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Country Mexico
Locality Tuxtepec
People Tzotzil Stock.

Name Shirt "huipil": open white
cotton, band of drawn threads
short. No sleeves, opening edged
with black embroidered ruffles.
Edges of low cut neck bound
with black. (over)

Collection F. W. Starr

Notes

Price

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Zoque women wear a small shirt or huipil made of homespun cotton in bands of alternately close and open weave. The neck is low and edged with a black border. The sleeves are short and finished with a pleated piece of cotton in which realistic designs are embroidered in black.

The skirt is made of two strips of cotton a yard wide dyed in indigo blue. These are sewn together with colored silk threads. No belt is used.