

1 MR. GOLDSTEIN: '39?

2 MR. ENEY: Yes.

3 MR. GOLDSTEIN: '39 we had O'Conor, a Democratic
4 governor.

5 MR. ENEY: He came in in '39; '37 and '38,
6 you had Harry Nice.

7 MR. GOLDSTEIN: That is right.

8 MR. ENEY: They weren't merit system people.
9 That is when the Department was set up.

10 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I was in the Legislature and
11 voted for the income tax in '39. We got rid of the
12 dividend tax.

13 MR. ENEY: As a Member of the Legislature,
14 was that part of the thinking in putting it in the Comp-
15 troller's Office?

16 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Absolutely not.

17 MR. KOSSEL: It might have been in those days,
18 but I think the situation has changed so drastically since
19 then.

20 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Stan and I were in the Legis-
21 lature together.