



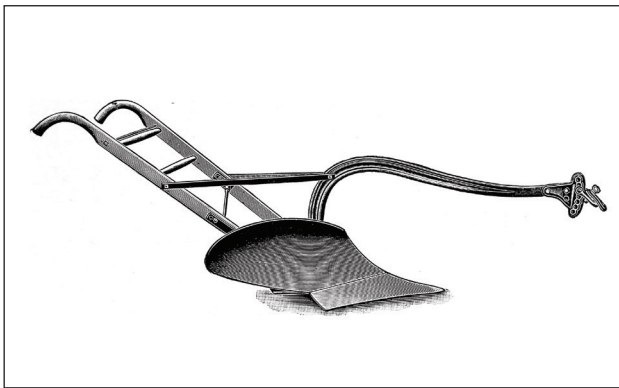
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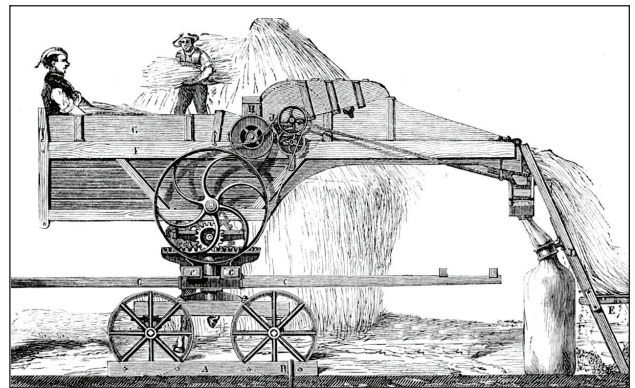
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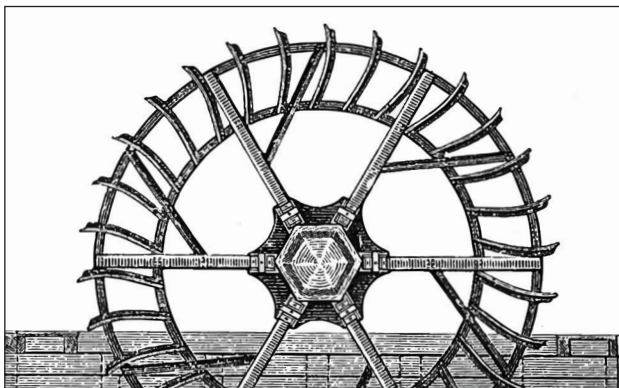
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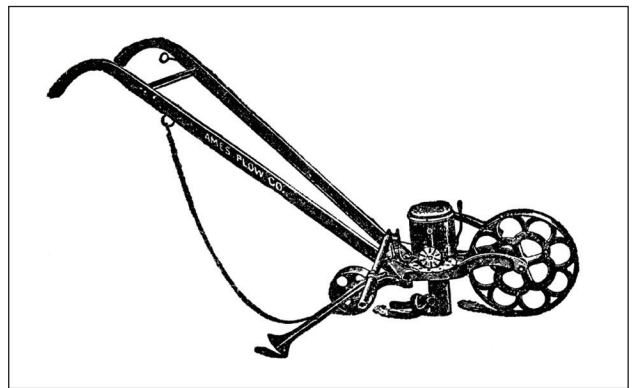
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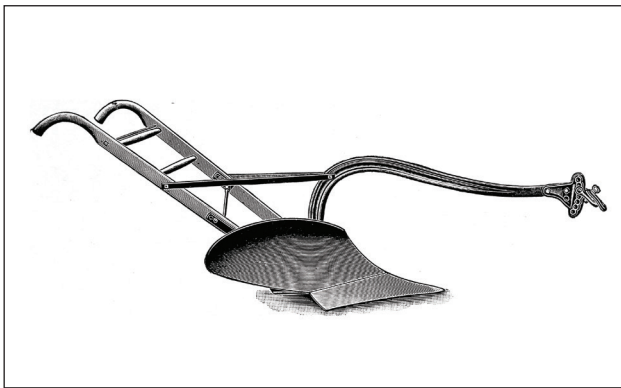


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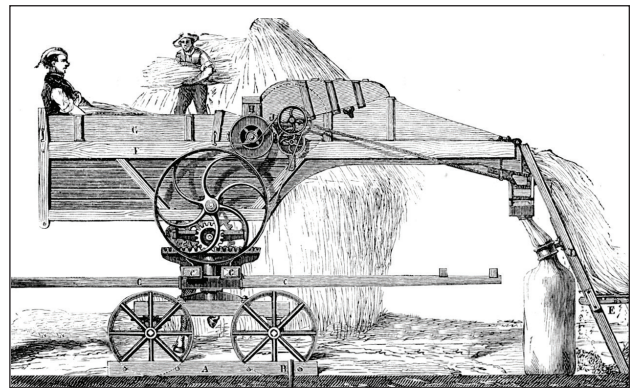
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A plow helped farmers break up the soil to prepare the land for planting season.

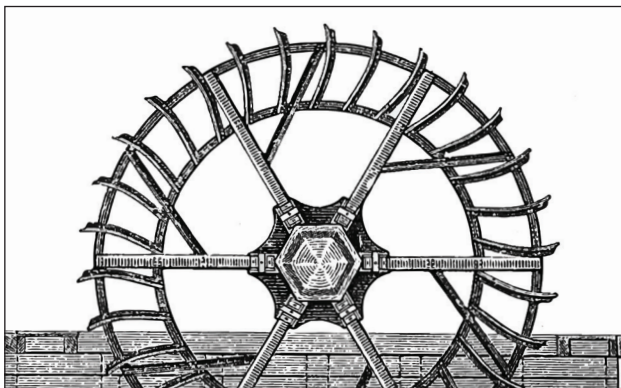
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A threshing machine was used to remove seeds from stalks and husks after harvest. This particular machine was powered by 3–4 horses.

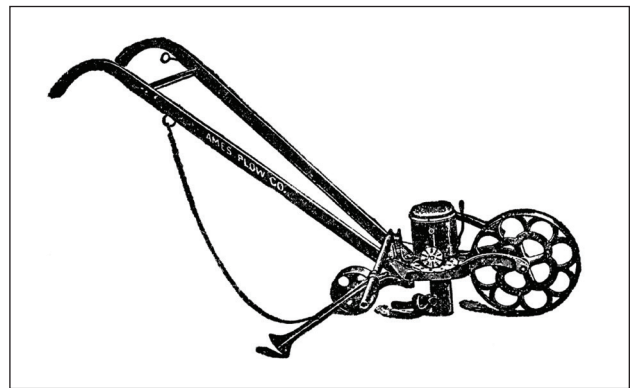
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A waterwheel turned the energy of flowing water into power that pioneers could use to perform daily tasks, like running grain mills.

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A seed sower made farmers' lives easier by helping them plant more seeds in less time.