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#### Strike Thirteen.

Often, in the country, the great clock upon the front of an old-fashioned farm will strike, at 1 in the afternoon, 13.

"The idea is supposed to have originated in this way," said a farmer. "There was a man going over his lands after lunch, and out, a coating of pure cement should be though it was nearly half-past 1, he found all his harvesters lying smoking under a tree.

"'Men, why are you not at work?' he

" 'Why, it ain't 1 yet, is it, boss?' said the men. 'We was waitin' for the clock to strike. If it has struck, we didn't hear it.'

"That excuse has been worked on me before,' said the farmer. 'It won't be worked on me again, though.'

"And he sent for the clockmaker and had his big clock arranged so that it would strike, at the time for the men to return to work, 13 times instead of once.

" 'They never miss the 12 strokes that bid them lay off,' he said. 'Now they'll never miss the 13 that bid them lay on again.'

"It was such a good idea that many farm ers adopted it."

#### A Machine for Building Cement Sidewalks.

One of the latest labor-saving machines in a device that lays and finishes cement sidewalks with remarkable rapidity. It consists of a travelling mold and a winch for pulling the mold ahead. The concrele for the base of the sidewalk is shovelled or dumped into the front part of the mold, and the finishing mortar is shovelled or dumped into the hopper at the middle of the mold. This hopper is so designed that it feeds a thin layer of mortar on to the concrete base as the mold travels forward. Thus a complete and perfect side walk is delivered at the rear end of the machine. No skilful finishers are required. No labour is needed to build forms. No men are needed to tramp the concrete. In brief, says Cement Age, New York, the procets is simply one of mixing the ingredients and depositing them into the proper part of the traveling mold. The mold does the rest. With a properly organized gang, the mold is kept traveling continuously at the rate of two feet per minute. The shape of the mold is such that the concrete is squeezed both laterally and vertically into the dense block, which, as above stated, requires no ramming. Perhaps the most remarkable feature of the mold is the perfect finish that it gives to the sidewalk. The walk looks as if it had been hand finished with floats.

#### Who He Was.

Irvine Cobb tells a story of a little, wiry negro, who went into a resort in Natchez, displayed a large roll of bills and bought a

As he was paying for it another negro came in, very large and very black. He looked at the little man and said: "Niggah, whar you git all dat money?"

"Bah-tendan," said the little negro, by way of a reply, "Ah think Ah shall tek a bottle of dat-ah stuff. 'Pears quite satisfyin' tuh

"Niggah," roared the big one, "whar you git dat money? I ast you. I's town bully, I is. I follows bullyin' foh a trade. Whar you git it?"

The little negro began stuffing the money back into his pockets. "Seems to me," he mused, "I ain't got 'nuff pockets to hold all mah wealth."

The big negro jumped at the little one. "You hear what I said?" he demanded. I's the town bully an' I wanter know whar you git all dat money."

Quick as a flash the little negro upper-cut the big one, catching him on the point of the jaw and knocking him down. In a moment the big negro revived enough to look up from the floor and ask humbly: "Niggah, who is you, anyhow?"

"Why," replied the little one, blowing his knuckles, "I's th' pusson you thought you wuz when you come in."

#### Cement Fence Posts.

A reader of The Sun has asked the question if fence posts are not now made by the admixture of sawdust with cement, the evident idea being a cement post into which one could drive staples, similarly as into wood, and which would be light to handle and cheap to make.

There is no information to hand in regard to such a plan for making fence posts. There is very little probability of such a thing being practical as the admixture of sawdust would of necessity cut down the tensile strength of the cement, to such a degree as to make it a very weak sort of post, which would scarcely stand a good kick, let alone the heavy train of a lot of highly tensioned wires. Then, too, the porous nature of the sawdust would allow of the introduction of water, and integrate the post. The worst enemy of the cement post is the fact that water may get

gether so that their inside measurements will correspond with what is desired in size in the They should taper toward the top. Marks should then be placed to indicate where the staples are desired, and as the mold is filled each time, the pieces of wire which are intended to attach the long wires to should be inserted at the proper place. After the post is formed and pretty well dried sprinkled over the outside and smoothly polished down with a trowel or other smooth surface. This will give a nice finish to the post and will make its coating waterproof.

#### The Price of a Throne.

One of the oldest Paris firms for gold and silk embroideries, a house which had already served Louis XVI and his court with highly artistic needlework, is still in possession of its accounts of former centuries. An inspection of these books reveals a good summary of the luxury expenditures of the French court-the Bonapartistic as well as the Legitimistic. Napoleon I., who for his own wants was, in contrast to the spendthrift Josephine, very economical, went through to large expenses when it was for representa tive gala dresses. The 10,000 francs which he had to pay for the embroidery on his coronation robe he did not consider too high a price. But his embroidered frock coat that cost him 3,500 francs, and which became too tight for him not long after its first year, he ordered to be widened by pieces of cloth and the new seams to be covered with embroideries. The bill for his throne, however, foots ap to a pretty great amount. The outer drapery of purple velvet trimmed with gold lace was at 10,200 francs. The red velvet panels were strewn with inworked golden bees at five francs apiece, and above the fauteuil the Emperor's coat of arms was seen in raised embroidery; total cost, 16,200 francs. Gold embroidered stripes for the inner trimming cost 8,500 francs. Embroidery on the blue velvet fauteuil amounted to 3,050 francs, the foot cushion to 1,300. In addition there were 1,050 bees on the unembroidered panels of the baldachin at the price of 5,250 francs. Altogether the price of Napoleon's throne was 53,970 francs-Harper's Weekly.

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