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Sommario/riassunto	Crossing Under the Hudson takes a fresh look at the planning and construction of two key links in the transportation infrastructure of New York and New Jerseythe Holland and Lincoln Tunnels. Writing in an accessible style that incorporates historical accounts with a lively and entertaining approach, Angus Kress Gillespie explores these two monumental works of civil engineering and the public who embraced them. He describes and analyzes the building of the tunnels, introduces readers to the people who worked therethen and nowand places the structures into a meaningful cultural context with the music, art, literature, and motion pictures that these tunnels, engineering marvels

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of their day, have inspired over the years. Today, when new concerns
about global terrorism may trump bouts of simple tunnel tension,
Gillespie's Crossing Under the Hudson continues to cast a light at the
end of the Holland and Lincoln Tunnels.