**"Majlisi-uns"**

The "Majlisi-uns" ("Friendship Council") literary meeting was organized in 1864 in the madrasa of Mirza Abulgasim, who was known as the owner of encyclopedic knowledge, in the city of Shusha, one of the most important cultural centers of the 19th century Azerbaijan. The first initiators were Mirza Rahim Fana, who was both a poet and a historian, who was trained and followed by Mirza Abulqasim, and Haji Abbas Agah, who wrote beautiful poems in the classical style. This assembly, the meetings of which were held in the house of the poet Haji Abbas Agah, had four members before. However, in 1872, Khurshidbanu Nateva's patronage of the council revived its activities, the number of members of the council increased to thirty, and its fame exceeded the borders of Karabakh.

Although the assembly began to operate in the 60s without Natavan's participation, its main development belongs to the years under his leadership. In the first years, the assembly consisted of Mirza Rahim Fana, Haji Abbas Agah, Mamo bey Mamai, Mirza Alasgar Novras, and later Mirza Hasan Yuzbashov, Mashadi Nasir Lovhi, Mahammadali bey. Mahfi, Natavan's boys, Huseyn aga Javanshir, the grandson of Jafargulu Khan, Mujtahidzade Muhammad aga Kudja, the author of "Riyazul-Ashigin", one of the most perfect tazkiras of the 19th century, also joined. In addition to well-known Karabakh poets, famous singers and musicians also participated in "Majlisi-uns".