

571C *The Biting Doll*. A girl is kind to an old lady and receives a magic doll that produces a quantity of money. An envious neighbor borrows the doll and it soils her bed. She throws it out of the house. It bites the king when he passes by. Only the girl is able to make it stop biting. She recovers the doll.

Pentameron V No. 1; Anderson *Novelline* II 37 No. 32, 63 No. 49. — Turkish: Eberhard-Boratav No. 172; Spanish-American: Hansen (**568) (Chile) 2.

572* *The Barking Dog's Head, the Striking Axe, etc.*
Estonian 13.

572** *Objects Given Away Lose Magic*. A king persuades the hero to give him his magic objects, whereupon these objects lose their qualities. The king gives his daughter to the hero as wife; the objects disappear and he must maintain his son-in-law.
Polish (572) 1.

573* An orphan girl receives three feathers from an old man; suitors from the courts woo her aggressively; the feathers punish them.
Polish 1.

574* An old soldier receives a miraculous cane which fulfills his wishes (supplies food, drink, and bedding). A woman steals the cane, neglects herself, and when her daughter has destroyed the cane, falls into misery.
Polish 1.

575 *The Prince's Wings*. Contest in the preparation of the most wonderful object. Wings. The prince buys the wings from a clever workman. The hero flies to the princess in the tower. They fly away together from the stake where they are to be burned. After they have flown away the father offers half his kingdom as reward to the one will return her. The prince flies back with her and enforces the bargain.

Motifs:

K1346. Hero flies to maiden's room. F1021.1. Flight on artificial wings. R111.3.1. Girl rescued by traveling through air. R215.1. Escape from execution pyre by means of wings. K442.1. Reward offered for stolen object (princess). Q112. Half of kingdom as reward. L161. Lowly hero marries princess.

*BP II 131 (Grimm No. 77 a). — Finnish 26; Finnish-Swedish 3; Estonian 10; Lithuanian 12; Danish 4; Flemish 2; German: Ranke 9; Austrian: Haiding No. 15; Hungarian 1; Czech: Tille Soupis II (1) 36ff. 4, FFC XXXIV 308; Serbocroatian 1; Polish 1; Russian: Andrejev 7; Greek 3; Turkish: Eberhard-Boratav Nos. 136 III, 175 IV, 291 V; India 7. — Spanish-American: Rael No. 168 (U.S.).

576 (formerly 576*****) *The Magic Knife*. A youth steals the knife from the robbers' castle, kills them with it and wins the preacher's daughter. He conquers his rival by means of the knife.

Motifs:

D838. Magic object acquired by stealing. D1083. Magic knife.