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The ornamental design for a canine protective bib, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view showing my new design. Said instant article is attached to a dog which is shown in broken lines for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view;

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view, which is a mirror image of the right side;

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view; and,

FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view.

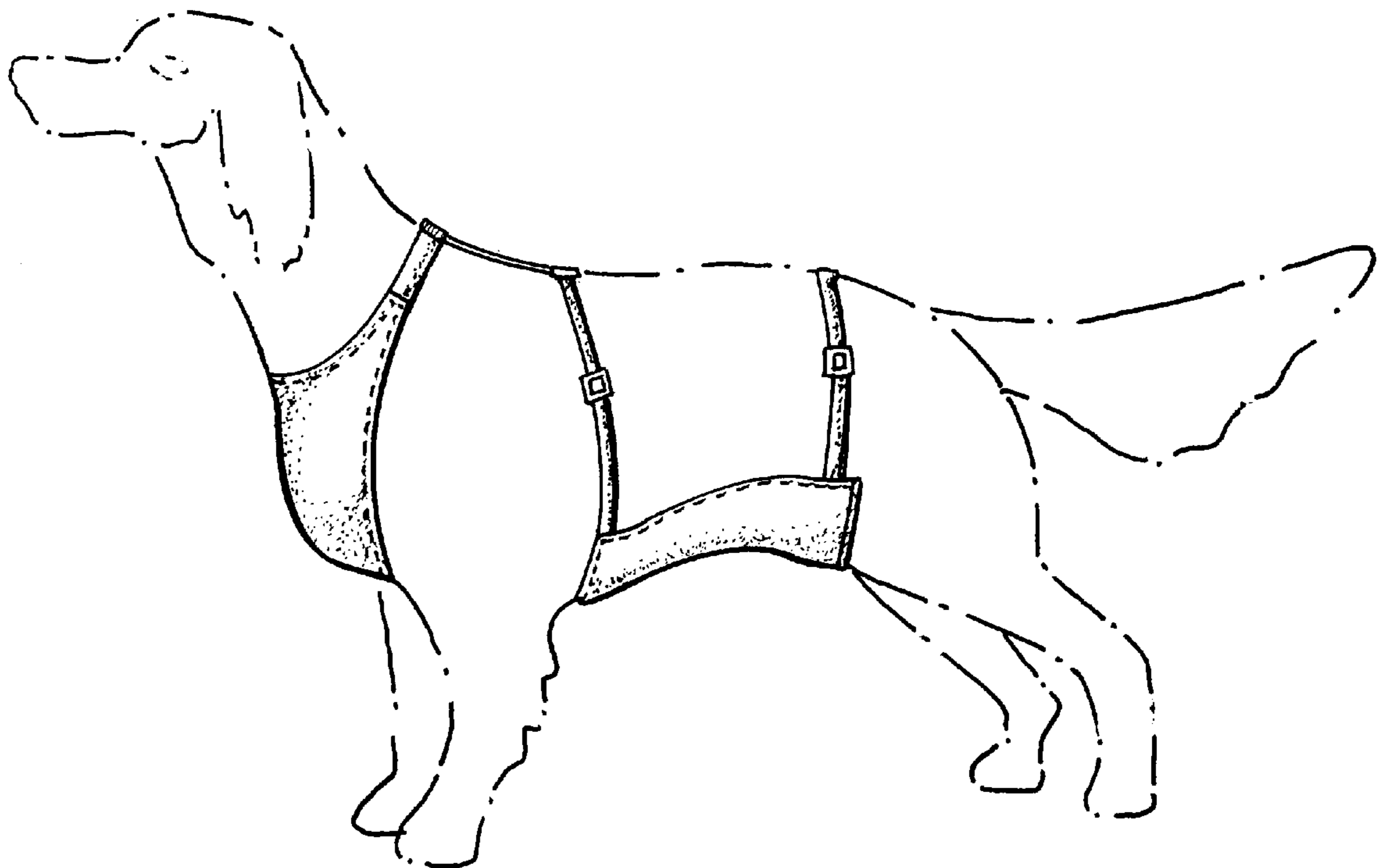
No claim is made to the dog shown in phantom outline solely to illustrate environment.

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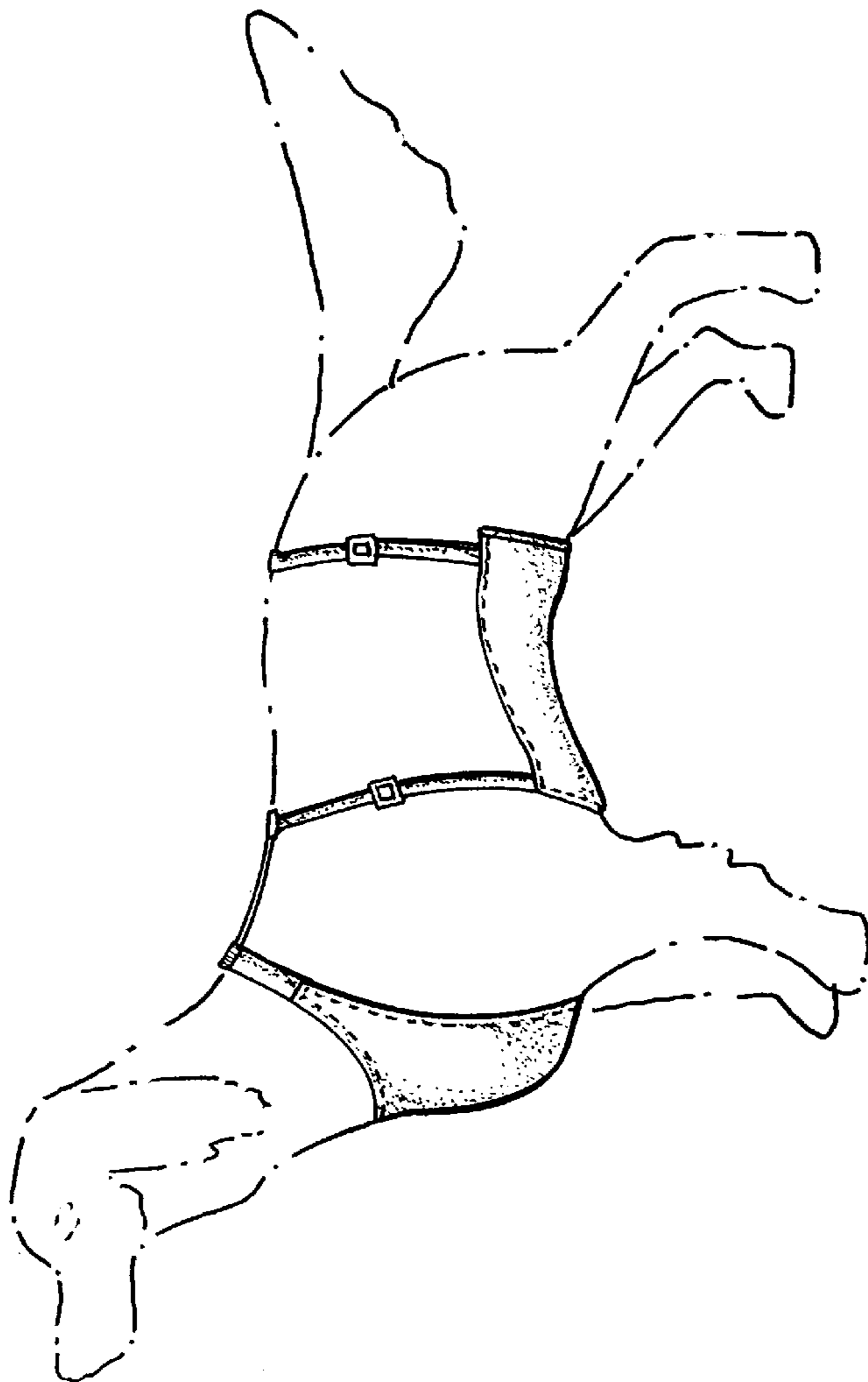
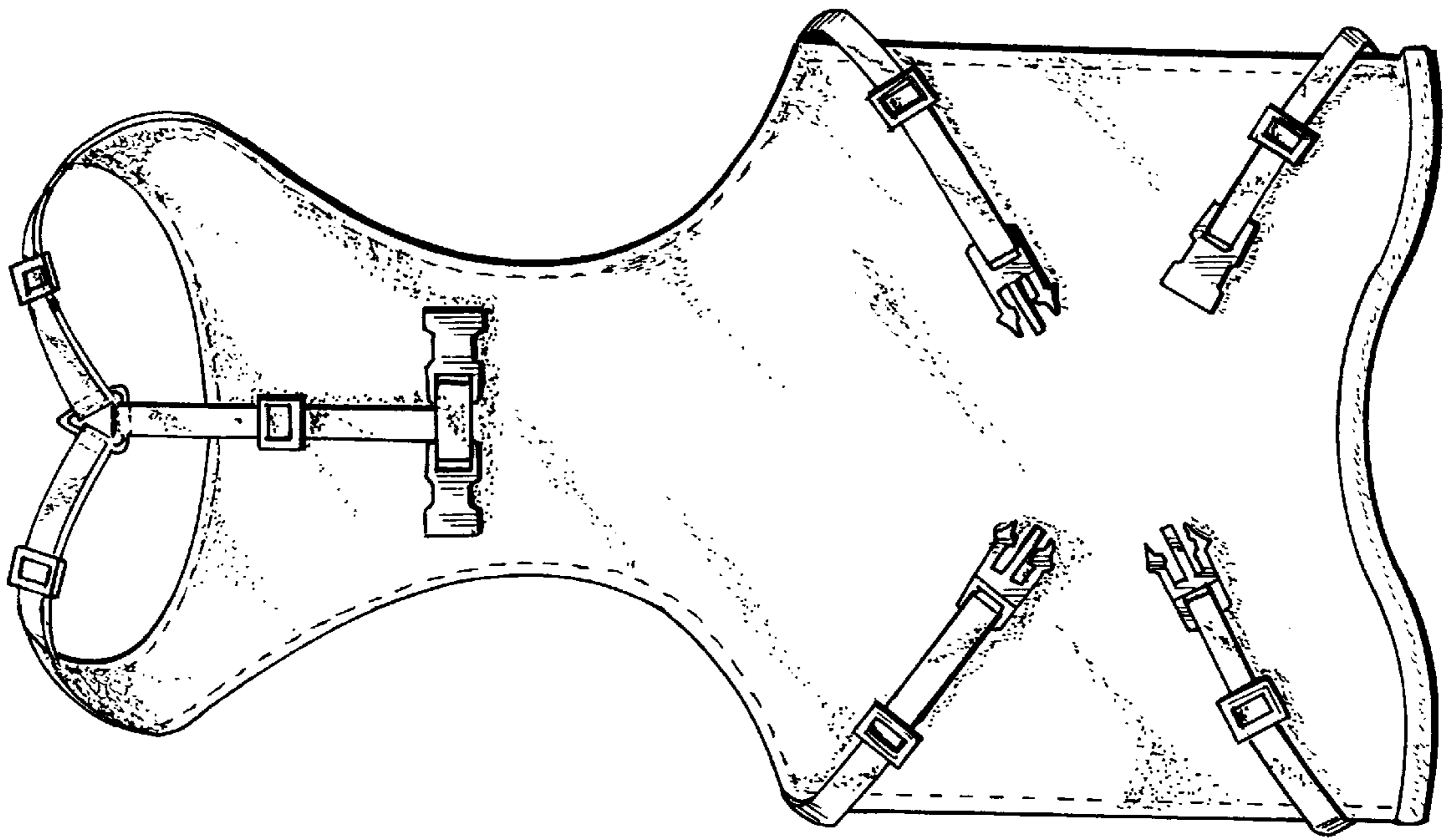
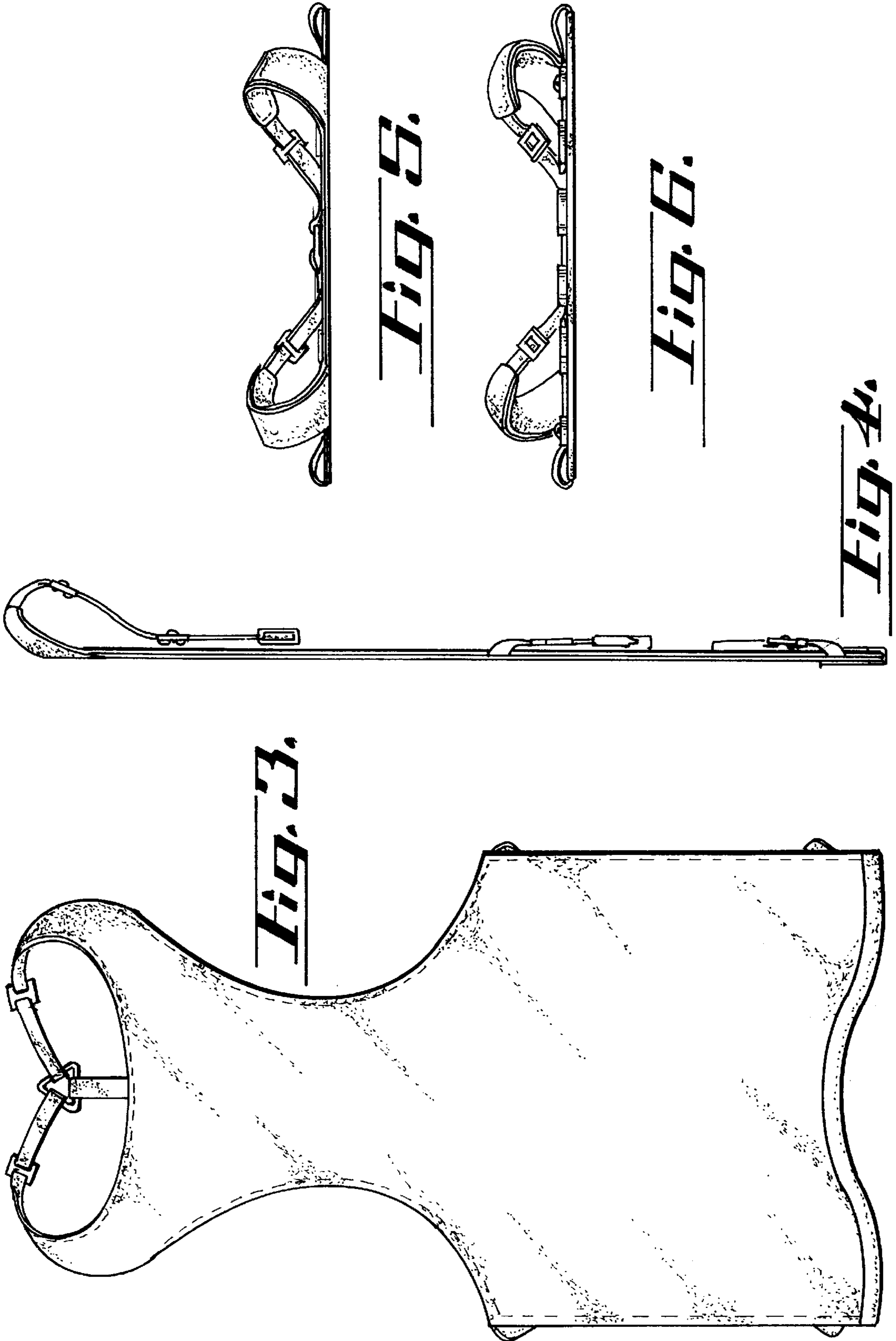


Fig. 1.

Fig. 2.



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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Description.

Line 11, please delete "ain" and insert in its place -- in --.

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