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This document is from the files of the Office of the Maine Attorney General as transferred to the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library on January 19, 2022 Hon. Harry V. Gilson Commissioner of Education Augusta, Haine Dear Eir:

I have your request for an an opinion, dated January 18th. Mr. Corson is entitled to retirement on a basis of one-half of his average salary for the last fewe years he has been in the employ of the State without regard to whether or not his employment was continuous in one department.

However, if he accepts the retirement allowance he must surrender his 375. a year teacher's pension because the statute does not promit aiderson to be drawing two pensions from the State at the same time.

Very truly yours,

Frank I. Cowan Attorney General