

Load on l_3 .

$$2M_2 + M_3 = 0.$$

$$\frac{1}{r} M_2 + 2M_3 (1 + r) = -K_2 l_3.$$

$$M_2 = \frac{r}{4r(1+r) - 1} K_2 l_3.$$

$$M_3 = \frac{-2r}{4r(1+r) - 1} K_2 l_3.$$

The curves for these are shown Figs. 15*b*, 15*c*, for case $r = 1.5$.

REACTIONS.

Load on l_2 .

$$R_2 = \frac{M_3 - M_2}{l_2} + (1 - k) = (1 - k) + \frac{1}{4r + 3} \left\{ (3 + 2r)K_2 - 3K_1 \right\}$$

$$R_4 = \frac{M_3}{l_3} = -\frac{1}{r(4r + 3)} \left\{ 2K_1 - K_2 \right\}$$

$$R_3 = k + \frac{M_2}{l_2} - (1 + r) R_4 = k - \frac{1}{r(4r + 3)} \left\{ (1 + r)(1 + 2r)K_2 - (2 + 3r)K_1 \right\}$$

Load on l_3 .

$$R_4 = \frac{M_3}{l_3} + k = k - \frac{2r}{4r(1+r) - 1} K_2.$$

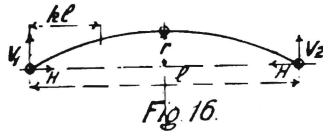
$$R_3 = \frac{M_2}{l_2} - (1 + r) R_4 + (1 + kr) = (1 - k) + \frac{3r^2 + 2r}{4r(1+r) - 1} K_2$$

$$R_2 = \frac{M_3 - M_2}{l_2} = -\frac{3r^2}{4r(1+r) - 1} K_2.$$

The curves for Reactions are shown, Figs. 15*d*-15*f*, for $r = 1.5$.

Table 15.—Bending Moments and Reactions.

k	$\frac{M_2}{l_2}$	$\frac{M_2}{l_3}$	$\frac{M_3}{l_2}$	$\frac{M_3}{l_3}$	R_2		R_3		R_4	
	Load on l_2	Load on l_3	Load on l_2	Load on l_3	Load on l_2	Load on l_3	Load on l_2	Load on l_3	Load on l_2	Load on l_3
	-	+	-	-	+	-	+	+	-	+
·10	·0840	·0183	·0030	·0366	·9810	·0824	·0217	1·0191	·0020	·0634
·20	·1387	·0308	·0107	·0617	·9280	·1389	·0791	1·0006	·0071	·1383
·30	·1680	·0382	·0210	·0765	·8470	·1721	·1670	·9486	·0140	·2235
·40	·1760	·0411	·0320	·0823	·7440	·1851	·2773	·8674	·0213	·3177
·50	·1667	·0402	·0417	·0804	·6250	·1808	·4028	·7611	·0277	·4196
·60	·1440	·0360	·0480	·0720	·4960	·1620	·5360	·6340	·0320	·5280
·70	·1120	·0292	·0490	·0585	·3630	·1316	·6697	·4901	·0326	·6415
·80	·0747	·0206	·0427	·0411	·2320	·0926	·7964	·3337	·0284	·7589
·90	·0360	·0106	·0270	·0212	·1090	·0477	·9090	·1689	·0180	·8788
1·00	·0000	·0000	·0000	·0000	·0000	·0000	1·0000	·0000	·0000	1·0000

Case 16.—ARCH WITH THREE HINGES. (FIG. 16.)Let r = rise. l = span. c = half span = $\frac{l}{2}$ **VERTICAL REACTIONS AND HORIZONTAL THRUST.**

Load on left half.

$$V_1 + V_2 = 1.$$

Moments about Abut. 2.

$$V_1 \times l = (1 - k) l.$$

Moments about crown.

$$V_1 \times \frac{l}{2} - H \times r - (\frac{1}{2} - k) l = 0.$$

$$\therefore V_1 = (1 - k) \text{ and } H = \frac{kl}{2r} = k \frac{c}{r}.$$

The curves for these are shewn in Figs. 16a, 16b.

The reasoning is the same for loads on right half.

Case 17.—ARCH WITH TWO HINGES. (FIG. 17.)Let r = rise of arch if parabolic or rise of equivalent parabola if circular (*i.e.* = rise of parabola of equal area to the circular segment.) l = span. c = half span = $\frac{l}{2}$. b = distance from centre. y_0 = height of load boundary.

$$S = \frac{\text{half span}}{\text{rise}} = \frac{c}{r}.$$

 kl = distance from left abutment.**VERTICAL REACTIONS.**

Since there is no Bending Moment at abutment,

$$V = (1 - k).$$

From the principles of elasticity,*

$$H = \frac{c^2 - b^2}{2c j_o} = \frac{c^2 - (c - kl)^2}{2c \left\{ \frac{32 c^2 r}{25 c^2 - 5 (c - kl)^2} \right\}}$$

$$= \frac{S \left\{ 1 - (1 - 2k)^2 \right\} \left\{ 5 - (1 - 2k)^2 \right\}}{12.8}$$

since $j_o = \frac{32 c^2 r}{25 c^2 - 5 b^2}$.

The curves of vertical reaction and horizontal thrust are shown in Figs. 17*a* and 17*b*.

Tables of Horizontal Thrust.

$$H = \frac{S}{12.8} \left[\left\{ 1 - (1 - 2k)^2 \right\}^2 + 4 \left\{ 1 - (1 - 2k)^2 \right\} \right]$$

Table is worked out for $S = \text{unity}$. Figures are to be multiplied by S i.e., $\frac{\text{half span}}{\text{rise}}$.

(a) k in decimals.

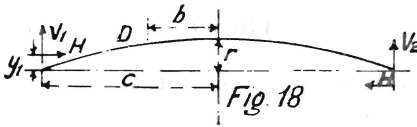
k	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	·0000	·0125	·0250	·0370	·0498	·0622	·0745	·0866	·0988	·1107
1	·1226	·1345	·1461	·1565	·1688	·1797	·1907	·2015	·2119	·2222
2	·2320	·2418	·2514	·2608	·2697	·2785	·2869	·2949	·3029	·3102
3	·3175	·3245	·3312	·3375	·3434	·3490	·3542	·3593	·3540	·3680
4	·3720	·3754	·3787	·3818	·3838	·3857	·3874	·3890	·3899	·3903
5	·3906									

* See Johnson's "Framed Structures," or Merriman & Jacoby's "Higher Structures."

(β) k in fractions. Numerator in column. Denominator in row.

k	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
1	·0000	·3906	·3395	·2785	·2320	·1979	·1718	·1517	·1357	·1225	·1118	·1028	·0980	·0889	·0803	·0775	·0730	·0690	·0654	·0622	
2		·0000	...	·3906	·3721	·3395	·3072	·2785	·2534	·2320	·2136	·1979	·1840	·1718	·1601	·1517	·1432	·1357	·1288	·1226	
3			·0000	...	...	·3906	·3811	·3616	·3395	·3175	·2971	·2785	·2813	·2459	·2320	·2199	·2081	·1979	·1883	·1797
4				·0000	...	...	...	·3906	·3848	·3720	·3572	·3395	·3230	·3062	·2922	·2785	·2654	·2534	·2423	·2320
5					·0000	...	...	...	...	·3906	·3868	·3777	·3659	·3529	·3395	·3262	·3134	·3011	·2894	·2785
6						·0000	...	...	...	...	...	·3906	·3879	·3811	·3721	·3616	·3507	·3395	·3284	·3175
7							·0000	...	...	...	...	...	...	·3906	·3885	·3814	·3761	·3677	·3584	·3490
8								·0000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·3906	·3890	·3848	·3789	·3720
9									·0000	·3906	·3893	·3857
10										·0000	·3906

Case 18.—ARCH FIXED AT ENDS. (FIG. 18.)



For this case the method is particularly suited, as here we have a few crucial points by which the maximum and minimum sections are determined.

The maximum B. Mt. is at the abutment and the minimum at the crown. Of intermediate points the $\frac{1}{4}$ point is worked out. For a short span the B. Mts. as found from these points fixes the shape and size of the section to be allowed.

From the principles of elasticity the following results are deduced.*

Let y_1 = imaginary equivalent height *above* horizontal at which horizontal thrust acts.

b = distance from centre.

c = half span.

r = rise of arch.

$\frac{b}{c} = x$. and $S = \frac{c}{r}$.

Moments are reckoned positive when in same direction as B. Mt. due to vertical reaction.

INFLUENCE LINE y_1 .

$$y_1 = \frac{2}{15} \frac{c - 5b}{c - b} r = \left\{ \frac{2}{15} \frac{1 - 5x}{1 - x} \right\} r. \quad \text{See Fig. 18c.}$$

INFLUENCE LINE VERTICAL REACTION.

$$V = \frac{1}{4} (2 - x) (1 + x)^2. \quad \text{See Fig. 18a and Table 18a.}$$

INFLUENCE LINE HORIZONTAL THRUST.

$$H = \frac{15}{32} (1 - x^2)^2 \times S. \quad \text{See Fig. 18b and Table 18b.}$$

BENDING MOMENT AT ABUTMENT.

$$M_1 = H y_1 = \frac{c}{16} (1 - x^2) (1 + x) (1 - 5x). \quad \text{See } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Fig. 18d.} \\ \text{Table 18d.} \end{array} \right.$$

BENDING MOMENT AT CROWN.

$$\begin{aligned} M_c &= V_1 \times c - H (r - y_1) - b \\ &= \frac{c}{32} (3 - 16x + 18x^2 - 5x^4). \quad \text{See } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Fig. 18e.} \\ \text{Table 18e.} \end{array} \right. \end{aligned}$$

* See Footnote to Case 17, Page 93.

BENDING MOMENT AT $\frac{1}{4}$ POINT (*i.e.*, Point D., Fig. 18).

Let r_1 = rise at $\frac{1}{4}$ point = ar where r is rise of arch.

$$M_d = V_1 \times \frac{c}{2} - H(r - y_1) - (b - \frac{c}{2}) \text{ from abut. 1 to } \frac{1}{4} \text{ point.}$$

$$M_d = V_1 \times \frac{c}{2} - H(r - y_1) \text{ from } \frac{1}{4} \text{ point to abut. 2.}$$

These become

$$M_d \text{ from 1 to D} = \frac{1}{4} (2 - x) (1 + x)^2 \times \frac{c}{2} - \frac{15}{32} (1 - x^2)^2 c \left(a - \frac{2}{15} \frac{1 - 5x}{1 - x} \right) - c \left(x - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{,, ,, D to 2} = \frac{1}{4} (2 - x) (1 + x)^2 \times \frac{c}{2} - \frac{15}{32} (1 - x^2)^2 c \left(a - \frac{2}{15} \frac{1 - 5x}{1 - x} \right)$$

These might also be deduced from fact that :

$$\text{B. Mt. at } \frac{1}{4} \text{ point} = \text{B. Mt. at 2} + V \times \frac{c}{2} - H \times ar - \left(b - \frac{c}{2} \right)$$

Last term omitted when $b < \frac{c}{2}$.

Figs. 18*d*, 18*e*, 18*f* are drawn to same scale.

Table 18a.—Vertical Reactions.

$$V = \frac{1}{4} (2 - x) (1 + x)^2.$$

x	·0	·1	·2	·3	·4	·5	·6	·7	·8	·9
0	·5000	·5075	·5150	·5225	·5300	·5375	·5450	·5524	·5599	·5673
1	·5748	·5822	·5896	·5970	·6043	·6117	·6190	·6263	·6336	·6408
2	·6480	·6552	·6624	·6695	·6766	·6836	·6906	·6976	·7045	·7114
3	·7183	·7251	·7318	·7385	·7452	·7518	·7583	·7648	·7713	·7777
4	·7840	·7903	·7965	·8026	·8087	·8147	·8207	·8265	·8323	·8381
5	·8438	·8493	·8548	·8603	·8656	·8709	·8761	·8812	·8862	·8911
6	·8960	·9008	·9054	·9100	·9145	·9188	·9231	·9273	·9314	·9354
7	·9392	·9430	·9467	·9502	·9537	·9570	·9602	·9634	·9664	·9692
8	·9720	·9746	·9772	·9796	·9818	·9840	·9860	·9879	·9896	·9913
9	·9928	·9941	·9953	·9964	·9974	·9982	·9988	·9993	·9997	·9999

Table 18b.—Horizontal Thrust.

$$H = S \times \frac{15}{32} (1 - x^2)^2. \quad \text{Figures are for } S = \text{unity.}$$

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	·4687	·4685	·4684	·4680	·4670	·4662	·4652	·4640	·4626	·4610
1	·4593	·4573	·4551	·4529	·4504	·4478	·4450	·4420	·4388	·4353
2	·4319	·4281	·4245	·4205	·4163	·4120	·4075	·4027	·3980	·3932
3	·3882	·3830	·3777	·3721	·3668	·3609	·3550	·3491	·3431	·3370
4	·3307	·3243	·3179	·3114	·3048	·2981	·2914	·2846	·2777	·2707
5	·2636	·2566	·2495	·2424	·2352	·2281	·2209	·2136	·2065	·1992
6	·1920	·1847	·1776	·1704	·1634	·1563	·1493	·1423	·1354	·1287
7	·1219	·1152	·1092	·1022	·959	·897	·836	·776	·718	·662
8	0607	·0554	·0503	·0453	·0406	·0361	·0318	·0277	·0239	·0202
9	·0169	·0138	·0111	·0085	·0063	·0045	·0029	·0016	·0007	·0001

Table 18d.—Bending Moment at Abutment.

Figures are for $c = \text{unity}$.

$$M_1 = \frac{c}{16} (1 - x^2) (1 + x) (1 - 5x).$$

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	+·0625	+·0599	+·0573	+·0547	+·0519	+·0491	+·0463	+·0433	+·0402	+·0371
1	+·0340	+·0309	+·0276	+·0243	+·0210	+·0176	+·0142	+·0107	+·0071	+·0036
2	·0000	-·0036	-·0073	-·0109	-·0146	-·0183	-·0220	-·0258	-·0295	-·0333
3	-·0370	-·0407	-·0444	-·0481	-·0518	-·0555	-·0592	-·0629	-·0666	-·0702
4	-·0735	-·0770	-·0806	-·0838	-·0875	-·0903	-·0935	-·0965	-·0995	-·1025
5	-·1055	-·1083	-·1110	-·1136	-·1160	-·1182	-·1204	-·1226	-·1245	-·1263
6	-·1280	-·1295	-·1308	-·1320	-·1332	-·1340	-·1347	-·1351	-·1353	-·1355
7	-·1355	-·1351	-·1346	-·1339	-·1331	-·1316	-·1301	-·1284	-·1263	-·1239
8	-·1214	-·1188	-·1154	-·1120	-·1084	-·1042	-·1000	-·951	-·900	-·848
9	-·0790	-·0728	-·0663	-·0595	-·0522	-·0445	-·0365	-·0288	-·0191	-·0098

Table 18e.—Bending Moment at Crown.

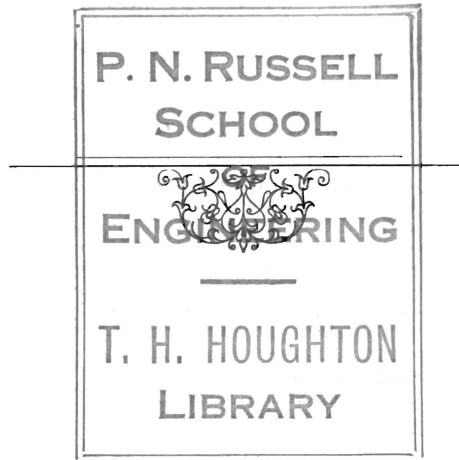
Figures are for $c = \text{unity}$.

$$M_c = \frac{c}{32} (3 - 16x + 18x^2 - 5x^4).$$

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	+·0938	+·0905	+·0874	+·0842	+·0809	+·0776	+·0743	+·0708	+·0673	+·0638
1	+·0603	+·0567	+·0532	+·0496	+·0460	+·0424	+·0387	+·0350	+·0312	+·0277
2	+·0240	+·0203	+·0166	+·0129	+·0093	+·0055	+·0018	-·0019	-·0055	-·0092
3	-·0128	-·0164	-·0200	-·0235	-·0270	-·0305	-·0339	-·0373	-·0407	-·0440
4	-·0472	-·0504	-·0536	-·0567	-·0597	-·0626	-·0654	-·0682	-·0709	-·0736
5	-·0762	-·0787	-·0810	-·0833	-·0854	-·0875	-·0894	-·0912	-·0929	-·0945
6	-·0960	-·0974	-·0986	-·0996	-·1005	-·1013	-·1019	-·1023	-·1026	-·1028
7	-·1028	-·1026	-·1021	-·1016	-·1009	-·1000	-·0989	-·0974	-·0959	-·0942
8	-·0923	-·0901	-·0876	-·0849	-·0822	-·0791	-·0756	-·0720	-·0681	-·0640
9	-·0596	-·0550	-·0500	-·0448	-·0394	-·0336	-·0275	-·0210	-·0144	-·0059

The ordinary text books* have not applied the method in the way illustrated above (except part of Case 2) and the curves and tables have been prepared for this paper, so that any corrections or suggestions as to the reasoning or figures would be gladly received, as the author hopes to extend this contribution.

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* e.g., Johnson's "Braced Structures," Merriman and Jacoby's "Higher Structures," Warren's "Engineering Construction," Fidler's "Bridge Construction," Lanza's "Applied Mechanics," have no reference to Influence Lines.

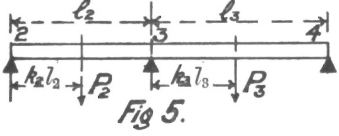


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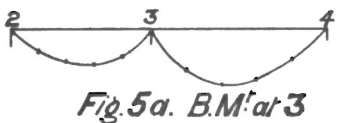


Fig. 5a. B.M. at 3



Fig. 5b. Reaction at 2



Fig. 5c. Reaction at 4

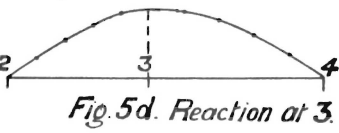


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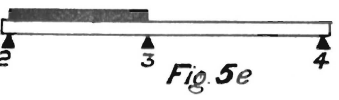


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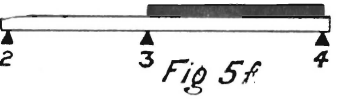


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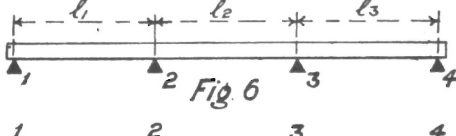


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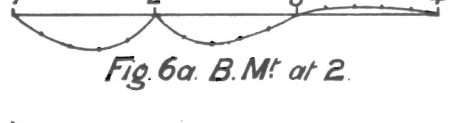


Fig. 6a. B.M. at 2



Fig. 6b. Reaction at 1

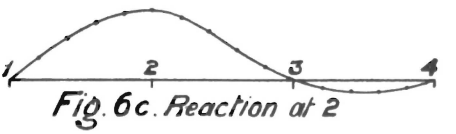


Fig. 6c. Reaction at 2

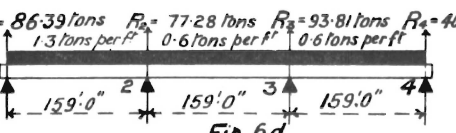


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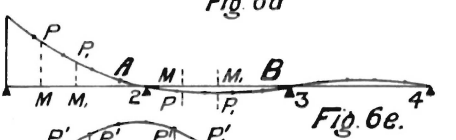


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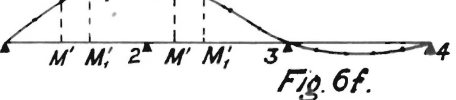
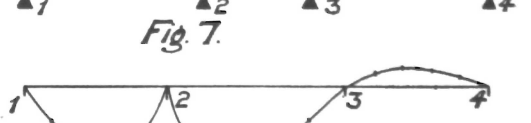


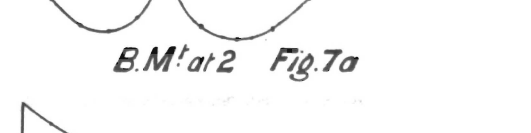
Fig. 6f.



Fig. 7.



B.M. at 2 Fig. 7a



Reaction at 1 Fig. 7b



Fig. 7c. Reaction at 2

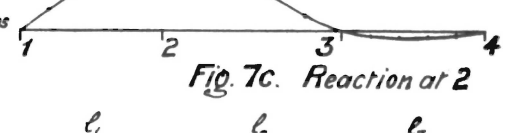


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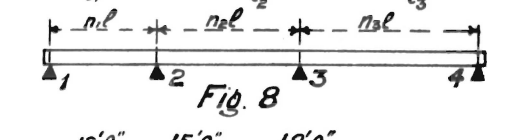


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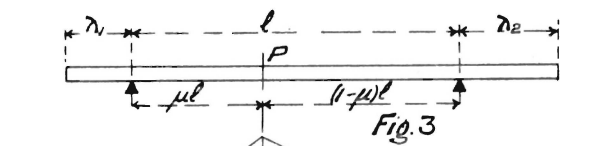


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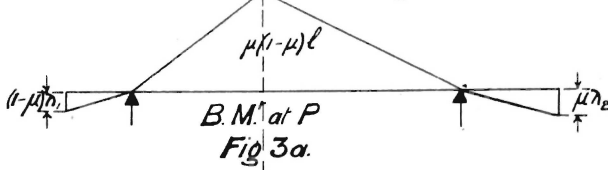


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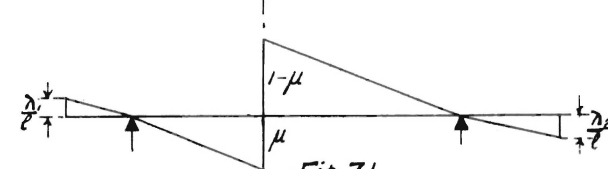


Fig. 3b.

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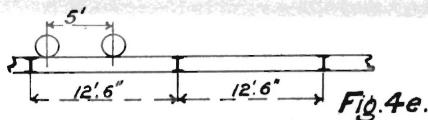


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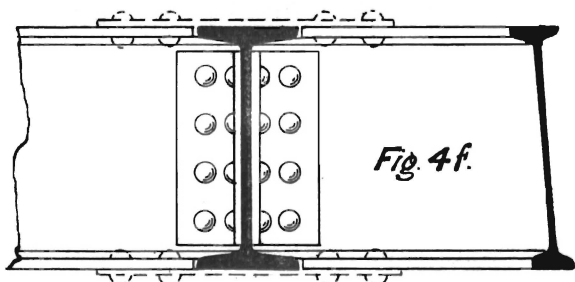


Fig. 4f.

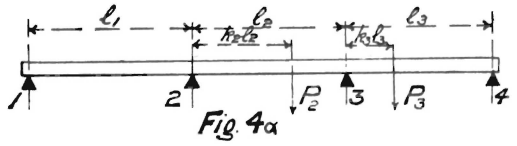
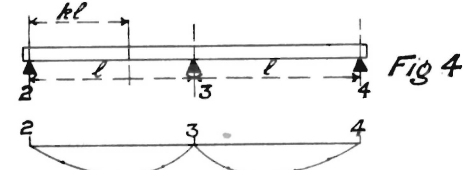
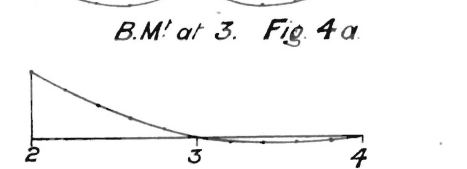


Fig. 4a



B.M. at 3. Fig. 4



Reaction at 2. Fig. 4b

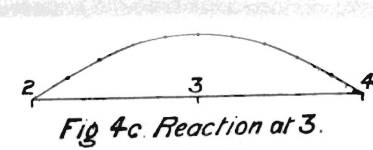


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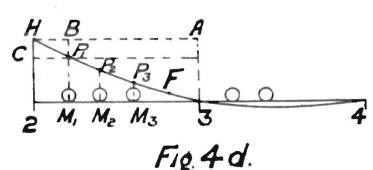


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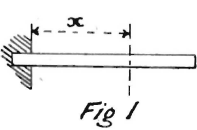


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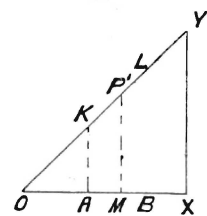


Fig. 1a. B.M. at Abutment.

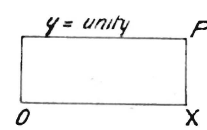


Fig. 1b. Shear

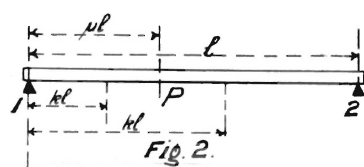


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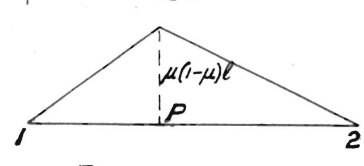


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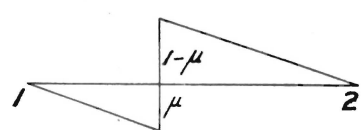


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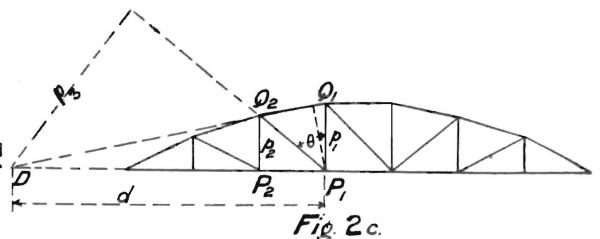


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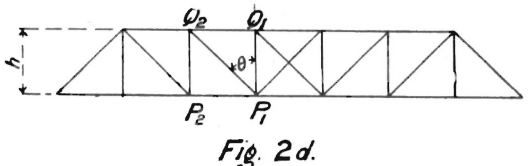


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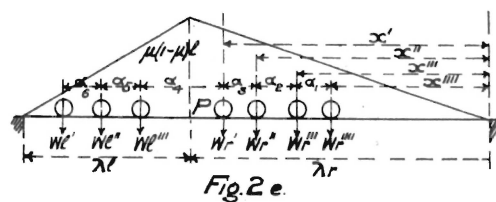


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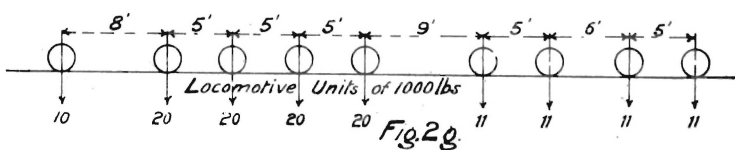


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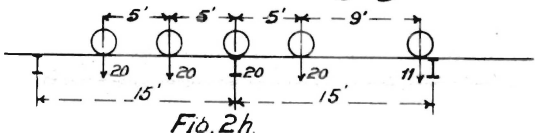


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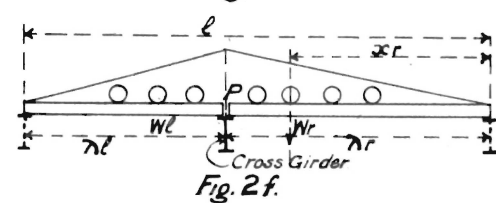


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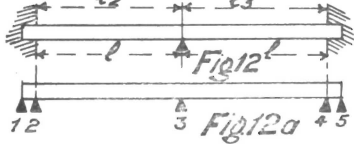


Fig. 12b. B.M' at 2

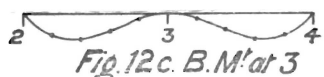


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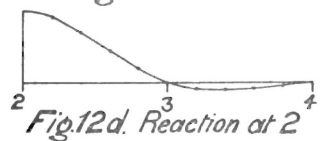


Fig. 12d. Reaction at 2

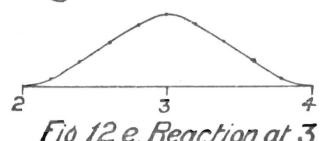


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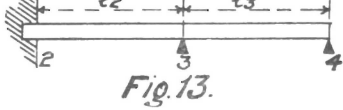


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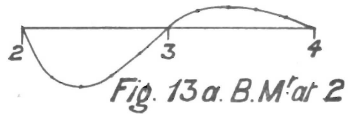


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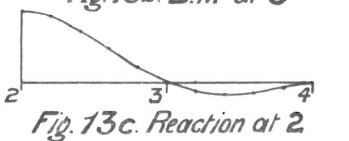


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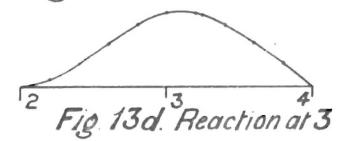


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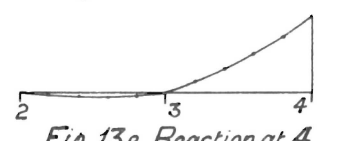


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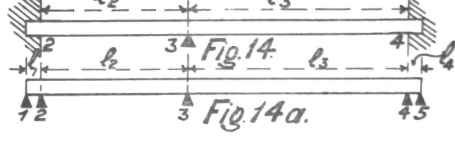


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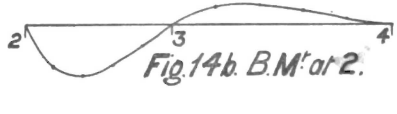


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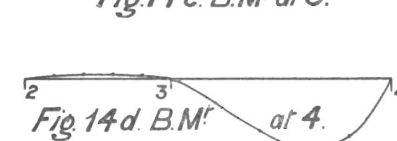


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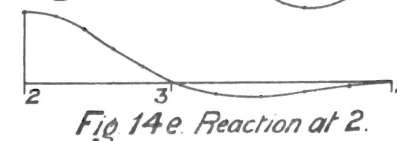


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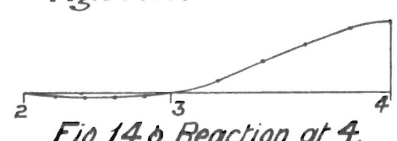


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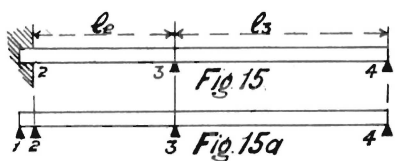
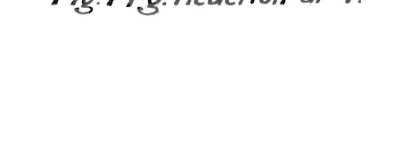


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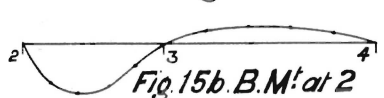


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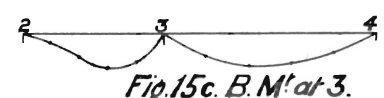


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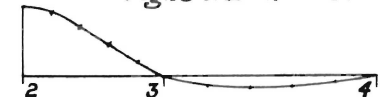


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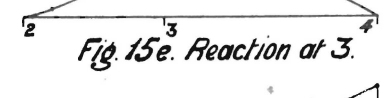


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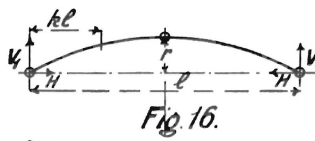
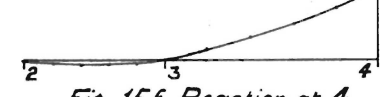


Fig. 16a. Reaction at 1

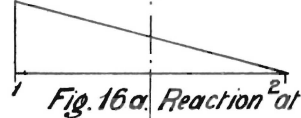


Fig. 16b. Horiz. thrust at Abut.



Fig. 17a. Reaction at 1

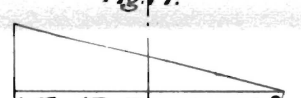


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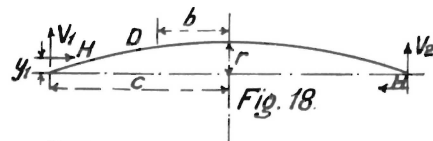


Fig. 18a. Reaction at 1 (vert)



Fig. 18b. Horiz. thrust



Fig. 18c. y_1 = imaginary height of horizontal thrust above 1

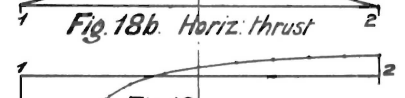


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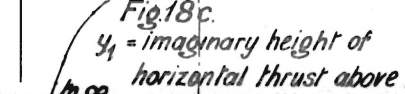


Fig. 18e. B.M' at Crown



Fig. 18f. B.M' at 1/4 point D

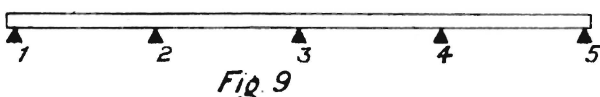


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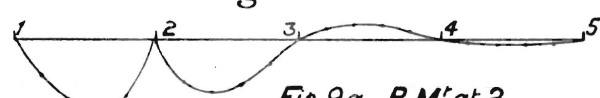


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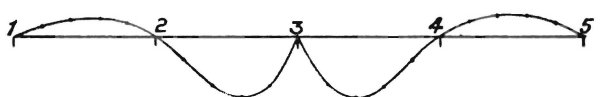


Fig. 9c. Reaction at 1

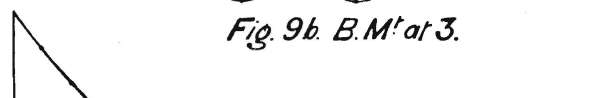


Fig. 9d. Reaction at 2



Fig. 9e. Reaction at 3

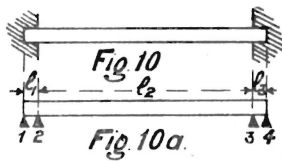


Fig. 10b. B.M' at 2

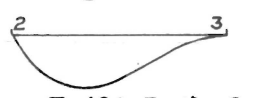


Fig. 10c. B.M' at centre

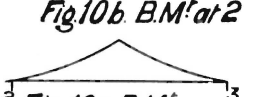


Fig. 10d. Reaction at 2

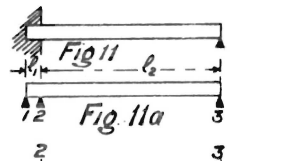
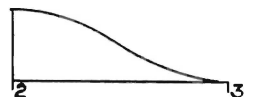


Fig. 11b. B.M' at 2



Fig. 11c. Reaction at 2



Fig. 11d. Reaction at 3



Fig. 11e. B.M' at centre

