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Fig: 1.

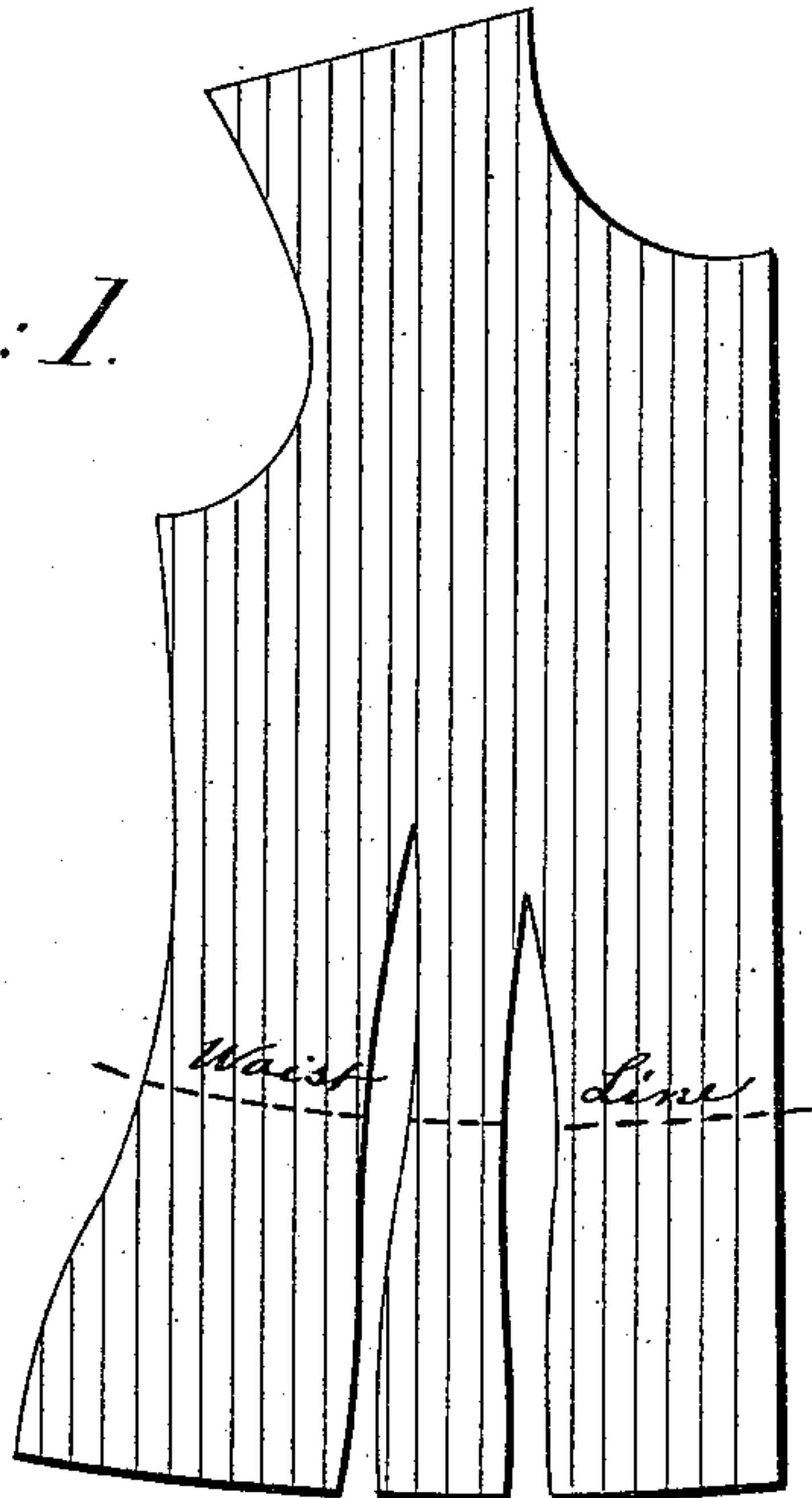


Fig: 2.

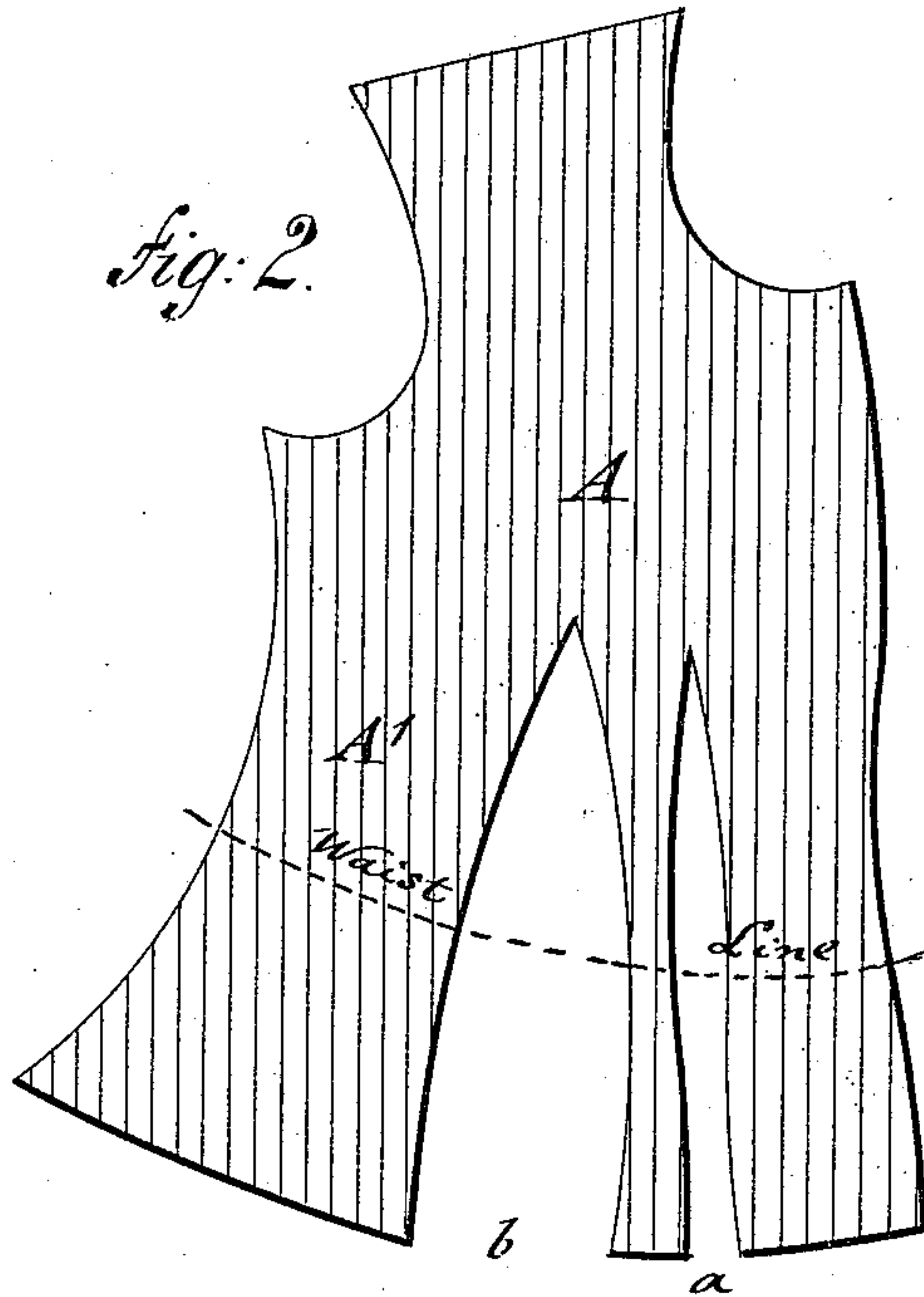
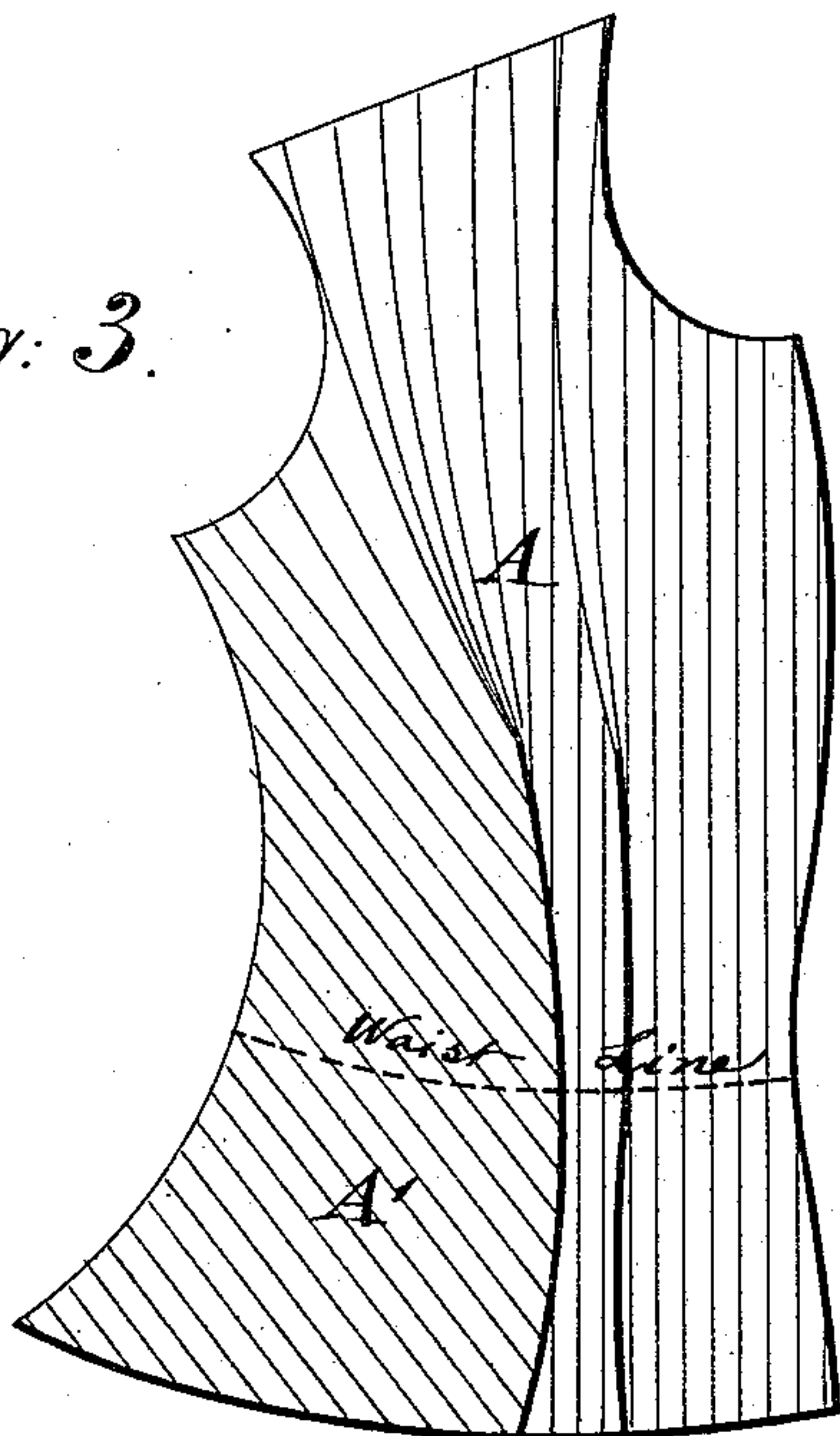


Fig: 3.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, MATILDA STOCKER, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improve-
5 ments in Pattern-Linings, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to an improved pattern-lining for ladies' dresses, by which a better fit of the dress at the bust and waist is obtained and the wrinkles at the waist obviated; and the invention consists of a pattern-lining the front section of which is cut with a narrow dart and with a dart of considerably greater width than the narrow dart and differs in shape, as hereinafter set forth.
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In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 represents a front view of the front section of a pattern-lining as heretofore in use. Fig. 2 is a front view of the front section of my improved pattern-lining; Fig. 3, a front view of the front section as stitched together.
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Similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts.

Referring to the drawings, A represents the front section of my improved pattern-lining for ladies' dresses or garments. The front section, A, is cut with a narrow dart, *a*, and with a second dart, *b*, of about four times the width of the narrow dart *a*, and approximates
25 in shape that of a wedge. When the parts of the front section, A, are put together, the

side part, A', of the same is connected on the bias with the narrow front parts of the section A, as shown in Fig. 3. The fabric of the pattern runs in longitudinal direction at the bust and on the bias to the waist-line at the sides, whereby a better and more perfect fit than that obtained by the patterns heretofore in use is produced. The strain on the fabric of the lining and of the garment cut from the lining is thereby not exerted in a transverse direction to the fabric, but on a bias to the waist-line, whereby the formation of wrinkles at the waist is prevented.
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Having thus described my invention, I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

A bust and waist pattern-lining, the front section of which is provided with two darts, one being several times wider than the other, the narrow dart *a* being the same width at the waist-line and the bottom of the pattern and narrower between said points, the dart *b* being wider between the waist-line and the bottom and nearly wedge shape, substantially as described.
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In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed my name in presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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