



NORTH YORK COIN CLUB

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MONTHLY MEETINGS 4TH TUESDAY 8 P.M.
 NORTH YORK MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL
 5090 YONGE STREET, WILLOWDALE, ONTARIO

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LAST MEETING:

The last club meeting was the Annual Christmas Party and this year was added the flair of "Happy New Year", especially for the North York Coin Club. 1970 marks the beginning of our 11th year in operation; the club being formed in the winter of 1960.

There was little or no business discussed, but we did hear from the club's new Advertising Manager, Mr. Ken Bunnett who gave a short address on his progress to promote the Club through out the Borough. The North York Public Library was very keen on a display to be set up at the main branch on Yonge Street for about a month. It would then begin to revolve among the other branches, staying about one month at each. The display would show a cross section of the Hobby and bear the name of the Club, when it meets and where. The display will be made up of items from the members' collections. The Library provides insurance and protection for the display, although it may vary in size from Library to Library, depending on the space available. Mr. Bunnett also showed a new type of Coin Case which he designed and built to house display coins. More on this at the next meeting.

A general discussion followed on the scarcity of the 1969 Dime. Mr. F. C. Jewett mentioned the reason may be the old stand-by---supply and demand. Since the Mint had all those U. S. made Canadian dimes produced last year, the market has now been saturated and thus very few 1969 Canadian 10¢ pieces. Another item that was discussed was the new Paper Money to be introduced in the Spring. The fact that the Queen is being re-placed by former Prime Ministers of Canada is quite exciting but not really a surprise. The fact that the present series is nearly exhausted, which can be noted by the letters preceding the serial numbers. Also the present set is now 16 years old and with no changes except that of the one Dollar bill which changed temporarily for Centennial year in 1967. Counterfeiting is also a concern for the two bank note companies producing the bills.

The lucky draw of a 1968 Proof-like Dollar in the mint package was won by Mr. R. Blake Graham. Not realizing that the coin was Proof-like, Mr. Graham graciously returned the coin to the donation auction. Upon realizing what he had done, Mr. Graham won the coin again in the auction for the small sum of \$1.25 + the cost of his lucky draw tickets!!! A special vote of thanks goes out to Mr. Graham for supporting the Club in this way!

The Donation Auction Followed, and the evening was topped off by Christmas cake, cookies, tea and coffee. The Club thanks all those who brought refreshments and those who stayed behind to clean up in the gally.

NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting will be held at the North York Community Hall, 5090 Yonge St on Tuesday January 27, 1970. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. and the meeting starts at 8:15 p.m. Please plan to attend as the 1970 season begins at North York with the Explanation of the White Paper as it concerns collectors. This may be important to every collector in the future, and it will be presented by Mr. F. C. Jewett. Please plan to attend.