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(54) **ATHLETIC SHORTS**

Hong Kong Apparel vol. II 1996, p. 296 Fantakea Trading Ltd. shorts in center of page with inserts on both legs.*

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The ornamental design for “athletic shorts”, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

(56) **References Cited**

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of “athletic shorts” showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a right side elevational view thereof, the left side being a mirror image thereof;

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4,850,056 A * 7/1989 Gardner et al. 2/228

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FIG. 3 is a front top right side perspective view thereof; and,

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FIG. 4 is a bottom front left side perspective view thereof.

Sportpages Catalog Summer 1980, p. 18 item 18F shorts.*

Sportpages Catalog Summer 1979, p. 16 item 16C shorts.*

Hong Kong Apparel vol. II 1996, p. 203 Metimex S.A. black shorts with red side inserts, bottom of page, center.*

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets

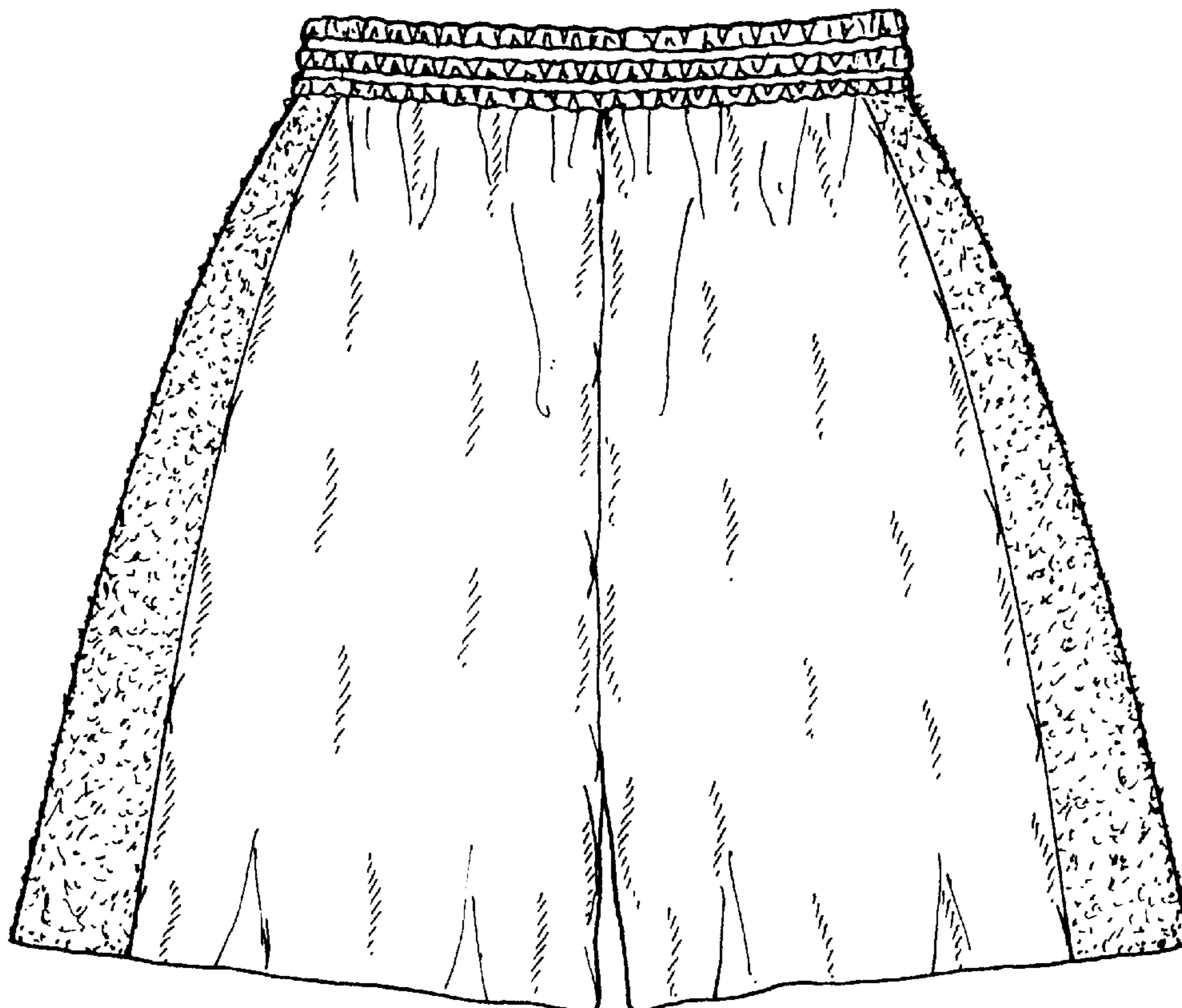


Fig. 1

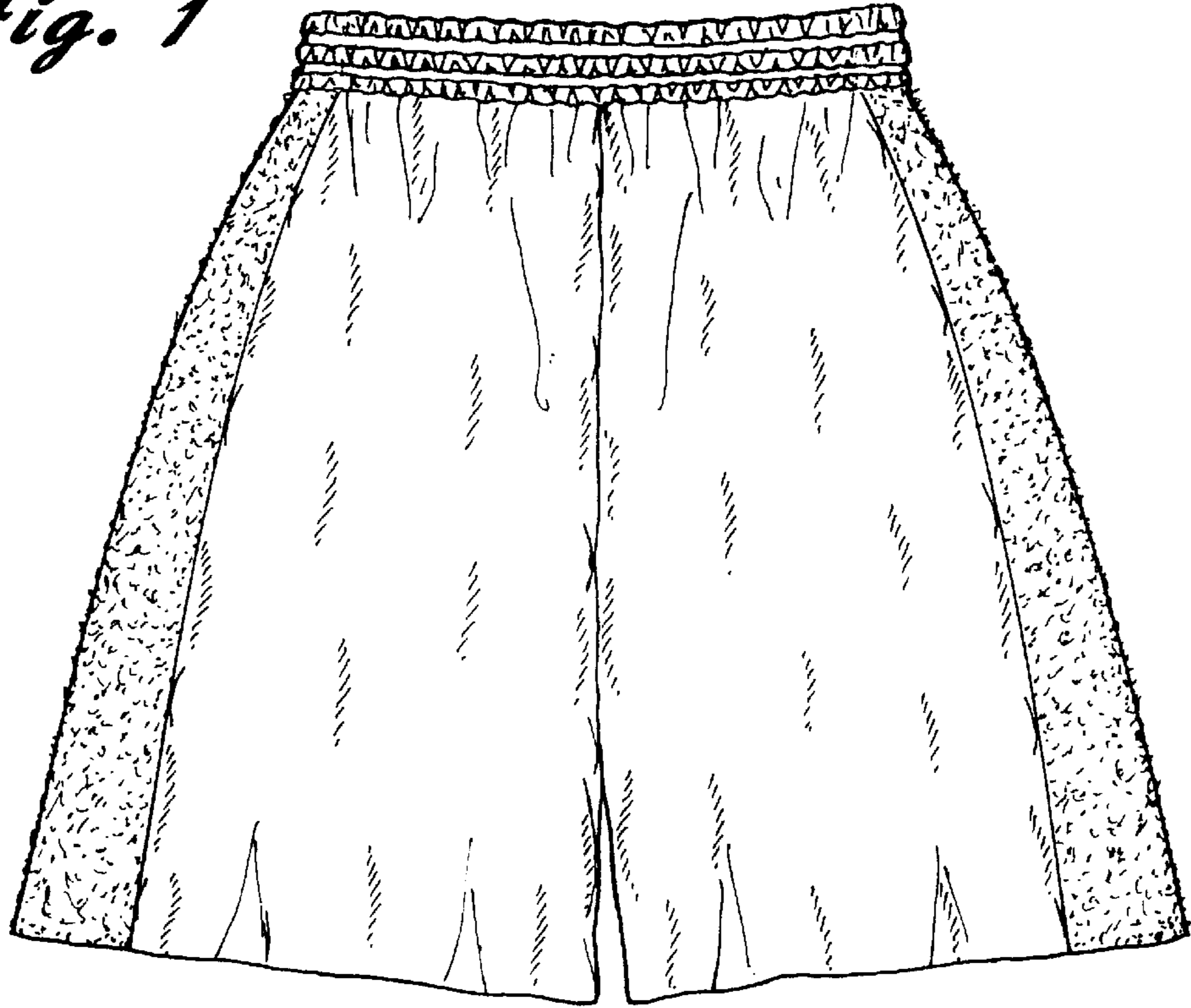


Fig. 2



Fig. 3

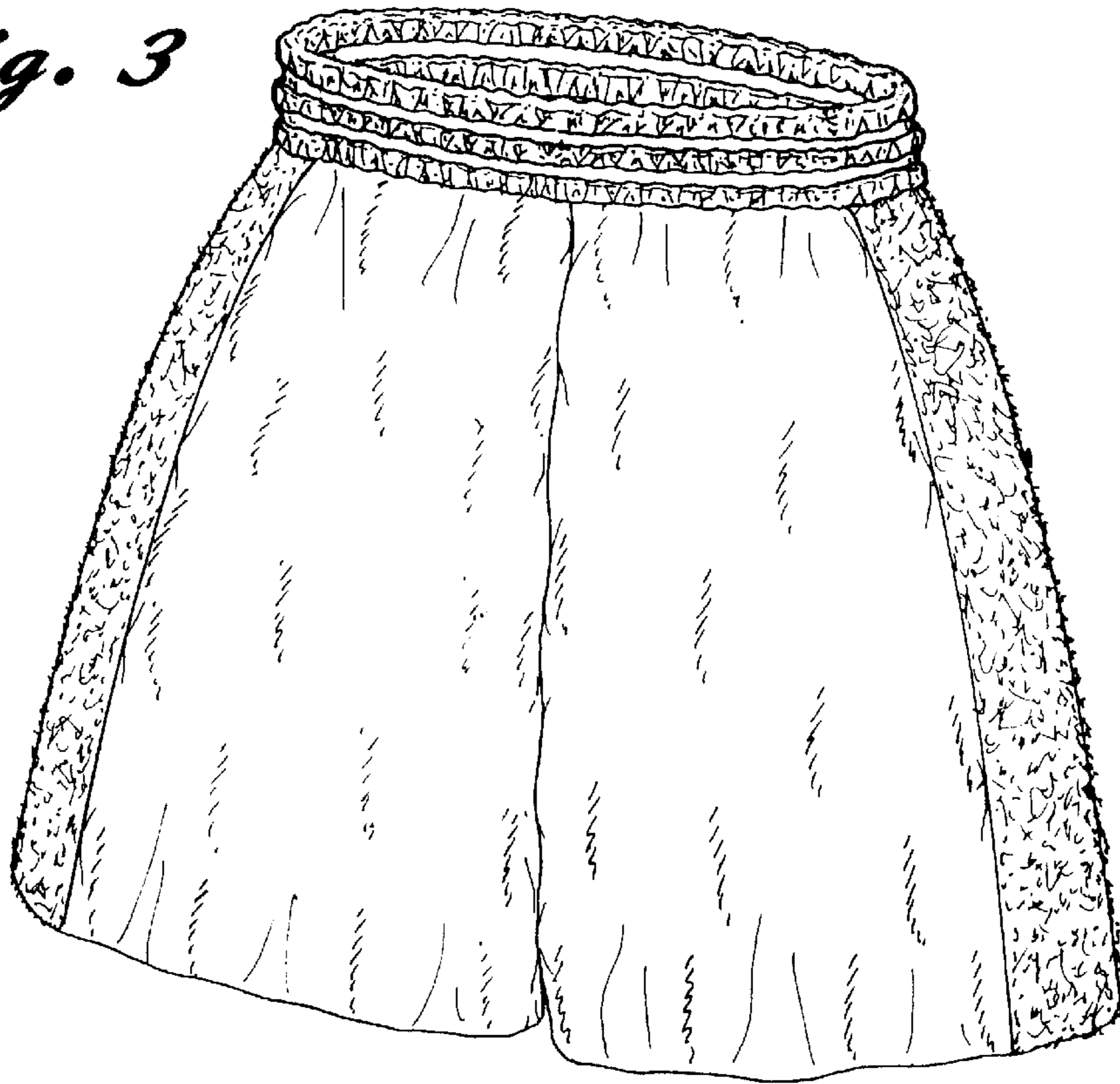


Fig. 4

