

And she immediately added whenever my  
sovereign signifies his pleasure I will take horse  
with heart and hand - She then assembled the  
Perizadis and arrayed herself with Izut afza  
the Houri Ruk afza and Lok angeiz in  
splendid garments of golden tissue richly adorned  
with jewels. -

Remove the gorgeous chaplet from her neck  
A hoard of jewels would her garments deck  
"Melch Mahommed said she "Shall I ride  
on my care or go on horseback He answered Your  
pleasure is my law she said to ride in a car &  
I fear will not be so respectful "She had two  
horses of incomparable excellence the names  
of which were Abarpa and Badpa -  
When Badpa paces unconfined  
Every bound outstrips the wind  
He vibrates with a gentle spring  
As if he trod the lutes sweet string  
and glides as smoothly o'er the leas  
as odours float along the breeze  
Both horses were accoutered in a splendid  
manner with bridles adorned with precious  
stones The Princeps herself mounted abarpa  
Izut Badpa and they set out for the city  
preceded by Melch Mahommed on his  
own steed they came with great pomp  
and