## **GUASTELLO'S VILLAGE MARKET**

## Creole Jambalaya

## Ingredients:

34 cup chopped onion

½ cup chopped celery

¼ cup chopped green pepper

2 tbl. butter

2 garlic cloves, minced

2 cups cubed fully cooked ham

1 can (28 oz.) diced tomatoes, undrained

1 can (10 ½ oz.) condensed beef broth, undiluted

1 cup uncooked long grain white rice

1 cup water

1 tsp. sugar

1 tsp. dried thyme

½ tsp. chili powder

¼ tsp. pepper

1 – ½ lbs. fresh or frozen uncooked shrimp, peeled and deveined

1 tbl. minced fresh parsley

In a Dutch oven, sauté the onion, celery and green pepper in butter until tender. Add garlic; cook 1 minute longer. Add the next nine ingredients; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer until rice is tender, about 25 minutes.

Add shrimp and parsley; simmer, uncovered, for 7 – 10 minutes or until shrimp turn pink.

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