islands in the Mississippi River situate above said proposed site and situated southerly of the municipal limits of Saint Cloud, Stearns County, Minnesota, which may belong to the United States of America and which have not been subjected to any entry under the homestead laws or other disposition at the time of the passage of this Act, such right of flowage to be enjoyed without any compensation to be paid to the United States of America, save and except the value of said lands so to be conveyed for lock or other purposes.

Sec. 2. That suitable fishways, to be approved by the United States Fish Commissioner, shall be constructed and maintained at said dam by said corporation, its successors or assigns.

Sec. 3. That in case any litigation arises from the building of said dam or locks or from the obstruction of said river by said dam or appurtenant works cases may be tried in the proper courts as now provided for that purpose in the State of Minnesota or in the courts of the United States.

Sec. 4. That the right to amend, alter, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved, and the same shall become null and void unless the construction of the dam hereby authorized is commenced within one year after the passage of this Act and completed within three years thereafter.

Approved, June 28, 1906.