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(54) **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR WELLBORE FLUID TREATMENT**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A tubing string assembly is disclosed for fluid treatment of a wellbore. The tubing string can be used for staged wellbore fluid treatment where a selected segment of the wellbore is treated, while other segments are sealed off. The tubing string can also be used where a ported tubing string is required to be run in in a pressure tight condition and later is needed to be in an open-port condition.

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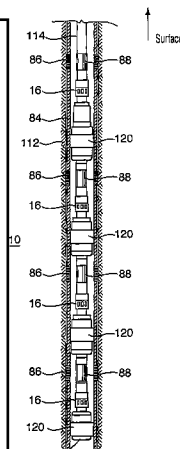
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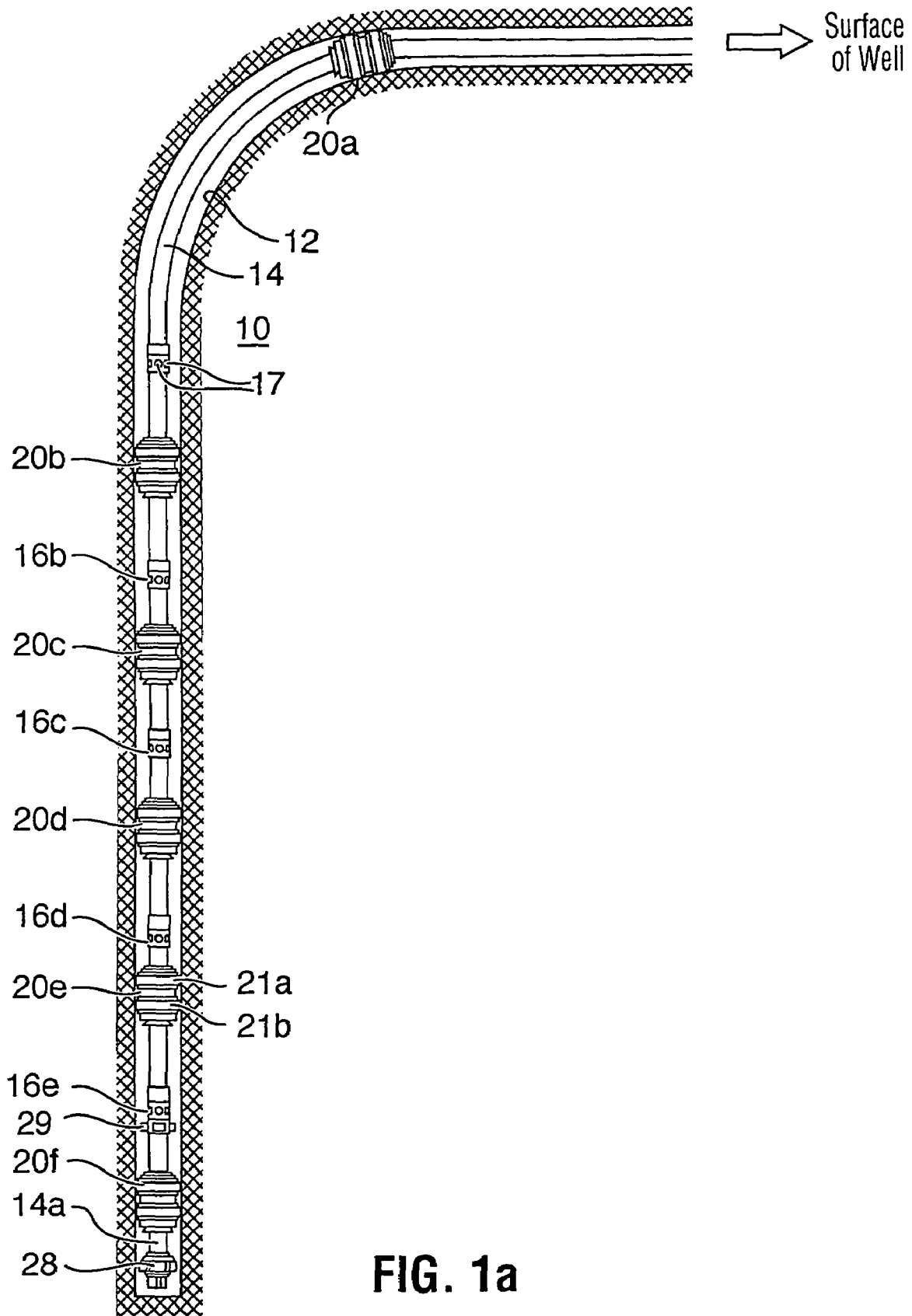


FIG. 1a

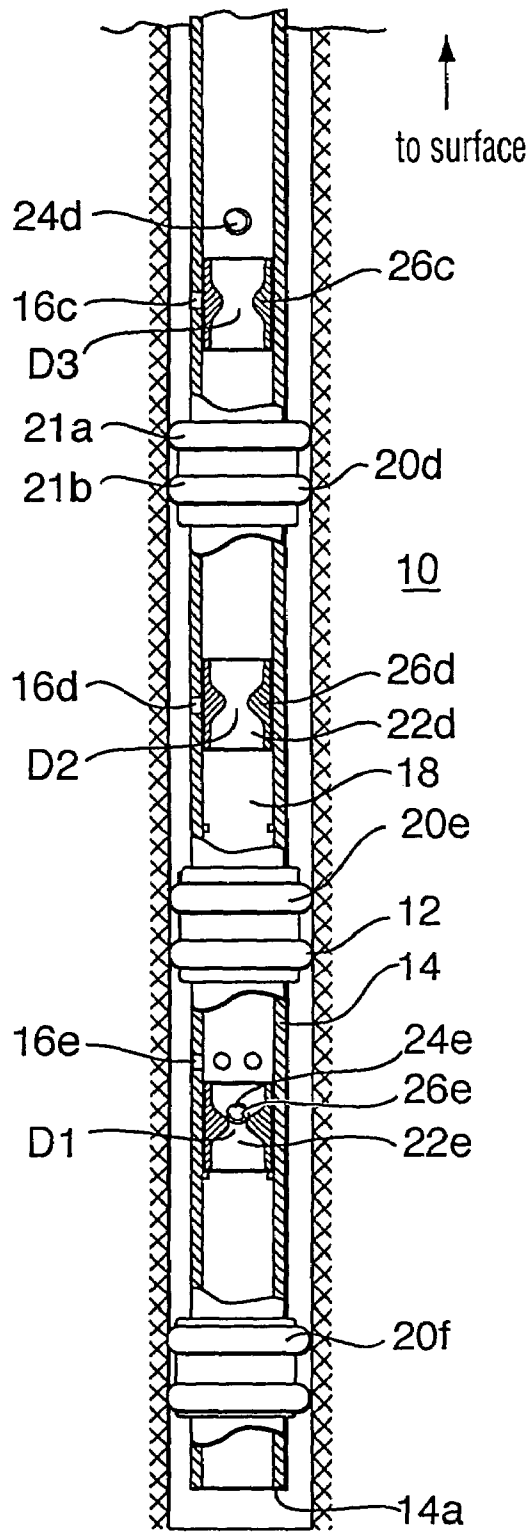


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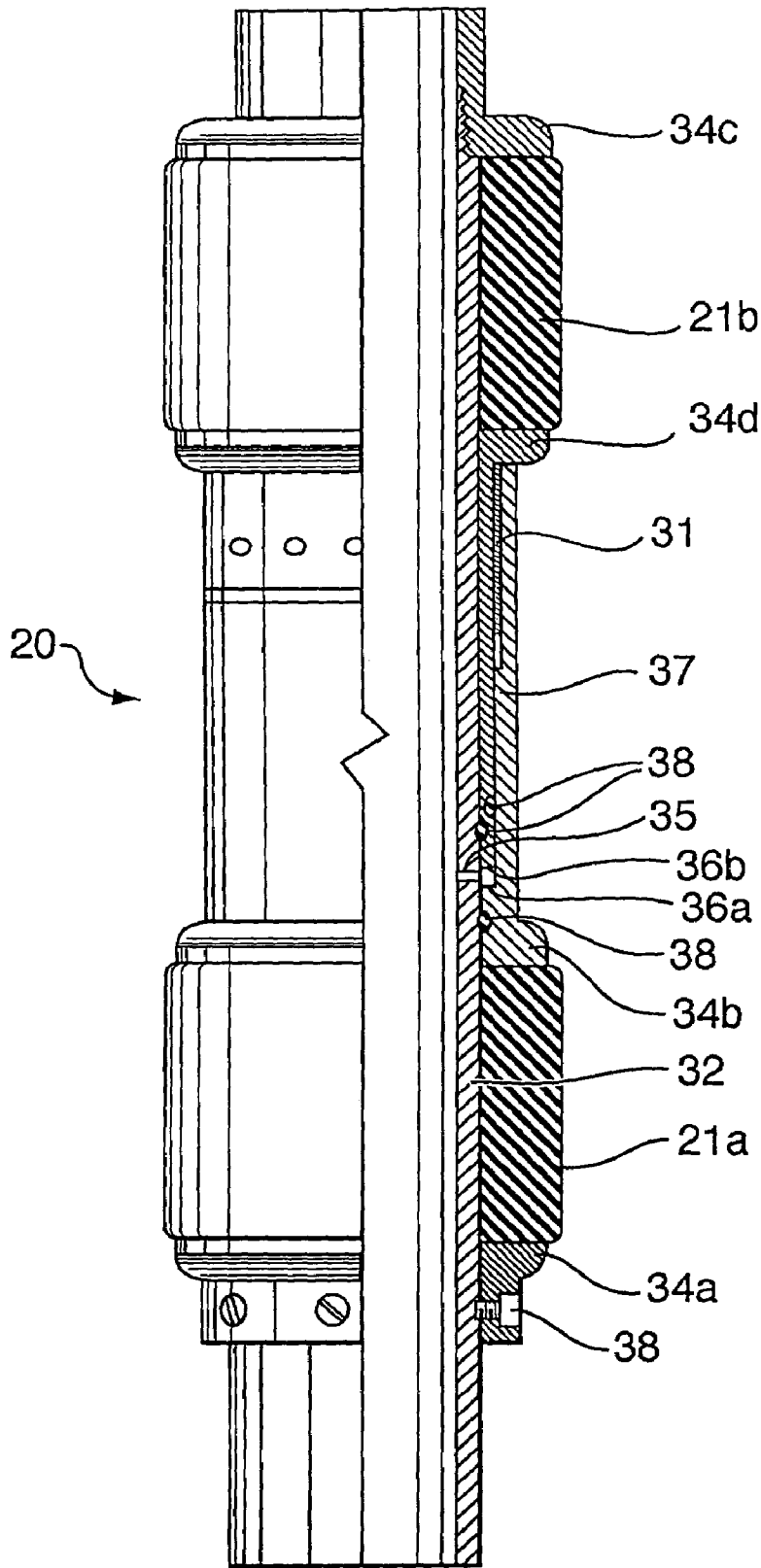


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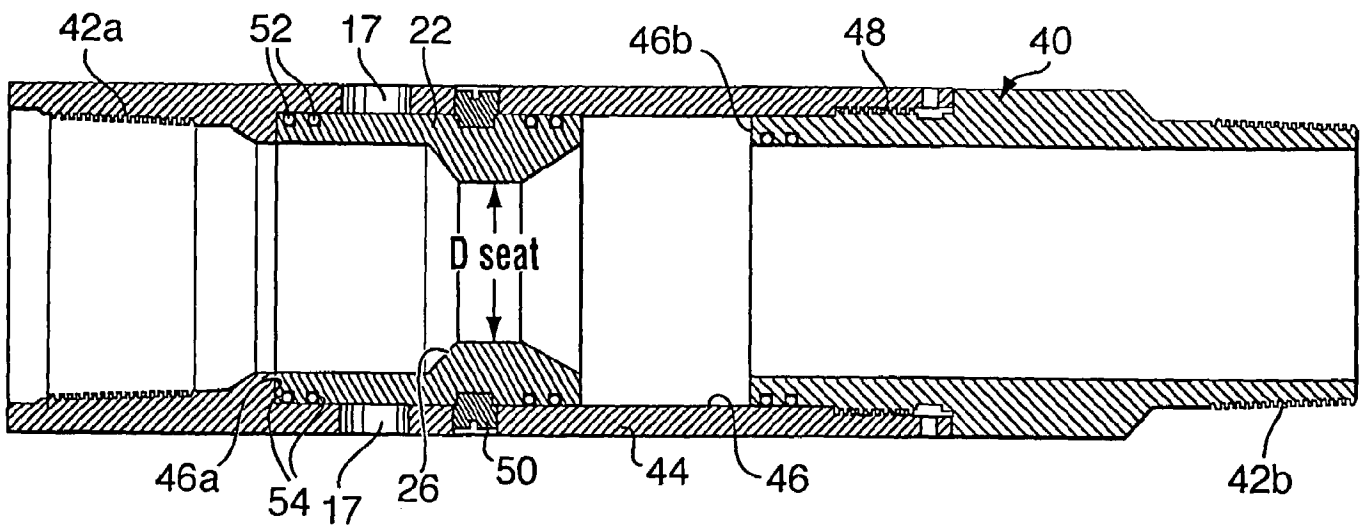


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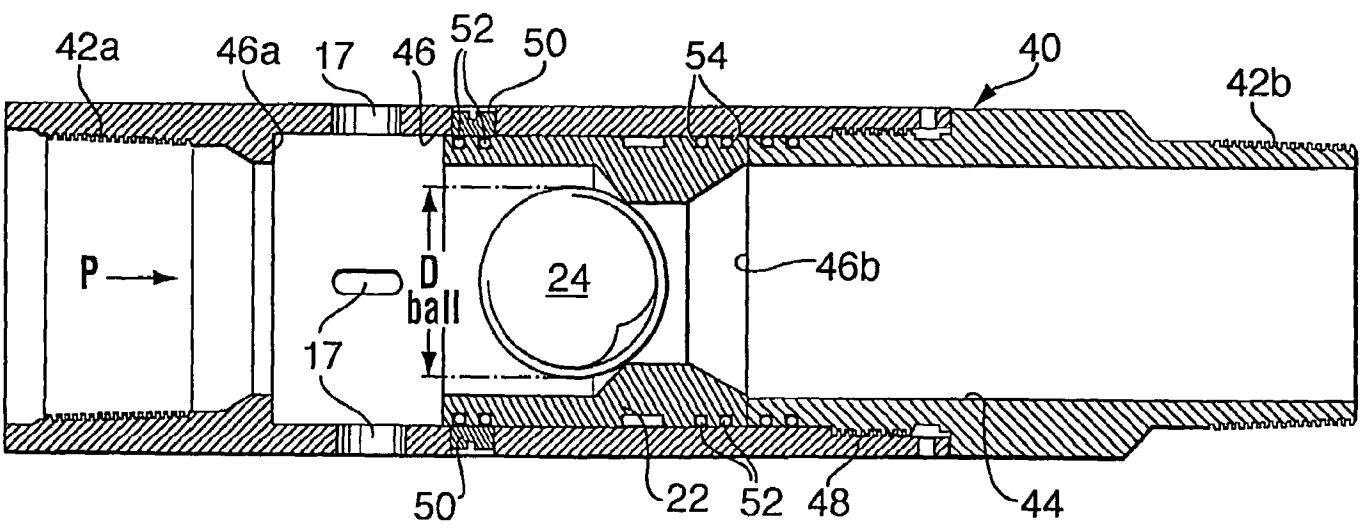


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