

Frozen Stew
Of course stew can go into the freezer, but add the thickening after it comes out of the freezer to be reheated. Anita Dean, foods and nutrition specialist at Michigan State University, says gravies thickened with regular flour or cornstarch may curdle when frozen.
Save 10¢ but travel ten miles—Which the saving?

**TOWNSHIP OF FARMINGTON
OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN
GENERAL FUND
Receipts and Disbursements for Period
April 1, 1959, to March 15, 1960,
Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1961.**

	Actual Period Ended 3/15/60	Proposed Budget 1960-61
RECEIPTS		
General Property Tax	\$ 47,391.00	\$ 52,875.00
Operating millage	7,233.97	6,000.00
Delinquent collections	12,157.50	19,720.00
Excess of roll	89,775.57	149,800.00
State Revenues	223.42	18,500.00
Intangible tax	1,065.81	5,200.00
Liquor license	—	2,000.00
Gasoline tax refunds	—	2,000.00
Permits, Licenses and Fees	51,349.60	40,300.00
Building permits	—	—
Misc. permits, licenses and fees	47,631.37	38,700.00
Trailer court fees	2,586.00	2,600.00
Fines and fees—County	1,942.50	2,300.00
Revenue from Services and Investments	2,539.25	2,400.00
Interest	2,400.00	2,400.00
Water supply system	1,978.62	1,200.00
Special assessment districts	365.30	300.00
Miscellaneous	268,890.56	341,495.00
Total Revenue Receipts	17,941.77	—
Non-Revenue Receipts	2,706.23	—
Withholding tax	2,706.23	—
Hospitalization insurance	—	—
Severance advance—refund	—	—
Total Receipts	\$22,141.56	\$341,495.00

DISBURSEMENTS		
General Government	2,425.00	3,600.00
Trustees	1,571.31	2,000.00
Supervisor	7,008.18	7,600.00
Clerk	6,516.59	6,800.00
Treasurer	—	—
Justice Courts	172.11	275.00
Expenses	2,532.55	5,894.00
Election and Board of Review	1,571.31	750.00
Salaries	5,680.00	3,600.00
Supplies, Advertising, etc.	34,518.82	41,700.00
Building Department	794.85	1,250.00
Salaries	22,630.31	22,500.00
Expenses	718.20	750.00
Assessors/Department	19,233.45	21,400.00
General Operating Expense	1,833.37	2,000.00
Clerical salaries	4,047.09	4,500.00
Janitor	3,633.50	2,500.00
Telephone	—	1,750.00
Office supplies	3,425.94	2,400.00
Legal publications	1,825.22	1,800.00
Tax bills, postage, etc.	3,116.51	3,900.00
Miscellaneous	3,300.00	3,600.00
Utilities and maintenance	3,283.07	3,500.00
Office equipment	1,650.00	1,800.00
Staff Agencies	3,157.78	3,600.00
Attorney	515.00	600.00
Litigation	5,643.35	6,000.00
Auditor	275.00	300.00
Insurance	40,837.00	48,075.00
Planning and consultants	13,018.82	15,000.00
Police Department	5,780.99	3,250.00
Salaries	13,626.49	15,000.00
Expenses	8,085.50	7,580.00
Equipment	1,837.78	2,238.00
Fire Department	3,151.18	2,400.00
Salaries	5,448.54	19,650.00
Expenses	62.00	60.00
Street lighting	9,800.00	9,800.00
Rubbish removal	1,200.00	1,200.00
Cemeteries	1,200.00	2,100.00
Farmington Recreation Comm.	1,400.00	1,400.00
Civils Recreation Com.	300.00	300.00
Farmington Goodfellow's	46.00	50.00
Wolverine Boys State	288.24	700.00
Public welfare	1,225.00	1,225.00
Hydram rental	548.79	360.00
Tax refunds	—	—
Total Budget Disbursements	\$257,119.11	\$295,695.00
Non-Budget Disbursements	18,369.88	—
Withholding Tax	2,769.83	—
Sales tax to villages	651.08	—
Advances to special assessment districts	322.72	—
Advances to Farmington Interests	5,000.00	—
Capital Outlay	19,151.57	8,500.00
Fire truck and equipment	—	4,000.00
Water Street fire station parking lot	—	1,200.00
Township hall parking lot	—	1,500.00
Renovation of Town Hall	—	3,000.00
Bookkeeping machine	—	—
Purchase of site for future twp. hall and police station	—	24,000.00
Total Disbursements	\$302,373.05	\$341,495.00

GENERAL FUND		
Summary of Receipts, Disbursements and Balance		
Balance—April 1, 1959	—	—
Cash	—	\$ 38,022.38
Investments—U.S. Treasury notes	—	74,444.25
—	—	17,444.25
—	—	22,115.56
Add—Receipts	—	404,608.19
Less—Disbursements	—	303,273.09
Balance—March 15, 1960	\$27,151.10	—
Investments	—	—
—U.S. Treasury notes	—	74,444.25
—	—	101,335.10
Approximately \$21,000.00 is due from the State of Michigan for delinquent taxes and liquor licenses.	—	—
1960-61 budget based on 1 mil. allocation less 10% delinquent.	—	—

- AGENDA**
for the annual meeting of the Township of Farmington to be held at O. E. Dunckley Junior High School Saturday, April 2, 1960 2:00 p.m.
1. Call to order.
 2. Reading of the minutes of Annual Meeting of April 4, 1959.
 3. Approval of the Agenda (including addition of Agenda items proposed from the floor).
 4. Report of Township Supervisor, Mr. Hall.
 5. Report of Township Board, Mr. Hall.
 6. Presentation of Township Budget for fiscal year ending March 31, 1961 as proposed by Township Board—Mr. Hall.
 7. Resolution for approval of sale of Lots 77 and 78 of Assessor's Highland State Subdivision (owned by Township).
 8. Adjournment.

Dickerson's Hardware
Meet Your Merchants

A lot of experience goes into the operation of Dickerson's Hardware store, 24225 Orchard Lake Road at 10 Mile. Forrest Dickerson and his son, Wade, have been in the present store about 10 years and before this Forrest had a hardware located in downtown Farmington which he operated for some 15 years. Before opening the downtown store in 1935 Forrest had worked in his father's hardware store for several years.

Forrest came to Farmington in 1906 and was graduated from Farmington High School in 1910. Needless to say, he has seen the community develop tremendously throughout the years and has watched many people come and go.

MR. DICKERSON and his wife, Lucille, reside at 33620 Grand River. Wade, his wife, Martha, and their two children live at 28016 Warner.

Most of the burden of running the business now falls on Wade's shoulders as his dad and partner in the store is gradually tapering off his activities. Wade's father, Wade, is a graduate of Farmington High School.

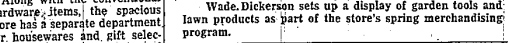
Along with the conventional hardware items, the spacious store has a separate department for housewares and gift services, including a full line of pyrex. In addition the store is an authorized Hoover sales and service agent.

Included in the fine selection of tools available at the store is an elaborate display of Cummins power sanders, drills and saws.

Dickerson Hardware carries the Seaboard line of lawn products. Wade is especially pleased with the fine results reported by users of these various lawn products including seed, fertilizer, crab grass killer, combination weed killers, etc.

THE SEABOARD COMPANY, Wade said, is a long established firm from which just recently has begun an expansion program into the middle west.

Like the other merchants, as well as everyone in the Farmington area, Wade is anxiously awaiting some spring weather. Mr. Dickerson echoed a resounding approval to this saying a little sunshine wouldn't hurt business either.



Iriquois Woods
Girl Scout News

The Iriquois Woods Neighborhood held their annual meeting on March 15th at Mrs. Cecil Bedson's home. The annual election was held. New Neighborhood Chairman is Mrs. Jay Leander. Delegates for the following year are Mrs. Robert Poling and Mrs. Cecil Bedson. Alternates—Mrs. Shirley Berkeley and Mrs. Richard Thornton. Those on the nominating committee are Mrs. Cecil Bedson, Mrs. Charles Fellows, Mrs. James Lee and Mrs. Russell Hines.

The following troops attended the Clarenceville Methodist Church for Girl Scout Sunday March 13th. Troop 92, 89, 92, 1003, 1005, 1066, and 1067. Carrying the American flag from Troop 921 was Janice Veder, and her color guard was Diane and Cathy. Carrying the World Association flag from Troop 899 was Laura Toll and her color guard was Susan Everts. The Catholic girls from the above troops were invited to attend Communion Mass at Our Lady of Sorrows.

THE IRIQUOIS WOODS Girl Scout Neighborhood with Mrs. Richard Shulkins as Neighborhood Chairman celebrated the 48th anniversary of Girl Scouting Sat. night March 12th with a huge camp fire at the home of Mrs. Charles Fellows. Brownie Scouts of Troop 1003 led by Mrs. Richard Shulkins, Mrs. Bedson presented the Flag Ceremony. Carrying the American flag was Joanne Bedson, the girl scout flag was Lynne Urban, the World Association flag was Cindy Van Zant. Their color guards were Sharon Olsji, Linda Blythe, Sue Hunt, Cheryl Lamb, Diana Vance, and Timbersky. Mrs. Leander, Margie Hayward, and Carol English.

The Penny Ceremony followed with each troop presenting pennies to troop 1067 led by Mrs. James Lee and Mrs. Lloyd English to be given to the Juliette Low Birthday Friendship Fund to help Girl Scoutkeeping all over the world. The girls of troop 1005 led by Mrs. Charles Berkeley and Mrs. Fred Martin presented a song program.

Mrs. Haymes Among Michigan Delegates

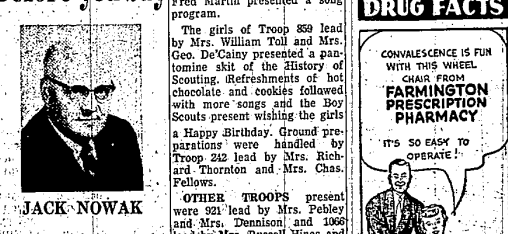
Mrs. Isabel Haymes of Farmington will be among the 100 Michigan women attending the eighth annual Republican Women's Conference April 24, in Washington, D.C.

Arrangements have been made for special train accommodations for the large group from Michigan, according to Mrs. Albert S. Koeze of Grand Rapids, chairman of the delegation.

Fish Is Quick

For quick cooking, don't ignore fish. Frozen whitefish can be brushed with butter, sprinkled with salt and paprika and baked for 30 minutes in a moderate oven. Complement the fish with parsley potatoes and stewed tomatoes.

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Townline News
Mrs. Frazer Hults GR. 4-1879

I wish to correct an error which I made in my column of last week. I stated that Mrs. Helen Abrahamson would soon retire from her work at the McWilliams Nursing Home. It should be read from the McWilliams Nursing Home of Twelve Mile Road. My apologies.

A number from this community attended the fruit growers luncheon and afternoon meeting held at Giffin's on Wednesday March 30th. Professor Arthur Mitchell was guest speaker. He spoke on current problems of fruit growing.

Oakland County Farm Bureau Women's Committee will meet on Tuesday April 5 at the home of Mrs. Hilbert Hunt, Eleven Mile Road, Novi, Michigan. A cooperative luncheon will be served at noon. Business meeting will follow with a guest speaker who will talk on mental health.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bayne and Miss Irene Morris of Detroit were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rexin, Drake Road.

Mrs. Helen Abrahamson, Twelve Mile Road, spent Wednesday and Thursday of this week with her daughter, Mrs. Adele Bahr in Gibraltar, Michigan. She went down to help her daughter and family who are moving to Rockwood. Mrs. Bahr is founder and president of the Gibraltar Historical Society and she asks if anyone in the township who might have any information regarding the early days of Gibraltar, to please get in touch with her mother, Mrs. Abrahamson at GR. 4-1579.

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Kenneth Carpen.

Seek Lady Golfers

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Discuss Disturbed Children at Meeting

The northville and Hawthorn chapters of the Michigan Association for Emotionally Disturbed Children will have a joint meeting Friday, April 1 at 8:15 p.m. at Northville State Hospital.

Highlight of the meeting will be discussion of present future legislation which will benefit these needy children. The meeting is open to all persons and groups interested in the problem.

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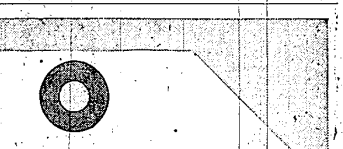
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