

Bards on da Street

Rainbow Nation

Blaeget, brandet, bioget Iset, kranset, krunet Moorit, mullet, yoget Shaela, sokket, mullit

White, black, broon, grey

And da muckle flecket ram Wi his muckle curly horns Stands tall and guards ower his flock.

My ain rainbow nation. Mandela wid be prood!

Nicola Sinclair

To celebrate the 2014 Year of Dialect, Shetland Library, Living Lerwick and Shetland ForWirds ran a special dialect poetry competition. This is one of 12 chosen poems.

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