



## Summer Excursion Routes, and Catskill Mountain Resorts, 1910: With Supplementary List of the Resorts on the Line of the New Paltz, Highland Poughkeepsie Traction Co (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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