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NEXT MEETING : TUESDAY MAY 27th, 1980.

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GUEST SPEAKER: DONALD D. PATERSON

Donald D. Paterson, designer of the 1975 Calgary Silver Dollar and the 1980 Polar Bear Silver Dollar, will be the Guest Speaker at our May meeting. Mr. Paterson will be showing some of his preliminary sketches that led to the winning design for the 1980 Polar Bear Silver Dollar.

LAST MEETING: President Harvey Farrow welcomed the members and guests to the 224th. meeting of the North York Coin Club,

The secretary Mrs. Lucille Colson read the minutes of the March meeting, which were approved and adopted.

ON TIME ATTENDANCE DRAW: Bob Porter lost out when his name was drawn at the March meeting, but was lucky enough to have his name drawn again at the April meeting. So Bob won the \$8.00 prize money in the kitty. We will start again at \$2.00.

COIN WEEK CANADA: Alan Cornish, Chairman of North York Coin Week Canada Committee, gave a report on Coin Week activities. He reported that we seemed to have a successful week in reaching the general public. About 25 members participated, distributing Flyers, catalogues and books at our displays in the libraries. Alan thanked all members who helped man the tables, recognizing Albert Kasman, Paul Johnson, George Fraser, Axel Neilson, a Toronto Coin Club Member, Edgar Stahl, Ken Bunnett, Frank Dennis, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Beattie, John Curtis, Bill Brennand, Dave Addison, Ian Dickson, Fred Jewett, Harvey Farrow, Glen Williams, John Regitko, Jack Veffer, Ted Merner, Bill McCullough, Paul Petch, Norm Belsten, Walter Ciona and Alan Cornish. To all these and any who were missed we say Thank You.

Alan then called on George Fraser to give a report on the displays in the Libraries. John Regitko was commended for his excellent displays in Fairview Mall Library and Don Mills Library. They were in the libraries permanent display areas and were on display for a month. John also visited all the libraries to take pictures of the members staffing the tables during the week. At Central Library, Harvey Farrow displayed 2 cases of Canadian Paper Money, George Fraser displayed Canadian Coins, World Mint Sets, and Souvenirs of Toronto, Bill McCullough displayed some of his Coins when manned the tables. At the York Woods Library, Jane & Finch Ave., 2 tables were set up in the entranceway of the library with posters, flyers and books. George Fraser had a display of Canadian Tire Money and one of Wooden Money during the week and a display of Paper Money when attending the tables. Fred Jewett had a display of Military Currency.



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Albert Kasman was given a vote of thanks for attending the display at York Woods Library, having been there on five afternoon or evening shifts during the week.

The Feature of the evening was a set of slides from the O.N.A. audio-visual service entitled "Coin Collecting has Many Fields". It was accompanied by a tape which gave an excellent narration by Lloyd T. Smith. The slide program was an excellent choice for our first program after Coin Week Canada. It was informative and interesting to both beginners and old-timers. They showed a great many ways to collect coins, such as Crowns of the World, Non-circulating Coins, Coins with great persons on them from Austria, Spain, Ethiopia, Hawaii. Gold Coins, Sovereigns, Spanish Doubloons and East India Company Coins. There was a wide variety of suggestions for topical collections such as Coins with Coats of Arms, Scenes, Flowers, Fruit, Birds, Animals, Ships on Coins, Greek & Roman Coins, Odd languages, Temple Coins, Great Explorers, Odd shaped Coins, Small Coins, Crude Coins, Hammer struck Coins, Token Coins, Odd & curious Coins. It was a very enjoyable program.

Mr. Jewett, 2nd. Vice-President of the O.N.A., commented on other benefits provided by the O.N.A. The many slide sets compiled by knowledgeable Numismatists, A growing library of fine books, some of them getting to be quite expensive for the average person, and of the Annual Convention coming up in Ottawa on May 23rd. to 25th.

GARDEN PARTY:

After a discussion, it was decided that we would have a Garden Party on Sunday June 22nd. at the home of Miss Jean Orr, in Newmarket. There will not be a June meeting at the North York Community Hall. More details and a map will be published in the June Bulletin.

COMING EVENTS:

May 23rd. to 25th. Ottawa, Ontario. The O.N.A. 18th. Annual Convention, at the Downtown Holiday Inn Tower, 100 Kent St., Ottawa, Ont.

June 21st./80. Cannington, Ontario. The Victoria Simcoe Numismatic Association's 21st. Annual Coin Show & Banquet. at the Cannington Community Centre, Information; Elmer Workman, Cannington, Ont. L0E 1E0.

June 29th./80. Brantford, Ont. The Brantford Numismatic Society's 20th. Anniversary Coin Show, at the Brantford & District Civic Auditorium. Information; John Barchino, P.O.Box 953, Brantford, Ont. N3T 5S1

July 22nd. to 26th./80. Montreal Quebec. The C.N.A. Convention at the Sheraton Mont Royal Hotel. Information; Guy Lestrade P.O.Box 114, Station "B", Montreal, Quebec. H3B 3K9.