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**prince Alexander and General Tsitsianov in
Georgian and Russian Folklore**

Summary

The present work represents the prove of military and political activity of two Georgians according to folklore materials. One of them is King Erekle's (Irakli's) son, heir of the throne of Georgian – Prince Alexander, and the other is the famous General of Russia _ Pavle (Paul) Tsitsianov (Tsitsishvili). The first is a devoted fighter for Independence of Georgia and the second is the vigilant enemy of independence of the country.

From the author's point of view the opposition between these two famous persons symbolises that tragic reality which accompanied the history of Georgia from very ancient times, we may say from its very origin.