# Hills-based WLLZ aids the hungry

di-Eleven stores and Farmington Hills-based WLLZ 887 Joined in the Grifth annual Wheels for Meals cam-pling to feed Detroit's hungry. Bob Baser, afternoon als person-ality of WLLZ-Farmington Hills, grift three straight weeks in a park-ing the straight weeks in a park-ting that the Northwood Shopping Crater, 13 Mile and Woodward, Roy-affoak.

"I will not leave until this 48-foot semitruck is completely filled with non-perishable food terms," he said.
"I believe that those that have should help those who have not. We can feed the those who have not. We can see the can set time." The public can help feed Detroit's hungry by dropping canned food and other non-perishables at 100 7-Elev-

### TV reporter to help aid stricken Armenian area

By Sandra Armbruster editor

WJBK Channel 2 reporter Bill Gallagher was among a group of 15 people who Friday were awaiting take off of a military transport air-craft bound for quake-stricken Ar-

menia.

He will wear several hats in his work for the Southfield television station.

station.

Besides reporting, he will try to contact an Armenian prelate "to relate the feelings of the community" for the Rev. Paren Avedikian of St. John Armenian Church in Southfield.

Gallagher also will join the others in construction of tents to house they homeless in the aftermath

CARRIED OVER on the flight, along with the people from all over the country, will be 20 tons of Union Carbide plastics and tubing to build

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The material usually is used to cover boats in the winter. Union Carbide is donating the material and financing much of the trip, Gallagher said. Protect A Boat came up with the idea to make shelters with it.

Dealers are Red Dickerstaff from Gibralter and Mike Stenberg from Traverse City.

Gallagher was notified Wednesday that the Soviet Embassy had cleared the group to travel to Armenia. Gal-lagher arrived in Springfield, Pa., outside of Philadelphia on Thursday

en store locations in the tri-county area. At the Northwood Shopping Center Wheels for Meals site, some collected more than 60 tons of food to the collected more than 60 tons of food to the collected more than 60 tons of food to the collected more than 60 tons of food to the collected more than 60 tons of food to the thing to the thing to the thing to the collect food for the hungry, Bauer said.

"Mike approached me with this crazy idea to fill a small delivery truck with food, in December, I told him he was nuts. It's cold in December, Sauer said.

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ber," Bauer sain.
"HIIS IS not the first time I have been involved in something wild," he added. "I wrestled a bear for Vietnam vets a couple of years ago," "This food drive," he said, "has become my yearly reality check. It keeps my feet firmly planted on the ground, My problems never seem as big as I might think after this effort,"

Bauer said he receives some inter-esting food items. "One year, a lady came by at 2 a.m. with a bottle of expensive champagne and a jar of cavlar," he said. "Most of our food donations are of the normal sort."

depair, he said.

Bauer broadcasts out of a "rock bor," a remote broadcast unit daily 2-6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 5-7 pm. Sautrady. He lives in a mobile home heated with LP gas. "I get a strong northwest wind through the traiter. It's a battle with Mother Nature. I sleep with my clothes on and take a shower in a stall the size of a breadbox," he said.

"7-Eleven stores are happy to be involved in the spirit of the boliday scason through WLL2's Wheels for Meals campaign. It is our hope that with continued public awareness no one will have to go hungry over the bolidays or any day," said Jelf Schenck, Telleven division manager. All food donations will be equally divided between the Food Bank of Oakland County and The Gleaners Community Bank, Detroit.



Disc jockey Bob Bauer of WLLZ in Farmington Hills is broad-casting from a Royal Oak parking lot until he collects enough non-perishable food items, on behalf of the needy, to fill a semi truck.







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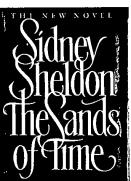
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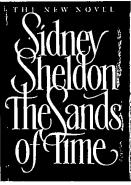
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