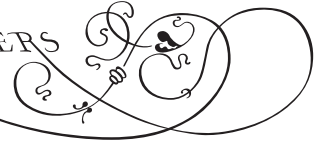


Clara's 1625 Court Gown

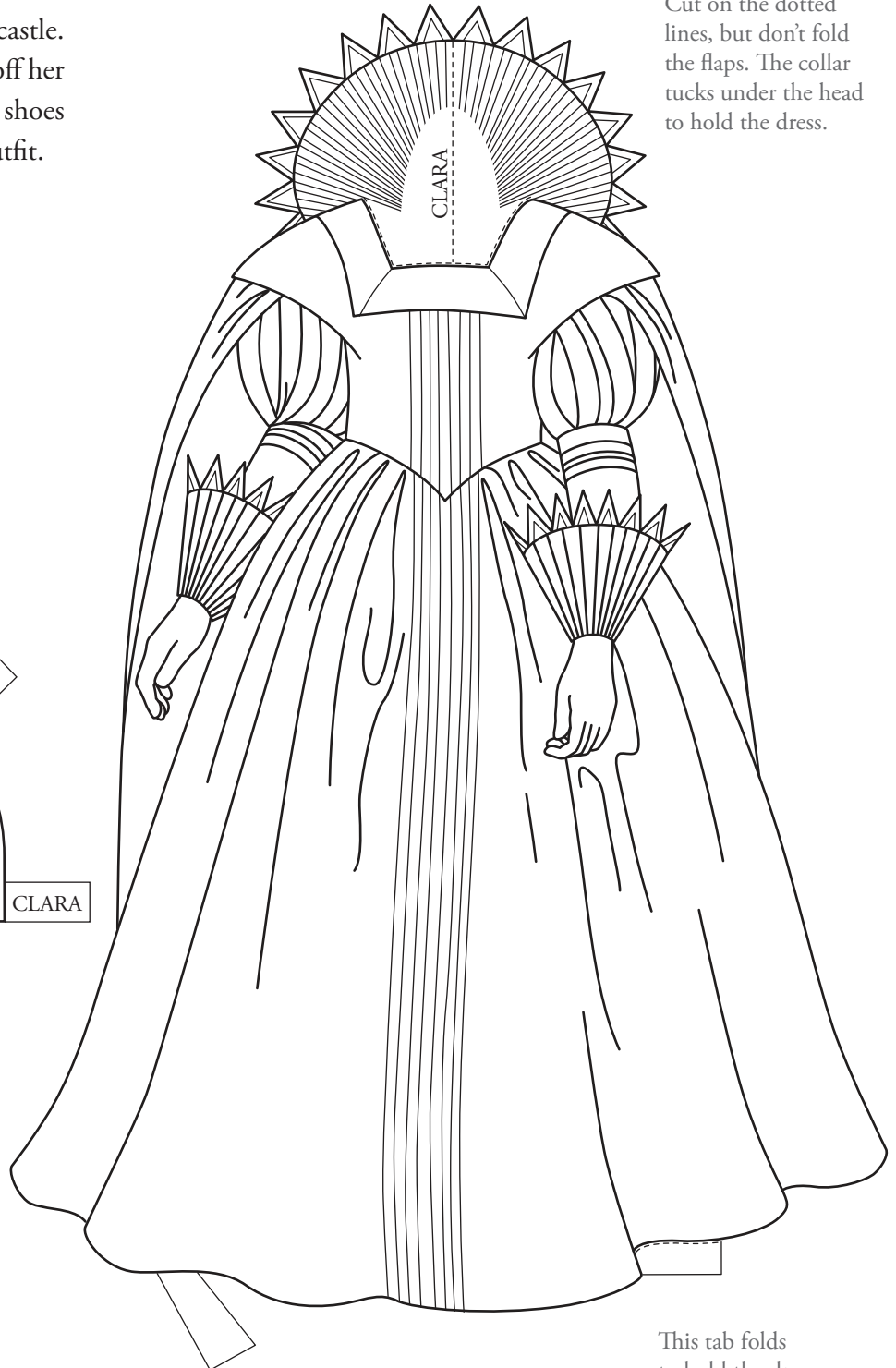
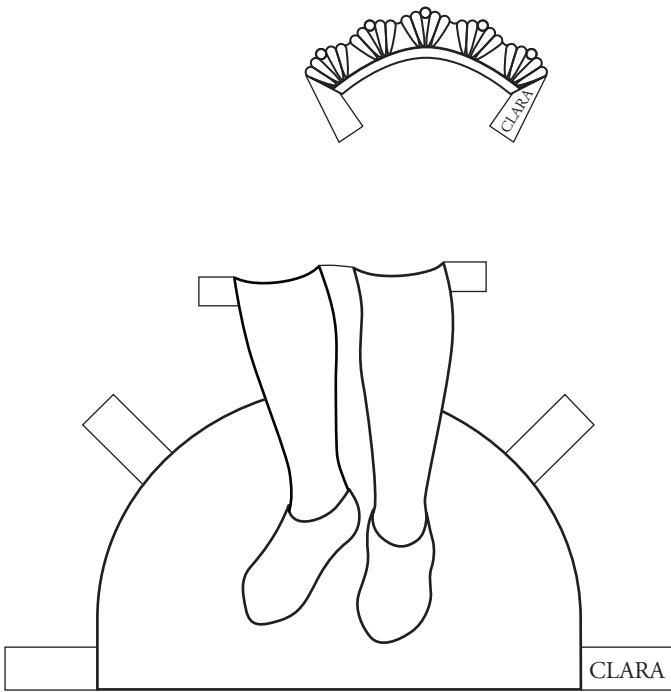
Clara's dress is a very formal English court gown, made of a heavy brocade fabric, with heavily starched, pleated, and lace-trimmed collar and cuffs. The sleeves are puffed at the top, with ribbon trim over an under-sleeve. A cape provides warmth from the chilly, drafty nobleman's mansion or castle. Clara also has a jeweled tiara to show off her wealth. A pair of plain, soft cloth shoes completes the 17th century formal outfit.

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