

In The Jailhouse Now - Jimmie Rodgers

Well [C] I had a friend named Rambling Bob,
who used to steal, gamble, and rob
He thought he was the [C7] smartest guy in [F] town
But I found out last Monday, that Bob got locked up Sunday
They [D7] got him in the jailhouse way down-[G7]town

CHORUS:

*He's in the jailhouse [C] now, he's in the jailhouse [F] now
I [G7] told him once or twice, to quit playin' cards and a shootin' dice
He's in the jailhouse [C] now*

He [C] played a game called poker, he knuckled with Dan Yoakum
But shootin' dice [C7] was his greatest [F] game
Now he's downtown in jail, nobody to go his bail
The [D7] judge done said that he will pay the [G7] fine

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Now [C] I went out last Tuesday, I met a girl named Susie
I told her I was the [C7] swellest man a-[F]round
We started to spend my money, and she started to callin' me honey
We [D7] took in every honky tonk in [G7] town

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