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List of the papers of Rambriksha Benipuri

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I. Correspondence

Sl. No.	From/To	Name of the Correspondent	No. of Pages	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5
1.	From	<u>Agrawal, Hariharnath</u> 28 October 1950	1	Autograph Hindi
2.	From	<u>Akhil Bhartiya Hindi Parishad, Convener of</u> 21 March 1951	1	Autograph
3.	From	24 March 1951	1	Autograph Hindi
4.	From	<u>Akhil Bhujpuri Sammelan</u> 24 February 1951	1	Autograph
5.	From	<u>Anand</u> 27 August 1951	1	Holograph Hindi
6.	From	<u>Arya Kanya Gurukul, Perbandar, Principal of</u> 24 August 1967	1	Holograph Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
		<u>Avadhnanandan</u>		
7.	From	11 December 1946	4	Holograph
		<u>Banarasi, Bedharak</u>		See under Tarang, Editor of
		<u>Barannikov, P.A.</u>		
8.	From	14 March, 1953	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Benipuri, J.K.</u>		
9.	To	18 March 1954	2	Holograph
10.	To	14 August 1954	2	Holograph (Postcard)
11.	To	25 August 1954	2	Holograph
12.	To	31 August 1954	2	Holograph (Postcard)
13.	To	9 September 1954	2	Holograph (Postcard)
14.	To	20 September 1954	2	Holograph (Postcard)
15.	To	9 October 1954	1	Holograph
16.	To	16 October 1954	2	Holograph (Postcard)
17.	To	13 November 1954	2	Holograph (Postcard)

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)</u>				
18.	To	6 January 1955	2	Holograph Hindi
19.	To	27 January 1955	2	Holograph Hindi
20.	To	16 February 1955	2	Holograph Hindi
21.	To	28 February 1955	1	Holograph Hindi
22.	To	15 March 1955	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
23.	To	23 March 1955	1	Holograph Hindi
24.	To	3 April 1955	1	Holograph Hindi
25.	To	28 April 1955	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
26.	To	19 May 1955	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
27.	To	28 May 1955	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
28.	To	27 July 1955	2	Holograph Hindi

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Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)

29.	To	18 August 1955	2	Holograph Hindi
30.	To	3 September 1955	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
31.	To	8 September 1955	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
32.	To	17 September 1955	1	Holograph Hindi
32.1/2	To	12 October 1955	2	Holograph and Postcard
33.	To	27 November 1955	2	Holograph Hindi
34.	To	9 December 1955	2	Holograph Hindi
35.	To	1957 11 March 1957	3 2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
36.	To	21 March 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
37.	To	30 March 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
38.	To	15 April 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
39.	To	16 April 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
40.	To	20 April 1957	4	Holograph Hindi
34.1/2	To	2 April 1956	2	Holograph Hindi
34.3/4	To	4 April 1956	1	- do -

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)</u>				
41.	To	22 April 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
42.	To	23 April 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
43.	To	3 May 1957	6	Holograph Hindi
44.	To	12 May 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
45.	To	21 May 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
46.	To	23 May 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
47.	To	25 May 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
48.	To	31 May 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
49.	To	12 June 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
	To	20 June 1957	1	Holograph
	To	20 June 1957	2	do
50.	To	11 July 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
51.	To	13 July 1957	2	Holograph Hindi

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Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)

✓ 52.	To	3 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
✓ 53.	To	10 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
✓ 53/	To	17 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
✓ 54.	To	19 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
✓ 55.	To	20 August 1957	1	Holograph Hindi
✓ 56.	To	20 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
✓ 57.	To	24 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
✓ 58.	To	11 September 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
✓ 59.	To	14 September 1957	2	Holograph (Postcard)
✓ 60.	To	17 September 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
✓ 61.	To	19 September 1957	2	Holograph Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benisauri, J.K. (Contd.)</u>				
62.	To	22 September 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
63.	To	10 October 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
63(1)	To	13 October 1957	2	do
64.	To	18 October 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
65.	To	20 October 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
66.	To	23 October 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
67.	To	October 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
68.	To	3 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
69.	To	11 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
70.	To	12 November 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
71.	To	18 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
72.	To	23 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)</u>				
73.	To	29 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
74.	To	7 December 1957	1	Holograph Hindi
75.	To	7 December 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
76.	To	13 December 1957	2	Holograph Hindi
77.	To	25 December 1957	1	Holograph Hindi
78.	To	6 February 1958	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
79.	To	9 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
80.	To	11 February 1958	2	Holograph (Postcard)
81.	To	13 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
82.	To	20 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
83.	To	22 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
83.	To	26 February 1958	2	Holograph (Postcard)
84.	To	27 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)</u>				
85.	To	28 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
86.	To	28 February 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
87.	To	7 March 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
88.	To	15 March 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
89.	To	20 March 1958	3	Holograph Hindi
90.	To	24 March 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
91.	To	2 April 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
92.	To	2 April 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
93.	To	4 April 1958	1	Holograph Hindi
94.	To	7 April 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
95.	To	11 April 1958	4	Holograph Hindi

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1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipuri, J.K. (Contd.)</u>				
96.	To	17 April 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
97.	To	22 April 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
98.	To	7 May 1958	2	Holograph Hindi
99.	To	20 January 1959	2	Holograph Hindi
100.	To	27 February 1959	2	Holograph Hindi
101.	To	16 April 1959	3	Holograph Hindi
102.	To	23 January 1960	1	Holograph Hindi
103.	To	10 February 1960	1	Holograph Hindi
104.	To	29 May 1961	2	Holograph Hindi
105.	To	20 April 1962	1	Holograph Hindi
106.	To	10 December 1964	1	Holograph Hindi
107.	To	2 August	2	Holograph Hindi
108.	To	Undated	2	Holograph Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipuri, Mahendra (Contd.)</u>				
109.	To	24 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
110.	To	27 August 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
111.	To	17 September 1957	1+1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard) Letter written to Surendra Benipuri (and also to Mahendra Benipuri)
112.	To	19 September 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
113.	To	15 October 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
114.	To	11 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
115.	To	23 November 1957	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
116.	To	18 December 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
117.	To	29 December 1957	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Benipurī, Mahendra (Contd.)</u>				
118.	To	11 August 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
119.	To	20 August 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
120.	To	7 October 1958	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
121.	To	9 December 1964	1	Holograph Hindi
122.	To	20 February 1966	2	Holograph Hindi
123.	To	[11 March] 1966	1	Holograph
<u>Bihar Hindi Sahitya Sammelan</u>				See under Lakshmi Narayan
<u>Bihar Text-book Committee</u>				See under Text-book Committee, Bihar
<u>Birendra Narain</u>				
124.	To	18 December --	2	Holograph Hindi
<u>Bose, S.C.</u>				
125.	From	23 October 1937	1	Copy Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
		<u>Chakradhar Sharan</u>		<u>See under President of India, Private Secretary of</u>
		<u>Czechoslovak Republic Ministry of Information Prague.</u>		
126.	From	Undated	1	Autograph
		<u>Delhi Pustak Sadan, Patna</u>		
127.	From	6 April 1964	1	Autograph Hindi
		<u>Dinkar, Ramdhari Singh</u>		
127/11 128A	From From	2 October 1954 20 October 1954	2 1	Autograph Holograph Hindi
		<u>Education Ministry, Secretary of</u>		
129.	From	25 September 1954	1	Autograph Hindi
129/11	To	--	1	Holograph
		<u>'Girish', Girijadatta</u>		<u>See under Shukla, Giri- jadatta 'Girish'</u>
		<u>Hindi Sahitya Sammelan, Secretary of</u>		
130.	From	11 April 1968	1+1	Autograph enclosing copy of a speech

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		<u>Humayun Kabir</u>		See under Education Ministry
		<u>Jayaprakash Narayan</u>		
131.	From	21 September 1950	1	Autograph
132.	To	[20 October 1951]	1	Copy Telegram by Jai Kishore Narayan
133.	From	Undated	2	Copy of a message to American officers after release from Hazaribagh Central jail. Incomplete.
		<u>(Mrs.) Kamini</u>		
134.	To	22 April 1959	2	Holograph Hindi
135.	To	9 April 1960	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Kishore [Shyam Nandan]</u>		
136.	From	1 October 1954	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Lakshmi Narayan 'Sudhanshu'</u>		
137.	From	3 January 1951	1	Holograph Hindi

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		<u>Lalita Prasad Mukund</u>		
138.	From	4 October 1954	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
		<u>Madhya Pradesh, Hindi Sahitya Sammelan Literary Secretary of</u>		
139.	From	4 October 1954	1	Autograph Hindi
		XXXXXXXXXXXX		
		<u>Mathur, Jagdishchandra</u>		
140.	From	1 January 1947	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Meherally, Yusuf</u>		
140 (A)	From	28 November 1949	2	Autograph
141.	From	28 November 1949	2 + 2	Autograph
142.	From	21 January 1950	2	Autograph
		<u>(Acharya) Narendra Deva</u>		
143.	From	11 November 1950	1	Autograph
		<u>Pandey, Bechan, Sharma 'Ugra'</u>		
144.	From	24 December 1949	1	Holograph

1	2	3	4	5
		<u>Punjab University, Publication Bureau, Secretary of</u>		
145.	From	27 -- 1951	1	Autograph
		<u>Panna</u>		
146.	To	6 February 1958	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
147.	To	13 October 1958	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
148.	To	26 November 1959	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
149.	To	16 April 1960	1	Holograph Hindi
150.	To	18 November 1960	1	Holograph Hindi
151.	To	23 November 1960	1	Holograph Hindi
152.	To	24 July 1961	1	Holograph Reply written by Syam Sundar Das to Panna on the same page.
152.	To	28 April 1962	1	Holograph Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
		<u>Panna</u>		
153.	To	28 April 1962	1	Holograph Hindi
154.	To	2 December 1962	1	Holograph Hindi
155.	To	9 February --	1	Holograph Hindi
156.	To	Undated	1	Holograph Hindi
157.	To	Undated	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Parakar, B.V.</u>		
158.	From	25 April 1950	2	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Pitti, Badrivishal</u>		
159.	From	28 July 1950	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>'Prabhas'</u>		See under (Prof.) Sitaram 'Prabhas'
		<u>President of India, Private Secretary to</u>		
160.	From	2 June 1951	1	Autograph Hindi
161.	From	30 June 1951	1	Autograph Hindi
162.	To	-- 1951	1	<i>Autograph</i>

1	2	3	4	5
		<u>Ramchatur</u>		
163.	From	28 June 1951	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Rao, M. Nageswara</u>		
164.	From	28 October 1946	2	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Sahay, Krishan Ballabh</u>		
165.	From	25 August 1948	2	Autograph Hindi
166.	From	29 July 1950	1	Autograph Hindi
		<u>Satyanarayan</u>		See under Akhil Bharatiya Hindi Parishad
		<u>Sharma, Maulichandra</u>		
167.	From	7 July 1950	2	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Shastri, Rajaram</u>		
168.	From	20 January 1947	2	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Shivpujan Sahay</u>		
169.	From	Undated	2	Holograph Incomplete

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Shukla, Girijadatta 'Girish'

170.	From	26 August 1951	1	Holograph Hindi
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Sinch, Ganga

171.	Fromm	22 January 1951	2	Holograph Hindi
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Sinha, Sumitra Kumari

172.	From	19 March 1951	2	Holograph
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(Prof.) Sitaram "Prabhas"

173.	From	7 January 1951	1	Holograph
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Tandon, Purushottam Das

174.	From	31 August 1950	2	Holograph Hindi
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175.	From	4 September 1950	1	Holograph Hindi
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176.	From	15 September 1950	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
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Tarang, Editor of

177.	From	5 January 1951	3	Holograph Hindi
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		<u>Text-book Committee, Bihar</u>		
178.	From	12 April 1951	1	Copy of the Agenda
		<u>Udai Raj Singh</u>		
179.	From	23 August 1969	2	Holograph addressed to Rameshwar Hindi (Postcard)
		<u>Umashankar</u>		
180.	From	20 September 1967	1	Holograph addressed to Birendra Beni-Puri Hindi
		<u>Verma, Devendra</u>		
181.	From	7 April 1951	4	Holograph Hindi
		<u>(Dr.) Verma, Ramkumar</u>		
182.	To	Undated	1	Holograph Hindi
		<u>Vidyalankar, Chandragupta</u>		
183.	From	25 August 1950	1	Autograph Hindi

1	2	3	4	5
<u>Vidyalankar, Jayachandra</u>				
184.	From	22 August 1951	1	Holograph Hindi (Telegam)
<u>Vishnu Prabhakar</u>				
185.	From	3 June 1952	1	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
<u>Viyogi Hari</u>				
186.	From	21 August 1950	1	Holograph Hindi
<u>Yadvendhu, Ram Narayan</u>				
187.	From	24 March 1951	2	Holograph Hindi (Postcard)
<u>Unidentified letters</u>				
188.	From	10 October 1949	2	Holograph
188A	From	11 Dec 1949	1	Holograph
II. <u>Personal Papers</u>				
S.No.	Description	Period	No. of Pages	Remarks
1	Passport	1951	32 19	Issued by Chief Secretary Government of Bihar, Patna.

1	2	3	4	5
III (1) <u>Speeches/Writings by him</u>				
S.No.	Description	Period	No. of Pages	Remarks
1.	'Nai Disha' - a critical essay by R.B. Benipuri	March 1939	4	Article on page 4 R.B. added in January 1948.
2.	Gandhinama - reminiscences about his son written during his imprisonment	[1939]	39 35	
3.	'Rani' - an article	22 July, 1942	5	
4.	Dictionary of Urdu words prepared by R.B. Benipuri for learning Urdu in Hazaribagh Central jail	18 January 1945	17+46 68	Copy
5.	Kritagyatapan - his reactions on the reception of his book	15 August, 1948	1	Manuscript
6.	Prashna-Chinha - a short story	19 April 1950	3	Manuscript
7.	Pairon Mein Pankh Bandhkar (Drama)	19 April 1951	102 95	Manuscript (Incomplete)
8.	Mera Schooli Jivan - a broadcast from A.I.R. Patna	20 August 1958	4	Typed

1	2	3	4	5
9.	'Sachcha Sadhu'	Undated	3	
10.	Gaon Ki Seva - an essay on cleanliness by Benipuri	Undated	7	
11.	A notebook containing a Hindi translation of 'Lenin to Stalin' by R.B.Benipuri	Undated	166 325	Notebook
12.	Amar Jyoti - a play	[1948]	27	Manuscript
13.	'Netradan' - a one act play	Undated	57	Manuscript
14.	'Ambapali' - a drama	Undated	64	Manuscript
15.	'Mati Ki Murtein'	Undated	99	Manuscript 2 notebooks
16.	'Samrat Chandragupta'	Undated	7	Manuscript
17.	'Patiten Ke Desh Mein' (Last Part)	Undated	47	Manuscript
18.	'Sita Ki Maa'	Undated	37	Manuscript
19.	Kumar Mahendra - a play by R.B.Benipuri	Undated	23	(2 copies) enclosed written with pencil
20.	Tathagat - a play	Undated	118	Manuscript

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21.	Vijeta - a drama on Chandra-gupta Maurya	Undated	23	Typed
22.	Pataliputra - a drama	Undated	33 32+3	Manuscript
23.	Ram-Rajya - a play	Undated	32	Manuscript
24.	Jantatra Ka Khokhlan	Undated	18	Manuscript
25.	Amar Bharat - a play	Undated	5	Manuscript
26.	Biography of Chiang-Kai-Shek	Undated	58	Manuscript (Incomplete)
27.	Some outlines of 'Bharatendu' by R.B. Benipuri	Undated	12	
28.	A play on 'Budha' by R.B. Benipuri	Undated	30	Incomplete
29.	Hawai-Jahaj Aur Bijali - an article	Undated	11	
30.	On Confucius	Undated	3	
31.	Some chapters of Hindi Grammar	Undated	16 21	Manuscript
32.	Budhapa - a paragraph	Undated	1	
33.	Bhoodan-Yagya-Ismein Kranti Ka Beej Hai!	Undated	2	Published Article

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34.	Naya Samaj - a one act play	31 undated	37 37	
35.	Razia	Undated	8	
36.	Chil-Jhapatta	Undated	3	
37.	Chapters for 'Rashtra-Bharati' - a Hindi text-book. Part-I.	Undated	318 479	
38.	Chapters for Rashtra-Bharati - a Hindi Text-book		385+42 501	
39.	Kuchch Chchitput Lakiren by B.B. Benipuri	Undated	5	Articles
40.	Miscellaneous and <u>incomplete</u> writings	Undated	15	
(ii)	<u>Diaries and notebooks</u>			
1/	Ravindra Bharati	5 August 1942	126	Two Notebooks
1a	Switzerland Ki 'er by Benipuri 1952		9	
2.	'Tumhen Phir Dekh Raha Hun' a tourist's description of Paris.	[1952]	8	
3.	Notebook containing <u>reminiscences of R.B. Benipuri's European tour</u>	1952-53-	42	
4.	Diary	1959-60	162 (Approx.)	
5.	Table Diary	1963	23 (Approx.)	

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(IV)	<u>Speeches/writings by others</u>			
1. ✓	India and Communism compiled in the Intelligence Bureau, Govt. of India	1933	413 398	English
2. ✓	On Rahul	1944	2	
3. ✓	An article by Devendra	6 December 1949	3	Incomplete Hindi
4. ✓	Bihar Hindi Sahitya Sammelan's New President Sri Rambriksha Benipuri. An appreciation by Umanath	5 February 1951	3	English
5. ✓	'Dharma Kya Hai ?' - an article	Undated	1	English Typed copy
6. ✓	'Rat Ka Dar' - a poem Mohanlal Mahte 'Viyogi'	Undated	1	Manuscript
7. ✓	Typed script of stories written by Ram Gopal, Agrawal	Undated	26	
8. ✓	A collection of <u>articles/ essays</u>	Undated	186	Hindi
9. ✓	Guru Nanak Dev.....by Professor Sardar Mehan Singh	Undated	1	Incomplete
V.	<u>Press Clippings</u>			
1. ✓	Comments of various Hindi and English newspapers about <u>Nai Dhara</u> - a monthly Hindi daily edited by Rambriksha Benipuri	1950-52	49	
2. ✓	J.L. Nehru arriving at Jammu House, under the auspices of inauguration of the Radio Libera Forum			

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VI. Printed Material

1. ✓	Congress Socialist Party - its nature, aims and programmes	1937	78	Hindi A booklet
2. ✓	Inquilab - a monthly journal.	March 1944	⁶¹ 22 32	English
3. ✓	Constitution of Rashtra Basha Parishad, Bihar issued by the Director of Public Instruction, Bihar	1950	8	English

VII. Other papers in this collection

1. ✓	The title of 'Sahitya Vachaspati' conferred on ** Rambriksha Benipuri by Hindi Sahitya Sammelan, Prayag	Undated	¹ 13	
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2. ✓	<u>Miscellaneous papers</u>	Undated	13/4	
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Bihar Rashtra Bharati text under 55
books for different classes.