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March 12, 1937

Hon. W. S. Owen
State Purchasing Agent
Augusta, Maine

Dear Sir:

I have before me your communication of March 5, addressed to the Attorney General, in which you ask an opinion as to your authority relative to the purchase of milk and cream for the Central Maine Sanatorium at Fairfield, and for the Bangor State Hospital at Bangor.

It appears from your communication that about a year and a half ago bids were received for the delivery of milk and cream for these two institutions.

It further appears that one Richardson was the successful bidder for the delivery of milk and cream at the Central Maine Sanatorium, and that Davis Bros. were the successful bidders for milk and cream at the Bangor State Hospital, and that a contract for such delivery was entered into with these parties.

It is my opinion that your contract with these parties may be considered a continuing contract as long as they meet its requirements, and that it is not necessary for you to ask for other bids while you are satisfied with the performance of the contracts which now exist.

Very truly yours,

Sanford L. Fogg
Deputy Attorney General

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