

individuals if you were watching, everyone of them voted no and voted against the kill. Now do you think that really these people could be called anti consumer. Absolutely not. I think you would have to say these are three individuals that have a bit of a reputation for being pro consumer. Now I acknowledge that. Everyone of those understands this bill pretty well and everyone is voting against killing it. Finally with respect to Senator Burrows argument about on depositing money, why can't they get a variable rate, too? Well, that is what has developed. That is the whole system that has developed and probably half of this body and half of those reporters up there in one form or another are participating in it and it is called "money market funds". Right? That is the new age. You put your money in and you get more or less depending upon what the going rate of interest is. The other thing that limits it when you put it in a savings account such as the five percent or the five and a quarter percent, that is an existing federal law that they are talking about eliminating, too. But if you want variable interest, you sure can get it at the highest amounts in money market funds. So I repeat, I think this is an important bill, and just because the bankers support it doesn't mean that it is bad. Bankers, incredible as it sounds and it sounds incredible to me on occasions, bankers can do things that make the system work better. They can make the financing system work better.

SENATOR CLARK: You have one minute.

SENATOR DeCAMP: And this is one of the areas where something needs to be done and where they are supporting it.

SENATOR CLARK: The question is the advancement of 778. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.

SENATOR CLARK: This is advancing the bill. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 3 nays on the motion to advance the bill.

SENATOR CLARK: The bill is declared advanced. LB 779. Go ahead and read in.

CLERK: Mr. President, some items to read in. Senator Lamb would like to print some material in the Legislative Journal.

I have an item scheduled for Special Order by the Speaker.