George C. Stone to Hill Re the Duluth and Iron Range Railroad Co.; bonds are 6% for 20 years, secured by a first mortgage on the railroad, which runs from Duluth to the mines, and by a Swamp Land grant of about 600,000 acres. Bonds are dated Mayl, 1883 and are guaranteed by the Minnesota Iron Company, based on all its property: 23000 acres, including the harbor on Lake Superior. 2,000,000 of the 2,500,000 are sold at par & interest: 500,000 are held to build from Two Harbors to Duluth. Charlemagne Tower takes \$1,5000,000 of the bonds as an investment and

locks them up. Offers Hill 200,000 of the bonds at \$5,62% per seem or actual cost.

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