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SENATOR CLARK: I am completely against this, but I would like to ask Senator Beutler a question. Senator Beutler, when you said that if the introducer did not want it held over, will you take 30 votes then?

SENATOR BEUTLER: No.

SENATOR CLARK: Then why have the rule?

SENATOR BEUTLER: It takes no more than... (interruption).

SENATOR CLARK: If someone doesn't want their bill laid over, why have the rule? That's a ruse.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Pardon me.

SENATOR CLARK: That's a ruse to do that.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Because the rule is for the benefit of the....if I understand your question correctly, because the rule is for the benefit of the sponsor and so it should be his prerogative to do as he pleases.

SENATOR CLARK: I don't think it is for the benefit of the sponsor in the first place. I think that's where we disagree, and as long as we want to talk about it, what are we talking about, 376? Of course we are. Bring it out into the open. That's exactly what it is is 376. There is a whole bunch of people in here that don't want that bill passed and the people in the state don't want it passed. But the big bankers want it passed. So let's call a spade a spade. That's all it is is Senator DeCamp, one of his little trickeries in order to get his damn bill...or his darn bill passed. Pardon me, even though I think the other. We know it can be delayed. A lot of other bills could be delayed. But let's don't just have a talk around the issue here. That's all the thing is for, and I am completely against this at this particular time. Thank you.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, I move the previous question.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The previous question has been called for. Do I see five hands? All those in favor of ceasing debate vote aye, opposed vote no. Shall debate cease, is the issue. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 4 nays, Mr. President, to cease debate.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Debate has ceased. Senator Wesely, do you wish to close on the motion?