

LIVE AT HOME FEED SELVES CH'N ADVISES

**Says Supplies For Man and Beast
Should Be Raised Here in
Face of Coming Weevil**

"Live at home and feed ourselves at the same time" is a phrase that will inevitably be more real in Pitt county during 1922 than it is today. Raising food supplies for man and beast is a situation to which the entire farming interests of this section will arrive—some will voluntarily make the transition, others will be driven, but all will make the trip.

The Pitt County Chamber of Commerce would be unworthy of its place in the community and unfaithful to the trust committed to its care, if it did not sound a clarion call to the issues involved. However, unfaithfulness shall not be laid at the door of the Pitt County Chamber of Commerce because of her failure to put forth every effort in behalf of this period of transition.

It is true that Pitt county is peculiarly adapted to the growing of tobacco and cotton, and should continue to grow both

Farmville's "Pay-Up and Trade Weeks" Closes Thurs. Jan. 5th.

grow her full share of each. So it will be clearly understood that we are not advocating quitting the two crops which have brought us our present wealth and accomplishments, but it is obvious that material changes will soon be practiced in the production of these two great crops, especially in this true relative to our cotton.

The leak in our agricultural and commercial life that must be stopped is the stream of \$2,000,000.00 pouring into the treasuries of the west, which could be raised within the confines of Pitt county. It is true that money has been made by the farming interests of Pitt county through pursuing the present plan, everything to cotton and tobacco and to the west for meat and bread, corn and hay, but this period of easy sailing will soon come to a close, the curtain will soon drop never to rise again, perhaps, during this generation.

The idea of the Pitt County Chamber of Commerce is to get the farmers and business men to realize that the present enormous sum of money, which goes to the west for various food stuffs, can be kept in Pitt county banks, and as such go thru the regular channels of trade, with out affecting the amount of

ONLY A SHORT TIME LEFT FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO RECEIVE A VALUABLE PRESENT FREE.

**Drawing of Prizes Will Begin
Promptly at 3 P. M. the 5th.**

Are you taking advantage of Farmville's Pay Up and Trade Weeks and getting coupons for each dollar you spend for your merchandise or pay on your account? If not you should get busy at once and do your trading with the firms in Farmville who are giving coupons at a new Ford touring car and forty seven other valuable prizes. It will pay you well to do all your shopping in Farmville, where coupons will be issued till Jan. 5th.

The Pay-Up and Trade Weeks campaign made during the holiday season in Farmville was a great success and merchants are greatly pleased with the outcome of sales. Trade was unusually active all last week and the payment of accounts was better than any other week dur-

Thursday, January 5th, of next week and the public is being urged to take advantage of the great opportunity to win one of the many valuable premiums to be given away the closing day. The Ford automobile, which will be given as first premium is attracting much attention, and hundreds of people are gathering as many coupons as possible to better their chances.

The advertising campaign will continue through the present week—in fact until the campaign is brought to a conclusion. Mr. E. W. Cobb, who has charge of this part of the drive, is doing everything possible to keep the public informed, and will give out changes from day to day.

Payment of accounts is expected to show even greater life within the next few days and indications point to clear books before the end of the year.

The campaign will close on and see who are the lucky ones.

EX-GOV BICKETT DIES STROKE OF PARALYSIS

**Lived Only 12 Hours From Time
He Was First Taken. Body
Was Buried in Louisburg
His Former Home.**

Raleigh, Dec. 29.—Thomas Walton Bickett, Governor of North Carolina from 1917 to 1921, died at his home in Raleigh, yesterday morning at 9:15, a little more than twelve after he had been stricken with paralysis Tuesday evening. He died without gaining consciousness, with all members of his family at his bedside except his sister, Mrs. E. B. Ashcraft, of Monroe, who reached Raleigh two hours later.

The going of the War Governor was peaceful. Throughout the night he struggled for each breath, but toward morning the flickering pulse grew weaker, the labored breath fainter. From the moment they reached the hospital he held out no hope.

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SHOT WHILE MAKING RAID ON STILLERS

**Fleming Shot Below Eye and
Another Member of Party
in Leg During Raid.**

Greenville, Dec. 29.—Constable J. S. Fleming and another member of a raiding party were shot and painfully injured by moonshiners while attempting to capture a still in the Fictious district during the holiday season, officials in this city were informed yesterday afternoon. Fleming was shot just below the eye while the other man, whose name could not be learned today, received bullet wounds of the leg. All members of the party narrowly escaped with their lives and were forced to flee from the still amid a stream of shot gun and pistol fire.

Dorcas Ward and Stephen Deho, white men, were yesterday afternoon given a preliminary hearing before Magistrate J. K. Tyson, charged with being members of the party that fired upon the officers. They were bound over to the next term of superior court under bonds of \$500 and \$300 each. Their arrest resulted from warrants served out by members of the raiding party, who it is believed, were

and began the capture.

You're Going to Trade, You're Going to Pay-Up

WHY NOT NOW

WHEN FOR EACH DOLLAR ON ACCOUNT OR PURCHASE YOU GET A CHANCE AT THE FORD TOURING CAR And 47 Other Presents, which will be Given Away FREE

By Business Men of Farmville Next Thursday, Jan. 5th, 1922, At 3:00 P. M.

The First Seventeen Presents will be Awarded First to the Lucky Drawers, after which the individual presents will be drawn and awarded as drawn and not as numbered below. The person whose name appears on back of the 1st Coupon drawn will receive the FORD. No person can receive but one present, therefore, 48 Different People will Get a Nice Present.

2nd Present	\$50.00
3rd Present	\$25.00
4th Present	\$15.00
5th Present	\$10.00
6th Present	\$10.00
7th Present	\$10.00
8th Present	\$10.00
9th Present	\$10.00
10th Present	\$5.00
11th Present	\$5.00
12th Present	\$5.00
13th Present	\$5.00
14th Present	\$5.00
15th Present	\$5.00
16th Present	\$5.00
17th Present	\$5.00
18th Present	a New Home Sewing Machine
19th Present	250 Standard Bicycle

20th Present	\$30 Set of Harness
21st Present	\$10 Auto Rake
22nd Present	a \$25 Steamer Trunk
23rd Present	\$10 Cut Glass Bowl
24th Present	Ton of 8-3-3 Guano
25th Present	\$30 Suit of Clothes
26th Present	\$10 pair Walk Over Shoes
27th Present	\$7 Stetson Hat
28th Present	a \$40 Kuppenheimer Overcoat
29th Present	a barrel of Roller Champion Flour
30th Present	a pair Wool Blankets
31st Present	a \$25 Middy Suit
32nd Present	a \$10 Trade Check
33rd Present	\$30 Suit of Clothes
34th Present	\$5 pair Korrect Shape Shoes

35th Present	a \$5 pair Dutchess Trousers
36th Present	a \$25 set guaranteed Knives and Forks
37th Present	a Ton of 8-3-3 Guano
38th Present	a \$10 Trade Check
39th Present	a \$5 Trade Check
40th Present	Exide Battery
41st Present	\$20 Trade Check
42nd Present	\$25 Gold Watch or Card Case
43rd Present	a \$10 Gas and Oil Check
44th Present	a Barrel of Occo nee- chee Flour
45th Present	100 lbs. Sugar
46th Present	a \$25 Trade Check
47th Present	a 10 lb. F. F. V. Ham
48th Present	\$10 Trade Check

And Don't Forget To Ask for Your Coupons When You Pay Or Trade.