

March 18, 1980

LB 276, 279, 308

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relating to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 276 pass with the emergency clause attached. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 1250 of the Legislative Journal.) 46 ayes, 1 nay, 2 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 276 passes with the emergency clause attached. The Clerk will now read on Final Reading, LB 279.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 279 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relating to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 279 pass with the emergency clause attached. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 1251-1252 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 46 ayes, 0 nays, 2 excused and not voting and 1 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 279 passes with the emergency clause attached. The Clerk will now read on Final Reading, LB 308.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a motion on the desk.

PRESIDENT: Read the motion, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Senator Burrows moves to return LB 308 to Select File for a specific amendment, that amendment being to strike the enacting clause.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Burrows.

SENATOR BURROWS: Mr. Chairman, members of the body, we are voting on these bills this morning on an up-down deal. Now, what it would probably cost us if we didn't get the emergency clause would be about a week to put the bills back in a different form and this is why I voted no on the first bill. I didn't like the issue that was put before me. We have a usury crisis in the state, a money crisis, but it didn't start in the State of Nebraska and we are not going to solve the credit problems of the state immediately by passing or not passing any of this legislation this morning. We've got a credit crisis regardless of what we do. As long as the interest rates are where they are, they are pricing the homeowners, they are pricing a lot of