



# NORTH YORK COIN CLUB

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MONTHLY MEETINGS 4TH TUESDAY 8 P.M. (except July & August) AT NORTH YORK  
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NEXT MEETING JUNE 26th. /79.

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PROGRAM: FILM; COINS OF THE WORLD.

Plans for the Garden Party had to be cancelled. We will be having our regular meeting at the hall. One of the latest coin films, A 16mm. color and sound film, produced by Crawley Films, Ottawa, for the Royal Canadian Mint, on Coins of the World will be shown. We wish to thank C.A.N.D. and their executive secretary Mr. Al Bliman for the loan of this film. The Royal Canadian Mint has produced Coins for many countries besides Canada. If you have any of these coins, bring them with you to show to other club members. This will be our last meeting until September, so come out and have a good time.

LAST MEETING:

In the absence of our President, Mr. F.C.Jewett, the meeting was chaired by 1st. Vice President Harvey Farrow.

On Time Attendance Draw: Dr. Donald MacIntyre's name was drawn as he was not in attendance, the prize will be \$6.00 for June.

Dan Bowyer read the minutes of the April 24th. meeting, after one correction by Carl Anderson, they were adopted.

Carl Anderson reported that the Charlton Catalogues had been distributed to all Public and Separate elementary and secondary Schools in North York.

Dan Bowyer was appointed Club Delegate to the O.N.A. convention in Hamilton.

Harvey Farrow announced our intention to hold our annual Garden Party. Volunteers were lacking, and as only 6 members indicated that they would be attending, It was later decided to hold a regular meeting at the hall.

Carl Anderson was our first featured speaker of the evening, his talk on collecting Canadian Decimal Currency was an inspiration for both novice and veteran collector. His advise to the collector was, first, start building a library, the Charlton Catalogue being a good beginning. He was able to demonstrate the value of this book during the question period after his talk by showing the questioner the information being asked for was in the Catalogue. His next point was to subscribe to a coin newspaper to keep abreast current events in the coin hobby. The Canadian Coin News being an excellent choice. One of the next best sources of information is the local Coin Club, so join a Club. Later you could be interested in joining a regional Association such as the Ontario Numismatic Association, then the National Organization, the Canadian Numismatic Association. Carl pointed out that Condition of Coins was important in collecting, and advised that the new collector should be selective when choosing a coin for their collection. He also demonstrated various methods of housing coins. Carl showed prooflike sets, specimen sets, error coins, and type sets. Carl donated a type set of 5¢ coins to the draw.

Speaking on Canadian Paper Money collecting, George Fraser displayed some Dominion of Canada Notes. His talk was on collecting the current series of multicoloured one and two dollar notes. He showed his album of a 5 year collection of regular prefixes,



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Asterisk notes and Palindrome notes. pointing out that this is an inexpensive method of collecting paper money, while still having fun. It could also become a rare collection in years to come as many collectors disdain this type of collection. To prove his point he showed a complete prefix collection of 1937 one dollar notes, one of two known complete collections to exist.

Ken Bunnett, our next scheduled speaker drew attention to his display of tokens and suggested that we forego his part of the program to have our coffee break. A get-well card was passed around for signatures with best wishes to Jean Orr for a speedy recovery.

Norman Belsten spoke on collecting wooden money. as with all types of collecting, Norm reiterated Carl's remarks about building a library, joining a club etc. to build a good collection. He showed various attractive wooden money pieces in round and flats, some were membership cards on wood, business cards on wood, commemorative events. most issues are inexpensive. Norm donated a complete set of Richmond Hill wooden Nickels to the draw. Dan Bowyer pointed out that a catalogue on Wooden Money by Norman Wells was also in the draw.

After a coffee break prepared by Mrs. May Bunnett, John Regitko spoke on his specialty of die varieties, Weird and Unusual Money. He showed a selection of emergency money, one of which was the Canadian tombac Nickel, Silk and Cotton Money, Leather, German Porcelain Money, Russian Postage Stamp Money and Money printed on ordinary paper.

John said his second hobby was photography, He offered to photograph any material for the collectors present on condition that the pictures taken be shown at the North York Coin Club.

The Pandoras Box was passed around to the Juniors, who described their pick to the members.

Harvey Farrow spoke on his display of various Medals, there were O.N.A. Medals, C.N.A. Medals, Toronto coin Club Medals, Torex Medals in brass & aluminium, Bronze Medals of P.E.I., Medals of Hockey Stars, the 67 Stanley Cup, Wellings Mint Medals, Ontario Place Opening Medal, Exhibition Medals, Royal Visit Medals, U.S. Presidential Medals, and Confederation of Canada Medals.

There were nine prizes in the draw. The lucky winners were: 1. Mrs. Weise, 2. Mrs. Weise, 3. John Regitko, 4. Stan Clute, 5. Mrs. Weise, 6. Bob Porter, 7. Mrs. Weise, 8. Mr. W. McCullough, 9. Basil Latham.

NEW MEMBERS: Application for Membership have been recieved from the following: Ian Dickson, Thornhill, Ont. and John Tooker, Agincourt, Ont. When approved they will become members #J362 & #J363.

Your Executive hope that all our Members have a happy summer holiday in July and August, and that we will see you all at the September meeting.