

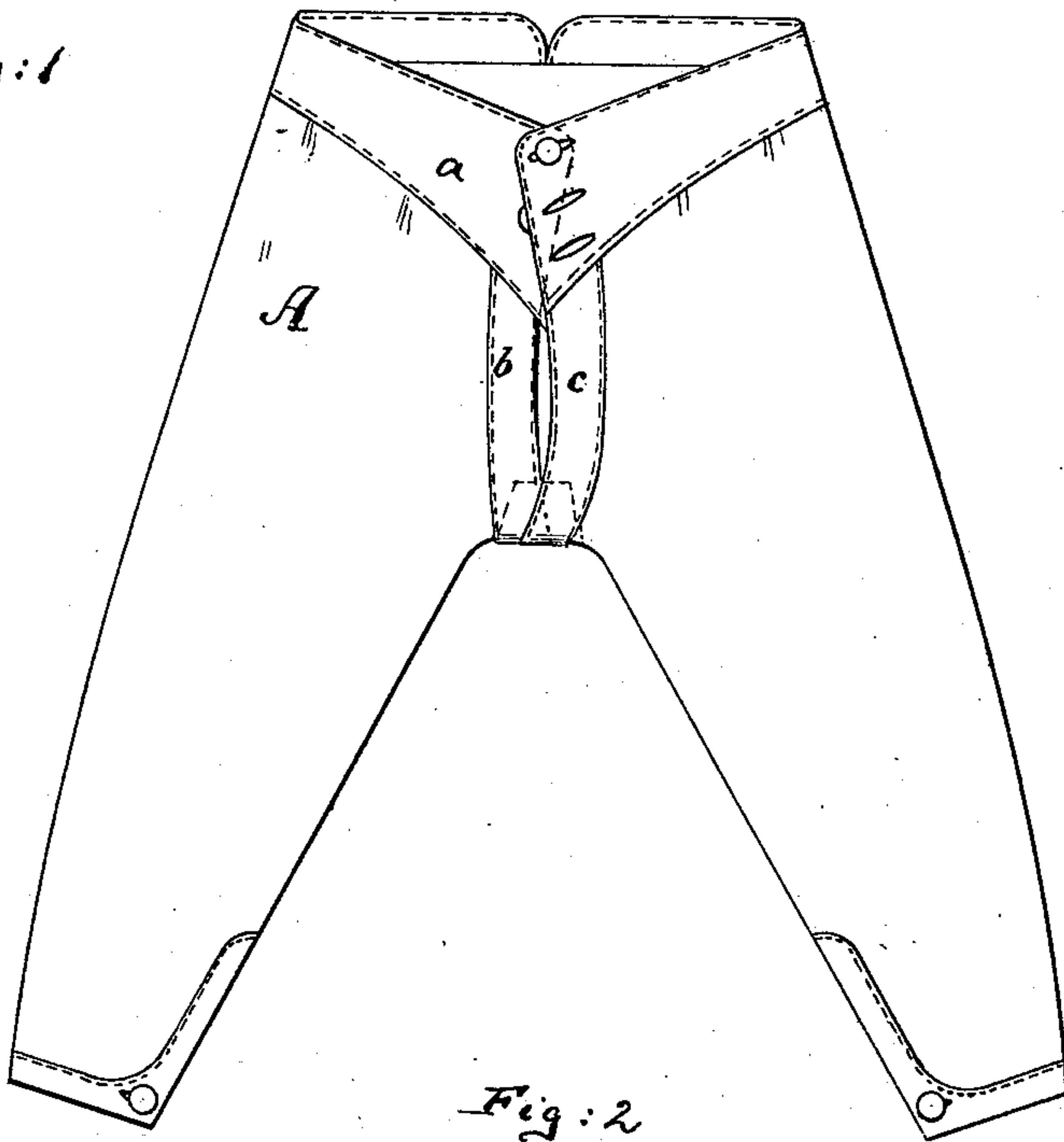
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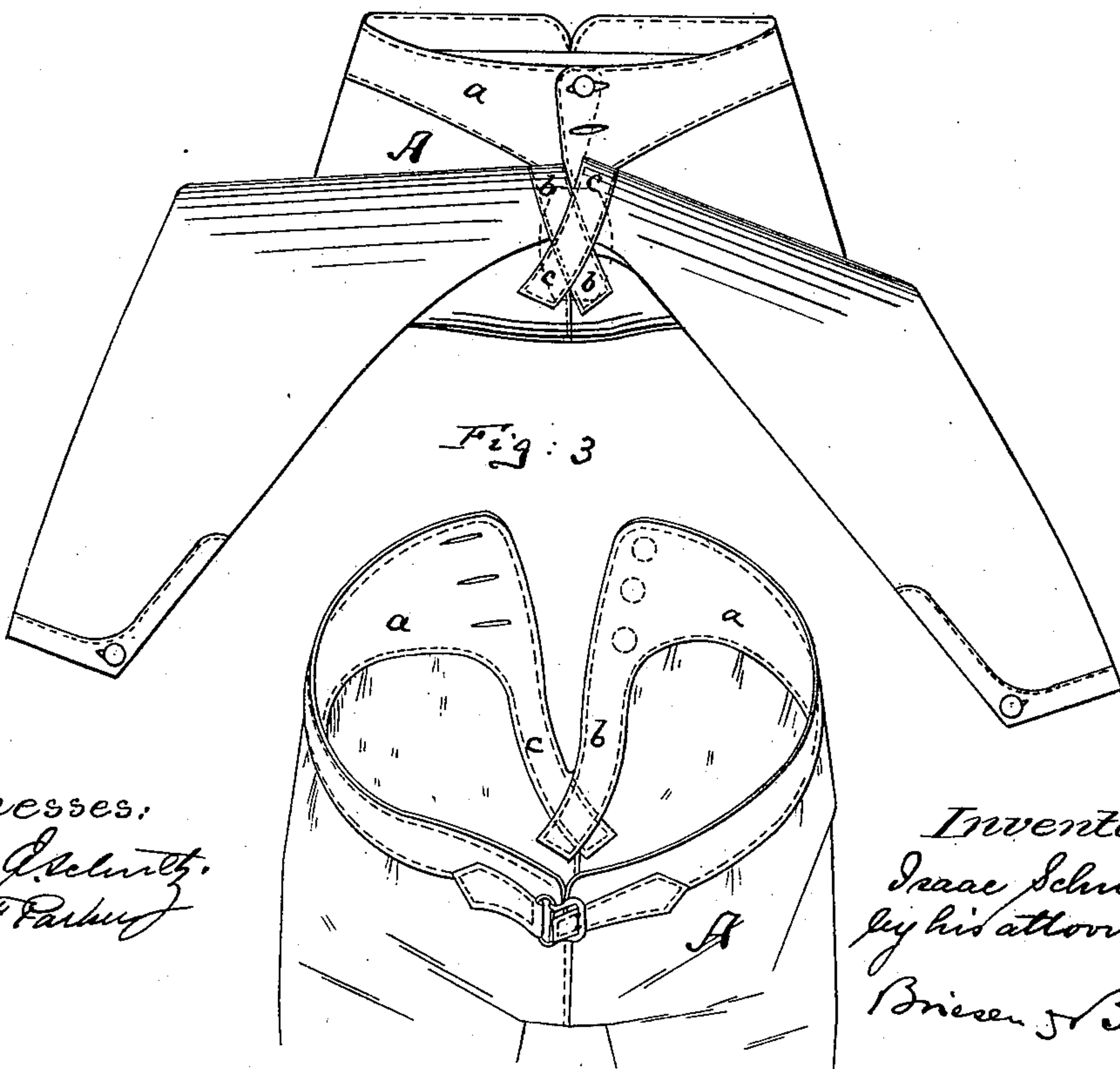
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*Fig: 1*



*Fig: 2*



*Fig: 3*

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## MEN'S DRAWERS.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, ISAAC SCHNEER, of New York, in the county and State of New York, have invented an Improvement in Men's Drawers, of which the following is a specification.

Figure 1 is a front view of the improved men's drawers. Fig. 2 is a bottom view of the crotch. Fig. 3 is a face view of a modification thereof.

10 The object of this invention is to avoid the sharp crotch in men's drawers, which at present is produced by the straight seam that joins the legs. Inserted pieces have been resorted to as a means of overcoming the difficulty; but  
15 they were a mere doubling of material, as they did not draw down the central seam.

My invention consists in carrying the edgings or linings of the front slit down and crossing them beneath the crotch, thereby giving  
20 the central seam that joins the legs a support and drawing it down from below. The rise of the central seam and its chafing action will thus be prevented.

A is a pair of drawers constructed in every  
25 other respect like ordinary drawers. *a* is its

upper edging or lining. *b* and *c* are the edgings or linings of the front slit. These are carried down and crossed beneath the crotch, as is clearly shown in Fig. 2, so that they will be underneath the middle seam that joins the  
30 legs. The advantages above indicated, and others, will be fully realized by this construction. There may also be an inside piece placed over the said middle seam, if desired, to cover any roughness in said seam.

The edgings *b c* may, if desired, be crossed  
35 above the crotch, as shown in Fig. 3.

A cross-piece may be inserted to unite the edgings *b c* at the lower end of the slit.

The parts *a b c* may be in one piece, as in  
40 Fig. 3.

I claim—

In men's drawers, the edgings or linings *b* and *c* of the front slit, carried down and crossed on the crotch, substantially as specified.

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