**TERMINOLOGY TREADLES**

1. Adjustment line **9** Evenly distributing some fullness when joining two pieces of different sizes.
2. Baste **15** Placing the pattern pieces on the fabric for cutting.
3. Bias **14** Sliding a heated iron in a gliding motion to smooth or stabilize fabric.
4. Clip **12** Trimming each layer of a seam allowance in varying amount to reduce bulk.
5. Crosswise grain **16** Threads that run up and down the fabric, parallel to the selvage.
6. Cutting line **1** A double line on a pattern to indicate where alterations may be made.
7. Dart **5** Threads that run across the fabric and are perpendicular to the selvages.
8. Directional print **4** A small cut into the seam allowance almost to the stitch line.
9. Ease **6** A heavy, unbroken line to indicate where the pattern must be cut.
10. Facing **3** A line diagonally across the grain of the fabric at a 45-degree angle.
11. Fold line **2** Long stitches used to hold fabric pieces together temporarily.
12. Interfacing **28** The narrow, firmly woven finish along both lengthwise edges of the fabric.
13. Iron **10** A piece of fabric used to finish edges such as necklines.
14. Layer **8** A fabric with the print going all the same direction.
15. Layout **11** The marking in the center of a dart where the material is folded.
16. Lengthwise grain **7** A fold of material stitched together to give shape to a garment.
17. Mark **23** The cut edge of the fabric pieces.
18. Match **24** The line designated for stitching the seam. Generally 5/8 inch from the edge.
20. Notches **13** An extra thickness of fabric used to provide shape.
21. Pattern markings **26** The distance from the cut edge to the stitch line.
22. Press **22** Lifting and placing the iron in an up and down motion.
23. Raw edge **29** To cut away excess fabric on seam allowance after the seam is stitched.
25. Seamster **19** Fabric with a raised surface.
26. Seam allowance **18** To bring notches or other construction marking on two pieces together.
27. Seam finish **20** V-shaped or diamond-shaped markings on a pattern.
28. Selvage **17** To transfer pattern instructions to the fabric.
29. Trim **25** A person who enjoys sewing.