



A NUREMBERG SILVER GILT EMBLEMATIC BEAKER

A Nuremberg silver gilt emblematic beaker
Nuremberg 1609 - 1629.
Marks of Hans Reiff,
H 8,4 cm, weight 112 g.

The body engraved with 1. a depiction of Hercules, inscribed "HVNC QVANDO SEQVERE IWVABIT", 2 a castle in flames, inscribed "SVRGIT MAGE FLAMMA REPRESSA" and 3. a palm tree, inscribed "ET SIGVT PALMA VIGESCIT". Below the emblematic scenes the

German translations in verses. Underneath the base a scratched number "N 179".
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An identical beaker is in the collection of Iparművészeti Museum in Budapest.
<https://collections.imm.hu/gyujtemeny/cup/11460?f=12ocDwBm3om3SXghh6ueRu80v-Ytc1q4nYEAUMdTPmju6HxoC7xdx8GolXxa18wq5Hxdx8holABoxLvH54JrN8Y&n=0>

Provenance

German family collection.

Literature

Cf. Hans Reiffs Pokal der Pferdekäufer in einer Schweizer Privatsammlung, abgebildet im Kat. Schöner trinken, Basel 2022, no. 161.

Pictures



Detailed Description

Silver; gilt-inside. Deep shell-shaped bowl; the curved stem with a female herm in relief; at the widened end an applied putto, holding a ball.