Cape Without Shoulder Seam.

Place the back and front shoulder together on any part of cutting paper. Draw any style cape or collar, and make as long as you want it.

The side shoulder seam should be made 2 inches longer than front and back, in accordance to shoulder.

If to be made with buttons and button holes, leave two additional inches on front.
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Lay the shoulders together; however, the front must be on a straight line according to the nap or stripe of cloth.

Front about 29 inches long. Back 2 inches longer.

From the neck through the shoulder, the side length is the same as the front, 29 inches.

When the back and front shoulders are laid together, draw center back line on a level with the front line.

On the shoulder line, draw a straight line for side seam down to 29 inch. From this point, arc backward and forward 6 inches in each direction.

From these points, draw two lines to be joined at shoulder end where the armhole end shows. As a guide to properly space these lines to end of shoulder, at a degree about 2 inches below shoulder armhole and a width of ½ inch on each side.

For buttons and button holes, 1½ inches should be allowed.
High Collar Cape.

Put the front and back shoulder together exactly of equal height and width, so that the lines will both be the same.

Divide the rounded neck portion in half. Go 1½ inches to left and right from the center in each direction. From same center point draw up 3¼ inches, and go out 2 inches at each side of this point.

Divide portion from end of bottom to end of neck into three parts, and connect same as on diagram.

Cut front and back part portions, after the finished center part, as shown on diagram. Sew the three pieces together in a manner to cause the proper flare at the top. For buttons and button holes allow 1½ or 2 inches on front.