Miscellaneous.

Jim Barker's Court—How they Do things out in Colorado.

Jim Barker, a well known character of the mountains, whose latch string hangs out at the head of Blue Lizzard Gulch, was duly elected a justice of the peace for that section of El Paso county, at the September election and Mike Irving, a comrade of Jim's, was empowered to officiate as the executive officer of his court. Last week Jim convened his first court, to hear the complaint of Elder Slater, a traveling missionary, who had caused the arrest of Zimri Bowels, a resident of the foot hills, upon a charge of stealing the elder's one-eyed mule. Zimri had been arrested by Irving, the constable, while in the act of easing the descent of the mule down Mad Gun mountain, with his lariat fastened to the tail of the animal. The proof against Zimri was conclusive. Accordingly, the justice, after much legal perplexity of mind, proceeded to sentence Zimri to one year's confinement in the territorial penitentiary, which sentence he concluded as follows: „An, now Zim, seein' as I'm about out of things to eat, an' as you will have the cost to pay, I reckon you'd better take a turn among the foot-hills with your rifle, an' see if you can't pick up some meat before night, as you can't start for the Big Canyon before mornin'." Which marketing duty was performed by Zim bringing in one black tail fawn and a rabbit within the time prescribed as a postscript to the sentence. On the following morning the constable, mounted upon his broncho, accompanied by the prisoner astride of the mule, which the elder had kindly loaned him, started through the mountains for the penitentiary, where they arrived the second day out, their animals loaded with a deer, two antelope and a small cinnamon bear, which they sold to the warden of the prison. After dividing the money the constable proceeded to hand over Zimri on the following mittimus, which is carefully preserved, and may be seen in the possession of the warden:

To the head man of the Colorado prison down at the foot of the big canyon on the Arkansas. Take notice; Zimri Bouls, who comes with this here, stole Elder Slater's one-eyed mule, an it was all the mule the elder had, and I sentenced Zim officially to one year in the Colorado prison and hated to do it, seein as Zim once stood by me like a man when the Injuns had me in a tight place, an arter I sentenced Zim to one year for stealing the elder's mule, my wife, Lizzy who is a kind of tender-hearted critter, come and leaned her arm on my shoulder, an says she, "Father, don't forget the time when Zim, with his rifle, covered our cabin from Granite mountain, an saved us from the Arapahoes, an, father, I have heard you tell that after you was wounded at Sandy creek, an helpless, it was Zimri's rifle that halted the Indian that was creeping in the grass to scalp you." An then there was a tear splash fell upon the sentence, an I changed my mind suddenly as follows: Seeing as the mule had but one eye, an wern't mor'n half a mule at that, you can let Zim go at about six months, an sooner if the Injuns should get ugly, an, furthermore, if the elder shud quiet down an give in any time, I will pardon Zim out instanter.

Witness my official hand and seal.

JAMES BARKER,
Justice of the Peace in Blue Lizard Gulch.
El Paso county, in the Territory.

The warden, after informing the constable that he could not receive the prisoner upon the commitment offered, proceeded to explain that he should have given a bond in the sum of about $300 to appear at the district court. Accordingly, the constable withdrew with his prisoner, when it was agreed between them that Zimri should give the constable his bond for the amount mentioned by the warden. This was accomplished by Zimri subscribing his name to an old replevin bond calling for $800, found among the papers transmitted to the constable by his predecessors. Then, as the constable intended returning by way of Pinon mountain to examine a bear den where he had seen a couple of cubs playing last spring, he gave the bond to Zimri to take back to the justice. But Zimri, while on his return, traded the $800 bond to a mountain squatter, just from Missouri, for a horse, and the prisoner is believed to be at this time a dashing hunter on the plains.

The Sheriff's Rules.

While it will be generally admitted that the sheriff of any county is responsible for the custody of prisoner, many people may wonder at the Sheriff of an interior county in Michigan who feels also responsible for the moral character of the men who occupy his cells. On taking his office a few weeks ago he had printed and posted up in the ward the following programme.

Prayers
and
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At 7:30 a. m.
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Prisoners are expected to leave off smoking and chewing when entering this jail. Swearing will not be allowed. No prisoner will be allowed to have cards or dice. Treat each other like gentlemen. Let your conduct speak in your favor. Be candid in your speech, honest in your actions and upright in your dealings with each other.

READ CAREFULLY.

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————, Sheriff.

The official got along very well with most of his prisoners, but a few days ago a rough fellow was placed in his charge for larceny. He refused to obey the rules of the printed card, and was chewing tobacco and shuffling a pack of cards. The Sheriff stripped him of the forbidden things, called him into his office, and asked:

"Have you concluded to obey those rules?"

"I never pray and I can't sing," was the reply.

"If a man doesn't want to pray I can't force him to, I suppose; but you've either got to sing a hymn or you won't get a mouthful to eat for the next week!"

"I won't sing for a live man," was the determined reply.

He was locked in a cell, and he held out for two days. At the end of the time he broke down and came to the point as follows:

'From all that dwell below the skies,'
(Gimme something to eat.)
"Let the Creator's praise arise:"
(For I'm as hungry as a bear.)
"Shall we gather at the river?"
(Pass that coffee this way.)
"I want to be an angel
And with the angels stand."
(Pass in them beans, for I'm a licked man!)

And as the Sheriff gave him his breakfast he told the fellow how wrong it was for a prisoner to get his back up and declare he wouldn't be good.

—Geraniums and calceolarias, kept in windows throughout summer, are said to drive away flies. Remember this, ladies, and try it next summer.

Young Folks.

Concluded.

At last there came to court the most beautiful princess that ever was seen; and Walter fell in love with her, and entertained her in a magnificent manner every day, till one day, just as they were standing up to dance before the whole court, there came in an old man, very ragged and dirty, with a great peddler's pack on his back, at whom Walter had not looked twice before he saw that it was the old gray goblin. Instantly he remembered his promise to receive him as a father, and began to be very much ashamed at the notion of presenting such an old begger as his father to the king and all his splendid court, but Walter's mother had taught him never to break his word, and always to do what he thought was right no matter how disagreeable. Accordingly he dropped the princess' beautiful white hand, and going up to the dusty, dirty old goblin, kissed and embraced him, brought him a golden chair to sit on, and taking the pack from his back, carried it away himself, and laid it in a corner.

The courtiers stared, and nudged each other.

"Who is this wretched old beggar, Prince Walter?" asked the beautiful princess, tossing her head scornfully.

"You must come with me now," said the goblin to Walter, taking no notice of what was said around him. "I have need of you."

"But my father," said Walter. "I was just about to dance with this princess, and she will be offended to be left standing on the floor. Let me first dance with her, and then I will go with you."

"No," said the goblin, "you are bound by your promise to do the first thing that I should ask of you. Go and excuse yourself to the lady and come with me."

Then Walter went up to the princess, and looking sorrowfully at her said, low: "Dear madam, do not be angry with me. I have promised to go with this old man, but I will return as soon as possible."

"But do you imagine," returned the princess, angrily, "that I will see a beggar preferred to me? If you go with that man never speak to me again."

"Alas!" said Walter, "I must go, for I have promised."

"No," said the princess, "you shall not go, unless you wish never to see me again. I will not stay here an instant longer if you go with that man."

"Come," cried the goblin. "I have waited long enough."

Walter, who never dreamed of breaking his word, turned about and left the princess standing on the floor; but at that she set up a dreadful cry, and spreading out two great wings, sailed out of the window and away over the plains towards the sea, flapping her wings, and screaming dismally as she went.

Then said the goblin: "My son, that was the wicked enchantress who so nearly destroyed the king, and who now intended to destroy you in a like manner. Had you listened to her instead of remembering your promise, she would instantly have devoured you: but now you are safe, as the time of her power is past."

With that the goblin tucked himself up in a ball and rolled out of the door so fast that nobody could follow him: but Walter came to the throne after the king's death, and was long known as good King Walter.

Legends.

OLD EBERSTEIN.—After the Emperor Otho I. had conquered Strasbourg he beseiged the Castle of Eberstein which the counts of that name held against him. But they were brave warriors, and after a seige of nine months Otho was apparently no nearer his hopes than at the beginning. Then one of his Knights advised him to proclaim a tournament at Speirs and promise the counts of Eberstein safe conduct if they should choose to attend, and meantime while they were absent, the castle could be surprised. Otho profited by this advice and the tournament was held. The counts of Eberstein appeared and did themselves great credit. After the tournament there was a ball, and the counts danced with many of the chief ladies of the company. During one of these dances the Count of Eberstein was told by his partner of the ruse of the Emperor; she advised him to confer with his two brothers, and that they all should leave as early as possible. He acted on the advice of the fair lady, but after telling his brothers, they returned again to the dance, and after a little Count Eberstein proposed that the Knights and ladies should reassemble next day to repeat the tournament, and proposed to leave a hundred guldens in honor of the noble ladies. The emperor consented and all separated with great good will but the three counts of Eberstein hastened to their castle. Next day all were assembled and waited for the tournament to begin. At length it came out that the counts of Eberstein had returned home and the Emperor was outwitted. Then he sent men to try if they could not reach the castle before them; but they were already there, and repelled the assault in in such a manner as to convince all that it was worse than useless to continue against them. Then Otho sent three ambassadors to negotiate terms with them. The castellan conducted them through the castle, and showed them casks of wine, heaps of fruit, and an abundance of flour. Now the casks had false bottoms, and the flour covered a mass of chaff; but the ambassadors told Otho that the castle contained provisions for another nine months, and that it was vain to think of subduing it. They advised him the rather to propitiate them by giving one of his sisters in marriage to Eberhard, the youngest Count of Eberstein. This was done and their union was celebrated throughout all Saxony.

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"A Woman fair to look upon."

SARA, The Princess.

Facsimile of a celebrated Oil Painting by BROCHART, in 21 oil-colors—size 17x22 inches. The royal beauty of face and form, rich oriental costume, romantic eastern landscape back-ground, with its well, palm trees, flocks, tents, and long stretch of desert, and distant boundary of mountains, combine to form a rare and lovely picture. It would grace the walls of any public or private gallery. CANVASSERS are WILD over it, and are competing for the Cash Premiums. Send for our splendid offer. Address

J. B. FORD & CO., New York City
Jan. 21—4t.

GRAND OPENING!

ELIAS MENDENHALL

HAVING resumed the business of Merchandising at his Old Store, on

MAIN STREET, BLOOMSBURG,

NEAR THE FORKS HOTEL,

Desires to call the attention of his Friends and the Public generally, to his

NEW, FULL AND VARIED

STOCK OF GOODS,

JUST OPENED,

And solicits a share of public patronage

HIS STOCK CONSISTS OF

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
QUEENSWARE,
WOODENWARE,
WILLOWWARE,
BOOTS & SHOES,
HARDWARE,
FLOUR AND FEED

In connection with his stock of Merchandise he constantly keeps on hand in his yard,

A FULL STOCK OF

Dressed and Undressed Lumber,

AND SHINGLES OF HIS MANUFACTURE.

Bill Lumber made a specialty.

CALL AND SEE.

Oct. 3, 1873—tf.

BLOOMSBURG

MARBLE WORKS.

T. L. GUNTON, Proprietor,

MAIN STREET, BELOW MARKET.

Manufacturer of and Dealer in all kinds of

MONUMENTAL MARBLE WORKS

We use the best AMERICAN and ITALIAN Marble. He has on hand and furnishes to order

MONUMENTS,
TOMBS,
HEADSTONES,
URNS, VASES, &c.

Every variety of Marble cutting neatly executed at the lowest market prices.

A long practical experience and personal attention to business makes the proprietor confident of giving satisfaction. All orders by mail promptly attended to. P. O. box 297.

N. B.—*Work delivered free of charge.* 43

Aug. 21, 74-1y. T. L. GUNTON, Proprietor.

WAINWRIGHT & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

N. E. Corner Second and Arch Streets,

PHILADELPHIA,

Dealers in

TEAS, SYRUPS, COFFEE, SUGAR, MOLASSES

RICE, SPICES, BICARB SODA, &C., &C.

Orders will receive prompt attention.

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No. 17 Centre Street.

Plumbers Gas and Steam Fitters

MANUFACTURERS OF

TINWARE,

GALVANIZED IRON CORNICE,

WINDOW CAPS,

AWNINGS,

Wire Trellises, &c. Dealers in Stoves, Ranges, Furnaces, Baltimore Heaters, Low Down Grates, Mantels, PUMPS, Weather Strips, &c. Also

GAS FIXTURES

of the latest design. Special attention paid to repairing Sewing Machines of every description, Scales, Locks, Bell Hanging, Key Fitting, &c. Private Residences Heated by Steam at a small cost above Hot Air. Feb. 20, '75—tf.

Bargains in Lumber!

at the store of

JOHN J. McHENRY,

BENTON, COL. CO. PA.

100,000 fencing boards, at $8.75

100,000 heart Shingles, shaved, extra good, at $7.00

100,000 Sap Shingles shaved, at $4.50

100,000 No. 1 Sawed Shingles at $5.00

Also Plank, Siding, Inch Pine, and all kinds of lumber can be found in my yard.

Call at once for bargains.

Dec. 3, 3m

THIS PAPER IS ON FILE WITH
ROWELL & CHESMAN Advertising Agents,
THIRD & CHESTNUT STS., ST. LOUIS, MO

SUI GENERIS.

PALMAM QUI MERUIT FERAT

MASON & HAMLIN CABINET ORGANS.

UNEQUALED *Without rivals or equals.* UNAPPROACHED in capacity and excellence by any others. Awarded

THREE HIGHEST MEDALS

AND DIPLOMA OF HONOR AT

VIENNA, 1873; PARIS, 1867.

ONLY American Organs ever awarded any medal in Europe, or which present such extraordinary excellence as to command a wide sale there.

ALWAYS awarded highest premiums at International Expositions, **in America as well as Europe.** Out of hundreds there have not been six in all where any other organs have been preferred.

BEST Declared by Eminent Musicians, in both hemispheres, to be **unrivaled.** See TESTIMONIAL CIRCULAR, with opinions of more than **One Thousand** (sent free).

INSIST on having a Mason & Hamlin. Do not take any other. *Dealers get larger commissions for selling inferior organs, and for this reason often try very hard to sell something else.*

NEW STYLES with most important improvements ever made. **New Solo** and **Combination Stops. Superb Etagere** and other **Cases of new designs.**

PIANO-HARP CABINET ORGAN An exquisite combination of these instruments.

EASY PAYMENTS. Organs sold for cash; or by monthly or quarterly payments; or rented until rent pays for the organ.

CATALOGUES and Circulars, with full particulars, free. Address MASON & HAMLIN ORGAN CO., 154 Tremont Street, BOSTON; 25 Union Square, NEW YORK; or 80 & 82 Adams St., CHICAGO.

MASON & HAMLIN

CABINET ORGANS

MAY BE OBTAINED AT

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL

OF

L. B. POWELL,

SCRANTON, Pa.

General Agent also for the celebrated

CHICKERING PIANOS.

ALSO, OF

I. K. MILLER,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.,

Dealer in above Instruments.

March 19, '75—y

NEW GOODS!

A HEAVY STOCK,

Cheaper than Ever!

S. H. MILLER & SON

Have Just Received

the largest and best supply of

CHEAP AND FASHIONABLE

DRY GOODS,

They have ever offered to their friends and customers.

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Satinetts

for MEN'S WEAR,

Cloths, Alapacas, Merinos,

for LADIES' WEAR,

CALICOES, MUSLINS, CAMBRICS,

and every variety of Dry Goods desired.

STOCK OF

Carpets, Mats, Ottomans,

CLOSED OUT AT COST

FAMILY GROCERIES,

including all the varieties of

COFFEES, TEAS and SUGARS,

COUNTRY PRODUCE,

and a general supply of articles useful for the table always on hand.

CALL AND SEE.

Country produce of all kinds taken in exchange for goods at cash prices.

Oct. 30, 74—tf

HOLIDAY GOODS.

J. H. MAIZE,

has just received a fine assortment of

ALDEN EVAPORATED PEACHES.

The best fruit of the kind in the market.

PINE APPLE CHEESE,
ALMERIA GRAPES,
ORANGES,
LEMONS,
CONFECTIONS,
NUTS,
&c. &c.

A splendid new lot of

CHINA-WARE,
TOILET SETS,
CHILDREN'S TOY SETS,
NEW STYLE CUSPIDORS,
CENTENNIAL BREAD PLATES,
GLASS-WARE,
QUEENS-WARE,

in great variety. A full stock of fancy lamps and fine chamber sets. Especial attention is called to his case of cutlery and silver ware, which he is selling at panic prices, all his goods are the best that can be bought. A few thousand fine brand cigars will be closed out cheap.

Sleds and Velocipedes for boys, and an endless variety of everything in this line.

Dec. 17, 1875.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY

Coughs Colds, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Influenza, Croup, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness Liver Complaint, Pains or Soreness in the Chest or Side, Bleeding at the Lungs, and every affection of the Throat, Lungs and Chest, are speedily cured by the use of DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, which does not dry up a cough and leave the cause behind, as is the case with most remedies, but loosens it, cleanses the lungs and allays irritation, thus removing the cause of the complaint.

Consumption can be cured

by a timely resort to this standard remedy, as is proved by hundreds of testimonials it has received

LOWELL'S Commercial College Binghamton.

AN ACTUAL BUSINESS INSTITUTION AND TELEGRAPHIC INSTITUTE.

For information call at Office, or send for COLLEGE ADVERTISER. June26-1y

RAIL ROAD TIME TABLES

PHILADELPHIA AND READING ROAD

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

MAY 30, 1875.

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS (SUNDAY EXCEPTED

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11,52 a. m

For Catawissa, 11,55 a. m. and 7,36 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6,28 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, 9,00 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 9,15 a. m.

Leave Reading, 11,31 a. m., Pottsville, 12,10