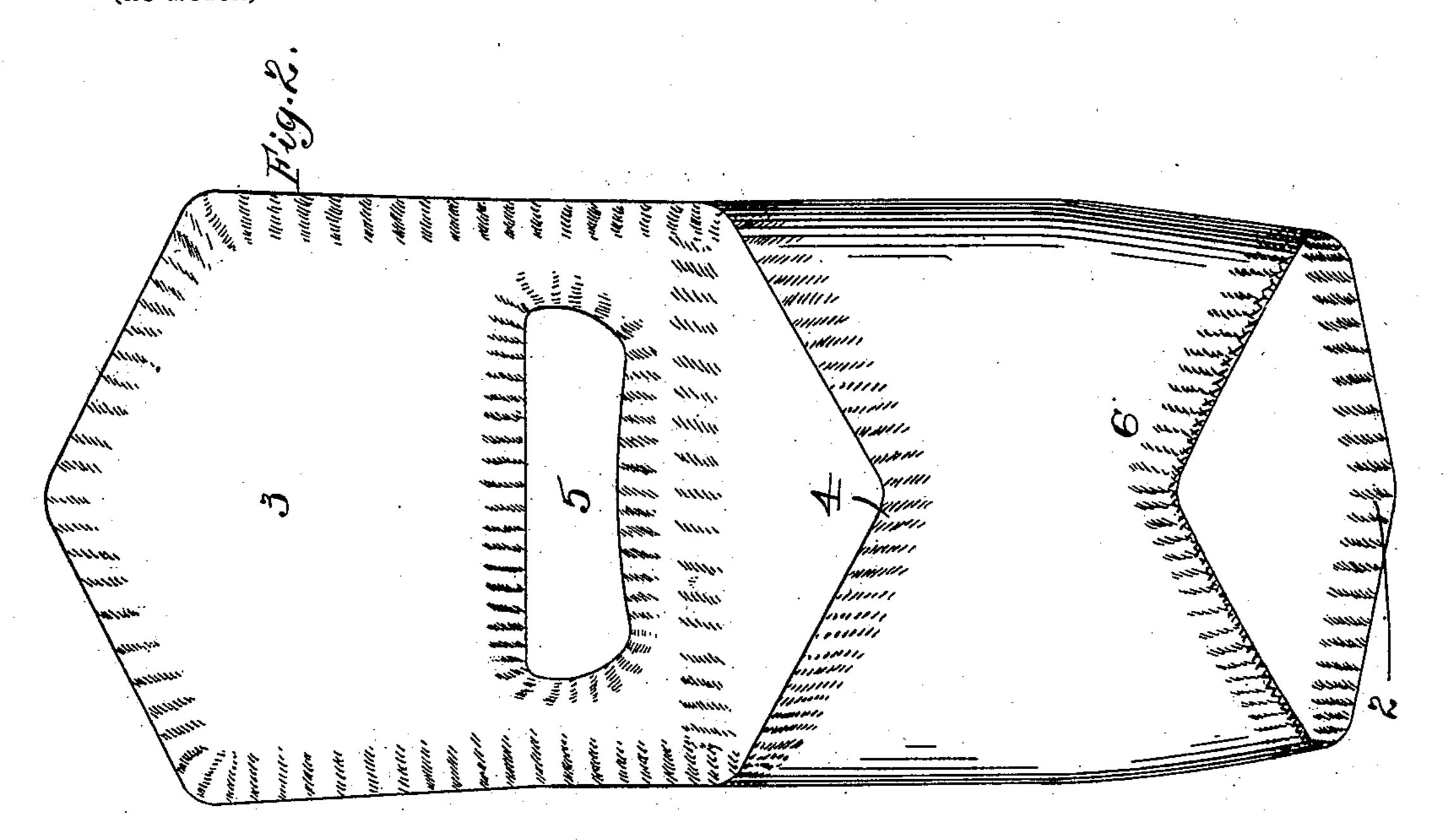
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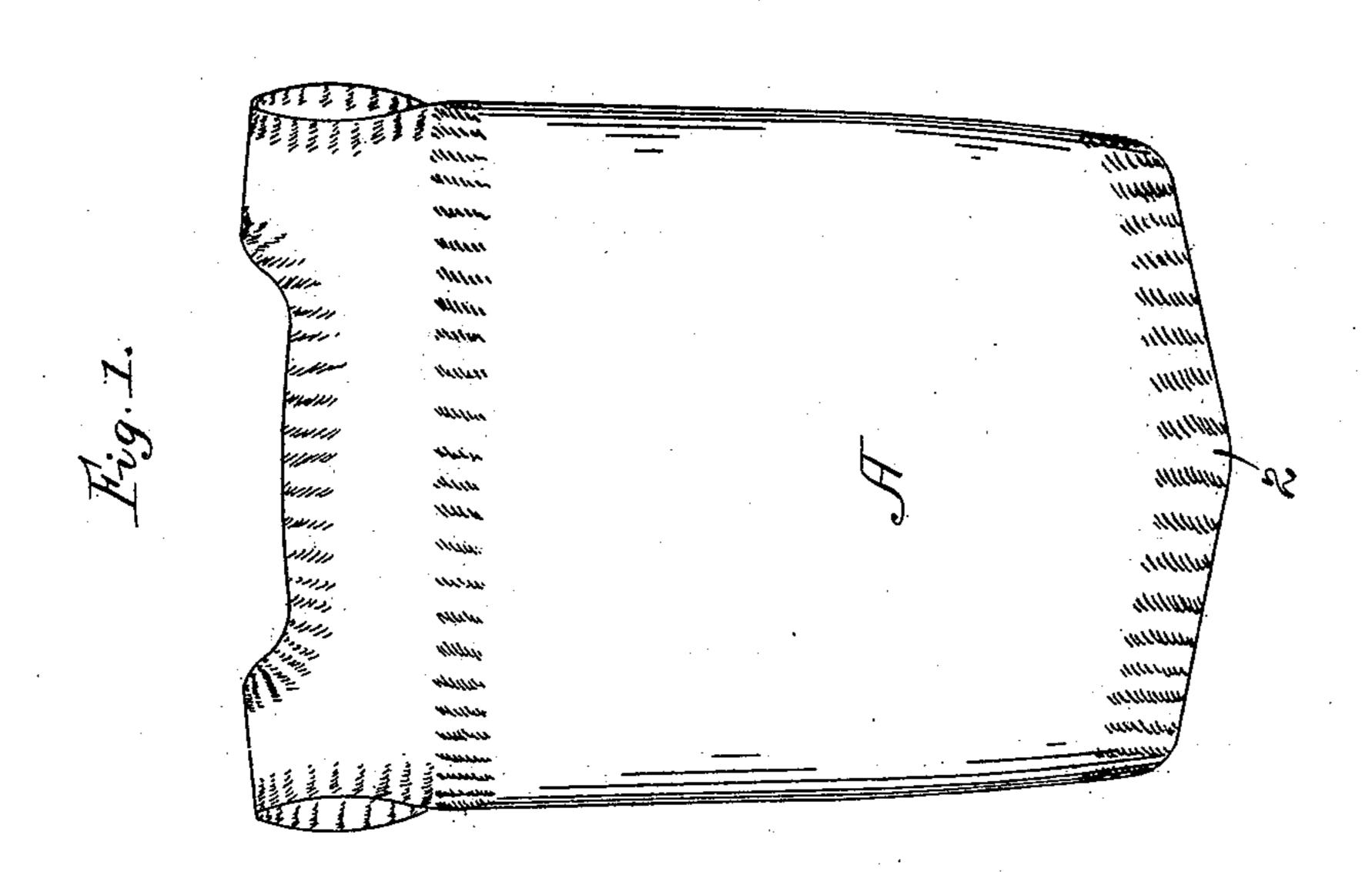
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## BABY'S BAND.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Annie A. Davies, of St. Paul, Ramsey county, Minnesota, have invented certain Improvements in Babies' Bands, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in babies' bands, its object being to provide an improved form of the same which will not wrinkle, as the ordinary band does, when in use.

To this end my invention consists in the specific form hereinafter shown and described.

In the accompanying drawings, forming part of this specification, Figure 1 is a front view of my invention, and Fig. 2 is a rear view of the same in extended position.

The invention consists of the body portion or band A, the front of which is formed with a downwardly-projecting portion 2, to which the other garments are attached to hold the band closely over the stomach. The front of the band also extends upward to cover the chest of the child and has a flap 3, which is adapted to be pinned to the top 4 of the rear portion of the band. A neck-opening 5 is formed between the flap and front portion of the garment. The top and bottom edges 4 and 6 of the rear portion of the band converge

toward the center, as shown in Fig. 2, so that 30 the band when in place conforms closely to the shape of the body and also by being high in the back prevents it being soiled, as in the case of the ordinary band.

I claim-

1. As an improved article of manufacture, a baby's band, comprising a tubular body portion, the lower edge of the front portion of the band being shaped to conform to the stomach, and being provided with an upwardly-extendant being chest portion formed with a neck-opening, and provided with a back flap adapted to be connected with the rear part of the tubular portion.

2. As an improved article of manufacture, 45 a baby's band, comprising a tubular body portion, the lower edge of the rear of the band converging toward the center, and the forward portion of the band being formed with an upwardly-extending chest portion extending over the shoulders and adapted to be connected to the rear of the tubular portion.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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