

El Tigre

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2nd Edition now available in e-book from SynergEbook

EL Tigre was John's first novel. It is the multiple-award-winning saga of a Prussian aristocrat in the post- Napoleonic Era that follows Johann Heinrich von Manfred from his entrance at 10 years of age to the Military Academy, through his ensuing travels and adventures in France, the Pyrenees, Spain, Florida, Georgia, Texas, and Old California. He saves the leader of a gypsy band, fights for Carlos, the Pretender to the Spanish Throne, helps Houston free Texas, saves the life of a Spanish Don, marries the daughter, participates in the Mexican War and discovers gold in the turbulent days of the '49 gold rush to establish the second bank in San Francisco.

The action is fast and the romance is tender.

EL Tigre still is available in autographed hardcover from SynergyEbooks, Price \$18.99 including S&H

Comments recently received about El Tigre

John Taffin, Columnist for Gun Magazines -El Tigre is a grand read and Manhold now joins 'Amour and Kelton as my favorite storytellers.

Cal Eilrich, Publisher/Editor,

Gunslinger's Gazette ... It has been

a long time since I have read such

a thoroughly entertaining novel that

kept me on the edge of my easy

chair wondering what was going to

happen next. It left me wanting

more. I highly recommend this book.

Amazon - 5 Star review by Mel

Kligman, Sarasota, FL "...particularly

impressed by the scope of

historical research, from Indian tribal differences to gold mining, included seamlessly into the narrativeyou will be pleased at the promise of a sequel."

Paul Krause, Prescott, AZ "Thank you for introducing me to such a rich character as El Tigre. And I thought the story telling was captivating. I couldn't help but think of all the Louis L'Amour books I read many years back."

AC: The Peoples Media Company

- Louise Harris, Review Editor.

I found El Tigre so captivating at times that I didn't know what parts were fictional or true accounts. At times, I got lost in the life of Johann Heinrich von Manfred and thought he was real.

Western Writers of America Review

The story is filled with scholarly information about fighting in general, and specifically about the wars being fought at the time....This is an interesting look at a type of immigrant not often written about. Now available: Amazon, or contact author