

1 JUDGE RASIN: Why should it vary?

2 MR. RODOWSKY: The question of whether the
3 legislative, if it is a legislative judgment, the question
4 of whether it is a good or bad thing to require uniformity
5 completely across the board, whether there might not be
6 a need in a metropolitan area for a greater concurrent
7 jurisdiction than in some other areas of the State so that
8 you would want to permit a larger concurrent jurisdiction
9 in some sections.

10 MR. MARTINEAU: I think the feeling is the
11 desire for uniformity isn't necessarily, isn't the same
12 when you are talking about concurrent jurisdiction, and
13 we don't want to foreclose the meeting of different
14 problems in different parts of the State, where you might
15 have a large backlog in one, on the Circuit Court level,
16 where you have jury trials and such things, and you might
17 want to open up the ability of people to go into the
18 district or to the People's Court and have it tried. Then
19 you can only do that if you can expand easily the concur-
20 rent jurisdiction.

21 JUDGE PROCTOR: Isn't the answer in the metro-