MITCHELL MARTHA M

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SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MITCHELL MARTHA M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CRACKER BARREL OLD COUNTRY STORE, INC [CBRL]				6	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 305 HART	(First) MANN DR	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/11/2013				X Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify		
(Street) 4. If Amendme Filed(Month/Day LEBANON, TN 37087				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	U	al		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dai (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/11/2013			Code V M	Amount 5,000	(D)	Price \$ 40.25	23,208	D		
Common Stock	04/11/2013			S	5,000	D	\$ 81.975	18,208	D		

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed or (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration I (Month/Day	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock options (right to buy)	\$ 40.25	04/11/2013		M	5,00	<u>(1)</u>	11/25/2013	Common Stock	5,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MITCHELL MARTHA M 305 HARTMANN DR LEBANON, TN 37087	X						

Signatures

Martha M. Mitchel by Michael J. Zylstra, Attorney-in-fact

04/12/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) This option grant vested over three years in equal installments on November 25, 2004, 2005 and 2006, respectively.

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