

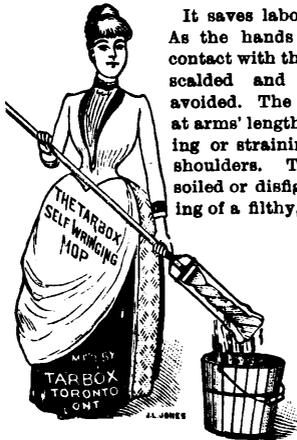
have as yet found sale for any quantity. Pulled wools are also very quiet, any sales being made are for small lots. For foreign wools the market is steady and firm, with, in some instances, 5 to 10 per cent. advance on last year's prices. The next series of wool sales in London, England, commence on the 16th prox. Buyers are holding off, and only taking small lots for immediate wants, while holders will not sell for future delivery, anticipating still higher prices. The reasons given for expected increase in values are various; the principal are, however, the trouble in Buenos Ayres, the large death rate among the sheep at Monte Video, say about 27%, and the dry season of Australia causing a much inferior clip. The higher figures will probably rule in Buenos Ayres and Monte Video wools. Australian and Capes are expected to remain much about the same figure as last May sales yielded.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Messrs. Gillespie & Co.'s prices current, dated Liverpool, August 13th, 1890, says:—
 Sugar.—Raw continues in good demand. Refined steady at unchanged prices. Rice is firm, but idle. Chemicals, etc., show little change in prices since our last report. Roll sulphur offers at 5s. 10½d. per cwt. Caustic soda dearer; 60 per cent. White 9s. 3d. per cwt. Cream tartar can be bought, to arrive, at 98s. 6d. to 99s. per cwt. Oils.—Olive has advanced to £35 10s. to £36 per tun for good ordinary. Palm is a shade firmer at £23 10s. to £23 15s. per tun for Bonny. Castor oil, 3 15-16ths pence to 4½d. for good seconds, and 3 7-16ths pence per lb. for first pressure French, in barrels, which latter is being taken freely for Canada, etc. Freights remain about as last.

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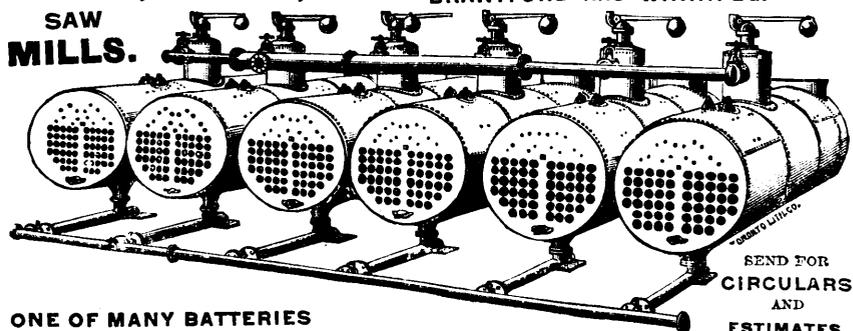
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