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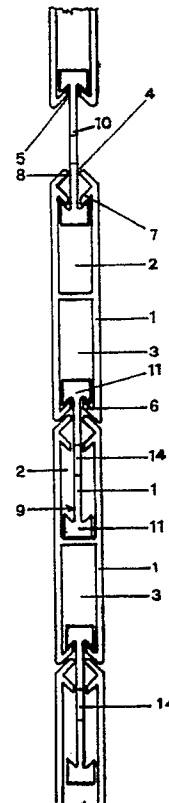
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(54) **Folding shutter.**

(57) A folding shutter characterised by comprising a plurality of slats (1) provided with two longitudinal cavities (2,3) in correspondence with their upper and lower edge and, for connecting together said slats (1), means consisting of a continuous section bar (9) formed from a flexible central web (10) and two enlarged flanges (11) which engage simultaneously in the facing longitudinal cavities (2,3) of two adjacent slats.

FIG.1



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