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David Eisenhower Quits Sportswriting

David Eisenhower is abandoning his newspaper career as a baseball columnist with The Philadelphia Evening and Sunday Bulletin.

2.6 4-03 "His final column will appear Sunday," Bulletin Sports Editor Herb Stutz said yesterday. Since early May, President Nixon's son-in-law has penned a Sunday column about the Philadelphia Phillies.

Eisenhower, 25, who is married to Nixon's daughter Julie, begins law school studies at George Washington University tomorrow.

When The Bulletin named Eisenhower to its sports staff the paper drew wide attention and some criticism because the grandson of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower lacked newspaper experience.

Stutz said: "I would say considering his lack of background, he did fairly well. He had some columns that were very, very good. Why don't we just say that we were satisfied."

Raymond Morris Woodruff, donated a kidney to his daughter so she could live, but he died.

Woodruff, 54, died Friday at the J. Hillis Miller Medical Center, in Gainesville Fla. about 10 minutes after his wife, Idelia, 55, arrived to visit him and their 25-year-old son, Samuel.

On Monday removed one of his kidneys and put it into Mrs. Woodruff. Mrs. Woodruff said she had no newspaper experience.

Doctors are still trying to determine whether Woodruff died because of the kidney removal.

Ralph Eboles, a man who was with Woodruff yesterday, said that Woodruff was in the hospital for several weeks before he died.