

Bu chennard buadhach uasal ainmail,
 Echann ruatharach ruadh nan garbh chath :
 Airson a ghluasid bha fuath nan Gall ris,
 'S gun duc e ar orra 'm blar Chath Ghairbhich.

Am mac a dh' fhag e bha 'ghnaths mar leoghann,
 Aig Iarla Mar bha freumh an sceoil sin ;
 Thuc e comhdhail dha-san air lar Strath-Lochidh,
 'S rinn e sith bhreugach gun eudach comhdich.

Len ruibh deagh bheusan, 's gur h-e 'chuir sios sibh
 'Bhi leis a chrun, is gach cuis 'g ar diobradh.
 Thuit Echann Ruadh ann an Inbhir-Chiteinn
 Agus sechd ceut fer de threun fhuil dhirich.

Ged bha 'n sceula sin trom le doruinn,
 Chan e an drasta is abhar broin duinn ;
 Ach 'n ti a dh' fhag sinn 's a chaidh air fogradh,
 'S a leth righ Seumas a threig an Dreallinn.

Rug froisedh garbh oirnn le gailbheinn shiontan ;
 Aig meud a chall duinn cha b' arbhar shiol e ;
 Bu chruinnechd poir e gun fhotus sciamhachd,
 Ar cuirm, ar sogh e, ar ceol 's ar fion e.

Tha sinn mar threud 'bhiodh fo thearmunn mi-
 ghleidht',
 Gun neach fo 'n ghrein dhuinn mar sceith 'gar
 didenn ;
 Mar elta sleibh sinn gan teum le liontabh
 'S nach fan aon te dhiu air ceut fer-spionidh.

Is truagh gach la dheth ar cas r'a innse ;
 Mar bhall de dh-arcan air traigh ga shior-ruith,
 Gun nech 'toirt baigh dha bho ard gu iosal,
 Ach buille bharach o laimh gach aon fhir.

A Righ nan dul 'tha gun tus, gun fhinid,
 A ni 'reir t' aillais nech ard no iosal ;