

The Treasurer of South Dakota has "blown out" with more than \$300,000 of the State's money, leaving the Treasury entirely bankrupt.

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Millions Assessed for Taxation. The assessment returns to the department of internal affairs from the several States of the West are being compiled, and that the aggregate amount of tax assessed in the State during the year just closed was \$2,465,451.31 as against \$2,433,011.81 the previous year.

The county tax assessed last year amounted to \$19,053,043.94 as against \$18,783,783 the previous year. The money at interest, including mortgages, judgments, bonds, notes, stocks, etc., is shown by the returns to have been \$100,000,000, an increase over the previous year of \$8,570,000.

The number of taxables in the State last year was 1,064,940, an increase of 100,000 over the previous year.

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Montana's New Senator. HELENA, Mont., January 12.—Thomas H. Carter was nominated last night for United States Senator by the Republican caucus of both Houses.

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