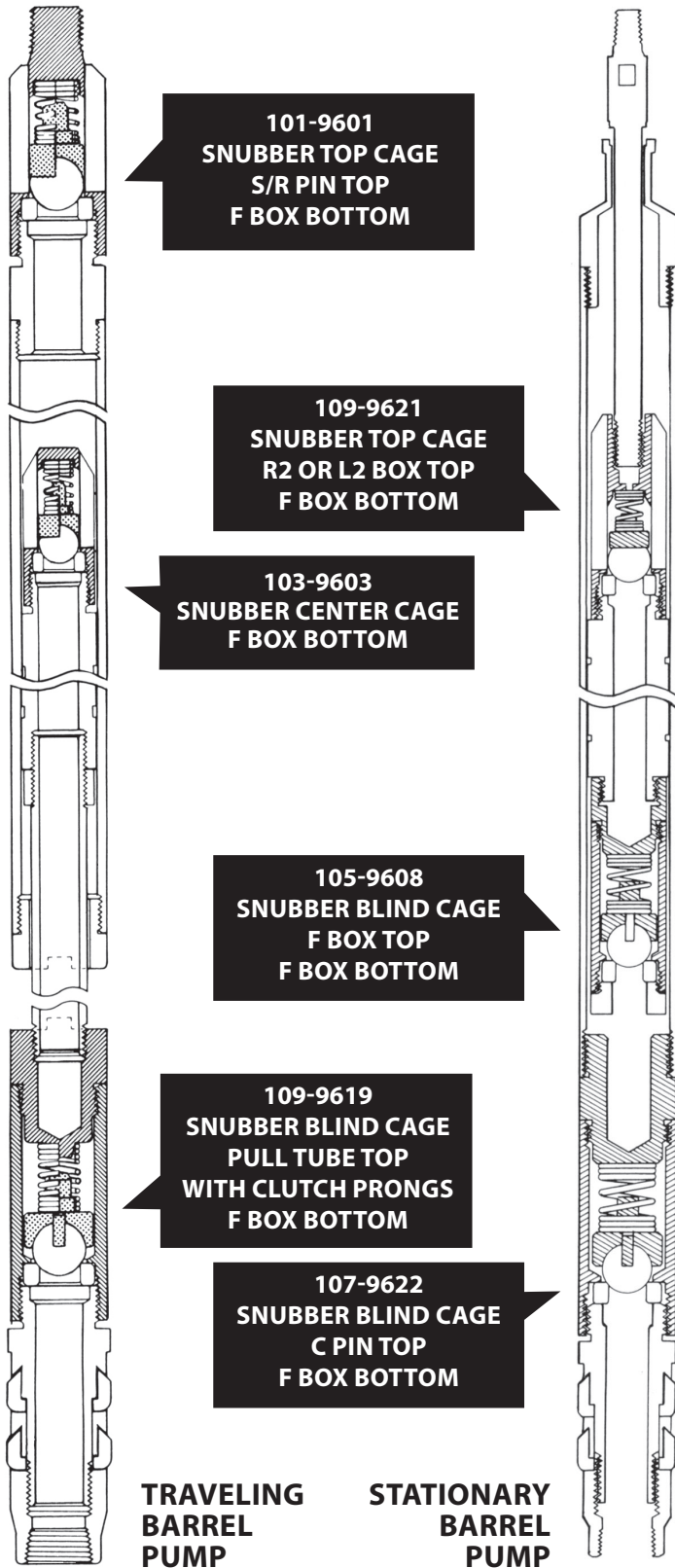




SNUBBER CAGES



FOR CONTROL OF MANY PUMPING PROBLEMS

The Baird Snubber Cage has proven highly effective in controlling a number of troublesome pumping problems. This is accomplished by constantly maintaining ball control with a spring loaded follower that guides the ball as it moves upward, then returns the ball directly to the seat on the down stroke.

The Snubber Cage is recommended for use in controlling the following pumping problems:

Positive return of the ball to the seat by the spring loaded follower will eliminate most minor gas lock problems.

Constant control of the ball movement prevents battering of the cage wings and scarring of the ball surface.

Spring loaded follower forces the ball to return to the seat in spite of exposure to paraffin as it passes through the zone.

The Baird Snubber Cage is offered in a variety of metals including cold rolled steel, stainless steel, brass, and monel. The springs are made of monel metal.

Repairs are seldom required, but are easily made by replacing the spring and follower, and may be done in the field.