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Country

Locality San Bartolo, Oaxaca State

People

~~Mixtec~~ Zapotec

Stock.

Name

Part of woman's costume.
 chemise like "huipil" long,
 of native woven cotton, embroid-
 ered at intervals with cow bird
 designs. Embroidered across shoulders
 and about neck opening. (over)

Collection

F. W. Starr

Notes

"Huipil, Zapotec Not like, although pleased with and
 in collection San Bartolo, but not the San Bartolo one referred to.
 P. 49, pg. 42, Notes I" (Stan. June '07)

Price

Acc. 947

Oct. 1918.

The 3 apoteros of San Bartolo are conservative in the matter of dress. The kucipil is large like that of the Tuzquis and Misteres and beautifully embroidered with naturalistic designs in red and gold silk. The silk is a native product of the region and is dyed with native cochineal which, unfortunately, is not a fast color. The kucipil is made of three lengths of finely woven cotton embroidered together with red silk.