

the design (Fig. 16) as well as the following measurements are from the description given to Mr. Walcott by Peleioholani and are of course only approximate. They are



FIG. 14. CAPE AT NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE.

worth recording as differing from any robes described. Length, about 4 feet 9 inches; neck measurement about 2 feet; circumference at bottom about 5 feet 8 inches. It is a matter of tradition that 27,000 birds were captured to furnish the feathers for this cloak. In the left side were seven spear holes that were never patched, and about which were blood stains. Keeau-moku was severely wounded in this battle, and it was

rather a fancy with the old chiefs to retain the honorable scars in the ahuula, as in the cloak given by Kamehameha to Vancouver to be taken to England for King George.

107. An interesting cloak is in the Museum at Dover, England. It was given to this museum by General William Miller, well known in Hawaiian history as a British representative at Honolulu. The cloak was probably given to him by Kamehameha III., who did much to scatter the ahuula which had been accumulated by his victorious

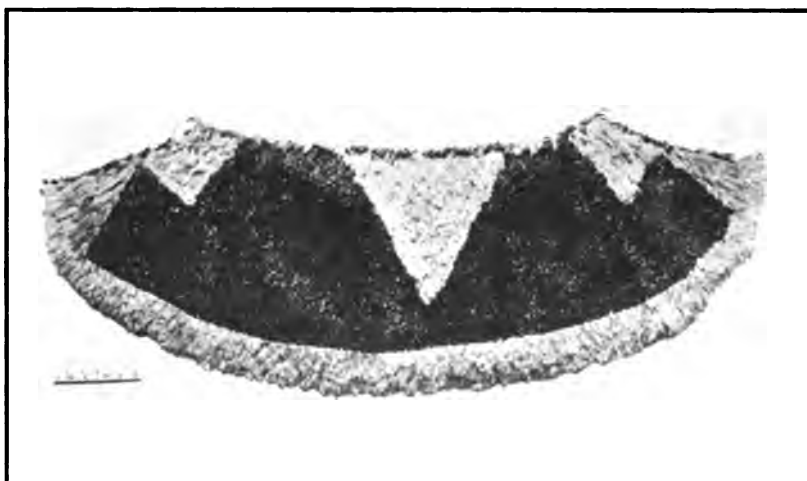


FIG. 15. EDGE-PARTINGTON CAPE.

father, who apparently swept the island of Hawaii clean of these royal robes. This cloak is 5 feet 9 inches long; 2 feet 8 inches across the upper part; 8 feet 3 inches across the lower part, and 10 feet 7 inches round the bottom. The pattern in oo and iwi feathers is not unusual, and the robe seems in good preservation. I purchased