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TO BEAT TAXES.

Omaha Journal-Stockman: A good many of the cattle that are being rushed into markets at this time are...

TO MOVE BIG HERD.

It is said that the largest buffalo herd remaining in America is to be taken from Goodnight, Tex., to Mexico, by the famous Charles Goodnight, owner of the buffalo.

The Goodnight ranch is but one of the many that are now being moved to Mexico.

There is no more room for the great herds. The farmer from the eastern, southern and central western states is crowding out the stockman.

Christmas Cranberries. Marmalade.—Wash three quarts of cranberries, barely cover with water, and cook until the berries are tender.

Christmas Bread.—Two cupsful of yeast, two cupsful of brown sugar, two cupsful of raisins, two cupsful of nuts of any kind or all, one cupful of dried apples stewed and all, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful of nutmeg, and enough flour to make as for wheat bread and mold in loaves.

Plum Pudding.—This recipe contains no eggs: One cupful of finely chopped beef suet, two cupfuls of bread crumbs, one cupful of molasses, one cupful of chopped raisins, one cupful of well washed currants, one cupful of salt, one teaspoonful each of cloves, cinnamon, allspice, and soda, one cupful of milk, and flour enough for a stiff batter.

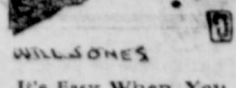
Valuable Placer Strike. Dawson, Alaska.—One of the best placer strikes in the country in years is, perhaps, that made at the mouth of Goring creek recently by Fred Myers, Fred Brown, David Ryan and E. J. Corp.

Amendments Needed. Ex-Governor Bailey, of Kansas, and Bank Commissioner Swanger, of Missouri, both of whom spoke before the gathering of bankers in this city yesterday afternoon, advocated certain amendments and improvements of our banking laws.

Daddy's Bedtime Story

Columbus and The Egg

"Of course, children," said daddy one evening to Jack and Evelyn after they had clambered into his lap for their bedtime story, "you have heard of Christopher Columbus, the man who discovered America?"



It's Easy When You Know How

OUR WONDERFUL CROPS.

Immense Value of Farm Products Given Out by Wilson.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—Nothing short of omniscience can grasp the value of the farm products of this year, as the statement of the Secretary of Agriculture in his annual report for 1910, published recently, at no time in the world's history has a country produced farm products within one year with a value reaching \$5,250,000,000.

The corn crop of 3,121,381,000 bushels exceeds that of the record year of 1909 and is greater than the average crop of the preceding five years by 14 per cent.

The growing importance of the South in corn production is becoming conspicuous. In 1899 it produced hardly more than one-third of the national crop; now it produces one-third.

The cotton crop of this year may be worth in list and seed a round \$300,000,000 at the farm, or more than the corn crop was worth in any year prior to 1911.

All of the cereals except corn are together worth only three-fourths as much as that crop. The great quantities of iron and steel industries had, in the last census year for which results have been published, 1904, a production worth only 89 per cent of the value of this year's corn crop.

The value of the wheat crop is about \$720,000,000, an amount which has exceeded but once, and that in 1907; it is 13 per cent above the average of the preceding five years.

Fortunately the wheat crop is divided into two sowings, autumn and spring, so that the two crops are subject to different climatic accidents, as was the case last year.

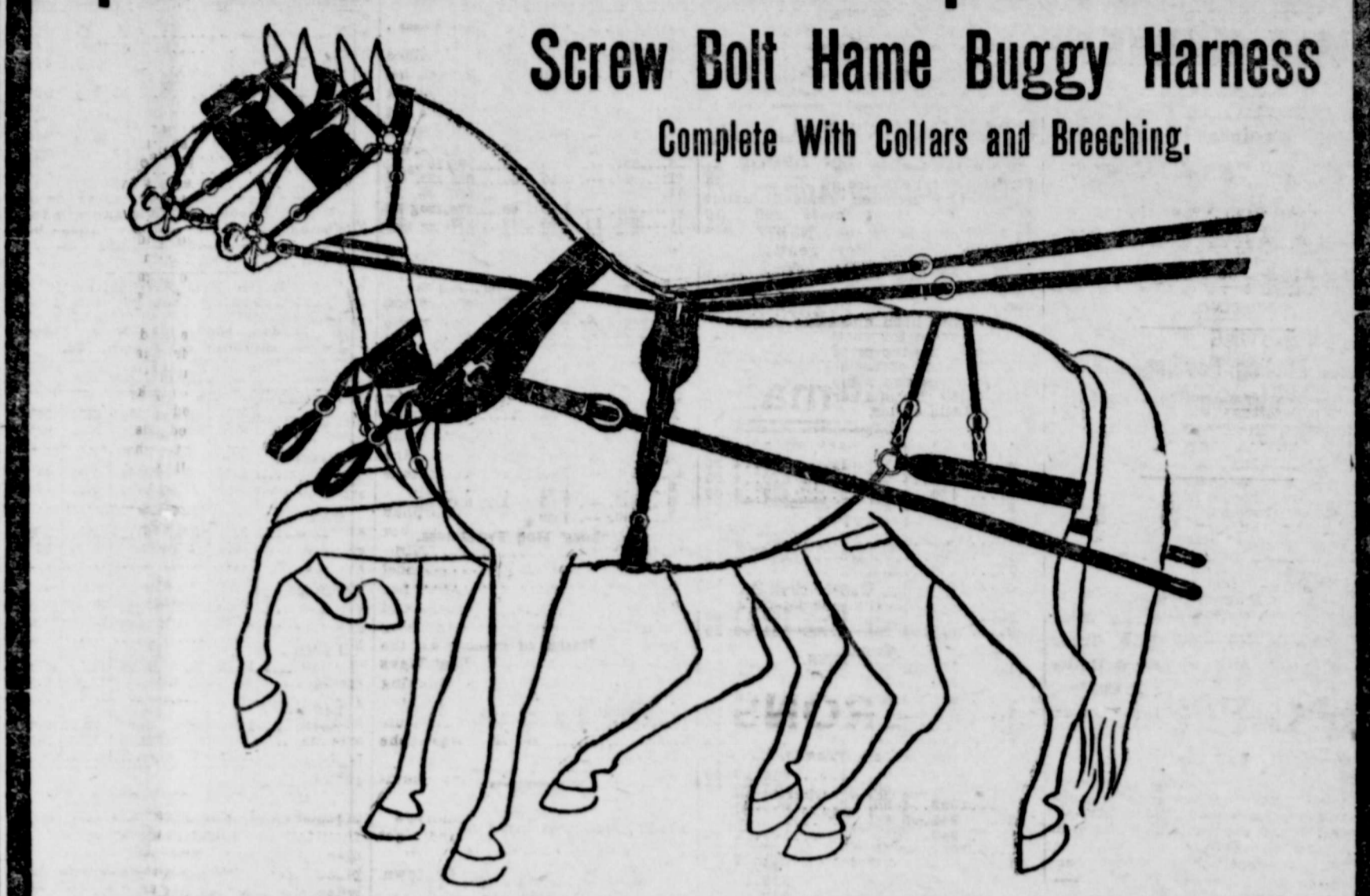
Next in order of value is the potato crop, which has been exceeded only in the two or three former years. With the exception of the crop of 1909, which was in a degree an overproduction, the crop of this year is the largest ever grown in this country.

Best sugar production in 1910 will about equal that of 1909, say 512,000 short tons. Its factory value is reckoned at \$51,000,000, and the factory value of our sugar at about \$28,000,000, an amount which has been exceeded in four years.

If prospects are realized, the entire sugar crop of factory production, beet and cane combined, will be 859,000 short tons, or a production that has been exceeded in only one year, 1909.

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KNOWS FAMILY AS IT IS. Takes Servant Girl to Be Really Intimate With Members of Household. Sometimes I feel as if no other folks on earth had quite as good a chance to know all the kinds of people on it as servant girls.

Not Ready to Be Finished. The physician of an uptown hospital in Philadelphia had a surprise the other day over a patient supposedly suffering from a fractured skull.

A Woman's Reason. "Here's the drug store. Didn't you say you wanted to buy some postage stamps?"

Strange. "I can't understand that new tant of mine at all." "What's the matter?" "She's lived in my house two months now and hasn't asked to have a single room repapered yet."

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