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ON THE FOLKLORE MOTIVATION OF ABEDATI MICRO PLACE NAMES

The village of Abedati is located between the Abasha and the Tarcheni river valleys on the plane and slopes of Bjeri Mountain (Martvili region). The paper provides morphological and semantic analysis of a part of the geographical names; namely, toponymies as: *bergiasirei, tvinti/tuinti, kaegidze, nazgh(v)u, naturku, namkalati, nandu, odae/ondvale/ondvashe, natchou/natchu, nakhonjure/naokhonjure, nirzi, obishkhiaikari, obukeshi, otcharkineshi/otcharkuneshi/otchakineshi, otchurieshi, saseiro, sachekhi, skuermenji, ushkurtoba,/ushqurtoba, uchshona, paghuri, kiormeshkvidei, ghvatcita, ghvatcitami, ghurjumi, chaburi, cheqmash, nakheka, chiqvanish osadile, Tchitaqva, joiur boshepish mamui.*