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[Editor]: Want to Know More about the Gobrecht Ceremony?

In the latest issue of <u>The Numismatist</u>, Thomas Uram, ANA President covered the event in his "From the President" introductory message to members. His column title was so fitting for the hobby: <u>Proper Memorials - Numismatic organizations are preserving history and</u> <u>fostering engagement</u>. "Sharing The Joy of numismatics could inspire a new generation of enthusiasts."

In the Sunday, December 8, 2024 weekly issue of the <u>E-Sylum</u>, <u>Wayne Homren, Editor &</u> <u>Publisher</u>, added the following article reprint of the <u>American Numismatic Society's Pocket</u> <u>Change blog</u> authored by <u>Jesse Kraft</u>, Resolute Americana Assistant Curator of American Numismatics, ANS.

"The ANS Attends Historic Commemoration of Christian Gobrecht" (November 26, 2024)

In the <u>Editorial Opinion</u> section of <u>CoinWorld,com</u>, December 30, 2024 (page 14), <u>Larry</u> <u>Jewett</u>, Coin World Editorial Director provided an **Update** on the "Grave Marker Ceremony" for readers.

[E-Gobrecht Editor Suggestion]: Take a moment to re-read and take in the powerful messages conveyed in the speeches by those who stood up to speak about Christan Gobrecht's memory, and the artistic contribution he made to *American History*.

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And last, but certainly not least; the contribution by <u>Tom Uram</u>, ANA President for arranging the production of the limited edition Ceremonial Medal given out to each person who attended the event! (See Cover page for obverse & reverse images.) Another Liberty Seated collectible for posterity!

And to the ever enterprising <u>Dennis Fortier</u> for his effort on behalf of the LSCC for recognizing the importance of such an event for both the Club and the *Numismatic Hobby* and managing the Grave Marker Project.