edges meet the back skirt-portions at the top, below which the edges flare in characteristic fashion. The hemmed back edges of the back skirt-portions flare slightly at the center of the back, and in front of each hem two backward-turning plaits are arranged. The front

All sorts of fashionable woollens, such as Bedford cord, faced cloth, vigogne, camel's-hair, tweed and serge, as well as all fabrics of suitable silken texture, will develop attractively by the mode; and combinations of materials will be extremely effective. Soutache or

edge of each back skirt-por-tion is finished with a revers of the material allover embroidered with fancy beads, and an effective design wrought in similar beads ornaments the lower front corner of each back skirtportion and the lower corners and loose edges of each front skirt-portion. The coat sleeves are made upon smooth linings; they are very full at the top and are gathered to form pronounced curves over the shoul-ders. The top of each sleeve is ornamented with bead embroidery arranged in triple-pointed de-sign, and the wrist is finished with a pointed cuff which flares at the back of the arm and is allover embroidered. At the neck is a stylishly high standing collar all-over embroidered, and standing high above this collar is a fraise. The fraise is arranged at the center in a triple box-plait, in front of which three backwardturning plaits are laid at each side; and its long, tapering ends extend almost to the bust. On each front, extending from the top of

the shoulder to

the lower, edge,

is a broad revers

which is sewed

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4047 4047 Back View. Front View. LADIES' CAPE. (COPYRIGHT.) (For Description see Page 187.)

Front View. Back View. LADIES' CIRCULAR WRAP. (ALSO KNOWN AS THE RED-RIDING HOOD CLOAK.) (COPYRIGHT.) (For Description see Page 187.)

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fronts are exposed in vest shape and are all-over embroidered with beads. The top and bottom of the body at the back are decorated in bust darts taken up together. The back is shaped in low outline at V shape with bead embroidery, completing a handsome garniture. the top to correspond with the fronts and arranged upon high-

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metallic braiding, Escurial embroidery, fancy gimp or jewelled passementerie may be added for decoration, or a less elaborate completion

may be chosen. We have pattern No. 4042 in thirteen sizes for ladies from twenty-eight to forty-six inches, bust measure. For a lady of medium size, the basque requires five yards of ma-terial twentytwo inches wide, or two yards and three-fourthsforty-four inches wide, or two yards and aneighth fifty-four inches wide, each with threefourths of a yard of silk twenty inches wide for the fraise. Price of pattern, 1s. 3d. or 30 cents.

LADIES' BASQUE. (KNOWN AS THE HOLBEIN WAIST.) (For Illustrations see Page 197.)

No. 4080. — This basque forms part of the stylish toilette pictured at figure No. 336 R in this Delineator. At figure No. 2 on the Ladies' Plate Autumn, 1891, the basque is again represented.

Woollen dress goods and velvet are here united in the basque, and passementerie and ribbon bows trim it daintily. The fronts are cut away in low, fanciful outline at the top, and the front edges separate to reveal high-necked fronts of lining that close at the center with buttons and button-