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Hail to the Apple.

King of Fruits is the apple, and it is too bad when men associate dishonest practices in handling apples commercially. The London Daily Telegraph of Nov. 20, says: "It has been said that the apple is essentially the fruit of youth, and that when we are no longer appreciative of its juices we may look upon it as a sign that old age is creeping on; but such a statement must be taken "cum grano." Youths, of course, can devour all kinds with impunity, sour or sweet, ripe or unripe, but when that all too fleeting period has passed it is wiser to pick and choose according to the combined capacity of our teeth and digestive organs. To peel an apple is to spoil it. Nothing can equal in flavor the first morsel removed by Nature's incisors. The best part of the fruit is immediately beneath the skin, so closely allied that the most expert user of the knife cannot separate the two. For a lover of the natural flavor of apples it is a punishment to have to conform to the rules of etiquette and waste the choicest portion. The obvious remedy is either to eat apples alone and unobserved or induce some leader of society to discard elegance in favor of utility. Considering the health-giving qualities of apples few of us eat as many as we should for the good of our health. They are more nourishing and far more wholesome than potatoes.

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The Selkirk Centennial Exhibition at Winnipeg may be put off till 1913.

TRAVERSTON

Reeve Hunt is receiving many warm congratulations over his hard won victory.

Councillor McNally has a mellow feeling towards the electors for their generous support.

Mrs. George Blair and her son, Arthur G., have recently erected a massive pearl gray monument in the family plot. It is a Scotch granite, purchased from J. Lawson, of Owen Sound.

Mrs. G. W. Hunt and Master Harold have spent the past week with relatives in Detroit and other cities of Michigan.

Miss Mary McNally returned to Toronto on Thursday last, after spending the holiday season at the old home here. Miss Olive Cook, Zion's organist and choir leader, accompanied her back and will remain in the city for some months. She will be sorely missed in church, League and Sunday School, as well as in the home and social circle.

Horses are changing hands almost every day now. Last week Mr. Frank Meagher bought a fine brood mare from Mr. Wm. Greenwood; W. L. Falkingham sold a pair of three-year-old colts to Joe Atkinson; T. Glencross sold a seven year old working mare to Mr. McNally of Walkerton for $165.

'Tis like old times to get a grip of his brawny hand and a glance from his glad eye. Mr. James Bartley, of Elbow, Sask., is visiting old friends and neighbors.

We regret very much to state that Edith Peters has been ordered to remain in bed for a month and has to live on a milk and egg diet owing to a badly ulcerated stomach.

At the annual school meeting of S. S. No. 5, Mr. Robt. Anderson was appointed trustee to fill the vacancy caused by his brother's resignation, and Arthur O. Blair was elected to the other vacancy. Most hearty votes of thanks was tendered Messrs. W. J. Cook and I. W. Anderson on their retirement.

Few men indeed are so generous and thoughtful as Mr. Tom Jack, of Elbow, Sask. Last week he sent a nice cheque to assist Zion Sunday School and the church, also a fat dollar for renewal of The Standard. It is a welcome guest out there. Mr. Jack and family have had a prosperous year.

Mrs. C. Reed, of Markdale, has been housekeeper for F. W. Hunt in the absence of his better half.

Lieutenant-Governor Pelletier of Quebec is much improved in health.

Several G. T. P. construction teams were lost while trying to cross Sturgeon Lake.

Card of Thanks.

To the Electors of Glenelg:

Ladies and Gentlemen—I beg to tender you my sincere thanks for the very liberal support you gave me on January 3rd to secure my election to the reeveship for 1910. I promise to use my best judgment for the benefit of the township, and hope you will have reason to feel at the end of the year that your confidence has not been misplaced.

Again thanking you, and wishing you the compliments of the season, I am your obedient servant,

E. W. HUNT.

Sensitive People.

Sensative people seem to enjoy sensitiveness. They are always on the lookout for something to give them pain. They are something like a cat would be with a tail forty feet long dragging around on the floor, ready to be tramped upon. We are crowded pretty well upon life's thoroughfare, and can't well help elbowing at each other as we pass along. Ninety-ning times out of a hundred no harm is intended, but those sensative people, who have the longest and sharpest elbows of anybody, are are always attributing a motive to every accidental jog they get. The fact is, personal importance is at the bottom of this whole thing. The world is not thinking about you—has no desire to hurt you—but you imagine that the whole world should be run in your interest.

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