

1 Forget about Louie Goldstein. Let's talk about the  
2 Comptroller.

3 MR. SAYRE: Thinking about the long term  
4 further, with these responsibilities?

5 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I look way ahead. I look into  
6 the 21st Century.

7 MR. SAYRE: I regard the term, fiscal, as  
8 quite different from that which is audit, collector,  
9 estimator and budget. Now, I am taking a more aggressive  
10 position here on the use of fiscal. I regard fiscal as  
11 where you do have to know what your estimates are, where  
12 you have got your present budget, and then as far as I  
13 am concerned, program is what we are talking about with  
14 the term, fiscal, and then we have to back it up with  
15 money, and we cut our fiscal program according to whatever  
16 the money situation is.

17 Now, this would normally come out of the  
18 Governor's office, as far as fiscal program is concerned.  
19 I regard a budget situation as magisterial, watchdog  
20 position, one that does require competence, but I am not  
21 sold yet that you couldn't have, generally speaking, equal