

# Reinecke Questions Tunney's Motives

## Sacramento

Lieutenant Governor Ed Reinecke said yesterday Senator John Tunney is "politically motivated" in charging that either former Attorney General John Mitchell or Reinecke lied about their conversations together last year concerning the Republican national convention.

"Mr. Tunney has been one of the architects behind this entire inquiry," Reinecke said. "I think we should first screen out some of the political motivations of Mr. Tunney."

Reinecke also repeated statements that when he

met with Mitchell "I gave him a progress report on everything that we'd done on the convention."

Mitchell told the Senate Judiciary Committee, which is investigating GOP convention finances, during a hearing in Washington Tuesday that he didn't recall discussing the convention with Reinecke during meetings last April and September.

Mitchell said he could recall only discussing the economic development of the state, including bringing space shuttle work to the state.

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