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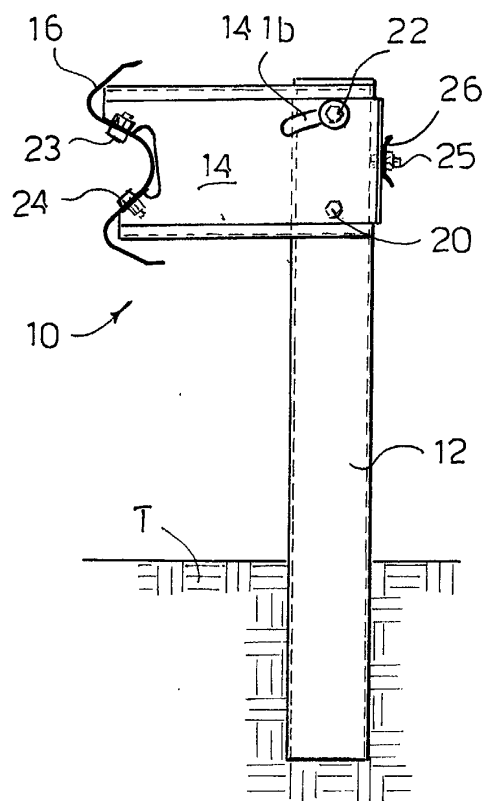
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(54) **A safety road barrier**

(57) A safety road barrier, of the type comprising a steel strip (16) mounted on spacers, which are in turn mounted on uprights, has spacers (14), each of which is provided with an arched slot (141b) engaged by a bolt to the upright (12), in order to enable rotation of the spacer about a horizontal axis and corresponding lifting of the strip in the event of impact of a vehicle.

The end of the spacer (14) that carries the strip has a C-shaped opening the bent arms of which form tabs or flaps for engagement of the strip.

In the proximity of at least one of its ends, the barrier comprises an oblique tie rod which extends between the second upright, starting from the end, and the strip in a position corresponding to the third upright.



**FIG 2**

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