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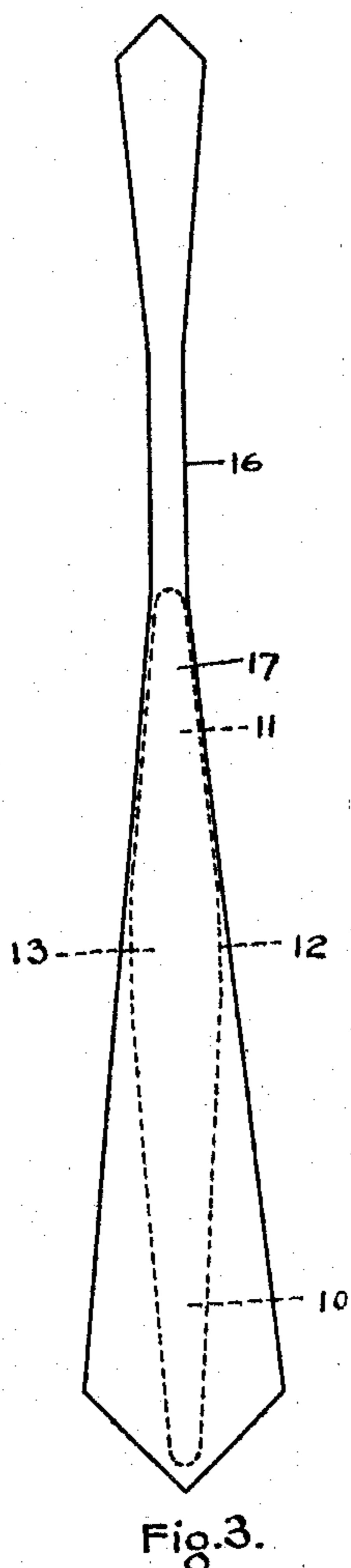


Fig. 3.

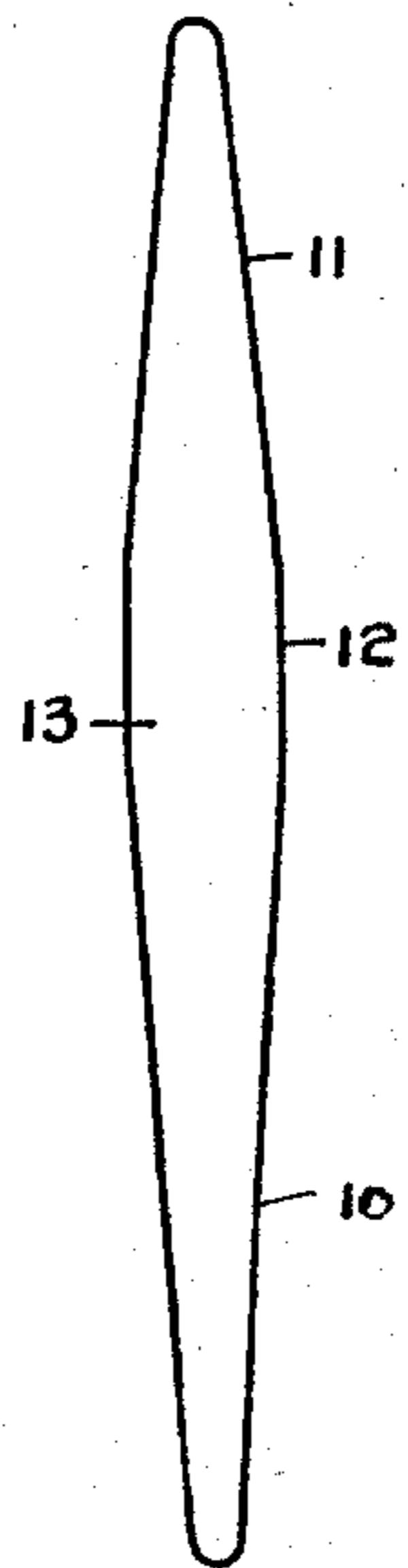


Fig. 1.

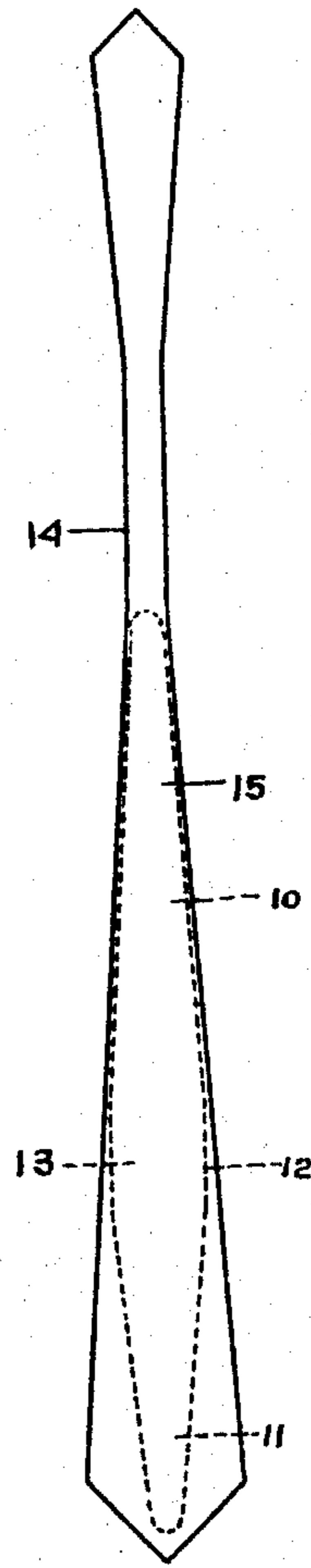


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## NECKTIE FORM

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The invention relates to a necktie form, as described in the present specification and illustrated in the accompanying drawings that form part of the same.

5 The invention consists essentially of the novel features of construction pointed out in the claim for novelty following a description containing an explanation in detail of an acceptable form of the invention.

10 The objects of the invention are to remove the creases due to constantly making up the tie, such as tying the knot in a four-in-hand necktie; to insure a neat and stylish appearance in so far as the neckwear is concerned; to facilitate the smoothing of the necktie within a considerable range of sizes; and generally to provide means that will enable any person to maintain their neckwear in good condition, in the most economical manner.

In the drawings,

Figure 1 is a plan view of the form.

Figure 2 is a plan view of a necktie having a narrow taper and the form inserted therein.

25 Figure 3 is a plan view of a necktie showing a shorter knot portion and the form inserted therein.

Like numerals of reference indicate corresponding parts in the various figures.

30 Referring to the drawings, the form is of flexible metal and is formed with the tapering portions 10 and 11 extending from a substantially parallel portion 12, the tapered end 10 being approximately one third longer than the tapered end 11, while the body portion 13 is comparatively very short.

35 The necktie 14 is shown with the long tapered end 10 inserted therein as it has a long knot portion 15 while the necktie 16 has the short tapered end 11 therein, as it has a short knot portion 17.

The neckties become creased at the knot or tying portions and the creases are straightened out by means of this form.

40 Wire stretchers have been used for this purpose, but the present invention discloses a positive shape having a good range of sizes.

What I claim is:

45 A necktie form consisting of a single length  
50 of flat flexible metal comprising an inter-

mediate portion having substantially parallel edges and gradually tapering portions on each side of said intermediate portion, said intermediate portion situated at one side of the transverse axis of the single length of flexible metal.

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