

## CYLINDERS - BLEEDING AIR FROM THE CYLINDER



A messy job but has to be done

- Reasons telescopic cylinders require bleeding air
  - To avoid spongy action
  - To avoid cylinders raising in the wrong sequence
  - To avoid costly repairs
- How to bleed a telescopic cylinder (Single Acting)
  - Raise the cylinder almost to the top
  - Lower the bed to about 2 feet from the bottom
  - Turn the adjustment screw CCW and then close
  - Repeat if necessary