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Sommario/riassunto

The recent development of light rail transit in the Twin Cities has been an undeniable success. Plans for additional lines progress, and our ways of shopping, dining, and commuting are changing dramatically. As we embrace riding the new Hiawatha light rail line, an older era comes to mind in the age when everyone rode the more than 500 miles of track that crisscrossed the Twin Cities. In *Twin Cities by Trolley*, John Diers and Aaron Isaacs offer a rolling snapshot of Minneapolis and St. Paul from the 1880's to the 1950's, when the streetcar system shaped the growth and character of the entire metropolis
