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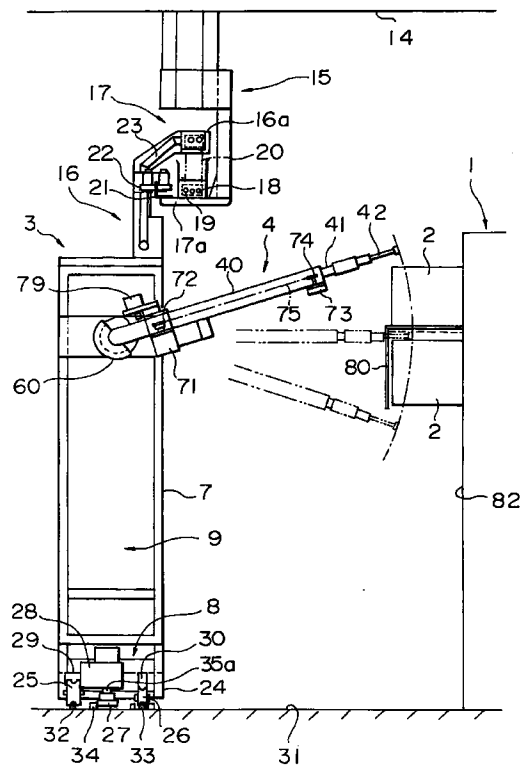
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(54) Fiber bundle threading device

(57) A device automating the threading of fiber bundle provided with a travelling car 3 that runs along the direction in which the feed rollers 2 are arranged, and an operating arm 4 that is arranged on the travelling car 3, operates in conjunction with that running and suitably threads tow on the feed rollers 2. The operating arm 4 is provided with a vertical swing system 5 for movement in the vertical direction and a lateral swing system 6 for movement in the horizontal direction.

FIG. 1



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