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Section No. 1—From Lake Superior Junction to Mile 1229 (near Winnipeg River), 4 No. 2 Station Buildings, 2 No. 3 Station Buildings, 3 Section Houses.

Section No. 2—From Mile 1229 to Mile 1232 (N. E. of Bonnet), 1 No. 1 Station Building, 2 No. 2 Station Buildings, 2 No. 3 Station Buildings, 4 Section Houses.

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Tool houses will be required at all section houses, and at such other points as may be designated by the Engineer.

Each tender must be for all the buildings on any one section, and separate tenders must be made for each section.

The work on each section must be completed on or before October 1st, 1909.

Plans and specifications may be seen and full information obtained at the office of Mr. Hugh H. Lumsden, Chief Engineer, Ottawa, Ont., and Mr. S. R. Poolin, District Engineer, Winnipeg, Man.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners, which may be had on application to the Chief Engineer at Ottawa, or the District Engineer at Winnipeg.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a certified Bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the order of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, for a sum equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender.

The cheque deposited by the party whose tender is accepted will be deposited to the Receiver General of Canada, as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract according to its terms.

Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order, P. E. RYAN, Secretary

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway

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