SAXNE TAGON UTA SKADNE.MEN TERNE WARE NONE MODER KEREN. - KIRT ATTER LEDE ANNEN VSERA BODNS SIN MAKKER TAUST. TIL LIUDUEGA KEDSDER KRUD WESIN

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LERVMBE LEDE MIN BURCKHAM OFLOVI VMBIM BUTA RA LANDIBLIA TOKELPANE. TACK INSTED YONIM TOKELPANT NEI RET TWISE BAND ALSA KIUCKTE LIUSELVA MIR IM OVERE WESKEN AND FORK NEI KA MAGE. - KIMKER KAMSINA FRINS-SUN - A LAGIA WILDS STABDIRI AS MODIR TO GODA-BURCH IT SKENLAND. MINKE WILDE MAR. LIU SEIDENE TAT SALWER SA ALADELA VPRUMA KOSTE ALMASTIR SKOLDE WERÄN OVER EL FRIN. S. LAND. LIU WEREN HAND YON ADELE SCIDE LIU LWAND TRUCK. LIRA RENKA NAS LIU NEN MODER WEDEN. SALWERSA AT LIKTEX LAND FORSKEKA WILDS SA SKOLDS KIRA BODA SINA WICKAR TO WELWISER ZIANIA - ALTISSA SEKA LST LIRA SELVABILIAD ---- BATSPA SKRIFT ----HITTIAN NEI LERS LERSTE ACKT. WERET TRIUNSKIP ISTAN WINNE MONNAT. ALLE FAMANNELIK IST TO AN MERT JRU AND BLIDS AND NINMAN NEDS DIGSR LAN TO AKANE SINA NOCKT. IACK VYR. \_ALDA WILDVS WISH TAT WAKENDOM MANT VROAMLAK WRDS NEMEL. --TOMIDME FONET YEST THEIR KEM NEWLL TO LULLANDS VEA VURDA IN LIKE LIUS. TERNISE - NOCKT RUNDEWEL. IN WAREN DOM NILDE NAVENERA . . KA STRANI WAKAR WERON YON LIBERA NED TIUPA ALKEIN AND VPPA AA TO PADUM NAS NENSN TOBISIA. L. TA NEVIDEWEI

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TACK LOKTE SUNNE KRUCK IN RETN KERN WOLKUM UP IRAN. ALREK KEM WITSR UT. TO IUWGANDE AND TO IODANDE. TIT IUNK FOLK TACK SIONANDE MITA OUR BAM AND TISSE OVER FULDE LUTT MIX SINA LINTLIKA ADAM. MEN KAKWILA TER ALPEK IN NOCKT BRINDE WAS VE-RED LAND. MIT LORSUM AND PIDDEFUM LUIK ALLE AROM WEROM LIN LELPEN RRVCH TIUSTERNISSE. AND KINNEGIUP - AT TRUCK LINDA-WALDIS PADA. ~~~ TOTARA ADELAS DURETAGON TWILL MANGERTNE MITTWILLY LAMKES AND TWILL KNAPA MIXTWILLY KOK-LIAA. IN IUNI SAXMAN BIRED IN WIL DE BUILL REFERSELVA ISNSEN LEDE AND TAMAD. MIR ALLER LEIA BLOMMA WER ON SIABAD AND TA HINNEN TO-LNEKNA ZERA MANGERTNE WERON OMBORND MIT GOLD UTER RENE .~ TA ADELA TO KIBA KUS UT VPPST SUECKT KEM YOU EN BLOMREIN DEL VPPIRA LOUE AL LE IUWOADS KERDE AND TA TOTHORNA JORA KNAPUM AULDON BOPPA ELLA UT. DEME ADELA ARM TOBE LO KIRT SKIL TRU LIR BIDIA. - BA RIULDAS SKARE UT SÍOCKE WERS KEMSR EN LUOK MARIARA RID DEFUM LIN\_RIUCKT TOPINMANDS VP ADELAS LEM. LIBATAT AND OLDS WER ON ISTA VPPA STOPPEN BENKE SETEN. LIU DURE STAND EPEN AND LER BINNA STAND ADSL BROST LIFA SUNA. ASSR

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SACK LOSINA ELDRA IN TRESE WERON GRIPTER SINE BOOF FONERE WACK WELLAND SKAT NEIGH YOPESTA REFAREAWARUM. RIS SWIKE AND TRULDE YPPET AXES DEL. OVERNE TWADE AND KRIDE WASEN EILIK DOT BISKEREN. INTWIS - KA LEDON SINA ELDRA LIARA WERNE FAT. AND TAGON UNDIGER TO IONIS. TA RAWERA SKOLDON KIAM RIA. TENSENKA. MEN ADELA KEM. VPPERS BURCH LEDS LIA ALLE WERNS TO KANTERA LERAD. SIVOUN IRALIET WERE LIU LON AND LIRA GERT SX FELO. TRAIN SWIKTE KIN JAM OF KIPA KOLEAND ASER DEL KEM WER EN FIDDER ARESTALLICK. YOLLISTAR KEMON OMMS ASRNS TERS LONI WEI. IN PAWAR WEDON HALATAN FONSEN. KACK TOLET. EN PIL KEDS KIRA BOSMS TREAK. VEREDELIKA MACIL. LIN FENIN WAS SIN PINT DIPL AND TEROX 18 LIU STURVSN. ARARARARARA ~~~~ LERE BURCHYAMSLOV. iss terlemands als. Rusandessand ALKOMEN AND IST MARA SEND VINGE. men ar ar ar ar ar ar ar ar ar WEL. LIN WILLAR ADELAS WISDOM LORA. enner or an an an an an an an an SEKUR VB LIUTORSTINE. LWANDLIUIS IMMSE Rivtosts West. . . . . ar ar ar ar ar ar ar ar ar. O WACK KWERTO SKOLDE LIN TINNIN. - LIRA LEMET IS LINNEN. LIRA TO LNEKKA WOL TAT LIUSELVA SPON AND WEVADE. mar. AWERMEI SKOLDE LIN LIRA

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LERVMBE WILLER LIN LERINMA SETTATO WILLA MINER MAQUM. \_\_ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ALLE GODMINNANDA FRIAS BEEN SI KELD. LAWAND RRYCK TAM SKILLT SELICK WERTA VP IRTA. A. LEP AND KET TOTA POLKUM. VVFALDA IS AST ALDERALDSSTA ISTAA OVER-ALDESTA. KWAND TET SKOP ALLA WEALDA IS ELLA IN ELLA. KWAND KET IS WEALDA IS OVERAL AINWARDICK. MEN NAPNS TOBISIA. TORVMBS WARK ASK WESA CASTÁCTEN. a. a.a.a.a.a.a. ALKWAT WITONKIM SIA MURE SEND KASKEPSELA KER KRUCK SIN LEVA KVM 1- AND WIRER LINNE ON - - -KWAND INUT WEALDA KUMAK ALLE RIAN AND KEPAR ALLE KIAN. ----YONUT UVEALDA KUMĀTANTAR AND ST SNOE ALBA RIAA GEIR IN IM VPRA WEALDA IS AST ENS SULVIMACKTICA-WEST. KWAND ALLE OFFMACKE IS FON AIM LENAD AND KERARTO KIM WIRTR. INUT WEALDA KUMAK ALLS KESTTA DND ALLS KRETTA KERAKTOKIM WIKER .... LGRYMBEIS KINLLENA TEX SKEPPAN DI WESA AND REP NIS MAWLE ESKEP - IN BUTH KIM. ALARA WEALDA LEIDS EVAS SSTMA FATIS EWA IN AUST S SKEPNS AND RER NS SEND NEN GODE SSTMA ISTEN LIN

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MOTON TER NEI TAVVIKT MINISTERS A. --- MEN ATSKEN EULN IN VVRALDAST. TA BOSKED REPA MANNISKA NISNAUT YONKIM. BOSKED KYMR RRYCK LOMKED YNDIESRKED AND DVM LED. TERVMBE KAN LIU WEL TA MANNISKA SKADA. WRALDA NIMMER. --- WEALDAIS TIL WISKED AND RA EWA TERLIU TAVLIKT LER. SIND RABOKA WERUT WY LEFA MUNTS. AND TERNIS NEWS WISKED TO THE ANDS NSF TO GARIANDS BUTA TAM. TA MINNISKA MUDON YOUR RIANSIA. MIN WRALDA MIN SINTALLITAIN. ..... IN MANNISKA MUUON TELO TIAN LERA .. MAN WEALDA WETALLS RIAN ... -. In MINNISKA MUCION FELD TIGA VM SLUTA \_ MINTOTARA WRALDA IS ILLA OP TA MANNISKA SEND MANNAHIK AND BERLIK - MIN WRAUDA SKIRT BEDE. \_ . KA MINNISKA MINNAÄ AND ÄRT AR. KAWRALDA IS ALLENA PIÙC ATTER DICK. A ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ TERVMBS IS WRAUDA ALVENAGOD. AND REP NE SEND NEWN GODN BUTH KIM. --- MITTIE TOU WANDSUAT AND WIX LLAT ALUST ISKEPINS. MINGODIS AL TRUCK TAT WEALDA GOD IS AGSA NS MOI AI AKNAVT FOR ANDSRIAGE AND TRUCK TIES IS I WAT. TOP VMBS IS LI ALLENA IL WESA. AND ALST ORA 5KIN.an

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-KET OKERN DEL JONES JOEM.LER. EMOR FINDAS FOLK SEND WAN-WESA\_ RER TRUCK LINEA ONCE-TINDIARIKKEDAL SA ARGSSND EWRDSN TATKIN KINRASIU VA WIS MAKIN AND LA INEWIDA BI-TIWAN TATKIN TIST BISTEDEL SEND FOR WEALDA. AST KIARA CLAST AST BESTS DEVISION WEALDAS OKST LNOTIT WRALDA ALLENA MEI TANKIA TRYCK KELPE KINEIS BRYN. ~~~~~~~~~ TAT AIDSE SKEPSUS SN DEVISTON VURDAS VNINDLIK WESA TATKINON LIN YON US CIABAD. - MEN LINEA TAUXS REDNE AND LINEATAMULSE LACK-HAR - SN LED LSTRA VPPSN DWLLWEIBROCK+ -WERS LINENAUST WENLDAS OLST SA SKOLDS WRALDA EL DVM WESA IN STEDE YON LICKT AND WIS. KWAND LIARA AKST SLAVÄ LIM STUVA IMMIR OF VMBS SKENS BILDA TO MAKIANDS TERY ATTERNEIANBID. \_ MENTINDA -S touk is sin ara touk. LWAND Atsken EN WAN-WISH TERM. LINRASSLVA WIS MAKIN TAT LIA DROCKTNE SSND. SA LAVONLIA TOTARA TA VN. SWIDA HALXA DROCKTNESSKEREN. TO KETANDE AUGR WEIKES AAT TISSA DROCKTAS WRALLA SSKEPSN LAWS MIT AU LWAT TER INNS 18. ~ OFFICEN DROCKTNS TUL NYD AND TORN. JAM ERAT AND SIANAT WILLIA WESA. TEVCH TO MANNISKA. TOR BLOD AND OFFIR WILLA AND STAT

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SMAKKA AND KALTA ... IK BIN. 18 KA WIL. IN BEN RET BESTS DEL WEALDIS. IN KRYCK VS ALLENA MELR BANKIA. SAWIUVAR WI KERA VVRAL AND ALLER WELKIS WER ST NODLIKST ... WH FRIAS BIRN SIND HORSKINSUN RRVCK WENLDAS LEVA ... BY TANTAR MIN AND BLAT. TACK IM MIR WARTANDS ANDNAKANDS TO TVL EVMSNULKAGD SYNDSR A SA GODTO WRDA AS WRALDA SILVA. A. . . . VSA OLST NIS NAVT WRAIDAS OLST LI 15 REPTON NULENA SN ATSKNSUS. LANWRALDA VS SKOP LSASP VS IN TRYCH SINS WISLED BRIN. SIN. TWON\_ LWOIN AND YOUR GODA AINSKIP \_A LENAB. BEFMEI MUDON SINA SKIP SILA AND SIN EWA BITPACATA. REPOR MUGON WI LERN AND TERVE MUGUN WH REDA. SILLA AND ALLGNA TO VS AIN LEUD. LEDS WRALDA VS NENS SINNA IGUEN SANE SKOUDE WENTRAS OF NETA AND WISKQUDS ISTA RSDDALASSP AS EN SE-KWALL WESATER FORT DRIVEN WARK-TRVCK EBBE AND KRUK 1000 .... - ---SIT STAT UP SKIVLILT SKEGVIN. - - -TALANDANDWARDS OFA FAMNA TONTARBILD. ~ . IN UNSILS OFFICE MAN KEMTOBAR ANDS BY TRAST TER YAM WERS TO STAVIA. LISCIDE. VN.WEBSE LEDS SIN LUS WEI BROCKT. LIKEDS FO WEALDA BEDSN. MIN

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VMBALLENA FOTOBBANDS ALSA BILIUDS AW LIFA BSPN LO AND AWERVMBS LIVAUSA LEDS DEN. ZISSA WROCKTON AND ROCKT ON TO SEMINE, A SAUSNERA WISE SIND WI AN LUSA KEMSN MIR STOPPSNISTANK LUM SN SLECKT AND WARANDA LINDA WIR TA SUNNISPELLM. TO TALISTA LAVON LIA SN BURCH MAKAD AND YORK ALUS QUERA. NISLIN LUS TUS NAVIT STSRK NOCKWEST NUSA MOTI TRACKD A VMBST BRE BETST TOMAKINNDS . ... MIN LUS WERS STIRK SNOCK SEIDSR. MEN TET KAUS WEFSIR KET ST VPBERNO MID STORNS WIND AS AST OFF DENS. LWGR STAND RIN LUS DAN. FREIE TRAST ALINGEN REPERENS ANDSRERENS MAN. NI STANDST XXX MAYT VPRIN NOL- ISTAN ASP- TROIS TRAST.~ NEAN SEIDER. MIN LUS STAND GNSUM BY TA OVSRS. ALLENA KAVIK ST BUWND MEN IN NS MACKTRER ALBENA NON ASPTOMAKANS. a. IK WIST WEL SEIDS TRAST. TA TAMMA LAUST MY MSLD - LV KSSTAL RIN LOVA SNARUWSLAAD ANTA MANNISK UTTRESS TATSTS AWST 16VA ISTATA DVA MOSTE TOTARA LIAM. TACK TOP MAKANS MEI MAN NAUT TER NS KVMA. KWAND WRADDA RER MILD IS KERAT AIM FONA CIPRIA. ~~~~. YSSTA AST VS REDSN AND BOPPA RA DURA YON ALLE BURGUM 15.T

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AND OFF BILOY TWA SUDAR SIND TOTAM TARAMES VMBSTOSKOLA ANTOLEMA. RET SUDLINOSTE KUS IS RERE BURCK-FAM LIS LEM. INNN TOPE LAAT LIV FOODIKE IN WAGAR REPS FORE SEND MIR WESTLIK A STENA SMUKAD. INVPPA REFS SUDIR WACK IS KINSTEX WRITEN. ANKA YERE SIDE KERN KINK MAN REW YORM-LEPE. AWNA WINSTERS STOE IN 6WA. IN GRA SEKA TIMEMAN UPPA OPA TRIA. TOISNOT KADYK BITKUS KERYKM STET KIUOWM AND AND MOLMAK. TRUCK HIUWSE BUTEN KRODSN. BUTH NSA BUPCK WAL IST KEM KWERNPR IN BUPCH LERN ANDA WEFAR LEME. RIU KRIA-DIK RERA IS EN STONDE CIPAT. NON STIUPAP, MEN SVNNA STONOM EWERTON TWILL APPEN STMSLOS KUMA. IN UPPER BINNASIDE FONA DINIS SN TEAT APT TOO VNDSPA KRUN. REPUPPA SOND TRIIN LUNDESTO KEAN BOOK TODSKT MIX WOD END LETSE, BILANUN TA LUSA REPAINAGMAR SIND REP BINNA ALINAN RADIE ISTA TRIIN TWILLY NED LUSA TOTAM RA OM LEMAR. FIT TIELD RIAMAR TO KAMP AND TO WEDE. ANNA SUDSIDE J YONAN BUTSNSTE ARIA-DIKAS RIN VIND. OKFDA, OMIUNAD KRYCK KITGRATIST LINDA-WALD. LIRA DANTS IS TRILLASMA . TET BREDE BUTA. TILLIUS VINNE LER IN SIA MEI. LUNNU TER SSN TELO TER-LAND SSKA RREIA AND BLOMMSN TRUCK TA STIURAR MIK BROCKT. ALSA KIU DANTS

YSAR BUFEL IS SEND ALLE GERA . LACK VS18 18 LIU OPLATESTS. MEN KI YON TEXUAND IS AN ALDER AFATSSTS. Tiv TORY YON ARIAS BURCH IS AU SAKAKK TAT LIU TA WORKA TORENT. NGI TERS TOPE IS ALSTOKEPA. ALLA BIVS VIPER BURCKISTALSA DELAD. SINGUN TORE YAMNAWAKAR BITGERS YODDIK. AIDER WAK TRIA STUNDA. IN TA ORE TID MOTON LIA LUS WARK DVA. LERA AND SLEPA. SIND SIA SIVOUN ICE WAKANDA WESEN. ALSA SENDLIN TRY. TAN MUDONLIN 6-MOR TA MANNISKA OK VPPA SED TO USTANS AND RED TO IEVANS 15 KWA TRIVIER YAM WEST SAMEILIU AVTOMET MIT TA AVON TAMMA MIT ah. - II SKRIWSP MOT IN TAMKSS LERA, LESA. SKIVA AND PEKINIA. RAGERSA ISTAN ARGUA MOTON LERA LIAM. RIUCKT AND PUCKT. SEDKUNDA KRUDKUNDA KELKUNDA. SKEDNSSA TSLLIAN AND SARA BILUNKA ALLS R. LGIN TIAN RERKIMM NEDLIK SEND VMBS REDTO IEVANS. Ziu BURCK\_ HAM MOT LERA LIAM LOLIA RERMIT POWARK OLL MOTA BITA MANNISKA. OF IN BURCH- HAM LIRA STED INNIMA MOT LIU TRUCK TET LAND TARA. EN TVV ICR. TRE CIREVA BURCK-KERA AND FRIN AUDA YKMINA ANN MIK LIPI MILA. AUSA IST AKMI QUAON.

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TO LLAPANDS DANA ALINGSN KERS BURCK YOP AND JORK MIKEN EGAMNUDA IN SE. TOTARA REPETLATI WERE TIT KAUF OVA ANDET FER TAINGVA. A BEDESTON ROPE OFAIT SEND SKENE KUSA MIK KEL BLIKANDA TARWA MALAD. AA CIAFD. \_NE SEND MIT AUTID GRENS KAGUM OM. TUNKO. IF KAN KER WINK SIAN KER TILTNE TOLNERNA DROGON AST SKRIT TILT WERE ALIK TO STAVERSN WERDN TA MANGERTNE MIT COLDEN KRONUM VPPIR LOWM ANDMIK KRIAUMTOM ARMA AND FET SIAFAD. I SUDWAFD YON YORKYMA REK LEID ALK MARUM. ALK MARUM IS ENMMARE ISTEN THE TERIN LEIGSNELAND VPPN TATE LAND MADTON IN SWARTA NAD BRUN \_A MANMISKA KWILA EVIN AS TO LYDN-LIS-BURCH - KIN BURCH- HAM YON YORANA SEIDS MILÄNT ÄN BURCK- KERN DEISTIK TO BY GURON. VMBBY TO LER ANDS: KWAT ATTS TRYDOM ST. AND LO IN MANNISKA AN TERE MINNS ACON TO LEVANS VMBS SEIEN TOWNNAM DI JON VVR\_AUDAS\_OLST. WASAGE LWA JOR LORA WILDS AND BIGRITTA MACKTS SX WAPKSIR KALDEN ALONE ER IVULUERAD WERE. TAT WADE DON VMBS TA YERKEMANDA FOLKAMUS TOMAKANS AND-YMBS VRALKAR TOWINNING. ER LEDIK AWDAESAX ANA MARKA-TO TO TOREBURCK ----

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MANNA-OAFDA-FORDA WEST. LACKTER LEDIKMAR SKAMELLED SIAN ASK LIKE PIKDOM SPERDE - LIU ANDERE - SA KWERSA KER ANDA SAXANA MATEKA \*N PREINE KUMNÉ SNMANGERTS TO BITREINNDE. NUSA PREINT TO MAN CERTNE KER. KANST KIN LUS TRY WERN TOISNST AN BANNANETWISK - LANDAR - LAST MACK NGNE TALAD. LAO KELO BUTUS LAST AL FANSSN AND LONGLO BARA AND WOLVA LUDA LAST-AU VPPA TOPS MARK BROCKT. LOKAN IST KUM SN TAT RA SAXMAN \_ A. Tiu BUW ANDAWIYA VRLETSN ANYE. ANT YON AVM DIFED TO SEMINE MUMENS LESA MEI NEF SKRIWA NE KANIL DAMIST RUMEN ART NIMMAN NEWSFREK VPPA SIN SIN-SKILD NEX. MEN BLATEN MYS LIKANDS DANTS YOW SN DIAR TATER TAUNDAST. AND ANDLIK. DANA 15T KVM SN ÄXT KIN; SER WICKNNOUIK EWGOSN SEND. MINTOMIT EVIN DVM SINDASIT KWIK TAP LIA TANSA AND EVIN EFM AS JA TWISH-LANDAR KWER MIT LIN ORLOGE. POTARA TRYAS TOUR IS IRAN AND SE ESKEPEN. AL VSA PINSTRAMA PUNAT VPPASE TO. JAT WOAS FOLK AND TAT FINDS -5-tolk Skil ikkorum vrdilain AND WIMOTON AN LETOAN LANDA BITOLKA.INT YON AND OMME FARM

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LGID VS LELD- WILST NW LAT LA BOPPA LANDER DEL LAVE AN VSA PIKDOM AND WISDOM SA SKIL IK KI EN RED TEVALLET ET AN MANGERTNE TO WENKED WEBE LIARA ARGIAR TO ARGIANDS. ER LIA IN SEGA. LWER LAST AL IN WE ALDA OM MI KARIN LWAD KANST ZIN BEFN TELLA WRA TERA LANDA AND WRA YER LEMANDA HOLKA. DVAR LIN ALSA SK SKLUN EN WICKNANDLIKA KNAPA TO VS KUMA, LIA SKILUN WISSE WARKA AND RIFKAR. AND WINE SKILUN NEN BILOT LOASE NAVT NAW AN TAT WIN TIUD. TA IDASTE RER \*KMNA FOR TORA. TOP BY MI WERON. KEM UTA SAXSAM MARRAWEI. AS WINW TOLOAK KEN LON. LIR LIU OPLOVI FREIND VM BINGI LIFA LUS TO OLNS. NITEPNEI ISLIUM TER BURCHYAM WEDEN. AND DAMA IST KUMSN THAT R LIUDEAN SKIELD SAXMANNA BITALSTIURAR TARES 

MIN NOM IS TREKO-PIK. TO NOMAKING OFFN-LINDN. KAT WIL SERN OVIR KALINDN. TO LIUD. WARDIN BIN IK TO ASGNEREN. LIUD. WARDIN IS EN NY KORP. BINNA KENE KRIADIK FON KER BURCH LIUD. AARDN. KWER FON KA NOMA! AN VNER KVMENIS... VNDER MINATIDA IS FUL BERED. FUL KEDIK KER. VR SKREVEN. MEN AFTERNEI SEND MI AK FELO KIAA MELD. FON EN AND

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KADE WAPK DAD TUNDEN INEN UPUPE. MIN THE REUCKTSR WERS WILDS LIN WREKEN LA. NACKTIS WARATSR INSIN LUS VRMORK. TRIU IER LETTER WER KENE MACH BAS. SVADER STRID. KASAKMANNA WERON TROME AND YPOD BINWEN. NOITAM YLIUCKTON ALLE GODS MANNISKA . MIN MAM BI STURVET. NW DGDIK LIK AN OKERN ... TI MA ACT BOCIADE VPPA SINPA SNODKED. MEN IPKASKOWDIM KANA KAT KIU NEN MAGENSE OFGODA TOLETA NE MACKTS ro ters Lebos setamwerus Liutran BERADE. .... EVIN SA TST WILDS LOPS SINA MANNA SKED. NEITAT LET SINA PIDDIR GERSMILICH MAKADÁST. EVIN SK SKEDDE INTA KIRA WALDA AND BERGA \_ RIN\_STRAMA WEDON OVIRA HIELDA SPRED. SE KOKADE. BERGA SFI DON NEI TH WOLKUM AND KWAD LIA SPIK LODE. SWIKTON TA WOLKI WITSE UP IFTA - BITANTA TERS ARNS MONAT NICIADS IRTA NOFTWARD LIU SEA DIL. BL LEGOR AND LEGOR ... ANNA WOLFAMONAT LEIDON TA DOM MARKA FON FRIAS LAND UNDERNE SE BIDOBBEN. KAWALDA TER BILDA IN WERON WEDON YELWAT AND TER WIN DUM SPEL. TET ICK ATTER KEM TROST INNA ASRDS MONAT AND LEID OLD FRIADLAND UNDER IN PLONKE SKUL-IN SELLA MONAT KEM STORNEWIND

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AND LEVO REVENIA LOVANE TOBER KEMON-A TWA IER NEITAT OOS MODER WRDE, KEMIER EN YLATE TORST YYMAPS INTALA. RST FOLK KROPTE. LO.N. SEEN. LIN FORON TIL STA-VERE ZER KROPTON KIN ISTA REIS. KN + OM A WEFON AN TOP AND TIS NACKTIS SKAT. ON LIA BARNPILA ANDALOTT. LA DEI RED WERE FOINDON SVME MIKEN SNAKE TO TERE KAVA IN. KIA KROPTON WITTER LON-SEEN. IN KIN LANDA KIPTEN ION KIPDEL WALVE, IN SINA KANDA KEDI N SKILD LER VP WAS BRAD AND SALT LEID. ATTERDAM KEM EN AFEVA. AT SEIDE WI KVMAR YONA YOPE KREKALLANDUM WELLVMB VSM SED TO WARIANDS. AVV WINSTAR WI I SKOLDS ALSA MILD WES A VSAUSA TULLAND TO IEVANE TAT WI TERVE MUCIE LEMAL LITELADE N'EUS SKEDNESS. REP IKATTER BETRE SKRIVA WIL. RA OFGVA NISTON NAVT KWATTO DVANDS. LIA SANDO BODON ALKERWEI KSS. AKTO MY. IKAVA TO AND SEIDE. NOW WIN MODER LAVE AGON WILLIEM RED TO AREINNOS. IKSELVA QUA MIÃA. TIUMODER TER ELLA ALWISTE, SEIDE \_ LET LIA KUME SA MUDONLIA VS LAND LEUPA BILAUDA. MINNE LET LIAM NAVE VP ENE STED NE BILIWA TIL TIU LIA MANT WEUDICK NE WEDE OVIR VS. WI DEDON AS LIU SEID LEDE. TAT WERE GU NEI LIPA LEI. TRISO RESTE MIRSINA HIUDUM TO STAVERS RATKIA WIKER

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TO GNE SE-STEDE MAKADE SA GOD LIA MACKES WICK LIFTE OVA MIX SINUM LIUDUM AST WARD NEI TERE EMYDA. SYME TERA IOHN INR ROB MENDE TATKIN YONT ALDS FOA YOUR SPROTEN WERE GVAON TER LINNE. EN LYX DIEL KER WANDE KAT LINEN EKLA FON TA SIVAON E.LANDA WEI KEMON. OVAON LINNE AND SEPTON LINEASTLVA BINNA LA KRIA-DIK YON ZERS BURCK WALKALLA-AKRA DEL. LIUD-AGET. RENE SKOLTS BINNCHTA FON WICK-KIRTS WARK MIN AKE ATTERNEI MIN FRIUND. FONUTSIN DELBUK LAY IK TIV SKEDNIST KER KIR ATTER SKIL FOLDIA. ~ ~ ~ ~ . NOITAT WITE 100 AND TWIN 12 1612 BITATIP WETRUM SETEN LEDE TAKWIM VSA SEKAMPAR ALLE SEA BITARIN KEDS KER TOTINDANS. KEM ALSKANDES KAM KENIA MIKEN WELDICK TER FON BOPPA ALLINASN JGF STRAM VSA JOFFA BITARA. NIMMANNE MACKTIM WITERWORDA. TACK WI STIURAR TOR BITASE SATON WI SKEPTUS MIT AV USA TIUBERE LAVA IN AND BRUDA KINNIN. TA ALTXANDRE YORNOM EXTIM SANE CIRATE FULTE VAT TARAWAS WARTER WODIN-LIK. TO SWEB ANDS LI SKOUDS ALUS TORPA AN LOGIA OFFIRE IST WINNITTOBSK KYMANIL Dr. WICK-KIRTS LEIDS SINK TO BEDDE. AN AUSKANDES TAT FORNOM ASKER WACKT ALONT ER BETSEWEBS. ATTSENE KEMER TO KIM . SER KINDLIK SNAKKANDS

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EL-ST LOPP IN FOW BIDOBBSN. - FRISO KER KENIA WER DVIRA FLATE. LEDE EN SVN NND IN TOOKATER TUS SABIUSTRE PRES AS IST LIA FAS UT FRIAS LAND WEI KOMSN WEREN AND SA WONDER SKEN AS NIM MAN MOCKT LUCIA. Ziv KROP LORVR OVA VVP ALLS KEGKALLANDA AND KOM AN TA ARA FON DEMETRIUS, DEMETRIES WERS WE AND UNSEDLIK AND LIKOUTS RAT-IM BULL FRY STUNDS. LI LET KIU Y TO aKATER AVBER SKKKIA. KIUMODER NS KURADS KIRA IOI NAUT WACKTIA.~ 101 NOMAL TA STIUPAR WIVA LIRA MANA. JAT 15 BUIDS SKIP. AK SGGAT Lin SWET\_ KIPTS. ANSTIURAP LETON KIRA WIVA TEAST. AND TRO ISTAN TROW RAT 15 FRU AKFROUK. RAT 15 GLIK AN IPW. - Ervchomm Liv Lira MAN NAUT WACKTIN TURADS - ava Lie MIT LIPA SUNE NOI DEMOTRIUS AND BAD AI SKOUDS LIA LIFA TOQLA TER WILSRIEVA. MENASDEMETRIUS LIPA SVN SA. LETSE TAM NEI SINFA LOVE FORM. AND DEDS, NEEN MIT KIM ASIR MIX TAMÁIS SUSASA DEN LEOS. ANDA MODER SAND AT EN BUDA GOLD. RACK LIU STIFT IN SE. AS LIU TUS KOM WARK LIU WAN. SINNICK. ALUSP WEIRS PUN LIU VYRA STRETA KLAST MIN KINDAR NAUT SIAN. O WACK. LET. IK TO IOW SKUL SEKA. WAND MIN IOI WIL MI DEIN JOR TAK SINA KINDAF WELBROCK KAV.

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TA DEMETRIUS FOR NOM FAT FRISO TO LONK WARE SANDI EN BODÍA TOÁMA SEGANDE LAT LI SINA BEEN TO LIM NOMEN LEDS WMBIRA TO FORA TOLN KAGE STAT. VMBE TO LANIA AIM TOFARA SANA TIANSSTA. MIN triso Zer stolts and Lerd-tocktich WORS SAND IN BODIA MITIN BREVINCI SINUM BERNIA. REFIN MANDEXILLIAM LIA SKOUDE DEMETRIUS TO WILLA WESA VR MITIS TAM LIABATEUM IGADI. TACH RING BODIA LEDS INFALN ORS BREVS MIRTSNIN. REPMEI BITALIF KIA SKOLDS FAT INNIMM LWAND SEIBSR WNWIDDIALIK IS TIN LIK BIWLLAD. TAT NS SKIL IOW NAUTTO ROK -NIDNIWADS. TACK SAKWIRSA IOW TOWS SELS BIWLEAR SA NS SKILL TOW MIMINATE TO WALLANDANS KYMA. ion SELF SKIL TAN OVER IRTA OMME WARA SUNDER A KET LIUCKTSIA TOMUGANDE. LIK TA FOR PARA MUSA AND NACKE-ULA SKIL STV ANDA DISTIK IN TINA KOLA SKULA. TES NACKTIS UTKYMA. TEN VP VSA GRAVA GRAIA AND LEUN. TAL WILD TRIA LIFA KANED FON IOW OF WEN DA MOT. TABSEN DEDS LIKERA BITALIN WARK. DEMETRIUS LET PA LIKEA IN WERRA AND TO EN MANNISKA WED SECIP RAP LIN FLIUCAT WEPON. NW WIDDS FRISO MIT ALLE MAN NEI YRIAMIND YARA. TORI OF WEST LODS. MINTEN: MGST NILDS TAT NAVTAVED WA. NW avatriso to and skat lit korpmit

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KER. ST YNTA, LET RA BARN-PILA PIA INNA " KRANBOUN LEDSA. TO LIK BAD-SR TAP NIM MAN SKIASA NE MACÁSS ER ÁS SKÁSSN LODS . 40 PASCIDER ARTWIALLS NGI KAT MIDUOSTS SKIP SKINTA MOSTE IS RAT DOWGOD BIPACAR SCIDER SA SKILUN TA BRAKIM TOKSLIMNS KVMA AND TANMET ALPIK SKIATA SAP A ALDERBESTA MEI. AS WITHVU ARABLY KETTER FONRA OF WOR BIGOSFON TA PRONISIAR TOSKINM. MIN FRISO NANDIRS NAVE BITARA TA SPOSTSTIL DEL FALDEMASSY ANDEMATON SINSKIP. NW SKATER. THORMTOLOADS TET LEKTS IN TIUP REIM AND TRUCK DAM VSAPILA MIT WIND MELOVAL ON BILLWON LIA ALLY AN BRONDAND NAKADA SELVA BARRIDES LAGE. ALK PANANNELIK GYFADON AND IUWANDS. MINTA KRETA VSXR WITSPUNGWAN WERON SALSEDS TREST VS TOT LIFTS BINGPEN WARK. ASTRISO MENDILAT IT TO KOSTS - LET-SP OPLANDA ANDW SPODS KINNS. KACK NGI KAT WI TWA DEAN FORT PIVAT LEDS WEM TERSNORE TUATS ANT SIOCHECTON AFITTICK SHOPEN KORNS STODIS IN WINNES IRISO LETTE WINTER RODMAKIA. MINTA QUERA SANBON EN LIGHTE SNAKA YVL POINT YORUT. IN BODON TOPA BADON UT ALE FA NOMA IEXXIA MIX TARA MACKER. LIA WERON IOHNIAR THYCK DIMOSPHUS WERON LIN WALDANTEIK NEI KERS

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VR TA CIEPT MANNA KANIK RED KINNE. STAPPA JE NAV NAVT TUL MIT PA OMME CIVASN. TA SAYER IKSIAN KA SSNO NIA FAT MAST BITAL AND SED BILEWIN. TAT NS MEI IKNAVT SEGA FON TAOKSPA TER YONA \*REKALANDA WEI KUME SIND KWAD TIR TAL AND VPPIRA 300 NEMEI MAN GU WAYT BOOK - LELO LAVAR BRUNA AGON AND LER. LIASIND NIDICK AND BRIST AND AA TEVCK OVERBILAWICK LED. LWERSA LIA SPEKA SA NOMAT LIN TA WORDA TARVEPA TOR LERST FUMA MOSTA. AISWALD SECIAT LIN LD DISN SAUT SAD. MA FORT MAN. SIL FORI SKIL SODS FORI SKOLDI. TO TWE VANB TONOMANDS. KE TOFAR LIA MEST VELADISES AND BIKIRTS NON LWGRAN MAN NEN SIN AN LETA NE MGI. ZA IGNIAR SPREKAT BETRE TACK LIN SWINT TILL AND LWGFI NAVE NOSA MOT WARTER UTSKET. LWIPSA IMMANY IN STLD MAKAT ATTER GNHIN PRSTURVEN AND AST LIKT SA LAWAR LIA LOS TONY OAST TSS VESTURYSNS TER INNS TARAT. TERVE KAYAT LIA ALLS BILDA VEBURGEN. YON FRIA - TASTA MEDEN - LINNIN - LEVENIN AND LEVO OTSEA. LOWSET TOR SM BSEN SBSEN SK KVMAK TA SIBBA ST.SGMAS AND BIDDAT AN FRIA TAT LIV LINEA YAM-LES MEI KUMA LETA TAT BERN TO SESNANDE. LAVON LIA BEDSN. SK

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AND SAFELO NOCKT TO IAN. ASTO BE NAKA IS \_ NENE WITSKIP SEIDER NS MEI MAN MINNCHTIN. TACK BLIKA DOLA IS KAORATISTS WITSHIP KOR 110 VS LEKA MEI. JERUMBE TATLIU ARGENESS YON IRAN WERNE AND LIAVDE HIX - - SIN YORMS NOM WERS ISSUS TACK TA PRISTIPA TOP IM SEPA LIF LATON LETON LIM TO LAT IS TAUX. RAT FOLK KETS KIM KPIS-SN. KAT IS LIPDIF. AND SIN FFIRSKA TRIUND LETE LIM BUDN. VMBE ZATLI IN SIN LAVID IN SEAT FOR THE WISDOM LEDS AND IN SIN LIFT IN SKAT YON WAYDE - TOKA LEPSTA MOSTER TWOKEN VF KA WEGKS TOFA PRISTIFA.MIN VFAL LWGFIF KEM WAS SING UE LIM KARUF AVASN AND VRAL KWERSR AVA YOUANDON KIM SINN LEKN LIK SINS SKADS NELL TA ISSUS AUSA TWILL IGR OMKARIN LEDT STURVER. MIN SINA PRODUM SINE LEFS AND KERON KWERST KRON TUNDS. ... LWAT MENST NW TAT TA PRISTSEA DEDON. RATMOTIK IO MELDE AK MOEI REP SEPALIE ACKT VP IKN. YOPK MOCI OVER LIARA BIDIN AND PSNKA WAKA -MIK ALLS KRAFTUM TOR VVF. ALDA IN 10 LEIBLET LATALWILD 118\_US LEPS VP IFKA YOF \_ AVAON TA YALXA PRESTS PA NELT LAND SINPA BIFTA SIN DAD AVBERA. LIA SEIDON TAR LIA

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In torson Zer werked MINNA AND RIUCKT KAM SKILUN YONKA PRSSTSRA WIRA. BLODSKIL STRAMA. MINTERUT SKILST FOLK NIE KRAKTA CIARA . FINDAS YOUR SKILLSING FINDIARIKAGD TO MEMA NIKA WENDA - RAT LIDAS FOLK SINA KRATTN AND WI VSA WISDOM. TA SKIL -UN TRISTAN WEI TRINK WIRT YON IRAA. WUR ALDA KIS CIAST SKIUNU-OMMI AND RELIEWEIKS SERNE AND BI - KROPA WSETA . TAIGWA TOR VURAUDA BITIANTAR IN VIS MOD LEIDS SKEWW ALLENA LERAD WERTA. TERNESHIUW NOWE ORN MASTERA NACK FORSTANSE BASA NAW NESA ASKERA TER BI MENA WILLS KEPSIN SSNO. TAN SKIL tryn iuwola and inta skil fira ieva ALGENA SKANAA ANTA WYRKANDI MANNESKIA- ALEXMISKIL ANTARA FIUWER KUSANDIER NEI KELAND SYN KIN IS AND TUSAND IGR LOTER NE SKIL KER LOASE NOW PRISTSENSE DELLA . TONOMNET. LELLENIA -W/K-a------

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FRAMIN EXLA LAVON IN LITER RIF BOK SKE TENSN. AIT WILL IN BOPPA ELLA DVA, VMBS LATIE IN MIN STAT NON BUPCH OVIR 18. LWEFIN IN BERTNESA UPSEREVEN WRDE LIK TOTARA. A MIN NOME IS KONERED. MIN TAT AIS NOME WAS TREKO-PIK - MIN MEM. LIS NOME WILLIOW, AFTER TAT. LIS DAD BENIK TO SINA YOUGAR KERSN. AND IA.K YITTICK IGF TELDS KKS MEN MI TO VESTE ORGVET-MAN . . MINTAT KET SKREVSN KO IN LINDA WRDA AND BALLUD \_GARDNE VRDILGENSEND. LINUN\_KEM IS ISTA WEL. IA LINDA-WEDA FAR SN DEL. TA NOPELLIKA LIUD GARDNE SEND TRYCK TEMS SAUTA SE BIDELVEN. ÄAT BRUWSENDE KET SLIKE ANEA KRIA. DIK TERS BURCK. LIK TAT MSURAST SK SSND RA KKYA-LASA MANNISKA TO AVASN AND LAVON LUS\_ KIS BUWID BINNN AN ARIA-DIK KERI BURA - RORLYMBS is THE ROND-DEL NYV LIUD-WERD LETSN. - TA STIURAR STOAT VIV-WED MEN TAT IS WANSFEKE. BI MINA IUGID WAS T OFF LAND RAT BUTA TA KRIA-DIK LEID. AL POLANO BROK. MINTERNS YOUK IS DICIER AND Frifich. Lin WRDON MODNER WIRD FRYCH DAM LINEA DOL TO TABESTA LEIDS. LEVEL SLATA TO DELVANE AND KADIKA TOMAKIANS YON TAMPOND TER UT - A SLATA FEM. ALSA KAYON WI WITHER IN GODS LEN BUTH IN LANDIK. TOR LIU DANTS ASK YON EN LOX. TRE

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PELA ASTWAPH TRE PELA SUDWAI KER REG PELA WIST.WARK MOTEN. - Lie MD DEQUM SIND WI TO DVANDI A-PELA TO LEINNUE. YMBENE LLVE TO WINNAYDS AND MITION VMB-VSA KRIADIK TO BISKIRMENDS. IST. ST WERK REDST. SA SKILUN WI STIURAR UGLUVKA. A BIMIN IUOSD STANDST KIR BIUSTRE DM.TO. MIN IUD SIND AN LUSKIS AL LUSA TOR AN REIN STAN. AND USE AND BREE TOR MIX SEMODS LIF IN QUUPL WERON-SEND TRYCK YVIT ABUTA DREVEN ... YON AIR UT MEI NIUSPAMANNALIK LEFA TAT WELDEDA VSA AL-FODSE ALSINA SKEPSELA LOT. MITS LAT LIA MOD LAL. DI AND MANULKOTSRUM LILPA WILLE. NV WILLIE VR TRISA SKRIVA. YRISO KER AL WELDICK WERE KRYCK SIN LIUD WARK AK TO VESTS OFEVE KERN TRUCK STAVERENS OMMELANDAR. KI SPOT MIX VSA WISA FON LAND.WER AND SELKAMPA. RORVANBS KSKISR SN SFOL STIFF LWEF IN LA KNAPA LIUCKTA LEPA NEI KREKALANDAR WYSA. JAN IF LAV KAT.I TAP DEN ASK VMB KAT IOAK- YOUR ANSIN SNOR TO BINDANS. IF LAV MIN BROKER TOR AF LINSHIKT TALS NY ZIAN IGE LEDSN. LWAND TOCKTIK NY WINGNE MODER LOASE MAYE WAVE VMBI LA GNIN AIIN LA BRE TO BI-SKIRMANDE ACK IN DUBBEL TO WAKANE TAT AL VS MEN MASTER NE WART.

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COS NEWS YOLDSTEPS NOMSK. LE VENILIKNEN OFDEL NE YSLLA . MIN LER SIND ITTA AUDA ARO. TENKANDS MAN. NISKA KER MENE KAT LIVE KERVE MIK PRISO ENIS WEDIN IS. IN GOSA FALLIN WAS IL WHOON IN LIUD YON ALLE VVRD - A ENE OKERS MODSE KINSA. MEN TRISO LER TO DVANDEWERS VMBSN RIK TO \*APA KIM STUVA TO MAKIANT TRISO NI GERDINEN RED NIR BODO YON TIX\_LAND. AS TA BODON TERA LAND. SATUM TO KIM KEMON SPRIK-I ANDI KEK. GOSA SEIDIR WAS TER.SIANDE WEST. AND WISSE ALLS GREVA ITSEMM AND KACK NEDS KIU NEN LIUCKT NSF KLAPAGO IN LIUSS SEKT NE TUNDIN. LERVANBS NEDS LIU NENS MOD LAN VMBENS HOLDSTIRS TO KINSANE. AND VMBENT TOURSTEFF TO KINSANS TOR TYIVELIK WERE KER LER LEV BALD IN SIAN. LERVMBE LSK LIU IN LIARA UTPOSTE WILLS SKREVEN. INT IS IOW BETRE NEWS MODIR TO LAVANDS AS GNI KWER VPP IO SSLVA MANT FOR\_ LETA NE MEI. FRISO LEDS TOU SIAN. BIOPLOCK WASSE VPBROCKT. AND YON TA KRENKUM AND LESTUM TORN CIVLUM AND YORSTUM LEDSE KEEK SA WE LEFED AND OFF ASSE NEDICH LEDS VMBI TA ORA ORGVA TO WEINNDE LWER LI LIAM WILDE . - SIAN LIR LOR REPMIK TO OVAEN 15 - ~ ~

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KRISO LEDS KIRNS OKER WILL NIME . CIU TOOKNEER FON WILLTREKS BISIN LEVE WAS SR VRSTE OREVA TO STAVEREN WEST. JOR BI KEDSE TWEN SUNA WANSA AND TWA TOULTIFA. TRUCK SIN BILGID IS FOFNELIA SIN TOASTS TOAKNTSE MIX MIN BROKTE MANT. KONELIA IS WANTELAS. AND MOT KORN. LEVIN SKREVIN WADI - ~ WEMOD SIN ALDSSTE ASKSF AN KAVCA BONDEN. KAVCK JOR AK BI KIM TO SKOUS OVA 15 II SUNV FON WICK-KIRTS KINS CIERT MANNA KANIA . MAN KNUCK IS AK WANTEINS ANDMOFFAP WESA. MIN KUNDSTALS LAVON LIA MAR MIT BROCKT AS GODS SEDA. NV MOTIK MIR MINE SKEDNESS A. BETTA KERA. ~~~ ATRE CIPATE FLOD AWERVE MINTAT SERGUSN AST. WERON TOLD INTEAR AND LETNE MAIN SBBI UTA BALDA ISATA KWADE SE YORED. BI KATÁIS (IAT DREVON SIA IN LINEA KANA MIT ISS UPPA TA DONE MARKA YAST AND KORYP SSND LIN SITTIN BILLININ. TER NERON NARNE NEN MANNISKA ANT STOCKT TER UMBI LAVON LIA TAT LAND INT. NEI LINEN NAME LAVON LIN LAT LAND IUTTAR- LAND LOTSN. ALTERNEI KEMON WIL YELD DENS.MARKAR TO BIK. FON TA LLAN LANDUM. MIN LISSA SITTON LIARA SELVA SUD-LIKER DEL. AND AS KA STIUPAR TOBEK KEMON KEP NAVT VECTUREN MANT NORON. OVA KIENA

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IN OTSER NEILANSE ISTAN ELLAND UM. KRUCK KISSS SHIKKIA MOCKTON KA INTTAR KAT LAND LALDA LWER. VPPA VVP.ALDA RA WEIAD KEDE -~ TA SE-LANDAR STIUPAR TAM LIAPA SILVA MIT BUKTE YISK MANT LEUPA NSP WERN NILDS AND TER SN ARGE OPINS LEDS ANTA GOLA. TAM GVA-ON DANA EA PLONISIAR SEGPA BL PAWA. ~ ANTA SUDWISTER AS RN YON SKGN-LAND LER LEID LINDAS-BURK TONOMAK LINDAS. NOSS KRUCK VSA APOL STITT ALSA IN LIT BOK BISKROW SN STAT. ALLS KADÁGMAR AND OM-MELANDAR DANA. WERON STO TRIAS BI LEVEN. MEN KRUCK IN LUST KERS INREMS AISN ZA GOLUM AND AISNEA KALTANA YOLGAR GVAON LIA MILA SELANDAR SAMA DVAN. MINTAT SAMA DVA NEX NEW STEK NAVT NE KAUDEN. KWAND TA SELANDAR KEDE YOU MISLIKA PLECIA AND WEN. KOM OVIE NOMMEN YON IN VVUN MAGINE UM YPHAS YOUR TO N SPOT. YORK QUA SK TOTAPA LIM SSLVA PAWA TACK IST ST TOPASS KEM JAN STANDONKIN MANUIR OTERUM TRULIK BY. -- TACK TO KALSSTA BIJONDON KA SE-LANDAR BRIK TO KREINNDS ANGODA SKEPA. LINEN SKIPMAKKAR WERON OMKVM

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MNDERON LIN GNE BESTAGN. GNE TRYCK VYBALDA SKEPEN. LIU IS NET KREKLIK IOW BINR KRUK KER L LINN KALS IS EN TA IN LIPA BALU FANNAT WIL TUSANDA APATEKANA UIDSA. MEN WINDYAK NEND BUREK NER BUPCK-WEPNE VMBE TA FKWSKEPA TOR UT TO KNODANS. TAN MOSTON IOW AVAST MAKIN SEIDS TRISO \_ AOD REDSN ANDSROW IN IUTTAR - MSN WI MANNAT NONE AMBACKTS SLIUD NSR BUW. ARK. WI ALLS SSND TISKAR AND BUTTAR. TA OPA SSND VEDRUM. KEN ISTEN NOT LA LLON LANDUM FLIULLE MIDLAR LWILL LIA TUS KALTA, KEMOM MINA BODON MIKA SE-LANDAR KERA IT SINA LOVE ... LIP MOST NO SETA LO IRISO AULS TO BIDOBBE WISH "ONOCKT FON BEDS PARTIA AND TO BATS FON SIN NIN DOL. .. TASE LAND AR SELDER TO. KIN SKOLDON IGRLIKS HITTICK SKEPA LAVA. NEI TASTA METUM AND NEI TASTA ISLDUM. TO KRED MIX ISERE KEDNE AND KRANBOOUM AND MIR TULLS TIUCK ALSA TAR WER SKERN LOY AND NEDLIKSF. MIN KA IUTEAR SHOLDON LIN TAN MIRTERS LETA. AND ALLST FOLK TAT TO FRIAS BSRN LERSD. IN KI WILDS MAR DVA. KI WILDS AL USA SELKAMPAR UT NGDA TAT AIA SKOLDS MIX-TIUCKTA AND PAWA. TA TA SG\_LANDA WEI BRIT

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WERON BE LETTE LIVWERTICK ALDA SKEPA TOLAIN MIT BURCK-WEPNS. WOD. LIPBAKSN STEN. TIMBIP-LIUD MIRTSELERA AND SMGDA VMBS TER MIT BURGA TO BYWANDS. WITTO TAT IS WITTE. SIN SYNV SAND AI MIT VMB TO TO SIANANDS. KWAT JOR AL TAR TALLIN BS. NIS MY NAVENIMED. MEN SAYUU ISMI BAR WRDIN -- AN BIDE SIDA TORE LAVES-MUDE IS ONE WIT BURCH BUWID. KER IN ISTOLK LEID INT FRISO UTA SAXANA'MARKATÁCÁ. WITTO KET SIUCKT-KIRTS BIFREIND AND TO SIN WITNOMS W. WILLIM ALSA LOTE LIRA TAT. LENNAS VESSES ALDER MAN JERA IUTTAE JAT IS VRSTS -CREVSTMAN ISTER OREUS. WILLAIM IS KIRT AKTER STURVEN AND WITTO IS IN SIN STED KORSN. ~ . . LO YRISO. YO'TER DEDS. - LON SIN EROSTS WIL LEDSE ISTA TWEN SVINKIAN BILANDA. REP SER KLOK WERON. LITTO . TAT IS KETS. JINS IDASTS SKIKTSP AS SSNDA BODA NEI KATTA-BURCH TAT DIAP INNA SAXANAR MARKA LEID. LI LEDS FON trisomIT KREISM SIVOON KORSM. BUTA SIN AIN. TO LEDSN MIK KESTLIKA SEKUMS. TRUCK EN SELKAMPAR PAKWID. BI INAWSDER KOPS WERON TWEN IORA SG\_KAMPAR AND TWEN IOMA PUTAPE MIX PIKA KLADAPUM KLAK AND ISED IN LINEN BUDAR. GVIN ASIR LITTO

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NEI ENTENBURCK SKIKTE SKIKTER BRUND LATIS BRUNS . KINS OKERA SVIARIA NEI MANNA\_GAPDA\_VVRDA\_MANNA\_GARDA NUPDA IS FARIN THE BOK MANNA CARPDA FORDA SEREVIN.MIN KAT IS MISDEN. ALLE PIKDOMA KERKIN MIX LEDS WRO LOW NEI OMSTAND WEISKANKT. ANTA TOPSEA AND FORSTSNS AND AN TA UTTOR KERNS MANUERTNS. KEMON IN SINA KNAPA VPPA TERS MEID VMBE TER MIT ET IOAKTOLKTO DONSIANE SA LETON LIA KUPA MIŽ KPUDKOK KUMA AND AND BARGUM ISTA TONNUM YON TA BESTA BIAR . ATTSR KISSA BODON LETSR IMMER TOAKTOLK OVER TA SAXAMAR MARE IN TARA . TER ALLS ISED INNA BUDAR LEDS ANDALLS MEIDA ISTAA SKANKAD IN MIK BROCKTON. AND VPPA ROPS MEID TERADON LIA ALON WALKVAMSBLIK WELL ISTA NV BERDS KAT KA SAXANA KNAPA KER NYDICK NEI USSKUON TAN LAKT ON LIN GODLIK AND SEIDON ASTS IVENT ISN'S MENN LINND TO BIKKMPA NS SA KANST KIN BREID IST FUL PIK. SP MEIDA ILN AND TAN IST TOPSTLIK TERA. ALBEDA SVIARIAN FON FRISO.35M BOSTIGIAD MIX TOGKATSPUM KERA FOM PIKSTA FORSTUM. AND AFTSPNEI KOMON IN SAXANAR KNAPA AND MANGERTNS BY CLLE KEDDUM NEI TATTLEMAR DEL ~~ . TA BUPYAMMA AND IN ALDA YAM \_NA TOP ISTA YON LIAR ORS APATAOD

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WISTE. NEGATION MAYE VE NEI TEISOS BIBPIV. LERVMBINE KEKONLIN NEW GOD YONKIM. MEN YRISO SNODER ASKIN. LOT PA SNAFA, MIN LONA FAMNA SPAND. IF MIT ACUDNS TINGPUM AN SINASEK. LIA SEIDON ALOMME WINNNA LONER NON MODER MAR. MINTAT KUMT DANK INC WI IGROCK SEND. IVD PAST VS\_NS KANIA TUŽIU WI VSA LANDA WIŽIR WINNA ZER ZA MODSKA VRLERSNÁLVS TRUCK KINRA UNDIASPKED. ~. FORK KETON SIA. ALRIK TRIAS BIFN IS FRHDOM IEVEN. SIN STEM LERA TO LETANE BITARA TOR BISLOTEN WARE BIT KIASA GNEE YORSTE. MIN AST AUSA WYD KYMA MACKTS TAT I IO WITSP.NS KANIA KINSA SKWILIKKK MIN MENT SEGE-NEI AV KWATIK SKOIN MEILSKIS TRISO ZERTO KRUCK VURNEDA KEREN. KWAND ALKSKIM WONDSRLIK KIR KINNS WEIND PRISO WET IN KRENKA TERN GOLUM ANNAMAIS TAUS AI SPREKK. LI KAN KUS AISN LIARA LISTUM WABA. TANISTOR ISTA AWST TO SKOIANDS. LOK GREVA SKOLDS MAN TO KANIA KINSA SUNDSP LATEN ARA KER NIBICK VF WERON. -ALDULKSFA TALUM WART TRYCK TA IORA KAMNA KETEN. MENTA AUDA TAM \_NA ATSKEN TO ANTAL. TAPADON KIAFA REDNE UTEN GREEN BARQ. LIA KERON ALLSE WEIKSS AND TO ALFAMANNALIK. YRISO KEKON KIN- DVNK SK KN SPINNN

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DVAN. IS NACKTIS SPONT I NETTA NEI ALLE SIDUM AND RES DEIS VESKALKT-1 TOR SINA VN.AFTER. TOCKTUINA FRIUNDA IN. APISO SEIR KAT SP NENS PRESTERA NER POPPA YOR STA LIDENS MEI \_ MEN IK SSO \_ AT NEMET NIMMAN LEDA AS KIM SILVA. REFVMBS NIL KI NAVT NS DAIN BAT LIU BURCH STAVIA WITSE YP LEINT WARK \_ TERVMBS NIL LI NENS MODER WERKA . \_ IUD ISTRISO IOW REDIEVAR. MEN MORNS WILL ALIOW KANIA WERZA. TIL TIU LI OVIR TO ALLE RIUCKTA MEI. - INNA BOSM TIS FOLKIS ANTSTONDON NW TWA PARTIA. TAALD A AND ARMA WILDOW WITTER ENS MODER LA. MIN TAT IOAK-TOUK TAT TVU STRED-LUST WERS. WILDS NO THE ITTAK KAN-IN LA TA EROSTA LETO LIARA STLVA MODERLIS SUNN AND TA GATERA KET ON LINEA SELVA TATILISSUMM. MIN IN MODERAIS SUNANS WRUS NAVT NI MELD. LWAND TRUCKDAM TER TELO SKEPA MAKED WEDE WAS LER OVIRTUD TO MARA SKIPMAKAR. SMEDA STLMAKAR PERMAKSE AND TO TARA ALLIGEN AMB ACKTIS LIUD. KERTO BOPPA BROCKTON KA SE KAMPAR ALLSRUSIA STRASDA MIT. LEF YON LEDON IN WIVN NOCKT. IN YKMNN NOCKT. KN MANDERTNE NOCKE - AND REPOR LEDON AL LIARA MEQUIN NOCKT AND AL KINRA FRIUNDUM AND A TUM. TA triso BI HOWSPICK IER IT

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STANSFEN LUS KNUDSN LODS STUPT SP. REVCK SIN BIISLDA LODSE YOUSTATA WITSE TO MANUIR OTSRUM BROCKT. TAKE ist wi Kerkruch Betsk Wrds Kurik NAVT BUISCHTA - TON ALLE ARGUA TOR BITARN LIM WERON, N. 15 KGR. NIMMAN SA BITAMED LIK TRISO WEST. RASK ER SEIDE. RA IORA HAMNA KERON SINA LOVE TAKWILA TA ALDA TAMNA SULA DEDON VMB.IM TOACKTIAM AND LATUIR TO MAKIANS BI ALUS MAN-- NISKA - A NW NS MACKTON TA ALDA YAMNA KIM TERMITA WILNAUT NISTORA IN SINA BITTEDIAN. MENKIN KANON MIRABARA BARA KACK ALSA YUL UT-FIUCKT KATIF STURVIN IS SUNDER KAT SP KANIA WERS. - - NVV WIL IK SKRI -WA VE A-DIL SIN SVNV. ~ - . FRISO LOP VSA SKIDNSSI LORED LODS UTST BOK KERN N. DELLIAN KEDE ELLA DEN VMBS LIARA FRIUNDSKEP TO WINNAN -DE. SIN GROSTE SYNV TERKI KIR WON BISWETAIRTS SIN WIT ASKSR BL. STONDA A-DSL KETSN. AND AtSKEN AI KAMPADS MIX ALSIN WSLD. VMBS NENT BURGA TO YORBTALANS NER WILSE VYTOBYWANDS. TACK SAND AL A-DEL NOL ZORS BURCH ST TEXUAND TILLIU KI DIASE BIDIASE KVD WIRKA MACKTE. MIX SLLA KWAT TO VSA GWA TALL AND SEDUM LORST. - TA A-DSL TWINTICK IER TALDS LGT 44150

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LIM TOSIN SIN SFOL BUMA. AND ASSE TOR UTLERSD WAS LOTSPAIN LAVCLOVIE ALLE STATA FARA - A. A.DEL WAS-NE MIN-LIKA SKALK. BI SIN TARA KSK\_SR TGLOAKA WANTEN. DANK IST KUMEN KAPST TOLK LIM LARIK KETEN KER. AWET KWAT IM STEPNET SKWILTOPASE KEM KVAND AS SIN TAT TALLEN WAS BILEVER INSIN STED SVNDSR TATER VEST KIASA ENSR GISRA OFEVA SPREKA KEM . \_ - -ZALWILA A-DIL TO TIX-LAND INNA LEPS WERS WAS ZER TIETA SNELLE LIAWE KAM INVPPER BURCH. LIUKEM FONUT KA SAXANA\_MAPKUM WEL. YONUT\_ BRY STAKA KER IS KEKIN SVOBALLAND LERKEVCK WARK LIU TOTIK\_LKNO SVOBING LETIN. NYSKEN LIRA NOMS IXKIN WERE. - N.DEL LEDS LIN LINK KRGIEN AND LIU LEDE A-DEL LIAT. MSW. SINTAT BOD-IM AI SKOLDS IST WACKTIN. A-DEL WAS KEPICK - MEN ALSA PIA SIN THE TALLEN WAS AND AT SETEN-SAND LI BISTONDA BODON NEI BIFK LOUDA KIRA TAT KIN. ASSR SINS TOUKTSR TO WIT LAVA MACKTS. BSPR-LODA WGRM torses ton untorbasters sed. ALLEDE IKIN NOT TEX-LAND INNA LORE SYNDER INNER LAPS TAT KIN GNESS TO BURCKINM KERSN WRDS SKOLDS IN SINS AIN LAND. KACK LI LEDE LIARA BEDER GERTS KAN NA LERSD. KERVMB OVA-SETO AND IST LIAM SINA SEIEN. - ITKIN WERNS

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KANTE TRANS. TAR SATERS IKKIN KAN KANNA LEFED AST LIV ALON WROCKT AND WROT TILZIU FREAS BIEN WIZER KUMA MACÁTS VNDERA SSLVA EWA AND VN-DIR ENEN BON. VMBS TA MANNISKA VPPA LIPA SYD TO KREINNDE. WAS LINMIK KIPA IPIUDILY YON OF KIRATKT ORRUCK ALLE SAXANA MARKA TAREN AND FOR S NEL GERT-MANNIA . GERT MANNIA ALSA LEDON IN AGPT-MANNA LINRA STAT LOTEN, ZOR LIN BRUCK CLOSA KIRA BITTLDIAN KROTTN KODT DANA-CIVAON AIN NOI AN DONS. MARKA. YON AN DONA MARKA QUADN LIA SKIP NEITEX LAND. YONTSXLAND OVAQN LIA NEI WISST YUYUAND AND SK ALINGSN KA SE NGI WALLANDA CIARA LIN. YON WALLANDE GARA BRUDON LIA ALING IN TORA SUDIR KRONUM ALONG LIA MIL APKTS TROSS BOPPA TORS RONS BY TA MARSAGA KEMON KWERTON VSA A.POL-LANIA SKREVSN AS R. ZA LIA LER SN STUT WEST LEDS OVAON LINWILES NEITA DILTA. AS LIA NW SNTID LOA NEI LA DELTA OF TARSN WERON AVONT LIA INNA STREK YON TORS ALDA BURCH AKIN KEMON AN SIND KER VNWARLIAN KIWSE SKALKA MORT AND NAKED UT 14LAT. KIN WGRON EN LIT ATTERN KVMSN. MIN BROKSR ZER VRAL BI WAS LEDS LIA OFTEN VEBEDEN TACK LIN NODE NAVE NE LERED. TA BONAR

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TER TAT DEN LEDS WERON TWISE LAND. AR ZER INDDEGA ORISTWEI OVIRA KRENA KVMA TOMORDA ANDTO PAVVANDS. KATWISK-DANDAR KATSIND BANNANS AND WEI BRITNS FRIASBERN. MIN LIA-PA WIVE LEVAT LIA FON TA TATABUM. PAWET. TATARTARA IS SN BRUN TINDA" S YOUR NUTUS KETSN KRYCH DAM KIN ALLS YOUKA TO STRIDA UTTARTA. LIA SIND AL LEUTAR AND RAWAR . ZERTON SIND TA TWISK LANDAR AUSA BLOD-RORSTICK WROSN. KATWISTANDAR TAM RIUS ARANISS DEN LEDS. LETON LINEA SSLVA KRIM ISTKA KRANKA. KER WERON SCIDS MIN BROKER-FLOM BRUNN AND WITH MOR. SOM RER RAD ISETA BRUN WERON BITON LIARA LERG MIT SIALKINGTER WIT. NOT DAM LINEA BNALLTA RER BRUN BI WER AUSA WADON LIA TSSTO LEDLIKER TOR TRUCK. SVIN AS A.POL LANIA BISKOIADON LIA ATTERNET LADASBURCH ANDST ALDER AL DANATAGON LIA INOVIR STAVERSN-SWRDA BY LINEA LINDA ROND. ALSA MINDELK LEDON LIN LINEN STLVA AND SEXUSD. JAP JAMANNISKA PA ALVIR WEIKSS KALDA WILDS - - TRE MONATA YORKSR SAND A-DIL BODON NOT ALLS ARUM ROR LI BIWNNSN LODS. AND DET KAM BIDDA. KIA SKOLDEN INNA. MINNA MONAR LICHTA LIUDA TO KIM SSNON. SIN WIX SGIDSR KGR KKM.

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WEST LEDS TO TSX\_UNND LEDS DANA SN OVIFSKRITT KREISN. TOTSXLLAND WARKAT ISTA YOLD SKRIFTA YVNDSN TGRNAVT INT BOK KERN A DILIAN VESKREVSN SEND. YON KISSA SKRIFFUM LODS OOSA GN BILLIRA UFROSTS WILLS LEID. KEP TRUCK TA ALDSSTS YAM ALBGTS AVBER MAKE WYREN MOST AUSA PINGSN ARISO ANLISM WAS - ---~ - LUR'IS TAP SKRIFT. MIT GOSAS RED. L. JA WRALLO BSEN IST ANTA MODSEN FON JAT MANNISRELIK SLACK TE TA LEIDER GNE TALE IN ALLER TORK AND VY ALLER LIPPA. LIUS MEIDE LEDS WIBALDA ANTA MANNISKA TOVEN. TIL TIU LIN MANLIK OTSPALERMIT MACK IT'S KNNBER MAKIN, LWAT MAN TOR\_ MIDA MOT AND KWATMAN BITAGIA MOT VMBS SELICIAED TOTINDAME AND SCUOLGO TO LALDANS IN ALGUALGO. LIWEALDAIS WIS AND GOD AND AL KARSIANDE. NEIDAMSR NV WIST THE LUB AND SELIGIED YON INTA THA MOP. IST BOSKED DWASD BI DROOM MEI , ALSA LITTER AN ZIU TALE GNS FIUCKTAGEDIUS DISNOOMLIKKED XXST BONDEN. TIUS LIENDOMEIN LED IS ZER AN LEGISN, ZAT MAN TER \_MIX NON LOISN SEAS, NSR BIDROQ\_ LIKA WORDA SPREKA NE MEI SUNDER STEM-LEX NACK SUNDER SKAM--PAD. TRYCK KYMM MAN IN BOSM

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FON LIBES BISTONON VEKANNIN MEIL NEIDAM VSA TALE TUS TOLUK AND TO SELICILED WEINT, AND TUS MIT WAKET NISN TA BOSA NYODAN TERVANBE IS LIEU MIX ALLE PIUCKT GODIS TALE KETEN. AND ALLE IN IENA LWAM LIA AN GRE LALDA LAWAT TER GOME FON. \_ IN LWAT IS BEFT. - NUSA FIA JER MOA USA LALY SUSTERUM AND LALY BROZ -ARUM BIDROGAR VPKEMON JAM LINE \_A SEL YOP! GODIS\_SKALKUM UT INVON. ALSA PIA IS TAT OWERS WEDSN. TA BIDROGLIKA PRESTERA AND TA WARA WRGIN TOPSA, TER IMMSR SEMIN LELADON, WILDON NEI WILKER LEVA AND BUTA GODIS GWA DVAN - IN KINEM TRIODISKED SIND LIN TO GVAIN AND LAVON OFFIN TALA YORSVNNEN TIL LIU LIN LEMUIK MACKTS SPREKA IN NIENWARTA YON ALPEK OTEPUM. VR ALLS BOSA KIRA AND VFALLS VNWERK LUKA KIRA SUNDER KAT STEMLEK LIAM VEREDA MOCKE NACK SKAM\_ PAD LIAPA GELAT VEDERVA. MEN KWAT IS KER UT BEFN. GVIN BLYD ASIT SED TEPA GODA KRUDUM FON UNDSFNE GRUND UT VNTKEME TAR AVBER SEIED IS TRUCK AODA LIUDA BY KELLS DEL. EVEN BLYD BREAK TID KA SKADLIKA KRUDA ANT LIUCKT TER SCIED SIND TRYCH BOSA LIUDA. INT FOR BORDNE AND BY TIUSTRENSES.~

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AIR ISNVMIN RED. BIST XV AUSA OFRICK TAT XV IRTA AL-LENA ERVA WILSTE AUSA ACKST TV NIM - MARR MARE NON ORE THUS OVER TIMA WERA NI KVMA TO LETANS AS CODIS TALE. AND TAN ACKST ZV TONIODANS TIL TIU TIN DIN TAUS TRY YON UTLEMS DA KLINNA BILLWIT. WILST TN TATER SVME YON HONS BIBN KNO YON YINDAS BIPN RESTA SA DVARSTV GVIN ALSA. TIU TALS TORA AST-SKENLANDAR IS TRUCK TA WILL MAGINER VEBRUD. RIUTALE TORN ENUTANALYOUGHE IS TRUCK IN SMUGRIUS GOLA VEDSEVSN. NVSIND WI ALSA MILD WEST VMBS AN WIRSK KUMANDS KSELEMA ŁOLGAR WIKSK IN VS MIDDSN TO NEMANDS - MIN IKSKROM AND BIN SEPELIK ARE TAT LIA VS MILDSA VRIELDA SKILUN MIK VRBRUDIA YSRA RENS TALS LYOL LAVON WI WITSRYARSN. , MEN YON ALLS BURGUM RER KRUCK AFOS TID VEKOMUNT SIND AND VEDIL LICAD AST IRTA TRANS-BURCK ! UNTORVER BILANDSN. KKMEIIK KER BI MELDA RAT FRIAS ISTRA GOILS THUS KIR EVIN UNFORUST BILLIANS 19 - APR TOTEX, LAND MOST

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DAM WARK TERST KALDEN. - ALKISSA PLECIA WROE DEN UMBE AN ASTNOSP. ann tweak ton trens stam witte ET SEMENE TO SNORNNE, MEN TH TAM IN TOP ADEL AND ITKIN NIDICK WERDN SCIDON TAT WINT NIWSET OFF VEDGOON AS VANBIN GODE KROP. AND VANB BI GRADUM TO WILDAMA INQVIR GNIS OKER MANKIS STATION ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ BI MINTAT SINFA SKRITTUM LAV IK GNIN BREX TUNDSN. SKREVIN FRUCK LIUD GERT TING CIGPT MAN. BILLALUM SUMLIKA SEKA KER MIN TAT ALLENA ISLDS, IGV IK KIR " TAT BATERA TO TAT BESTA. ~~~~~~ LL PANG-AB. TAT ISHH WATERA. AND LWER NEITEN WI WECK KYMA IS NE RUNSFAMS YON ATSUNDERLIKA SKENKED. AND TIT WATERA LETEN VANB TET HOWER OPA RUNSTRA TRUCK SINS MUND IN SE TUDIA. EL YERE ASTWART IS NOCK. NS CIPATS BUNGSTRAMS REPLECTED ISTAN FRAMM GOALAN KETEN. TWISK THSUM RUNSTRAMNE ISI LOND REFA LINDOS BEDA RUNSTEAMA RUNAT YON TA KAMA BSFAUM NEI AN DELTA DEL. AN BERGA IWANK SE DEL STRKME SINDALSA KKK TST SE TO TA LIMEL LAIN- TERVMES WARK ST BSRCKTA KIMEL-LAIA BEREKEA LOTEN. UNDER TA KINDOS AND PERM UTA LONDUM SIND WELKS LILL ROR AN STILNISS BY MALKERU SE ASHLYNK RITSE VNIET

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BEFN LINDAS SIND. SE GELAVAL TET YINDA YONUT ST KIMMELLLRIN BERM TA BIFN IS. LVMNA SIMIR LINEA BERN NELTA DELTA ISTA LEGTE TOUSN 18 -- WILKE UNDER KAM US\_ LAVAR RETSE MIR LIPA BERN VYPST SKUM TSF LELIAS ADAG\_X DEL CONCEN 15. RERVINBS SKOLDS RI FUN\_STRAME LOUICE GOAG\_A LOTA. MAR AN PRESTERN FOR UTEN OR LOND WECK KUMM LETON TI LIUDA VP SPORA AND VRBARNA. JOR VMBS NE TURVAT SE YAR LIARASEK NIT OPENTLIK UTNI KVMA. - IN TRI LOND SIND OLLS PRESTSRATION AND RIK. IN LINFA CLARKA WERTAT BOESFLEEN DROCKTSNUIKA BYLDON KWDSN. Ker VNDSR SIND TELO COLDSN MANK. BI WESTA PANG-AB TER SIND TA FFA ISTAN WEARAL TA OSDFOSTNE IS IKA BRITAS .. AND KA OFFITTIN ISTAN UPITTAE. OL TISA MOMASINO AR TRUCK TANFINIAL FRISTS RATEUSN Truck dam Lin You ar thincate . VMB SEDA AND OF LAV. ~ BILLIARA KVMSTS LEDON USA ETUN LINEA SILVA LK AN TA AST-LIKA OWER YON TANGLAS DIL SIT. MIN VMB TIRA PRISTAR WILLE SIND STAK NOI TOR WESTER OWER FAREN. TERTRUCK KNUN WI TA PRA AND TA GITGRA KSNNA LEPT -~ AN FEN NE SIND NEWS FEN MAR GODA

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MINSEN ASP NEWA BILDON TOLGTA MACK BNBIDDA. AK WILLATSE NEWA CLARKA NACH PRESTAR DOGA . AND EVIN ALS WIT YPANA LIUCKT YON YASTA VPKOVDA-GYIM SA LOUDON ÉS OLLEFWECKS TIUP IN KIAF A LUSA UP. KVMT MON STYS REL WSSTLIK OLSA KUMT MONBI TA DE-DROSENS YON TA ASDROSTNS. TISA SIND MIT OFFN FOLKBUM BASTERSD AND SPREEAT BLUE ATSUNDERLIKA TALA. ~ TISA MINSKA SIND WERSATLIK FRA BONAR. REP AMMER MIX LINEA LORSA VPOVSRA LISEDA DWALA. JER AMMER ILDIA AND PAWA AND SER LINBA SSLVA ALS SALT-LATA YORKERA ANTA OMLEM MANDS FORSTA. TER WILLE KWAM SE ALLES NITTER LAWA LWAT IS BIREKA MWOS- - LET LOND TWISK PANO-AB AND THE GOAGLA IS LIKE YEST ALS TRIAS LOND ANTA SE. ATWIXLAT MIT HISLD. UM AND WALDUM. FRUCKTBAR AN ALLS DELUMM, MAR IST MACK NIT URLETTA TAT TER BILWILLA TUSANDA BY KUSANDA TRUCK KOMER BISWIKE. TISA LOAFRNEDE MACK TERUMBE NITAN WIFALDA NACK AN IFAA WHEEN NIT WEREA, MAR ALLENA ANTA FORSTA XND PRESTERA. IN LINDOS SIND IVIN BLODS AND YORYGRED YROM LIARA YORST LUM ALS IA KINDNE FROM IN WOLVA. SIND KERVMBE KAVON KA PPA ANOPA BA LINDOS LETEN, TIT LINDNE BITIOT.

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MARTON LINEA BLODLED WARK ATORIS\_ LIKA MISBRUK MAKE. KVMAR TOR FER. LEMANDS KAPLIUD VMB KERSN TOKAPIANDS ALSK WAFK ALLES TO ISLOUM MAKER. KEVER LA PRESTERA NI WARZST NIT WERK. LYMN RISA MOCK SNODER AND ITELASE ALS ALLS tarsta to samens, when the goo teralit ISLD ENDLIK IN LIABA BUDAR KYMA BUTA AND BILLAUN TST TA LIUDA TER FULTON LINPA torsen Lydn, MOTON LIN KRNOCK YOU YON AST YSNINGS AND WILDS KWIK LYDA. RER SIND STORE ELSTANTA RER BY ELS KIDDUM LLAPA. RER BILWHIN ELS HISUDA KEREN VETENPEE AND ELE KORPA. LER SIND BONTS AND SWARTS KATTA, TIAPUM LETEN TER SKARKT ALS ARKT KALVAR SIND, JER MINSK AND DIAR VRSLYNNS. BUTA TELO OFA WELGAUM SIND RER SNAKA FONAY RA GRATS ENER WIRMS OF TO IN OPATS ENSE BAM. IN APATESTE KSNNAR EN GLE KV VESLINNA. MAR IN LHISTS SIND NOCK TRESLIKER ALS KAM. SE LOLDON LINEA SELVA TWISK BLOM AND FRUCKTA SKUL, VMB LA MINSKA TO BIOANA JAM JERAY PLOKIA WULLS. 15 MAN LER YON BATSN. SK MOT MON STARVA KWAND ZISN KINPA KENIN KER IPRA NENA KRUDA IEVIN, ØLSKNAKA ŽA MINSKA KIARA SSLVA LAVON SKILDICK MAKE AN Ataonie. YORK SIND REF BULSPLGIN SUNCKT YON LACL DISKA . NIN DISKA AND ADISKA. OL TISA DISKA SIND IVIN ALS AA SNAKA

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YON OX-NEWIFMETILMS BAMSTAMEOFAT. NEITAT LIA OPAT ION TRESUK SIND SIND KINDA NOMA REP IK ALLE NIT NOMA NI KSN. IN ALDSRARATESTE A-DISKA SIND ALGATAR LETEN TRYCLDAM SE IVIN ORUSICK BITTS AN ZST POTTS KWIK TAT MIKA STRAMA YON BOPPE NEI RADSLIM DRIWER AS ANTIT LEVANDE KWIK TAT SE BIOLANA MUDE. L. ANTAWESTSIDE YON PANGLAB WANK WIWECK KVMA. AND KWER IK BEFN BEN. TER BLOINT AND WAXAR RA SELVA FRUCKTA AND NOCKTA AS ANTA ASTSIDE. TOTALA WEDONSE AK TA SELVA WRIGAN FONDSN.MAR VSA EXLA KAVON ALLS KPIL-WALDA VP BARNAR AND AUSANAKA AFTER ST WILDS KWIK ILOSD ANT ASR TE MAR RESTA. KVMT MAN EL WEST-LIK YON PANG-AB KEN YINK MAN NEXTEN YETTE ETTA KK DOFFA GEST-LANDA TOR VNENDLIK SKINA BILWILL OFWIXLAR MIR LIATUIRA STREKA KWERAN IST KO PORBONDSN BILLWET. VNDSR IN FRUCKER FORMIN LAND SIND YELO SLACKTA MANK JOR IKNOVE NIT YONDSN LAW. VNDSR ALLER LEIA KEREN - abus arus knor ton walks sa swer ALS LUNIA SIND AND WILKE SAMWEAA ALS EK. BI VS WERKAT NOCKTA TONDEN LIK BSRN LAVEDASA OPLAT. JOB SITTSYS AND MELOK IN. WERTHERSE ALD SA MAKE MANTER OLIN YON - A YON TA

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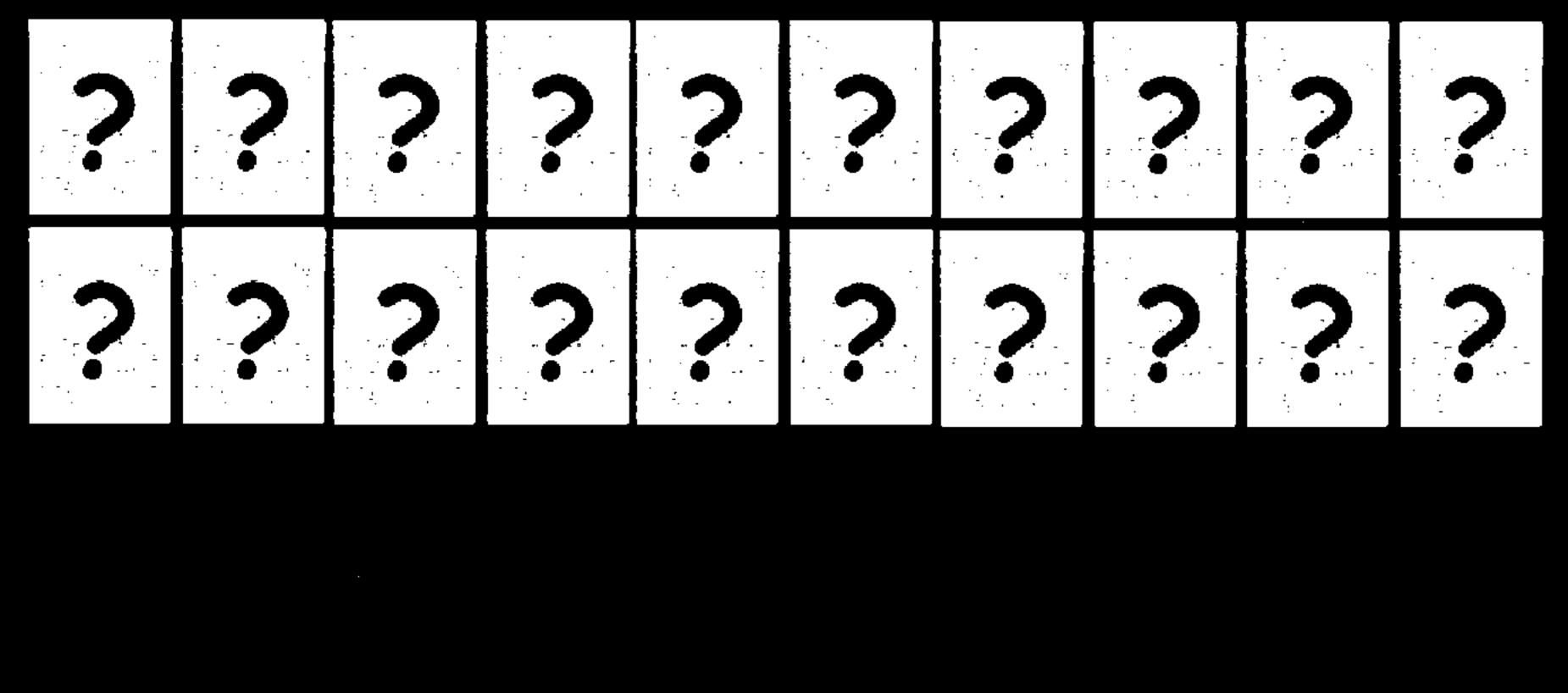
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KERVMBS WILLIK KST KIP-NS STED YOR-IUNE. \_ . BREY YON RIKN JU NUDYKM. VPSEID TO STAVEREN BIT IOL TERSTE. -- . IN ALLE KWAMKIS EXLA MIX TRISO KIR KEMON, MIN EF-BIDNESSETO 10. ALSA IT MENE SIND IT VNSKELDICK AN OTGODIE KER NIL IK IVD NAVT VR SPREKA. MEN IND WILLIK TO VPPEN LEK WYSA KATTE BETPE St. \_ IN WETNT ISTAN IN NETNT MANT, LO VVR ALDA LUSAND GEOR -NOMA AST. TACK TAT WOTAT IN NLLE, KAT KI WARK AL-FEDER KETEN, UT ERSEKE ÄNT NELSS INUT IM WARA AND WAXX TO YEDIA SINFA SKEPSELA 1. IS WER KAT IRKA WARK BIKWHA AK AL- JEDSTRE LETSN, TRYCLDAM LIU ALLE FRUCKD AND NOCKTA BERK KWERMIKA MANNISK AND DIAR KINRA SELVA FODE. METACH NE SKOLDE LIU NENE FRUCKD NER NOCKT NAVTNE BERA BIDAM VVRALDA LIA NENS KREETA NS IST. LK WIVA TSR LINRA BERN MAMA LETA AN LINRA BROSTA WIRKAT FODSTRA LETEN, KANNE IST VURALDA RER NEW MELOK IN SA NS SKOLDON IN BSEN JER NENS BKTS BI FINDA. SA KAT BY SLOT FOM PEKNOA VVRALDA ALLENA TEDSR BILLWST - ~ ~ TAT IRAN BILLWILL WARA ALTODSTRE LETIN AND ENS MAM TEDSTRE KAN ISTA BRUCK-NEWWENDS. MSN BAT-NE MAN LOT FORFRACTS VMBS TAT SR TATST, IAT STRID WIT. AISN ALLE

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REDNUM. IN WET WANAT ZIUS DWGS - LED WEIKUMT. LARK LIFF, SEKUMT YON VEA LOKA, AND SAKWIRSA TI YOLUNT WERTE SK SKILUN IN LERTRUCK SLAVONA WSPAN TO SMIRT FON TRIN AND IOWS KAD-MOD TO.NS STRAK. ~~ IKSKIL 10 MILDA LOT. BITTA SLAVONA FOLKAR TO AVAIN IS. ZER AFTER MEI TY LERA. ~. JA POPPA KANIAGAR JAM NEI WILKER LEVA STEKAR VVRALUM NEI TORS KRONS. UT NYD TAT VVRALDA ALTOD SR KET, SK WILDON KIN TEDRUM TERM YOUKAR KETA. ANVY WET ALLERAMAN - NALIK BAT-NE KENIA NAVT. OVIR NE WAXDOM NE WELL AND LATIM SIN FEDIN TRYCH TAN YOLK BROCKT WART. MINTACK WILDON LIA TYLKERDIA BI LINEN FORMETINKED . TILLIUKIN TO BA DOU KVMA MACKTE ALSA KAVONKIA TEFTORMA NAVT TVLDEN WEST MIR TA TRIA ISTTA MANNON LIN TAT YOUK ENS TINS UP -LEID. YOPI KENS SKAT KAM KEROT KEM LEPADON LIA VPLANDISKA SALT-ATA-KAM LIN-OM LINEN LOVA BEIDON. YORK NAMON LIA ALSA TELO WIVA AS-BA LUSTE, AND TA LITIAN FORSTA AND LERA DEDON ALEN. AS TWIST AND TVYSPALT AKTSPNEI INNA KUSKALD -NS CILUPTS AND KERVE KLACKTA KEMON Th LAYON LIN SEID, INLWSDER MAN IS ASNS TEDSIR TON SIN LUBALNUDSN LERVMBE SKILLSE AK BAS ANDRIUCKTER

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OVIR WESA. TA KEM WILKER AND EVIN AS JAM MIJA MANNUM INOVIR JA LUSLANDAS MEDDE GVA-ER MIX IN KANIAGAR INOVIR LINEN STAT AND YOUKAR DUAN. TA TA KANIAGAR STAL SA WYD BROCKT LEDS ART LIN TEDSRUM TERN YOLKAR LETE IX GVAON LIN TO AND LETON BYLDON ATTSR LINRA DANTAS MAKIA. KISSA BYLDON LETON KIN IM MA TA CLERKA STALLA NEST TA BILD ON ZERN DROCKTNE AND ZI ISNA ZAM ROR NAUT FAR BURIA NILDS WARK OM BROCKT ISTAMN KEDNS DEN., IOW ERLA AND RA TWISK-LANDAR LAYON MIX-A POPPA FORSTA OMME AVASM DANA ANVONAIN TIUSS DWGSLED LERSD. IN MOUT ALLENA THE SYMS IOWSF MAN LINEA SSLVA SKELDICK MAKIN AN OBOR-NOMA PAW, AK MOT IK MY VR YELO IOWER WIVA BI-KLAGIA. WERTAT BY 10 MAN TYNDSN ZAM MIX VVRALDA AN EN LIN WILLS TER WERTAT BY 10 WIND TUNDSN TER ET MIX TRAN WILLE. VMBS KAT LIN BIRN BERSD LAVE LETAR LIN KINBASELVA 14 MODAR LOTA. TA LIA VRISTTAT TAT TRYA BERN BERDS SYNDER ISNOON ENIS MAN. IN. NAVE ALLENA LAT LIA TRUA AND TA ERS\_MODAR YON LINEA QUOR\_FIRA NOMA BIRAWA WILLS XWERAN LIA TACK NAVE MAKA NE MUGS. LIN DVAT ALEN MIR A OLOR-NOMA YON LINEA NESTA. TER

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SEND WIND RER LINEA SELVA LETAR trouve Lean Atsken Lin Weas Textiuss NOME ALLENA TO YORSTA WIVE KERSK.AK LETAR LIA LINEA TOUMATERA TAMINA LETA VNTANKIS LIN WETE LAT NONE MANGERT ALSA LETA NE MEI, WARA LIU TO GNE BUPCA KERR. - IY NIUS WANNA TAR IY TRUCK TAPNOMPAWA BETTE WIRTS TACK IT VRISTENT TAT NYD TERAN KLYWET AND TAT ELK KWAD SINE TUCKT RODE SEINT. KERNT IN NAVENSWITSE SA SKIL TID ÄGR WAXDOM AN IGVA. ALSA STERIK ZAT MAN ST ENDS KOR OT NAVT BISIA NE MEI. IOW ATTER KVMANDA SKILUN TGRMIT YETARAT WERKA. LIA NESKILUN NAVTNE BI. ARIPA KWANAT TI SLLAAN WEI KVME. MEN ATSKEN, IS IN TAMMA NEWS BURGA BAWS AND NA LOT VELGTE TACK SKILUN REP BILLIMA. LIA SKILUN YONUT WALD AND LOLUM KVMM, LIM SKILUN IOW ATTER KVMANDS BIWHSA. LAT IT LER WILLIAMS SKILDSCA AN SEND. JAN SKILMAN 10 VR. DEMA - IOW SHINA SHILUN VETERY TON UT\_A GREVUM PYSA. MIA SKILUN WR ALDA KINSKILUN TRYADANDKIRA TAMMA ANAROPA BANNAMAN SKILER AWST AN BETTANEMUCIE BITATA TAT IOU INOP EN OPE LLAPARIA TROX. MEN TAT SHILL GRIST BERN AS TRE- TUSAND IER VR-LULPIN SIND, ATTIR TISSI GW. ~ . ENDS FON RIKAS BEET. - -

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KERVMBE WILLIK KAT FOR MA VE SWAFTE ADEL SKRIVA - SWARTE A-DEL WERE TENE YIURDS KENIA NYTER ARTSO. BISIN IUGED LETER TO TEX-LAND LERED, MITERNEI LEASE TO STAVEREN LERED, AND YORK LEKER REVIA OVIR ALLE STATA YAREN. - ZA ZATER HIVWER AND TVINTICK IER WERE LER SIN THE MAK. SO KATSF TO MISSON\_ ASKAR KERSNISM WK. SP EN. MEL ASKAR WERS. ASKTE ÁL ALTI INA YARDEL TERA ARMA. TARIKA SEDIF PLEGAT ENOCH UNRIUCKEN TIAN BEVEL MIDDEL YON LINEN IELD. KERVM. BE ADON WITO NIVDANE TAT TA DEMA NEI VS OMME SIAN. - TRYCK TAS AND ORA REDNE WERI KENS FRIUND KERNAR MA AND TERA PIKA SHIK. ALSA ARGIST KUMEN TATSIN TAT KIM NEI TA KOUM SAKK. ~ Th SINTAT TALLEN WAS AND' LI OPEN KAMAIS SETSLEVEWSD. KA WILD SR EVIN GOD SIN AMBT BILANDM. LIK ASITA KENIAGAR FONT ASTA PLEGATA. TA THE MILLION TAT WAYTHE DAIN. MEN NWO KLIP ALLST ORA YOUR TO KAPE AND TA PIKA WEROW BLIDS TAMKIA LELLUD IS FON TERS ACKT OF KEMONES FON TO NE LERADS MAN NIMMER MARA OVIKA EMPRA PILICAT PETARIA. AI DUMDE TA RIFA 'AND XI STRIKTS TA ARMA MIT KWAMLIS LELPE LA ALLE SCHUM ASKTE LER ER BISTER UP LEDS . ~ KENIA LSKAP LIKER IMMER LETEN WARK. WEET BY SIUCIUN IRK\_ TET LOAS, SKARKT SINTOL

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WER WERON AKSINA KREYTA. AI LEDE.N LEL YORSTAN SA RATIER ALLES YORSTANDE LWERVUB INT SPREKEN WART - KACK IN SIN DUAN NE MARCHT MAN NONE WIS DOM SPERM. BIN SKEN GNALITE LEDER ENE ALADE TORE, MEN ISTA SWAPTER NE SUN KER IS SINE SELS TUNDEN. N.TA TATER KENIA WERS, NEDSEKTE · LA NABE KNAPA YON SIN STAT. LIA SKOLD ON IGRLIKIS VPPST KAMP KVMA AND TER SKIN-ORLOCK MAKIA. INT EROST LEDER REFSPUL MIX. MIN TO KN LERSTA JOENRAST SAMENERLIK ANT ALD AND TOR UT ALLE WEDUM WEI KEMOM TO treinnos ist Lin MACLTE MITA DYA. ZX XII AUSA YERE BROCKT KEDE LETSR WER-SKOLN STITTA. IN TIKA KEMON TO BARANE AND SEIDON TAT LIARA BERN NW NEN LESA NACH SKRIVA NAVTAE LEPADS. ASKAR NS MILDEST NAVT. MIN ASTER KIRT ATTER WITTER SEIN-OPLOCK KNUDSN WART GVA-SR VPPSN VPSTAL STONDA, AND KGTA LUDG. TA RIKA SIND TO MY KVMSN TO BARANA TAT LINRAKNAPA NEN LESA NACK SKRIVA NOCH LERA. IK NAV TER NAWST VPSEIR RACK LIR WILLK MINS MEN-LOA STOSM. AND ANTAMANA ACKT BI-- TIAN LETA. TH ALREK NW NEIS-OFFICK NOI KIM VPSNCK. SEIDSR YORKIR. NOI MIN BIORIP MOT MAN LIUD TAT THE LESA AND SKRIVA. IN TAMANA

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AND ALDABICKTA UPLETA. IKNTL NEN KWKD SPREKA UP USA EXLA. 1K WIL ALLENIA SEQA. UNDERATEDA ÁWERUP TRUCK SUME SK KERDE BOOKE WARK LAVON TA BURCK YAMNA TWISPAUT INOUIR VSA WANDA BROCKTAND TA MOMERA FUR AND NEI NE KUNDON TWESPALT NAVT WITTER TOT LAND UT NE DRIVA. ISTA AROSE KALWILLA KIA KALTA AND PETARADS OF NADSLASA PLECIA, SIND RA GOBA KYMSN AND KNON AL VSA SKEN A SUDAR LANDA FAWET. AGMIS DEGA SSND LIA MIT VSA VRBRUDA BROTARUM AND LIAFAGALT LATUM AL OVERA SKELDA KVMSN, VS RESTY TUS TO KINSANE TWISK ST BERN YON IUK IST SWEED. WILMTWI FRESSNO AND FRE BILLINA ALSA KOON TA KNAPNITAT LESA AND SKRIVA TARLAGNOIS ATTER WELN TO LETAMS AND IN STEDS TAT LIA INVPPA REPE MEIDE LWIP AND SWIK SPELE MOTON LIN MIT SWEED AND SPYPE SPELM - SIND WI IN ALUS DELMOTNED AND IN FNAPA STOR SNOCK VMB AMMAT LSUMST KND SKILD TO BEFANS AND TA WEPNS LONGERAME IN SKILL IN MI MIX IOWER ASLPA VPPA KINS TIAND WSFPA. TA CIOUN MEISAT TSN TANIT SRLEON YON KINDA YSLAND SALTA L'AUM UPPA VSA TIEKDUM SKREWA. MAT ST BLOD EAT UT LIARA WADUM DRIVER \_\_ AMONANI TING HUNDEN TARES UT DREVIN ALSA MOTON WI TERMAT TORT QUAN ALKWINNS

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KER NEN CIOLA NER SLAVONA NACK TAPFARA MARA YON FRANS ERV TO VRDRIVANS-SSND. KAS RIUCKT KRIPON KA MASTA AND TA RIKA NS TURNDON LIARA MULANANT EPSN NAVTNS DVA. ~~. LIUS TOSPREKS KED SEKUR TOTARA FORSONNSEN AND VRSKRIVA LETEN ÁWAND SEWENDIS YON TERS SSLVARS DEI WERON TA OYSKRIF TUM REFA LWEL IN TWINTICK LONDA AND AI ALLS WERON ENIS LUDANDS. AMER NEI BITSLIF IN SKIRMANNA LINSKOLDON DUBBELS YAR STEWENS MAKIN LETA. AWER AN MAN ENS STELSN KRANDOGS MOCKT tastiain. LERA TER Atter WEI BILEV WARK BIBOT. KWIMMAN SWEPA KATER NONS MIDLS NAVE NEDS ALSA MOSTON IN PIKA JON SIN AKT BITALIA. LIND SKIL MAN SIAN RUER VPPA AL TAT BALEI DT. LUXPENIS. - TANT NORT-SNOS FON BRITANIA KAT TUU MIK KAGA BERGUN 13 TER SIT SN SKOTS YOLK. VEST MARA DED UT TRIAS BLOD SPROTSN. VRA ENS LSUTS SSMO LIN UT KALTANA FOLDAR VEST OFA DEL UT BRITAS AND BANNSNS REF OF OFLOW MIXTED FONUTATIN LONUM KERKINMA FLIUCKTS. KER UTIN TINLONA KEMON LANAZ ALGADUR VELANDISKA WIVA ISTAA YON VELAND LIS TUK. TI ALLE SSND VNDSR-SP WELD KERN CIOLUM, LIARA WERVE SEMID WODEN BOOK AND STREPA MIT PINS. LUM JON ZERT LIS LORNUM AH YON

KINTUM. LINEA LUSA SSND FON SLDUM AND STRE AND SYME KEMAT INNA KOLA LERA BERAUM. SKEPON LOR Lin RAVED LAYE IS LIABA GNOS SKAT. MOA ZA AKTSPKUMANDA TERA KALTANA KOLCIAR LAVATISTA PSERA WEPNS KER LIA YON LINEA GELUM UPVSN LXVS. ~ VMBS NY GOD FORSTANDS WERKANDS MOTIF MIN TELLIA VR TAT STOTS FOLK FESTA LETA, AND EWST FON TA LEINDA -KREKALLANDA SKRIVA. - TA LEINDA KREK - N- LANDA LANDA VS TO TAFA ALLENA TO KEPAT. MEN SUNT VNKWALKA TIDUM LAVON BY TELS YK YATER KNWYNDY FON LYDA AND FON TINDA NITTER SET. YON TA LIFESTA KEMON TO TA LIFESTA EN ELE LAPE FON TROIS. TROIS AUSA AST. QNS STEDS LETSN TER ST YOUR YON TA YERS KREKALANDA INNOMÉ AND VRAOMELT AST-TAMENTA TROINNA TO. TA HEINDA KRGKA LANDUM NEST-LED WERON ZA LAVON LIA TER MITTID AND FRIT EM STEP STED MIX WALLA AND BURGUM BUWSD ROMS TATIS RUM LETSN. TA TAT DEN WAS LET TAT FOUR LIM SELVA · Kruch uset and weld fon Enters LAND MASTER MAKED. - JAT TOLK ANT ANDA SUDSIDS TERE MIDDELSE LEMA IS TAR-ST-MARN DEL TONTHO. -NYSIA WEIKUMSN. TA KLONYSIAR SSNO EN BASTRED YOUK. LIN SEND YON KrMS.BLOD. AND YON YINDAS. BLOD

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AND YON LAPA KIS BLOD. TAX FOLK YON LIDA SSNOTTER AS SLAVONA. MSN Truck TH UNTUCKT JER WINN KNUON JISSA SWARTS MANNISKA ALST ORA FOLK BAS. PRED AND BRUN VRANRVET. JIT YOUK AND KAM YON FOME KAMPAT OLAN VMB MASTIRSKIP YON TA MIDDILSE. HORK LEVAX XAM FON POMA AN FIAND SKIP WIR AND KINFA PRESTERN TORET RIK ALLENA WELDA WILLD VYR IRTA NEMUCION TA COLA MANT NE SIAN. TAT FORMA LAVON LIA An APROMYSIAR MISSELLIA OF NOMEN. DANA ALLS LANDA TER SUDWARD WISTWARD AND NORTWARD LIDSA. AKST SUDAR DEL FON BRITTANIA AND ALLSBWEIKSS LAVON LIA TA YONESIAR PRESTSRA, TAT LET, TA GOUR VRIKAER. DANA SIND RUSANDA GOLA NEI NORÃ BRITTANIA BEIT. KIFT VELEDEN WAS TER IN VRESTE TORN GOLUM SETEN VPPA TORS BURCH TOR IS KETSN KERSN-XK, TATIS KERNS. LWANAT LISIN BItern istan alls ora dour. At was TER AL LIARA GOLD TO GADUR BROCKS. KERENLLERNS ISTEN KEREN-AK ISENE STENS BURCH TOR EF AN KALTA LERDE. ZERVMBE WILDON ZA KAMNA YON IN AMTERIXVMANDE TERM KALTAMA YOURT AN BURCH WITSE AK - AUSA WAS BRUCK IN THANSHIP REFATAMON AND TERN GOLUM, YNITS AND TWIST

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IN OVIR INT BERCH-LAND KVMEN MIX MORE AND BROND. - YSA STIUPAR KEMON TER TAKEN WOLLANDE TATKIN SELLADE FORE TO BIREDE LUDUM AND LINNE. ASKAR WAS OFTEN MIK WEST.AN STILNISSE LEDIR MIT IN TAMMA ANDMIT SUMS FORSTUM SKIP SLOTEN. AND SIM STUVA TOPBONDSN VMBS LA GOLA TO VRIAGANS OF KERSNINKS ASSR ZERMI WITSE KEM IST ALTA TORSEA AND WICIANDUIKSTA MANNA 1857ES LELMA AND STELM BOOM. OPLOCK WAS MIT KVMSN AND KIRT ATTSR TLOINDON STAMA BLOD BY LA ASLUIAN TORA BERGUM DEL ... TA ASKAR MONDS THE KANS LIM TO LAKES, OVASE MIT YIUWSETICK SKEPUM LIN AND NAM KERSN. - AK AND TONS VRSSTE TOPA GOVERN MIT AL SING CIOLD. TAT FOLK WERMIT AI WIT RA SALT-LÄUM REPA CIOWAN KAMPED LEDS LEDIE UTA SAXANA.MARKUM LVKT MIT LOTTE YON ARATE KERN-RAVS AND BUT. KUS WART TA GOLA NEWST LETSN. ATTS P. NEI NAM-SP TWA ELLANDA TO BERCH YAR SINUM SKEPUM . AND LWANT LI LETSP UTAVA VMB ALLS FONTSIAR SKAPA AND STEDA TO BIPAWAM KERI BIRKNA KV. KA-SR TOBSK KEM BROCKT I TOMET SEX LYNDRED TERM STORESTE KNAPUM YON ANT SKOTSS BIRK YOUK MIX. LI SCIDE TAT LIM LIM TO BORDUM IEVIN WERON, TIL RIU KI SCHUR

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WESA MACKES LAT LA ELDEA KIM SKOLDS TROW BILLWA.MINA WAS IOK. LIKILDEN AS LIKWERS ST SIMA LOVA KERLIA ALLSBA DISTIK LES KREION INT FYDA AND INT LONDIETA YON AL LEFLEIN WETNE. IN DONALMARKAR KAM LINEA SILVA SUNT LOA BOPPA ALLE OFA STIUFAR STOLTALIES SE\_ LKAMPAR LETT LEDON'SH PIAT NAVT YON ASKAR SINA OBOR-RIKA DEDUM MANT NO KERED, IST LIA WINDOW MIDICA TER UR. TIP. METE, TAT LIA WILDE OR. LOCK BRENSA OVER NESSE AND OVER SINA LANDA . . SIAN LIP KO LI OPLOCK YOR MITA MACKES - TWISK TA BUW. FALA REFE VR LOMELDS BURCK STAVIA WAS ISTA ENE SNODE BUPCK- FAM MIR SVMI KAMM SETEN. LIPA NOME WAS REINTIA AND KER CIVA. SN CIPKES KROP YON KIRA WIS LED UT. RIUS YAM BAD AN ASKAR LIFA KELPE VNOER BITIA TAT KSKAR SKOLDE KA BURCH STAVIA WITSR VPBVWA LETA. AS. SF LIM JERTO FORBONDSN KEDS GVA REINTIN MIT TRIM TAMNA NEI LALS NACKTIS CIVA KIU PEISA AND JSS DEIS KETS LIU VEPN ALLS MARKUM AND BIMMA ALLS MEIDUM, WEALDN SEIDS LIV LEDS LIN TRUCK TOAME TO KROPH LETA THE ALLST ARIABATOLK MOSTON ARIUNDA WIFTA, LIK SUSTAF AND BROTAF TAMID. DWSPS SHOLDS FINDAS FOLK KVMM AND RA ALLS YON IRAA VROILLIGIA. NEI

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TOAKE WEFON YEINS SINCIUM WAK\_ YAM\_ \_KIS LIN ANDA DPLMS FORSKINNEN. SWOUN NACKTA SKYOPUM. KIN LEDS SEIK. BOPPA YFINS UNNOUM SWAB-BIFT RANT MIT IUK AND KGONS OMMI ZERVMBS MOTON ALLS YOUKAR ZER UT TEIN SPROTEN SEND LINEA TONOMIN WEI WEFFA AND SIAFA STUVA ALLENA YRINS BERN ISTAM YOUR KEEN. LONT MOTON ALLE VESTONDA AND ST FINDAS YOUR YON YRIAST ERV DRYVA. NILLAX KIN LAT WAVENE DVA MEN SKILUN LIA SLAVONA BENDA VMBE LINPA LALSA KREIA. ALSA SKILUN TA VPLANDASKA KERA KIAM BIRN MISBRUKA AND HITRA LETA TILKÍU TAT BLOD SYDAT IMMA IOWRS OFFVA. ZANSKILUN ENSKINNA IOWES EXLA IO KUMA WERIA AND IOTBIRKVIA UR IO LEYKED AND UNDIOSPIKED. TAT DVME YOLK TAT TRYCH TOBUMN TEPA MACIARA AL AN SA TUB. DWESKED WINT WAS, EAVADON ALLSS LWAT LIV SEIDS AND TA MAMMA KLIMMON KINTMESPIN DISNESSIAPA BROSSMAN. IN REINGIA TONS WONIA TOMANUS AND NOWS GASTA MANNISKA TO ENDRACKT VRWROCKT KADE SAND KIU BODON NEI ASKAR AND THE SISHURI A LIR. GEN TIME BALDA-SE. BANA GVA LIN BI TRUESTANIA ALTUS LETEN WHEE TAP LIN LIAPA YHANDA IMMER MET TET AN-ALITE LAWS. IN BUIL-LAWAR SINDS BRITNE AND BANNERS FON VS DINFOLK

TAT INNA TA TWISLANDA SIT AND OMME DWARELT. LIARA WYM LAWON LIA MEST ALGADUR YON TA TARTARA PAWED. TA TARTARA SEND EN DEL FON FINDASSLACKO AND ALTUS TRUCK TA TWISLANDAR LETEN UMBE LAT LIA NIMMIRTE NEN YRGKO WILLE MEN KA MANNISKA ALTI UPTARTA TO STIDANDS - LORX OVA LIU ATTEN SAXNA-MARKA TWEESS TRUCK KA ORA TWISKILANDA LIN. ALLSR WEIKSS KAT SELVA UTKERA. NEI TWAM IER OM WERON KEM LIUALINGSN TERS RENS TO LONK. - BI TA TWISK-LANDAR LEDE LIU LINEN SILVA AS MODER UTIAN AND SEID TAT LIA MOCKTON ASTRIAND FRANKA MANNISKA WITTER KVMA, MEN TAN MOST-ON LIA OVER TA RENS OVAGA AND TA COLA FOLGAR OF FRIAS SUDAR LANDUM ILAIN. AS LIA TAT DEDE SASKOLDE LIPA KENIA KSKAR OVSPA SKELDA OVAGA AND TOR TAT VAND OF WINNA. ~~ BI TA TWISK-LANDAR SEND YELOTIOM PLEAN JON TA TARTARUM ANDMADIA-FA BINNA CILUPA MINAKTUL SIND KER TON VSA SEPEMA BILEWIN. TER TRYCK KAVAT LIA ISTA TAMMA KER KA BERN LERA AND KA ALDA REDIEVA. BITANTAR WERON KIA REINTIN NIDICK MIN TO TA USSTA WART LIN TRUCK LIAM YOURAR AND TIANIAR AND MUERWEIKSS BOOM LWERST NETTS AND NEOLIK WERE-A

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ALSA PIAIN KSKAP YON PEINTIA KIPA BOD ON YORNOM LO IN IUTTAR NHOAR WERON SAND AT BISTONDA BODON FON SIN ANT WEOUM NEI TA KANIA YON LAUS. TAN SHIP WERMIR AN BOOM OVROW WAS WU LEDSN MIT HAMNA SYFLEDUM AND TER BY WERSN GOLDSN SKILD AWERVERN KSKAR KIS DKMTE KUNSTILK WAS UT EBYLD. ILISSA BODON MOSTON PREIN IST ASHAR KESKANIAKIS TOOKTSR TREKO-QUNSTA TO SIMWIT LANS MACLTI. ~ KRGKO\_OUNSTA KEM SNIGE LOTTE TO STAUSREN. BILLIAM FOLGAR WEIS AL ENSN MAGY KWAND LA IUTTAR WEROW WHAT LOA VEBRUD. ~ KIRT ATTER TAT KANKAR MIT TREKO-CUNSTA BOSTICIAL WAS WART TER TO STAVSRSN GNS BCKSEKE BUWSD. INMA TIU SCHERKE WEDON TIODA DEOCKTEN LIKANDA BILD. STALK MIK GOLD KRUCK WROCKTWS KUL TAR. AK IS ER BIWERAT LAT ASKAR TER NACKTIS AND UNTERIS MIRATEGÃO JUNSTA YAR NITTER BUWGADE, MEN. SATUL IS SEKUR. ZIU BURCK STAVIA NE WARK MANT WITTER VPEBUWED. REINTIA WAS ALTOBSK KYMEN. AND OVA NYDICK NEI PRONTUIK ZIU MODER ST TSXUMNO BARIA . PROMELIK CIVATO AND SAND ALUSE WEIKS BODON TER. LAT KETON, ASKAR IS VRIEVEN AN OL aanis. ASKAR DEDS ASMURKITMAYT MAN VNWARLIASH KOM TOR ONE

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STATA TARA AND BUTA OF CHELQA AND BUTA MINA STAT NE WROON LIN NARNE NAVTNE WERNT. NOITAT KSKMF NUSA MIT TA IVE TAR AND TA BRA DENA-MARKAR PORBONDIN WAS OVAON LIA AUSEMINE PLWA. INCK KATNER NEWS GODS PRUCKDAMBARSO. Lin BROCKTON ALLSBUGIA VALLANDISKA SKATA TO LONK MEN IUST LERZRYCL NILDON LATION TOLK NEN AMBACKT LEPA NACK VPPA KA fiel DUM NAUT NE WERIN. SX KAT KI TO KA LERSIA WEL SLAVONA NIMMA MOSTS. MEN LIT WAS ELAL XISM WIF ALDA LIS WILLS AND DISM PRINS RED KERVMBS KV.STRAFMAVT AFTER WEGA NE BILLIWA .. SIAN KER LO SPALLE KVM -ENIB. - ENIS LEDON LIN TO SEMINE ENE ELS YLATE WANNEN. LIA KEM KONUTA MIDDEL -SE. ZIUS ILKTE WAS TOLEDEN MIR PURPERA KLAZAR AND OPA KOST LIKAGO LER ALLE FON OF PROMISIA KEMON. TAT WRAKA LOUK RERS FLATE WARE BISUDA ZERS SEISNS AN WAL SST MSN TAT STORA YOLK WART LAUDSN. ? LATMOS BA AS SLAVONA RIANIA. RASKEN - NSSTS WADON KALDA VMBS VPPST LAND TO BILLIWANS AND IA LEDUKSTA AND SWAFTST WEDON AN BORD KALDSN VMBS VPPA TA BIN \_KA TORGIANDS. ANT FLY WARK TA BODSL DEUNT MINSUNDER LINEN WETH WART AK KINBA STAT DELNA. FON AN MINNWISKA RER UPPA RA VRUANDISKA SKEPUN STAUT WERON WERON SIX TRYCK BUK-PIN YELT. MAN TOCKTE LATET ETANDAND DEIN KA VRINGE KERVMBS WARK ALLSS

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OVIR BORD TOMPT, MINBURPIN RESTE, AND ALLERWEIKSS KWER SLAVONA ISTAN GODREM KEMAK BUK-PIN BINNA. TA SAXMANNA Brockton Liu Ovir Linka MARKA, MIXTA IUTTAR YOR KIU NEI SKENUNND AND ALIAIN TORS KAD HOW TON BANDASE. MIT ASKAP KIS STIURAR FOR KIU NEI BRITANIA. WI AND TAM YON GRENS-OK NE LETON NEN GOD NSF MINNISKA OVIE VSA PALA NAVO NE KUMA AND REFUMBS BILEWON WIND BUKPIN FRI . LO FELO MANNISKA BUKPW WEI RAPK ASK NET IK NAVT TO SKRIVANS MIN PRONTOIK TER. ST ATTERNET FON TA ORN TAMON LORDS LST MY'M SUT TAT KSKAR KUSAND MED MARA FRIA MAN. NISKA UT SINA STATUM LULPSN LST ASSE VULN SLAVONA INBROCKTS. ~ KA PSST INF GOD WHISN WAS TA KEMON TA KRI WRDSN TWISKLANDAR NEI TERS RENS MENKSKAR NILDS MIT TA FORSTAM FOR TAT WULL VEBASTSEDS FOLK WAVE AN ENS LINS NAUT NE STONDA, LI NILDS NAUTNE DAIN IN LIN SKOUDON LINEA SSLVA FRIAS BSPN ZETA LIK REINTIA BIBODSNI ZEDS, MIN LI VRIST TORBI KATISELVA SWARTE LERA LEDS. BMON TATWISKLANDAR WERON LERTWA TOLKAR LER ZIAPA SEUVA NEWS TWISK LANDAR JETON. KATENS YOLK KEM EL YER UTSA SUDLASTEN WEI LIN LETON LINEA SSLVA ALLEMANNA. LISSA NOMA LEDON LIN LINEA SELVA IGUSN TA LIA ISTA SVM-DSR WIVA INNA KA WALDA AS BANNANS

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OMMS-DWARSRDS-LETAR LANON LIA YONST SLAVONA FOLK WIVA FAVAR EVIN SARA SLIR LAWAR MENLIN LANON LINEN NOME BILLAUDEN. TAT OPA FOLK TAT MARA KEINDS OMMS-DWAR SLDE LETON LINEA SSLVA PRANKA. NAVT VMBS TAT LIA FRI WERON. MEN FRANK ALSA LEDI JONS EROSTE KANIA KETSN JAM SIM SELVA MIX LULPS YON IN VEBRUON TAMAN TO SEV LIK KANIA OVERSIN TOLKMAKAD LEDS. TA YOLKAR JAM AN LIM PALADON. LETON LIA RA SSLVA TIOT-ALS SVWA TAT IS YOUK. AIS SVNA. LIA WERON FRIA MANNISKA BILEWIN NEI DAM LIA NIMMSR ENSN KANIA NSP FORSTS NACK MASTER BIKANNA NILDS. AS KENS ISNOS KAM BY MENA WILLA WAS KERSN VPPN TERS MENN ACKT. A KSKAP LEDS AL YON REINTIN FORNOMSN LAT LA TWISK LANDAR FORSTA MEST ALTI IN FIANDSKIP AND MIRA WERON. NV STALD I LIAM TOTARA LIN SKOUDT GNEN LERTOON YON SIN YOUK KINSA VMBS TATISE AN WERE SCIDER TAT LIN SKOUDE MIT MANULKOTSKUM SKOUDON TWISTA OVIRST MASTSPSKIP. ARSGIDSR KUNDON SINA FORSTA MIKA GOLUM SPREKA KAT SEIDSF WERS AR MODSFAIS MENS. TA KEMON TA FORSTA TERM TWISK-LANDAR TO EKKORUM AND NEI TRIIN SIUGUN STMILDE KERON LIN LUPIK TO BA LERTOON UT . ALPIK WERE ASKAR ALS NOVA. LI IST AIM TWEN KUNDERD SKOTSA AND KENDERD FERA STOR OSTA SAXMANNA MIR TO LITEWERA... TA FORSTA MOSTON TRIIN SIVOUN YON

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SAME ARABA SYNUM NEI STAVERSN SENDA TO BORG LINKAR TROW. TONY WAS ALLSS NOT WINSK CIVASN, MSN TA MAN OVIRS PENS KARA SKOLDS. NILDON TSNS KANIA TERA FRANKA NAVO VNDSR ALPIKIS BITCLA NAVO NE STYNDA. TORTRUCK LIP ALLSS INTATES. LSKAR TOR MENDS TAT ALLSS GOD GVA, LANDE MIT SINK SKEPA ANNATA ORS STOS KERS SKELDA, MIN TER WAS MAN LON YONSIN KVMSTE TO LIUCKT AND VPPA SINKOD. KIA MOSTON ALSA PIA PRIDCHTA AS LIA KUMSN WERON AND ASKAP WRDS SSLVA YAR. TA GOLD MISTON NOUT LWA LIN YSNSSN LEDS AND ALSA WARE LI ATTERNET UTWINLAR YOF GNNSN THAS AOL JER ASKAP KISTOLK MIX YORAK LEDS. ~ ~ . KAKWILA KATIST ALLES BERADE LLIPON TO MACITARA ISTA DRYSTSP ASTONARA OVIR VSA BURA PA LANDA KINNA - BY SAMVDA KWER TO KRA KERS BURCH FOR ANN STAN LEDS LETON LIA ENS CLIPKA BYWA ISTA TRATSPAND RIKAR AS ASKAR TO STAV - SREN DEN LEDE. ALTERNEI SEIDON LIN LAT ASKAR ZIU KASE VELEREN LEDS WIT TO GOLD TRYCKDAM ST FOLK MANT LAWA MANT NIEDS TAT WODIN LIAM LELPA KUSTS. AND JAT LIA LIM TERVMBI NAVT, ANBIDDA NIUDS. YORK AVAON KIN TO AND SKKKTON IOAN BIFN TAM KIN BY BA KILDON AND VPBROCKTON IN TA LEMINISSA FON LIARA VEBRUDA LERS. WERON TER MANNISKA TAM