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Gitendra nodded. Ye.
"Yes, Sathib Buek, You were inquir
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 "Culitican, Mexico, June 15, 1993, Buchanan Willianak,
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& \text { "Manel Pacheco and mine crew } \\
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## quiefly replied, Without another word wimlams <br> Without another word willams

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he timberiline of the Chirachau新

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 ? ion proportionate to that of his riders.Buechanan Williana drew rein th the thick kroup of ptnes overriok ing the Eal
Tigre camp, where it clung to the alde of a proctitionas ravine in the majez
tie mountaina of the coast ruage.
The pack burro had long slace bee A few hundred feet below was the
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## "How did <br> the magatte. of ny people are not ise ways of yours, gitib. Didi you got Wive me perminalon to comen And whe gin I that I Ahould presume to disobey uou-or the gods 7 "The gods?" siva", sulaumed the "Vlishu and and Hindu, "They, too, are here, Has the saliti never read the lines of one of


droming Dhee taat the pain was firightrut. An-
other twist of the same tariat had
phloned his wriste, his knees and
ankles belng left free. Naturnily a man of strong tmpulses,
Williams ceased to wrench at the furexoruble thongs, but cursed min fo
mer mine foreman with expletiven 0 :
a bigh dynamic quity Pracheco merely adjusted his heavy.
gold-fringed epaulets and comptacentin the neat biue coat he wore ns ho
aignaled to the other mozos, standing "Asafict Senor williams and his servint to honor Willams and hia he curty airected.
It was atready gumrise. Oot house the two were necurely buoud to
the animatis, and the party started down the trail toward the conas. At
he fork of he hychawy yeadigu on the
left to Cullacan, thoy debouched to the "Where are you taking us ${ }^{7}$ tn.
perionily demanied EI Tigress owner. "The commandante at Znpatilo et-
Ires your presence, seaor," leered
Pecheco
"IIIt get you for this, yon grease
dog!" exclaimed the American. For answer Pachece drove his horso
between the anianl Whatias was rite
ing and Jitendrats mount, Ievied overe Ing and Jitendra'k mount, leaned over
and struck the American a heavy blow
acrose hia niprotected face. Although half-blinded with rage nt
the blow, Willimas an Instant later selt atrange thrill of mome event out of the ordinary. Pnceneco drew back, his brutimh face wrenthed in a grin of to-
roclous trumph; but the amile milo roclous triun
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 teatures grew purpilish and a neck of
fomm rome to his gaspling lips. coum rose to his gasping 1 ips .
His bridie-hand relaxed;
of hiss legs drove the spurs on the high-
 powing the str withe apecullar and un-
accountable terror, and would have bolted had not one of
grasped it by the relns.
Branped it by me reins mutely at the
Butribution which had struck down the bandit. The outry of the privates ho
acarcely heard. He did not need thelr chorus of alarm to k
was y (ying-was dead.
Yet there had been nothing-abso
lutely nothing-save only the quick vending of Jitendra's lenn body in the
aptain's direetion- a swift inclination of the turbinned head at the tustant
following the cownarly blow.
The sergeant, Jesus Corahado, vol-
leyed an conmand and the column
halved, while the corpse of Manuel halved, while the corpse of Manteet
Pacheco was stripped of uniform and
equipment. Followts the unique but
almple Mexican tnsurrecto method of

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 for his own, and a private in his amirt:
sieceses put on the corporal's jacket.
"Volantel" eried the new captalp. The solders clowed in and the col-
umn moved forwurd. Stanuel Pachoys
that was lay rigid and aterk on tho fied and sightless eyen.
Buck Wiltams turned to look at Jitendra. The Oriental's face was in-
cerutathe. He was kazing wratght
ehead, immovahle, as if beholding some ahead, immovahle, as if beholding some
cene yet to emperge from the womb of
and They rode on for several milles, th,
American growing more and more perplezed. Something-from somewhera
-had aninithted the man who had
veited hil brutality in a contemptibla veited his brutality in a contemptible
blow upon the face of one poweriess to resist.
Had Buck's hands been unbound,
Yanael Pacheco. ex.toreman to ths Manuel Pacheco, ex.toreman in th
employ of the EI TIgre mine., wou never have dared to offer such a
affront to the owaer; no, not ho he ha
been in the ceater of a regimeat
and diselpilined troops tistead of a mera
compnuy of raksed peona whome conn-
cerfelt military nir only heithtened heit ridjeculous appearance and mas-
nited their Ignorant swagger.
They were banditit, not patrint They were banditt, not patrio a body of halr-terrined, yet revenk
ful men actuated by nome fitelligenc
uperior to thelr own. uperioen and unerxplanined death of thets
previcuan commander had dazed theri. The more he thought, the more
omprechenible the whole amalr peared to Buck Wullamg, He kn



 For Buck was named "The Tyge
For beane ecause of nis implacable fury whea
ny attempt to vietimiso him was mede
the subtie methoda which Mexicans. the subue mechode which yexicu
wunully employ with a "gringo" unceustomed to thetr wa Now "The Tiger" was bound fast to
he back of a horse, en route to some cribunal of whose nuthority he wus ig-
iorant but of whose judgmeuts

