William Ojala and Donald Moe  (1973 Session)

Both were seated on the first day of the 1973 Session, and neither case ever came before the House.

Moe's change of lawyers and ability to get his case postponed until the Legislature was no longer in Session (thus gaining immunity) is very interesting. Eventually the indictment was dropped.

Ojala protested the Vietnam War by refusing to file state or federal income tax returns for three years. However, the taxes were paid prior to the 1973 Session.
The bill was passed and its title agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Flakne moved that House Seat 65B, Ramsey County, currently occupied by Donald M. Moe, be declared vacant and that the vacancy be certified to his Excellency, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, so that he may issue a writ of election, as provided for by law, to fill said seat.

Mr. Dirlam moved that House Seat 6A, St. Louis County, currently occupied by William R. Ojala, be declared vacant and that this vacancy be certified to his Excellency, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, so that he may issue a writ of election, as provided for by law, to fill said seat.

The motion of Mr. Anderson, I., prevailed.
Motions and Resolutions.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

McFarlin was so questioned members Sarna "~

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

On the motion of Mr. Flakne and on the demand of 10 members, a call of the House was ordered. The following members answered to their names:

Adams, J. Dahl Jaros Menke Salchert
Adams, S. DeGroat Johnson, C. Miller, D. Sarna
Anderson, R. Dieterich Johnson, D. Miller, M. Savelkoul
Anderson, D. Dirlam Johnson, J. Moe Schreiber
Anderson, G. Eckstein Johnson, R. Mueller Schuberg
Anderson, L. Eken Jopp Munger Sears
Becklin Enebo Jude Myrah Smith
Belisle Erdahl Kahn Nelson Stangeland
Bell Erickson Kelly Newcome Strand
Bennett Biesau Kempe Niehaus St. Onge
Berg Faricy Klaus Norton Strom
Belisle Dirlam Fjoslien Heinitz St. Onge
Biersdorf Fjoslien Kvaal Laidig Tomlinson
Bolander Forsythe Larson McBride Tomlinson
Brinkman Fudro LaVoy Pavlak, R. Vanasek
Carlson, A. Fugina Lemke Pavlak, R. L. Vento
Carlson, B. Graba Lindstrom, E. Peterson Voss
Carlson, L. Graw Long Pehl Weaver
Carlson, D. Hagedorn Mann Peterson Wenzel
Cassarley Hagedorn Mann Pleasant Wigley
Clifford Haugerud Mccarren Peterson Wohlwend
Connors Heinitz McCauley Rice Wolcott
Culhane Hook Mccarren Ryan St. Onge
Cumminskey Jacobs McFarlin St. Onge

Mr. Flakne moved that further proceedings of the roll call be dispensed with and that the Sergeant at Arms be instructed to bring in the absentees. The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams, J. Carlson, A. Eken Jaros McCarron
Adams, S. Carlson, B. Enebo Johnson, R. Myrah McFarlin
Anderson, R. Dieterich Enebo Myrah Schreiber
Anderson, D. Dirlam Fjoslien Ojala Sarna
Anderson, G. Eckstein Jude Ojala Schulz
Berg Enebo Kvaal Pavlak, R. Spain Sweden
Biersdorf Fjoslien Lemke Pavlak, R. L. St. Onge
Bolander Fugina Lindstrom, E. Pehler Stangeland
Brinkman Graba LaVoy Pavlak, R. Span Widger
Carlson, A. Haugerud McCarren Peterson Wohlwend
Carlson, D. Jacobs McFarlin Pohlman Wrist
Carlson, L. Jaros Miller, D. Ryan
Connors Johnson, C. Miller, R. St. Onge
Culhane Johnson, D. Moe Savae

Mr. Flakne's motion did not prevail.

Mr. Carlson, A., moved that the call of the House be dispensed with. The motion was lost.

Mr. Dirlam moved that House Seat 6A, St. Louis County, currently occupied by William R. Ojala, be declared vacant and that this vacancy be certified to his Excellency, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, so that he may issue a writ of election, as provided for by law, to fill said seat.

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Andersen, R. Erdahl Heinitz Lombardi Pleasant
Anderson, D. Erickson Johnson, J. Long Savelkoul
Belisle Essau Johnson, R. Myrah Savelkoul
Bennett Fudro Jude McArthur Skar
Biersdorf Fjoslien Kempe McArthur Savae
Carlson, A. Graw Laidig Myrah Skar
Dirlam Hagedorn Larson Pavlak, R. L. Wohlwend

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams, J. Carlson, A. Eken jaros McCarron
Adams, S. Carlson, B. Enebo Johnson, R. Myrah McFarlin
Anderson, G. Dieterich Enebo Ojala Schulz
Anderson, L. Dieterich Fudro Ojala Sweden
Becklin Eckstein Jude Ojala Sweden
Bell Enebo Kvaal Pavlak, R. Spain Sweden
Biersdorf Fjoslien Lemke Pavlak, R. L. St. Onge
Bolander Fugina Lindstrom, E. Pehler Stangeland
Brinkman Graba LaVoy Pavlak, R. Span Widger
Carlson, A. Haugerud McCarren Peterson Wohlwend
Carlson, D. Jacobs McFarlin Pohlman Wrist
Carlson, L. Jaros Miller, D. Ryan
Connors Johnson, D. Miller, R. St. Onge
Culhane Johnson, D. Moe Savae
Mr. Dirlam's motion did not prevail.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following members on the committee to escort the Governor to the Joint Convention being held in the House Chamber on Wednesday, January 17, 1973:

Berglin, Forsythe, Growe, Kahn, and McArthur.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced that the spouses of the members of the House and Senate are invited to attend the Joint Convention on January 17, 1973, to hear the Governor's budget message.

Spouses will be seated with the members on the floor of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced the following changes in House Standing Committee assignments:

Local Government: Strike the name of Lindstrom, J. and add the name of Eckstein.

City Government: Strike the name of Eckstein and add the name of Lindstrom, J.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

Anderson, I., from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration, reported the appointment of the following employees:

Effective January 2, 1973:

- Albin A. Mathiowetz, Journal Clerk
- Frank J. Strohmayer, Assistant Index Clerk
- Stephen E. Fischer, Assistant Index Clerk
- Hazel C. Johnson, Desk Clerk
- George H. Dranttel, Property Officer
- Sylvia Holliday, Secretary to Chief Clerk
- Marilyn A. Wahman, Secretary-accountant
- Kathryn G. Nelson, Assistant Accountant
- Dorothy H. Swedeen, Special Stenographer
- James C. Pribyl, Legislative Information Officer

Ernest O. Hintze, Legislative Communications Officer (Electrician)

Rochelle M. Polanski, Secretary to Legislative Information Officer

Administrative Assistants I: Arlin B. Carlson, Lynn M. Yaeger.


Typists: Correne V. Anderson, Renee Y. Eggen, Janet D. Spicer.

Lois E. Mizuno, Executive Secretary to the Speaker

Mercedes E. Peterson, Secretary to the Speaker

David A. Bieging, Executive Secretary to the Majority Leader

Louella M. Zappa, Secretary to the Majority Leader and to Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration

Karen M. Redlund, Secretary to Assistant Majority Leader

James A. Morrow, Research Consultant

Paul R. Petrafeso, Research Consultant

Ronald T. Duncan, Appropriations Supervisor

Calvin C. Herbert, Legislative Fiscal Analyst

Vilis Vikmanis, Legislative Fiscal Analyst

Dianne M. Rumley, Chief Stenographer

Carol J. Unger, Assistant Chief Stenographer

Stenographers: Mary J. Cullen, Anna R. Maloney, Mary A. Murphy, Edith A. Snell, Nancy R. Stalwick, Joan M. Sweeney.

Typists: Joyce M. Conway, Garyeldine C. Cook, Bettie M. Friberg, Corinne F. Peterson, Joanne M. Schwalter, Ione V. Yates.


Legislative Aides I: Thomas E. Meeks

Legislative Aides II: Ann D. Higgins, Phyllis R. Spielman

Mary T. Byrne, Chief Committee Secretary and Secretary to Committee on City Government

Paulette C. Will, Secretary to Committees

Erva G. Jacobson, Secretary to Committee on Agriculture

Nancy K. Anderson, Secretary to Committee on Appropriations