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(54) Security seal housing.

(57) A seal of the ball type in which the seal body is formed of two cup-shaped body portions (12, 14) which retain internally a shackle locking device (20) which is press-fitted into and projects through a suitable aperture (24) in the bottom of one of the body portions (12, 14). The body portions (12, 14) each have a radially extending flange (28, 30) at the open end thereof, which are superimposed and welded together in such a manner that there is no gap between the flanges (28, 30) at the outer periphery thereof.

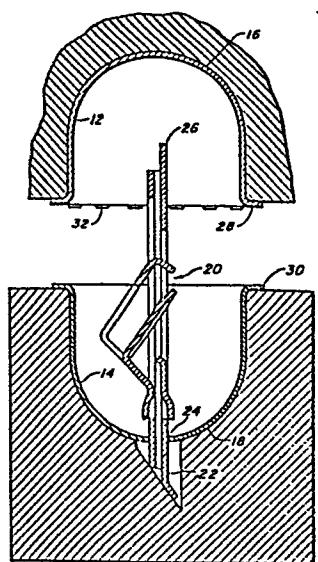


FIG. 1



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