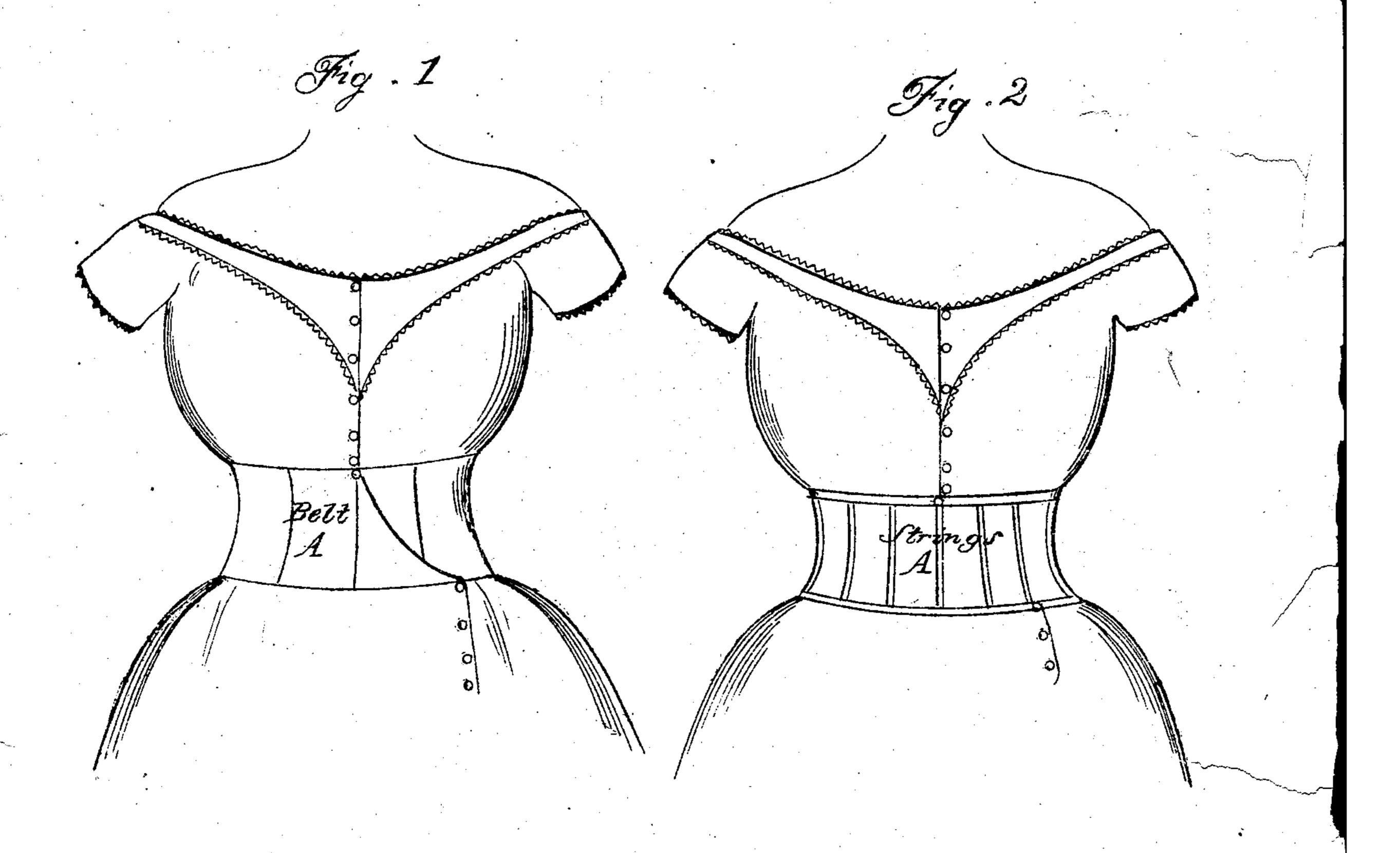
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## IMPROVEMENT IN LADIES' CHEMISE.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Mrs. R. L. Jones, of the city of Sacramento, State of Cahfornia, have invented and | belt, made so as to fit closely around the waist, beproduced a new and improved Mode of Making Chemises or under garments to be worn by women; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawing, and letters marked thereon.

The nature of my invention consists in forming the chemise so as to prevent the bulky folding of cloth around the waist, for the purpose of making the waist smaller without tight lacing.

To enable others skilled in the art to make and use my invention, I will proceed with its construction and operation.

The chemise is to consist of an upper part formed so as to fit the body above the waist, (see W, Figures 1 and 2,) and a lower part formed like a skirt. (See S, figs. 1 and 2.)

The said upper part or waist W, and the lower part or skirt S, are to be connected together by means of a neath the corsets A, or else the said waist and skirt are to be connected together by means of strings or tapes placed at equal distances apart. (See fig. 2.)

What I claim as my invention, and desire to secure

by Letters Patent, is—

A chemise, so constructed as to prevent the bulky folding of the chemise beneath the corsets, by connecting the waist and skirt-portions thereof by means of a band, belt, tapes, or strings, substantially as and for the purposes herein set forth.

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