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Fortunate Man.
Hobo—Say, mister, would youse mind stakin' a pore man wot ain't got no home, ter a few pennies?
Enpeck—What! You ain't got no home? Say, old chap, you are playing in great luck. Why, you can stay out all night every night if you want to—and never get a call-down.

Palms the Waiters Have.
"I'm sure I don't know why they call this hotel the Palms. Do you? I've never seen a palm anywhere near the place?"
"You'll see them before you go. It's a pleasant little surprise the waiters keep for the guests on the last day of their stay"—London Tit-Bits.

Had the Cop Guessing.
"Officer, why did you arrest this motorist?"
"Suspicious actions, your honor. He was within the speed limit, sounding his horn properly and trying to keep on the right side of the street."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

His Position.
"I've traded some worthless stock for a Mexican farm."
"Seen it yet?"
"Nope, and I don't want to see it. I'm happy now in the belief that I couldn't have lost anything and may have gained."

World Politics.
"Someone told me you were out of politics."
"I'm like a number of other men in political life," replied Senator Sorghum. "I'm here; but events have made politics such an enormous proposition that I am scarcely discernible."



UNANIMOUS JUDGMENT.
Miss Footlight—What do you mean by sayin' I ain't competent to fill this part? All the critics speak of me as a finished actress.
Manager Groute—Do you doubt it at all? I can see your finish now.

AUDITOR'S AND TREASURER'S DETAILED EXHIBIT
Of Receipts and Disbursements in the County of Fall River, South Dakota, for Quarter Ending September 30th, 1917. Showing Amount of Funds in the Treasury and where Deposited.

TREASURER'S EXHIBIT			
Dr. Bal. Acct. Overdrawn Quarter	Cr. Bal. Dr. Bal. This Quarter	Cash Receipts This Quarter	Disbursements This Quarter
State Tax	\$ 203 64	\$1258 60	\$ 111 05
Poor	4687 52	650 52	721 73
Insane	2180 18	5203 07	34 09
County General	1815 60	5203 07	8716 43
County Schools	629 11	724 00	36 56
County Bridge	1176 45	1090 42	5569 39
County Sinking	7710 60	2094 31	4881 29
County Institute	150 34	150 34	
School District	12341 09	7203 74	7287 43
Townships	1157 97	1115 15	421 35
Cities	2146 00	3652 38	1602 19
Special Road Tax	2272 33	42 99	192 70
Redemption	2153 26	1514 48	1684 44
Salary	3967 46	768 04	2849 71
Lease School Lands	197 81	56 90	337 01
St. per School	2300 50	21790 00	10650 00
County Road	604 96	2274 48	1836 90
Judgment	329 97		17 91
Int. and Incnt. on Loan	54 42	1862 68	2882 76
Library	30 99		30 99
Text Books	20 68	3 00	143 71
Hunting License		3 00	139 00
Motor Road	-2056 82	204 00	2260 82
Mother's Pension	712 08	8 37	720 07
TOTAL	\$ 1313 48	\$49905 76	\$51883 86
Less amount Overdrawn			\$7220 23
Available Cash Deposited, viz:			\$49852 42
Cash on hand with Treasurer	\$1 528 06	Amount brought forward	\$23 004 96
Cash items	693 68	Bank of Edgemont	7 853 40
Stonemans Bank	6 598 24	Fall River County Bank	6 866 53
Peoples National Bank	8 948 49	Ardmore State Bank	5 678 20
Bank of Hot Springs	5 236 50	State Bank of Oelrichs	6 549 33
Amount Fwd. next column	\$23 004 96	TOTAL	\$49 852 42

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA.
COUNTY OF FALL RIVER.
I, C. P. Branaman, Treasurer being duly sworn, doth say that the above exhibit is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of Fall River county, as appears by his books. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October 1917.
(SEAL) W. M. T. RICHER, C. P. BRANAMAN, Clerk of Courts of Fall River County, South Dakota, Treasurer.

Auditor's Exhibit of Warrants Issued, viz:		Assets of County in Detail, viz:	
County Auditor	\$ 333 32	Total amount of School Money loaned, secured by Mortgages and Bonds	\$121 790 00
Deputy Auditor and Clerks	309 00	Unpaid Tax 1916	83 761 52
County Treasurer	375 00	Unpaid Tax 1915 and principal	121 436 44
County Treasurer and Clerks	330 00	Cash in County Funds	49 852 42
Register of Deeds	310 00	Court House and Grounds	25 000 00
Deputy Register of Deeds	150 00	Fees and Fixtures	2 500 00
County Judge	224 97	County Jail	500 00
Sheriff, Deputy and Bailiffs	1 224 23	Money on Time Deposits	30 000 00
Superintendent of Schools	311 84	Bills Receivable	1 384 60
Coroner, witness and Jurors	4 40	TOTAL	438 224 88
Surveyor	68 00	Liabilities of County in Detail	
Commissioners of Insanity	4 00	Total amount of School Money received up to date	\$135 230 60
County Commissioner 1st Dis.	129 55	Warrants issued and in hands of Auditor	1 503 90
County Commissioner 2nd Dis.	113 05	Warrants outstanding 7%	13 791 23
County Commissioner 3rd Dis.	122 85	Bonds outstanding 5%	198 600 00
Board of Health	26 40	Bonds outstanding 6%	16 000 00
District Attorney	282 50	Bonds outstanding 6%	17 000 00
Attorney by Order of Court	75 00	TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$382 125 63
Clerk of Circuit Court	380 55	State of South Dakota,	
Stenographer	273 70	County of Fall River, ss.	
Petit Juror's fees (Court)	1 293 80	W. J. Smith, Auditor, being first duly sworn, doth say that the Treasurer's exhibit herein is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of Fall River County, as appears by his books, and that the Auditor's exhibit is a true and correct statement of all warrants on the treasury during the quarter, and that the statements of assets and liabilities is true and correct. W. J. SMITH.	
Witness fees Circuit and Co.	272 80	Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October 1917.	
Justices of the Peace	47 95	W. M. T. RICHER,	
Jurors and witness, Justice Certificate	67 20	Clerk of Courts for Fall River County, South Dakota.	
Physicians for Poor	150 00		
Poor Relief	561 27		
Books and Stationery	1 280 82		
Printing and advertising	170 54		
Elections	5 00		
Lights, fuel and repairs	404 84		
Building and repairing bridge	5 572 87		
Building and repairing road	1 239 07		
Co. Agri. Extension Work	750 00		
Interest on Bonds	4 000 00		
School Loans	10 650 00		
Co. and township assessors	1 568 85		
Cash items	962 32		
Miscellaneous	794 45		
TOTAL	\$34 811 14		

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