

## **Side Tilt Carriages**

Side Tilt Carriage - There are 4 sizings of hook type tine carriages rated by the blade carriage hoisting capacity. Hook type blade carriages have been uniform.

Class I carriages are rated for loads up to 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing used for Class I is thirteen inches. Class II carriages are rated for cargo up to 5,550 lbs. Their carriage bar spacing is sixteen inches. Class III carriages are rated for loads up to 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this particular class is twenty inches. Class IV carriages are rated for loads up to 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing used for this capacity is twenty five inches.

The carriages for pin type forks could be different depending on the maker. Pin mounted forks may differ by the amount of offset between the blade eye and the fork. Carriage capacity would be established by the carriage pin size and by the tine size.