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Digging machine.

A machine for digging trenches includes a boom 12 which can be mounted on a tractor vehicle. The boom carries an endless chain 14 mounting picks. In

order to absorb the reaction generated when the picks are in operation a ground engaging plate 18 is provided which can be clamped to the boom.

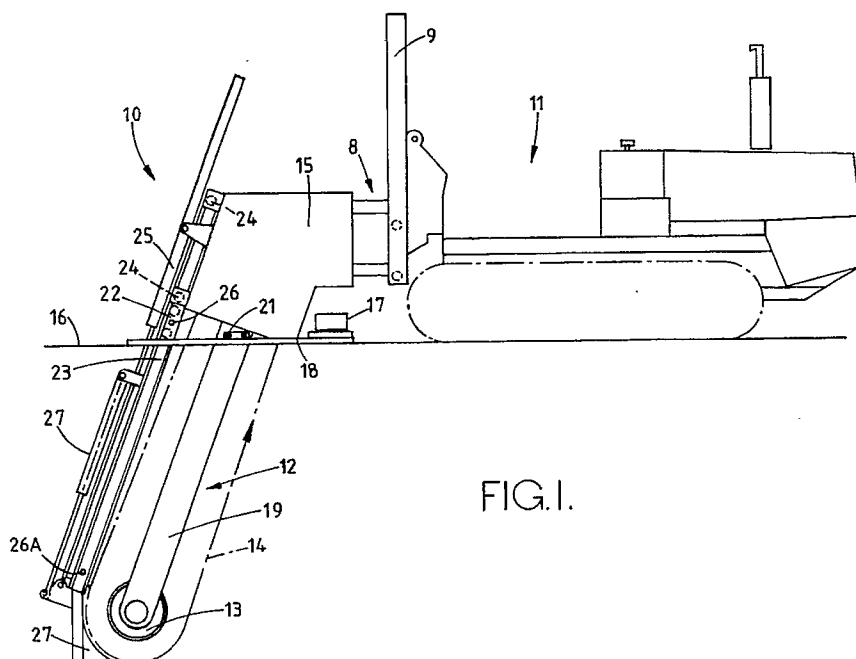


FIG. 1.



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