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COMBINATION GARMENT.

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FIG. 1.

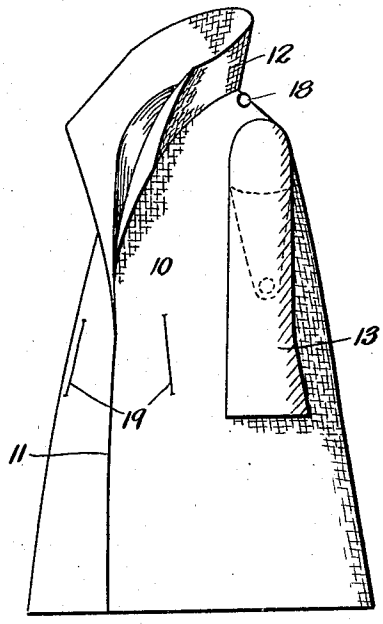


FIG. 3.

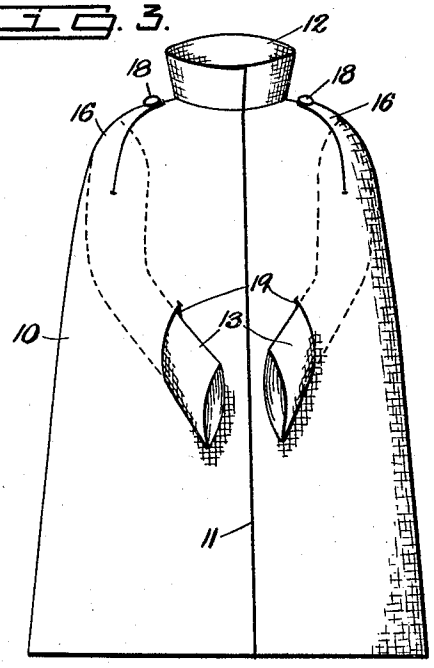


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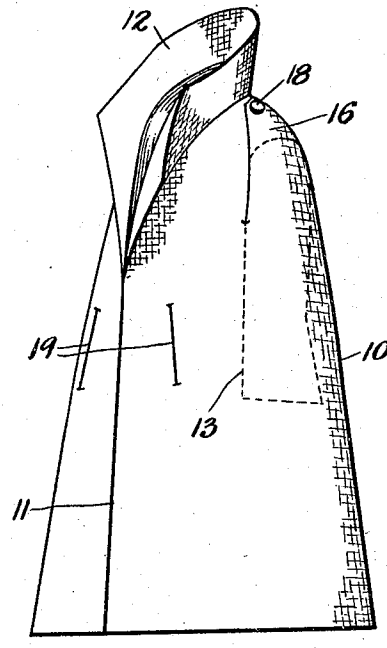


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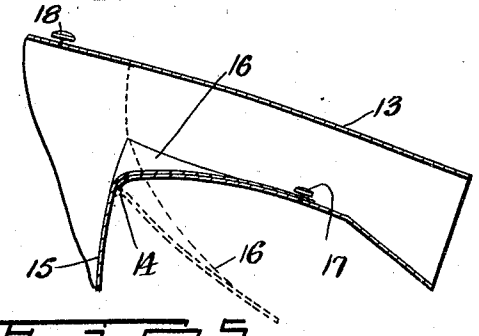
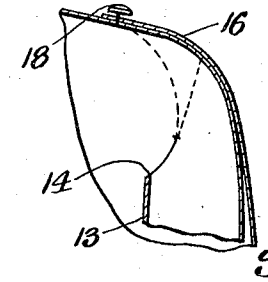


FIG. 5.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, SAMUEL PAULL, a citizen of the United States, and residing at New York, in the county of New York and State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Combination-Garments, of which the following is a specification, such as will enable those skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same.

This invention relates to combination garments and particularly to coats for women, misses and children, and the object of the invention is to provide a garment of the class specified which may be worn as a coat, or by making slight adjustments may be worn as a cape and by making further adjustment may be worn as a dolman; and with this and other objects in view the invention consists in a garment of the class and for the purpose specified which is simple in construction and use and which is constructed as hereinafter described and claimed.

The invention is fully disclosed in the following specification, of which the accompanying drawing forms a part, in which the separate parts of my improvement are designated by suitable reference characters in each of the views, and in which:—

Figure 1 is a front prospective view of my improved garment and showing the same when used as a coat;

Fig. 2 a view similar to Fig. 1 but showing the garment as it appears when used as a cape;

Fig. 3 a front view of the garment shown in Figs. 1 and 2 with the collar thereof in a different position and showing the appearance when used as a dolman;

Fig. 4 a sectional detail view of the shoulder and arm portion of the garment as shown in Fig. 1; and,

Fig. 5 a sectional detail view of a shoulder and part of the arm portion of the garment as shown in Figs. 2 and 3.

In the practice of my invention I provide a combination garment comprising a main body portion 10 open at the front as shown at 11 and provided at the top with any suitable collar construction 12.

At the opposite sides of the body portion 10 are sleeve members 13 formed and connected with the body portion in the usual or any desired manner, and the arm-pit portions of the sleeve members 13 are cut out as shown at 14 in Figs. 4 and 5 of the drawing, and the side portions 15 of the body portion 10 are provided with extending flaps 16 which are approximately triangular in form and preferably made integral with the body portion of the garment. The transverse dimensions of the flaps 16 at the arm-pit portions of the sleeve members 13 are the same or greater than the dimensions of the cut-out portions 14 of said sleeve members to form a closure therefor.

When it is desired to use the garment as a coat, the flaps 16 are passed into the sleeve members 13 and the free end portions thereof connected with suitable buttons or other attaching devices 17 in the sleeve members 13, one of these connections being clearly shown in Fig. 4 of the drawing, and in this position of the parts the arms of the wearer may be freely passed through the sleeve members and in the use of the garment the cut-out portions 14 of said sleeve members are closed by the flaps 16 and a neat and finished appearance is produced.

When it is desired to use the garment as a cape, as shown in Fig. 2, the flaps 16 are detached from the buttons 17 and the sleeve members 13 are passed within the sides 15 of the body portion 10 of the garment with the flaps 16 in the position indicated in dotted lines in Fig. 4, after which said flaps are passed upwardly over the shoulder portions of the sleeve members 13 and are secured to buttons or other attaching devices 18 on the shoulder portions of the garment as clearly illustrated in Figs. 2 and 5 of the drawing. In this position of the parts, the sleeve members 13 are contained within the body portion 10 and the flaps 16 form a neat as well as ornamental finish to the shoulder portions of the garment.

It will be apparent that with the construction shown in Figs. 2 and 5, I produce a cape having sleeves or sleeve members which are integral with the body portion of the garment, and in this way the arms of the wearer may be protected and kept warm.

The front side portions of the body portion 10 of the garment are also provided with apertures 19 through which the sleeve members 13, or the free end portions thereof, may be passed as shown in Fig. 3 of the drawing to provide a dolman effect of the garment, the position of the sleeve members 13 and flaps 16 being the same as with the construction shown in Figs. 2 and 5 of

the drawing. Of course, I may make other detail alterations and adjustments in the garment to more effectually produce the desired effects or to better suit the styles or designs of a coat, cape, dolman or the like.

It will be understood that my improved garment may be made up in various kinds and classes of fabrics and cloths, as well as in skins and furs of various kinds and classes, and while I have shown and described certain details of construction for carrying my invention into effect, it will be understood that I am not necessarily limited to these details and various changes therein and modifications thereof may be made, within the scope of the appended claims without departing from the spirit of my invention or sacrificing its advantages.

Having fully described my invention, what I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is:—

1. A combination garment of the class described comprising a body portion, sleeve members at the opposite sides of the body portion, the arm-pit portions of said sleeve members being cut out, flaps at the opposite sides of the body portion, said flaps being adapted to be extended into the sleeve members and to be detachably connected therewith.

2. A combination garment of the class described comprising a body portion, sleeve members at the opposite sides of the body portion, the arm-pit portions of said sleeve members being cut out, flaps at the opposite sides of the body portion, said flaps being adapted to be extended into the sleeve members and to be detachably connected therewith, and said flaps being also adapted to be passed over the shoulder portions of said sleeve members and to be detachably connected with the shoulder portions of the garment.

3. A garment of the class described comprising a body portion and sleeve members, the armpit portions of said sleeve members being cut out to permit of the internal and external use of said sleeve members, means integral with said body portion and adapted to coöperate with said sleeve members in both uses thereof, and to close the cut-out armpit portions of said sleeve members in one use thereof.

4. A garment of the class described comprising a body portion and sleeve members, the armpit portions of said sleeve members being cut out to permit of the internal and external use of said sleeve members, means integral with said body portion and adapted to coöperate with said sleeve members in both uses thereof, to close the cut-out armpit portions of the sleeve members in one use thereof, and to cover the shoulder portions of said sleeve members in the other use thereof.

5. A garment of the class described comprising a body portion and sleeve members, the armpit portions of said sleeve members being cut out to permit of the internal and external use of said sleeve members, means integral with said body portion and adapted to coöperate with said sleeve members in both uses thereof, and the front sides of the body portion being provided with apertures through which predetermined portions of said sleeve members are adapted to pass in the internal use thereof.

6. A garment of the class described comprising a body portion and sleeve members, the armpit portions of said sleeve members being cut out to permit of the internal and external use of said sleeve members and closure flaps on said body portion and adapted to coöperate with said sleeve members in both uses thereof.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed my name in presence of the subscribing witnesses this 31st day of August, 1920.

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