## or New Year '65; Budget Food tart Planning Your Menus Now

How will your food budget person last year, ire next year? According to liss Gaynelle Hogan, extension onsumer marketing specialist, 365 retail food prices are expectto average only slightly high-than in 1964. There will be ggs, and fruits, but there will e smaller quantities of pork, amb, and potatoes.

The portion of the family's in-come spent for food may drop to a record low of 18 per cent in ming year-reminding us that food is a bargain.

It's estimated that we will eat record amount of red meat this

It may be a little early to start from beef—expected to set a prices are expected to average slightly higher during this year.

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Milk production will increase

Pork consumption is down about two pounds from the 65 con-sumed in 1963, while lamb and mutton is down by more than half a pound.

We'll continue to eat more beef gs, and fruits, but there will a slower pace than in 1964. Beef prices are expected to hold at milk but an increase in low fat present levels through the win- and fluid skim products. ter months. On the other hand pork and lamb prices are ex-pected to average higher in response to smaller production last

Production of eggs, broilers, and turkeys will be larger in ord amount of red meat this and turkeys will be larger in The 1964 United States crop of — 174 pounds per person. 1965 than in 1964. For eggs and edible tree nuts is expected to be This gain is coming primarily turkeys the production increases about a third below the record

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The expansion in broiler produring the first half of '65 and

and, we'll use more milk and dairy products in 1965 because of population growth—three million new babies born every year-and increased incomes

However, use per person may be slightly lower. Prospects for 1965 point to a further decline in consumption of cream and fluid

In creased supplies of fresh and processed fruits are in pros-pect from now until mid-1965. This increase comes mainly from a larger citrus crop and a record

apple and pear crop.

News items this week from divided and several other w. olumbus, Cabbarrus, Alamance, Hyde, Johnston and Yancey

PUMPKIN PIE FROM SQUASH

Did you ever hear of making pumpkin pie from squash? Well, it happened in Columbus County, reports Tommy Glover, associate agricultural extension

According to Della Freeman, Whiteville, two small "pumpkins" were acquired to make a pumpkin pie. She was informed that the so called pumpkins were really two butternut squash. Following the pie making and eating. Della stated that it was good whether pumpkin or squash.

BUSINESS MATTERS UP-TO-DATE

All homemakers have a business responsibility to become familiar with general business procedures which affect family

Homemakers in Cabbarus County have been studying the importance of keeping up-to-date on business matters and are being urged to keep all financial and legal papers in a safe depos-it box, metal fire proof box. or a metal box where every member of the family knows its location, reports Miss Mildred Patten, astant home economics agent.

KNITTING CLASSES Mrs. W. C. Gregory and Mrs. Richard Smith were in charge of a knitting workshop held in Alamance County. Due to the large number attending, the group was

1963 crop.

Total canned and frozen vege-table supplies for the 1964-1965 leason are expected to be smaller than last year, but well above average, Retail prices are exected to average slightly above he low levels of a year ago.

assisted in teaching Mrs. H. M. Patterson, Mrs G. M. Hinshaw,

Due to special requests, Mrs. Nancy Adams, home economics agent, says other workshops are being planned in crewel embroidery and needlepoint.

USE OF SURPLUS PRODUCTS

To help people use their donated foods to the best ...dv..n tage, Mrs. Iberia Tunach, home economics agent, has been giving demonstrations in ii. ... County on use of the products.

Recipients of the surplus products sampled a chocolate layer cake made from dried cars, dr-ed milk, donated flour. She also made peanut butter cook.cs and hot gingerbread.

4-H ELECTRIC CLUB

Study lamps are being made by electric club members in Johnston County. Mrs Mary Alice Thomas, associate home economics agent, says each member assembled and wired a lamp.

Mrs. Thomas says the study lamps are tested to see that they have been wired correctly. At the last meeting, 18 club members. leaders and parents made lamps.

PINE CONES SAVED

Mrs. Cecil Anglin has been encouraging club members in the Jacks Creek Club to save pine ones and other native products for a workshop.

Mrs. Ruby Corpening, home economics agent, savs the Yancey County club member has been gathering this year's crop of pine cones before they open in order to get better color and a new looking product.

White Hears

it. Recorder's Court Monday, with Judge Jack White handing down the following sentences in ie last es ion of his judgship: Lee Sullens, 40, 106 Wells S.re., assault on female, con-

tinued to January 4. Paul Reid, 50, 210 North Cans-Mrs. C. M. Aldridge, Mrs. Irene ler St., no operator's license, McPherson and Mrs. Barbara speeding 50 in 35 zone, 60 days ispended upon the payment of \$25 fine and costs of court.

Adrian B. Mulkey, 51, 307 West Mountain St, no operator's li-cense, improper tag, 60 days suspended upon the payment of \$5

fine and costs of court. Gladys C. Rucker, 39, Route 1, failure to yield right of way, con-

tinued to January 25. assault on female, nol pros with

Douglas M. Lawing, 22, Blacksbur, ...ckless driving, stop light violation, 90 days suspended up-on the payment of a \$15 fine and

costs of court. Seven public drunkenness, two days suspended upon the payment of the costs, and five nol

Submissions included: Flossie W. Evans, 38, Route 1,

speeding 50 in 35 zone, half John Z. Blanton, 28, Ellenboro,

speeding 55 in 35 zone, half Burben Lee Burris, 38, 406 West King, following too closely, half

costs. K. C. Lockhart, 43, Charlotte, stop light violation, halt costs. Francis G. Tessneer, 33, Stowe Acre, assault on female, costs of

Donald Grigg, 21, Cramerton, improper muffler, half costs.

Bobby R. Conner, 3270 Midpines, speeding 50 in 35 zone,

Burl W. Blanton, 24, 111 Mc-Ginnis St., assault on female, costs of court. Dan R. Marsh, 26, Cliffside, stop light violation, half costs.



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