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Statement in J. J. Hill's hand-
writing recommending the building
of the uncompleted parts of the
St. Paul + Pacific Railway (to St.
Vincent 65 miles, ~~Madison~~ to Alexandria 35
and ^{Alexandria to} ~~Madison~~ Falls, 145 miles) - say \$1,300,000
and obtaining a lease on the extension
line in favor of the Red River Valley Railroad
on the Breckenridge - Barnesville Link
\$15-20,000, Hill recommends retiring

of bonds for lands

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