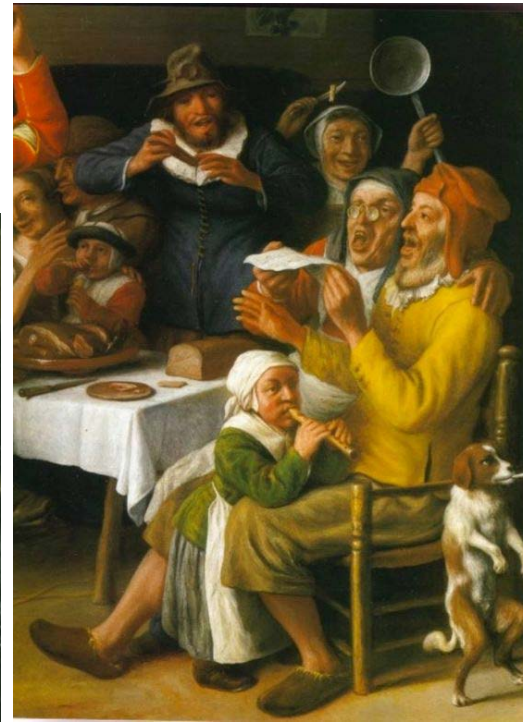


PEWTER SPOONS (and much besides) WERE CLEARLY CARRIED IN HAT BANDS as shown in this painting of 1681 – as to the decade it is showing it does not say but it cannot be after the year it was painted..

Here in a painting by Lambert Doomer “An Interior with Peasants Dancing and Eating”



Lambert Doomer was a Dutch Golden Age Landscape Painter born 1624 died 1700. Information sourced from “When Oak Was New” by John Fiske – illustration from the internet. (Cheers!)

He appears also in other paintings, of number, to have had a fascination with buxom youngish women breast feeding, adult men in distress.