SAVE PRECIOUS RIVERS

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Government to Preserve Our Rivers

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SITUATION, according to a report recently made by a

commission of geologists to the President, who

were instructed by Congress to investigate the

condition of the Great Lakes and the Mississippi.

The report, which was presented to the

President last week, states that the Great Lakes

are rapidly becoming brackish, and that the

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