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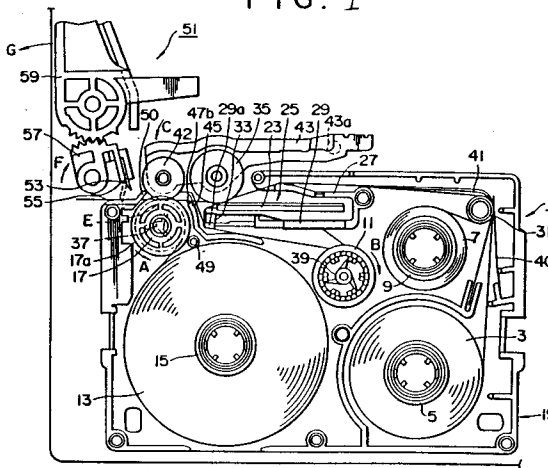
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(54) **Tape printing device.**

(57) A tape printing device for providing a printed tape including a printing member (23, 23') for printing on one surface of a tape-like recording medium (3, 3') which is to be provided from a supply within the device, means to forward the recording medium into overlapping relation with a double-sided adhesive tape (13, 13') also to be provided from a supply within the device, so as to adhere said double-sided adhesive tape to the printed surface of the tape-like recording medium, means to pass the overlapped tapes to a cutting point in the device and a cutter system at the cutting point comprising a movable cutting member (51, 51') having a blade portion (53, 53') to act against a cutting block (55, 55') which is removable and replaceable.

FIG. 1



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