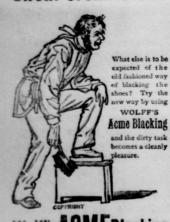


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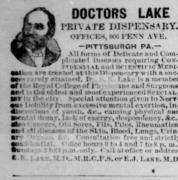
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THECITIZEN.

Christmas at Bracebridge Hall. (Continued from First Page.)

on's stories, our ears were suddenly assailed by a burst of heterogeneous sounds from the hall, in which were mingled something like the clang of rude minstrelsy, with the uproar of many small voices and girlish laughter. The door suddenly flew open, and a train came trooping into the room, that might almost have been mistaken for the breaking up of the court of Fairy. That indefatigable spirit, Master Simon, in the faithful discharge of his duties as lord of misrule, had conceived the idea of a Christmas mummery, or masking; and hav-ing called in to his assistance the Oxonian and the young officer, who were equally and the young other, who were equally ripe for anything that should occasion romping and merriment, they had carried it into instant effect. The old housekeeper had been consulted; the antique clothespresses and wardrobes rummaged, and made to yield up the relics of finery that had not seen the light for several gener ations: the younger part of the company had been privately convened from parlor and hall, and the whole had been bedizened out, into a burlesque imitation of ar

Master Simon led the van as "Ancient Christmas," quaintly apparelled in a ruff, a short cloak, which had very much the spect of one of the old housekeeper's etticoats, and a hat that might have rved for a village steeple and must inubitably have figured in the days of the ovenanters. From under this, his nose rved boldly forth, flushed with a frost tten bloom that seemed the trophy of a ecember blast. He was accompanied by the blue-eyed romp, dished up as "Dame Mince Pie," in the venerable magnificer of faded brocade, long stomacher, peaked at and high-heeled shoes.

The young officer appeared as Robin Hood, in a sporting dress of Kendal green, and a foraging cap with a gold tassel. The costume, to be sure, did not bear stimony to deep research, and there wa an evident eye to the picturesque natura o a young gallant in presence of his mis tress. The fair Julia hung on his arm in a pretty rustic dress, as "Maid Marian." The

The irruption of this motley crew, with eat of drum, according to ancient custom, was the consummation of uproar and mer-riment. Master Simon covered himself with glory by the stateliness with which, as Ancient Christmas, he walked a minuet with the peerless, though giggling, Dame Mince Pie. It was followed by a dance from all the characters, which, from its medley of costumes. seemed as though the old family portraits had skipped down from their frames to join in the sport. Difrent centuries were figuring at crossnands and right and left; the dark ages eding generations.

The worthy Squire contemplated these fantastic sports, and this resurrection of his old wardrobe, with the simple relish of childish delight. He stood chucking and rubbing his pands, and scarcely hearing a word the parson said, notwithstanding that the latter was discoursing most authentically on the ancient and stately lance of Pavon, or peacock, from which he onceived the minuet to be derived. For ny part, I was in a continual excitement from the varied scenes of whim and inno-cent gayety passing before me. It was spiring to see wild-eyed frolic and warmnearted hospitality breaking out from among the chills and glooms of winter, and ene, from the consideration that these nails suitable for shoemaking fleeting customs were posting fast into oblivion, and that this was, perhaps, the only family in England in which the whole of them were still punctiliously observed There was a quaintness, too, mingled with all this revelry, that gave it a peculiar zest: it was suited to the time and place; and as the old Manor-house almost reeled with mirth and wassail, it seemed echo-

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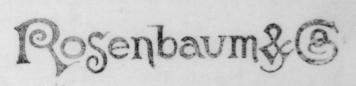
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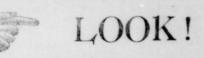
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