

1886, February 10

John S. Kennedy to James J. Hill.

Encloses copy of contract with Sackawanna
Iron & Coal Co. in my own name for the
last 5,000 tons of steel rails... I have a written
agreement with the Sackawanna & Western
Rd Co. for freight from Scranton to Duluth
on 15,000 tons Rails @ \$3.85 pr gross ton... I hold
a letter from the Sack Iron & Coal Co agreeing
to allow me a rebate of 170 on the 5000 tons
purchased in my name... I have your
telegram today about B^rentire [H. Breone] & have
notified Dalkeith [H. W. C. Men] of the programme
you & I have agreed upon at which he is

much pleased." Howard Benedek was here
Sat. & Cannon started him West - he was
in Chi. today & will be in St. Paul tomorrow.