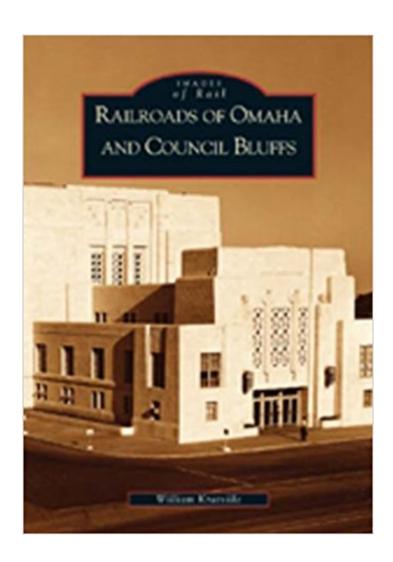
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# Railroads Of Omaha And Council Bluffs (NE) (Images Of Rail)





#### **Synopsis**

Well into the 20th century, the railroad industry implemented a series of great technological changes that revolutionized rail transit in America. The twin cities of Omaha and Council Bluffs, serving as Union Pacific headquarters and the nation's nucleus of continental train travel, witnessed the bulk of these changes. Through a collection of captivating photographs, Railroads of Omaha and Council Bluffs documents the transformations that took place in the railroad industry and the impact those changes made on these two cities, as well as the rest of the country. The creation of the "streamlined" passenger train, the transition from steam to diesel power, the golden years of Omaha's Union Station, and the revolution of railroad freight service through mergers and government deregulation are just some of the events explored in this fascinating book.

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Don't expect any maps, or anything comprehensive here - this is simply a pictorial with some fascinating captioned photos from Omaha's (and Council Bluffs') prominent railroad history. The coverage is straightforward - a mini-chapter is devoted to each major line (e.g., UP, BN, etc.). My only complaint would be that the locomotive close-up photos begin to feel redundant after awhile - it's almost as if you're reading a rail car encyclopedia. However, many excellent period photos and photos of rails in the cityscape/countryside are present to make it an enjoyable flip-through.

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