

Abstract of the disclosure

Rods (2, 2a) are supported on the drive shaft (5) by self-aligning roller bearings (12, 12a) such to be able to pendulate. The rods (2, 2a) are pivotally mounted to the ram (3) by ball-and-socket joints (8, 8a). At the area of the ball-and-socket joints (8, 8a) the ram (3) is guided by upper ram guides (4, 4a). These feature a degree of freedom for a movement in a direction of the web advancing direction (A) of a web to be worked upon. Therefore, the upper tools (10) remain aligned with the lower tools (11) when an eccentric force (F) acts onto the ram (3).

(Figure 1)

This Sheet Has Been Replaced

