

# DISKIN SAYS DAM FUND PAYMENT TO COUNTY ILLEGAL

CARSON CITY, Nev., Feb. 26 (UP) — Clark county, Nevada, was paid \$60,000 from Nevada's first Boulder dam power proceeds possibly in violation of the law, M. A. Diskin, former attorney general, advised State Controller Henry Schmidt today.

Schmidt had asked Diskin's opinion as advisor to his office following State Treasurer Dan Franks' payment of the money to Clark county in compliance with a Nevada statute. Diskin advised Schmidt to ask a court to determine constitutionality of the payment.

Diskin advised: "I deem it of sufficient importance to require court determination before the provisions of the law are accepted and acted upon by you as state controller."