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Starting from Chicago and having various main lines running west, north-west, and north, it covers about all that is desirable in Northern Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin, the upper Michigan peninsula, Minnesota and Central and South-eastern Dakota and North-eastern Nebraska.

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