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Harding Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre) Lambert (Bellechasse) Mr. Diefenbaker: Mr. Speaker, I rise on a point of order. Not wishing in any way to cause the hon. member for Vark South (Mr. Lowis) any difficulty. I think the rule is

Not wishing in any way to cause the hon. member for York South (Mr. Lewis) any difficulty, I think the rule is that once you vote, you cannot change it. I was under that impression.

Some hon. Members: Oh, oh!

[Mr. Speaker.]

Mr. Diefenbaker: I recall that in 1926 a Labour member for Nelson, Mr. Bird, went to sleep and voted. He woke up and realized he had voted and said he had made a mistake. If I recall, the Speaker of that day said "You only get one bite of the apple."

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. I am sure it could not have been at 2.30 in the morning. It seemed to me that the situation was clear, but apparently it is not clear at all. To be very frank, the Chair was under the impression that when members of the official opposition voted, they were voting in opposition to the motion.

Some hon. Members: No, no.

Mr. Speaker: I appreciate that and recognize that it is 2.30 in the morning. I was just saying what I had thought, but obviously I was wrong. I think what the House would want to take for granted is that the vote registered by members of the official opposition was in favour of the yeas, and that the voting starting with the leader of the NDP were votes in opposition. The hon. member for York South is rising on a point of order.

Mr. MacInnis: Mr. Speaker, in view of that fact, I think the same privilege should be extended to others changing their minds about voting.

An hon. Member: What minds?

Mr. Lewis: Mr. Speaker, I should like to speak to the point of order. Let me make it clear that the right hon. gentleman, the hon. member for Prince Albert (Mr. Diefenbaker), always has the courtesy when rising of saying he does not want to cause the hon. member for York South any trouble, and then proceeds to say what he has to say. I should like to inform him that I am sure he noticed, as others did, that I did not vote but rose to find out whether Your Honour had called the nays.

Some hon. Members: Oh, oh!

Mr. Speaker: Order, please. My impression of the way the vote has been taken is the way I suggested. Otherwise I think it would be unfair to hon. members of the different parties voting either in support or in opposition to the motion. In any event, I declare the motion carried.

Motion agreed to.

MOTION FOR CONCURRENCE IN VOTE 30, DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE FOR CIVIL EMERGENCY MEASURES

Hon. C. M. Drury (President of the Treasury Board) moved:

That vote 30, in the amount of \$5,075,000 of the Department of National Defence for civil emergency measures—program expenditures for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1973 (less the amount voted in interim supply) be concurred in.

Mr. Speaker: Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the said motion?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.