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Inmate Back In Custody

(Pierre)- A state prison inmate who walked away from the Custer Trusty Unit March 14th is back in custody.

William Tomlin was apprehended without incident in Rapid City on Saturday, March 16th. He is currently being held at the Pennington County Jail.

Tomlin is serving a four-year sentence for Grand Theft out of Pennington County.

Tomlin will now face a charge of escape, which carries a mandatory sentence of no less than seven years upon conviction. Under state law, the sentence on conviction for an escape begins once the last sentence of imprisonment is complete.

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