Amateur feels heat

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## Sheer gall

Sarah McClendon still slings hardballs at the White House

 with the raw zeal of a culb opeporter．
She is up at dawn and often on She is upat at dawn and often on the
phone past midnight，scribbling
tips from whistle－blowers or outraged citizens．Then there＇s her actuves scial
cludes seven boyfriends． Perhaps to the dismay of those
stung by Ms．McClenay stung by Ms．Mclendon＇s biting
questions and commentary，the questions and commentary，the ${ }^{\text {of }}$＂ 1 think down．
work to be done yet，＂she said at her Washington home，which
doubles as the one－woman head－ quarters of McClendon News Ser－
vice．＂I＇m going to write as long as can，＂she told the Fort Worth interview． July 8，was honored by the Texas Breakfast Club with a birthday celebration，where many of the col－
orful aneccotes that have made her both revered and reviled in the na－ tion＇s capital were resurrected．
Ms．Mcclendon has firm roots in Ms．Mcciendon has firm roots in
the Lone Star State，from her East Texas heritage to her professional More than any other Washington reporter，Ms．McClendon has carv－ ed her reputation primarilis yby the
hardball questions she has thrown at every president since Harry Truman．Her admirers consider
her a credit to the profession；
detractors call detractors call
troublemaker．
Ms．McClendon has fielded in－ suits from the highest levels．Nixon
aide John Erlichman brushed aside a Ms．McClendon question to retort，＂Now，if you＇ve asked me parlor，Id say no．＂to the beauty ＂isinvited＂from a party by

## Bible Fund

Money deposited Friday
Mr．and Mrs．M．A．Cook
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Total．
sistence of his wife，Lilla，who was
furious about a McClendon story．
Those episdes Those episodes hurt，she says． colades，mementos and awards
that line the walls of a room she laughingly calls the＂Chamber of
Horrors．＂Her proudest honor is ＂ercellence in journalism＂award
from the University of Misword her alma mater．
No one questions her cominit No one questions her commit－
ment to the job．She is out of bed at
6 sharp．then 6 sharp，then devours four
newspapers and starts working the
phones before newspapers and starts working the
phones before speeding across
town to the $9: 15$ a．m town to the 9： 15 a．．．．．White House
briefing．She also will hit Capitol
Hill．Then she return heme write． This has been a characteristic pace for years，though the scepe of
her journalistic endeavors has been cut back．
Ms．McClendon devotes her at－ tention these days to her national
newsletter and radio and television appearances．
She also has assumed a growing
role as personal advocate for the role as personal advocate for the
downtrodden．She recently befriended a beggar outside the White House who，it turned out，
was a Vietnam veteran who Ms． McClendon says was shunted aside
by the Veterans Administration． Her constantly ringing like a nationwide ringing phone is
story story after story from someone
who claims to be abused by big
government．＂It just breaks your government．＂It just breaks your Ms．McClendon traces her
populist instincts to her upbringing popuilst instincts to her upbringing
as the daughter of an East Texas
Demorratic leader．After Democratic leader．After
graduating from the University of Missouri in 1931，she returned to East Texas and
Courier－Times．
She spent nearly 10 years wörk－ ing for Texas newspapers before
World War II brought her to Washinton as a WAC，a period she
remembers as＂extremely lonely＂
She remembers as＂extremely lonely＂．＂
She married a man＂on the re－ p


At age 75，Sarah McCliendon remains an active reporter in Washington，
D．c．Her life revolves around her two toves －her daughter and her
career．

After her discharge from the Ar－
my，Ms．McClendon battled to raise her daughter alone and hold own a reporter＇s job in a male－
dominated profession．She lost her job in a regional newspaper bureau heir jobs．With the help of her
former employer，Bascom Tim－

Ms．McClendon＇s life now
volves around her two loves－her vaughter in Canada and her profes sion．She passed up chances to marry because her daughter didn spend the rest of life doing what she does best，says Ms．McClen
asking the tough questions．

Weather


## Local

Today＇s forecast calls for partly cloudy skies and highs in the
upper 9os．There is a 20 percent chance for isolated atternoon and upper 90s．There is a 20 percent chance for isolated afternoon and
evening thunderstorms．On Sunday，look for highs to be in the low
90 under partly cloudy skies．

## Walker

## Police Beat

Vandals damage truck
Ray Morgan of 3613 Calvin told to police reports．The vandalism pindow and front windshield of his occurred between 8 a．m．Tuesday
and $8: 15 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$ ．Friday，the report parked at 1604 Bluebird．
－Police arrested Donald Damage to the vehicle，Hobgood，34，of 1512 Wood on an
estimated at s160，was done＂ap－－asssault warrant Friday，according parently by－shoeting it mumerous to 2 police repert．The－arrest－was
times with an air gun，＂according made at $10: 29$ a．m．at 605 E ．

## Sheriff＇s Log

Ten plead guilty to DWI
Howard County Judge Milton
$\begin{gathered}\text { Kirby heard 10 persons plead guilty } \\ \text { Friday to charges of driving while }\end{gathered}$
E．Roy
Weod intoxicated．
Each was
Each was fined $\$ 400$ ，required to Stockton．Carcia，21，of Fort
pay $\$ 106$ court costs and placed on pay $\$ 106$ court costs and placed on
a 60 day jail sentence probated for
two years．
They were：
－Domingo Gomez Jr．， 25 ，of
－Luis Rodriquez Jr．，25，of 601

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－Larry Dean Simmons，27，of
1909 Goliad．
－Micheal Owen Hudson，19，of Midland．Meal Owen Hudson，19，of
－Jay Tee McCurtain，22，of 2300
－Joseph Lindsey Gordy，33，of －Angelita Ruis Reyes，44，of San
Antonio． Antonio．
Ruben Perez， 50 ，of Lamesa， deputies arrested Paul Gonzales， warrant charging him with issuing warrant charging him with issuing
a bad check．He was released on
$\$ 300$ bond set by Justice of the $\$ 300$ bond set by Justice of the
Peace China 1 Iong． －Deputies arrested Larry Deán
Williams， 21 ，of Gail Route Box 34 on Scurry County warrants charg．
ing him with boating without a reccreational permit and failure to
appear．He was released after pay appear．He was rel
ing $\$ 99.50$ in fines．

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 He wasl be willings．＂I think coperate John walker is scheduled for
rial Oct．
 Wiker＇s son，Nayy Seaman
Wichee Lh Waiken，and Jerry A
Whitwortho Military experts have called the alleged spery ring one of of the most most
damaging in ineent history It h prompted Congress to call for
restoring the peacetime espionage penalty for
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nilitary and deiense tighten security and cut the
number of

Assistant U．S．Attorney Tom Wakiker，would not say if he fe would Wecom mend a a sentence or whether other trials．
at We wopen one page of the book
at a time．，he said Defense attorneys，who
presented no withesses．argued ciently corroborate A Walker＇s admissions to the FBI
and $\begin{aligned} & \text { federal grand jury in } \\ & \text { Baltimore }\end{aligned}$ They contended Walker
photographed the documents from emp corper．of appeasapeake．s．brother
and did not intend to harm Samuel W．Meekins Jr．，a
defense attorney
told reporter defensel attorney，Moekins reporiters
that Walker regretted what he had Wreck Continued from page 1－A
spokesman spokesman．Iron workers from a
nearry construction project helped Morrisors move the bus． Morrison said seven people were
killed and
and injured in the $1: 30$ P．m．accident，with most of those reated at the scene．
Nine area hospitals reported
treating 25 people from the acci－ dent．Spopesmen s．sid those er reated
had mostly neck and back injure had mostly neck and back injuries
and that none were eritically hurt Officials did not immediately release the names of those killed．
Some stunned victims sat on the grasen searneat Lake Mictims shan on whe while
others were laid on chira，when others were laid on gurneys to be
picked up by ambulances．Many picked up by ambulances．Man
were fiterw with neck braces． The car＇s vinyl top was crushed
into the seats from the weight of the bus．Rescue e orkers trying to to
tree iviet ins inside had to ose an
electric saw to cut the top away Iree victims inside had to use an
electric saw out out top away
and pull it back like the lid of a a can．
alway ben operating on is that he
get punished for what he did，not
who In closing statements．Assistant argued that Waiker had his eyes open when he began helping his
brother spy for the Soviet Union． The defendant was not duped or ＂itsed into spying．＂Seidel said．
＂Its on that onh Anthony Walker had some Svengalie effect over him，
making，him do these things．
bindly．， Seidel told Clarke that Arthur
walker knew the significance of he eclassified docouments．which of
Navy officers testified could help Navy ofiricers testified coull help
aneaing sink ships and learn the
readiness of the US readiness of the U．S．fleet．
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Defense attorneys argued that
he government did not prove the the government did not prove the
doumentsAtrium walkerobained
ever got to ever got to the Soviet Union or thal
they injured the United States． Arthur Walker thought the security rating of confidential，
would be of little value to the Meekins arvued．
＂I know America doesn＇t agree． with what he
Meekins asked．
Prosecution winnesses included
BI agents
who described Walker．＇sintsements described rrest May 29 and he earrest of
John Walker in Rockvile，Md．
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The victims were pulled from the
car one by one and laid on the or any signs of life．All were dead

Soldier Field，site of the Springs－
ien concer accident scene，and some concert Bill Baxa，a spokesman for the
Chicago Transit Authority，said the accident occurred when a buse
traveling south on Lake Shore Drive struck an auto near Mccor－
mick Place and the Stevenson Ex－ pressway ramp．He said the bus
somehow wound up on top of

A．medical team was being
dispateched the scene
kelicopter，said Curt Thompson，a spokesman for
Memorial Hospital．

## State

Most of Texas sweltered under clear skies Friday afternoon as
upper level high pressure dominated the state，although a weak old front nosed intro the Panhandle． The airmass over the state was drier than on previous after
oons with most of the state devoid of precipitation，the Nationa eather Service said．
By 4 pm，the mercury had reached the century mark from North temperatures were found along the lower Rio Grande plains．
Wichita Falls and cotulla had each hit 104，while Galyeston

## Forecast

WEST TEXAS－Partly cloudy with scattered mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms most sections through Sunday．Highs
Saturday and Sunday will range from upper 8os Panhandle with Saturday and Sunday will range from upper 80s Panhandle with
905 elsehwere except near 108 along the Rio Grande in the Big 905 elsehwere except near 18 along the Ro Grande in the Big
Bend．Lows Saturday night will range from the mid 60 in the Panhandle with generally 70 s elsewhere except near 60 in the
mountains．

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## Deaths

Wesley Woodfin
and stepmother，Bill and Pat
Woodfin of Stanton；his mother and Woodfin of Stanton，his mothe Pand
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Sta Duugherty or Biig Lake．：．is sisiser．
Michelle Grimes of Big Lake two Michelle Grimes of Big Lake：two
brothers，Jay Woodin of Big Lake BIG LAKE－Graveside ser－ vices for Wesley Clark Woodini， 23,
of Midland will be 3 p．m．Saturday of Midenrest cemetery in Bio siurake
at
Glake with hhe erev．J．Be Bitine，pastor of
the First Baptist Church of Big Che First Baptist Church of Big
Lake，officiating
Wo Wodfin，the son and brother of
two Stanton residents，was killed in motorccyle accident Friday mor－ ning in Midland
Services will be under the direc． Services will be under the direc－
tion of ilbreath Funeral Home in Stanton
Woodifin Saodiń was born Feb．2． 1962 ，in paternal grandfather，B．F．Wood－
Bind mother，Ruby Clark of San Angelo： his maternal grandparents． Maribelle Stewart of Big Lueke and
Mr．and Mrs．Joe Daugherty of Big． La ke．his paternal great．
grandparents．Mr．and Mrs．Frank grandparents，Mr．and Mrs．Frank
Woodfin of Albany；and his mater－ nal great－grandm
Jones of Big Lake．
 n 1969．He had lived in Midland for the past three years．He married
Cheryl Anderson April 7，1982，in Big Lake．He was a heavy equip－ ment operator for Grimes Auto
Crushers in Big Lake． Crushers in Big Lake．
He is survived by his wife，Cheryl
Woodfin of Midland；three sons， Tyoodrin or Midand；uree sons，
Tye Blake，Wade Woodfin and T．J．
Woodin，all of Midland；his father

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## Nation

DA probes bombing PHILADELPHIA - Citing contradictory
evidence about the bomb dropped on the forevidence about the bomb dropped on the for-
tified home of the radical group MOVE, the
district attorney is launching a criminal investigation into the police explosive that started a $\$ 10$ million fatal fire.
District Attorney Edward Ren District Attorney Edward Rendell previous-
ly had declined to get involved because he saw no evidence which would warrant innestiga-
tion as to whether any criminal chargas tion as to whether any criminal charges
should be brought against" any city employee, his office said in a statement late
Thursday. Thursday.
But he. But he changed his mind after disclosure
Wednesday night that the bomb contained the Wednesday night that the bomb contained the
unauthorized military explosive C-4, which
experts claim is used primarily for estruction.

Coca-Cola under fire
RANLO, N.C. (AP) - Coca-Cola promised ise of ads for clohes that carry its name iter some cextle makers learned the gave Coke machines the boot in retaliation. "We made a mistake in not being aware of extile manufacturing in the United States, Ira C. Herbert, executive vice president of
Coca-Cola in Atlanta, said after meeting with North Carolina textile executives. "We obviously were ignorant, but we are we can to move Coke clothes into U.S. production, all of them.",
Herbert met with Herbert met with about 50 textile executives
or an hour and 45 minutes at the Yarn Spin ners Association office here. Thousands of textilie workers have been laid off because of
slow sales caused by competition from lowerslow sales caused by competition from low
priced imported textiles and garments. 2nd body found in crash OKLAHOMA CITY - Firefighters found a of a house shattered by a jet fighter whose before he bailed out. John Clabes. a spokesman at Tinker Air
Force Base, said Friday that it could be weeks Force Base, said riday thatit could be weeks
before Air Force officials know what caused the plane to crash. Authorities had said Thurs-
day that the jet developed engine problems that forced the pilot to head for a secluded stretch of land and bail out as his jet glided to
the ground.


## Cultural crossing

## Pope meets Togolese animists, sorcerers

TOGOVILLE, Togo (AP) - Pope John Paul II urged Togoville's lake, was expected to overshadow his visit Togolese Christians on Friday to live in harmony with to the shrine. The high priests and sorcerers seldom
their countrymen who follow animist religions. He or-
emerge from the forest, which is considered sacred dained 11 new priests and exhorted them to seek and their appointment with the pope was interpreted friendship among the nation $s 40$ tribes.
The pope then set out to meet the country's high The pope then set out to meet the country's high
priests and sorcerers lsaater in the day. The state-run television said the small West African nation's 2 million animists - who believe inanimate
objects are imbued with spirits - awaited with objects are imbued with spirits - awaited with
"intense interest" the encounter between thei religious leaders and the head of the Roman Catholic Church. 70 percent of Togo's people follow tribal religions.
Christian missionaries a century ago first set up Christian missionaries a century ago first set up
their posts in Togoville, on a bluff overlooking the their posts in Togoville, on a bluff overiooking the
country's largest take, so they could be close to the hub of the tribal religions.
Vatican officials said a few moments of solitary prayer at Togoville's Virgin Mary shrine, erected by
Roman Catholic missionaries, was a key reason the pope made the strenuous six -hour journey to Togoville, 280 miles north of Lome, the capital.
But the pope's meeting with the animist religious But the pope's meeting with the animist religious
leaders, who live in a forest on the opposite side of a special sign of respect for him. The pope met with President Gnassingbe Eyadema
in Togovile earlier in the day, his second of a 12 -day, seven-nation tour of Africa. Shielded from the tropical sun beach umbrella, John Paul spoke to hundreds of people from the balcony of the president's threestory villa, He urged Togo's Christian minority to live in peace and harmony with the animist majority, the Catholic
By preaching harmony, the pope said, the By preaching harmony, the pope said, the Catholic
church "helps to weave ever closer links of solidarity and mutual respect between the social and ethnic groups, between different cultures and religions and
among the nations of the entire world."
At his private meeting with Eyadema, the pope
seemed eager to bury memories of a bitter dispute between church and state a decade ago, when the president embarked on a campaign of "authenticity," changing his own Christian name, Etienne, to an
African one and ordering his citizens to do likewise.

## World

By Associated Press

Hostages' stories differ SAN CARLOS, Nicaragua - The 29 American peace activists who said they were own on Lake Nicaragua on Friday, their spokesmen said. Fourteen journalists with th appear in the activists' storyspokesman for the Witness for Peace organization, said the group arrived by boat
late in the afternoon. late in the afternoon.
The organization had repeatedly said there were 18 journalists' with the group when-it
claimed - anti-Sandinista rebels fired on the San Juan River and forced the group to disembark on the Costa Rican side. The river
is the boundary between the two Central American nations.

Kidnappers release 2
$\underset{\text { BEIRUT, Lebanon - Kidnapen have released in }}{\text { Kido abducted }}$ Loreigners, but there was no sign Friday tha
any of the other Western hostages would be ny of the other We
Kidnappers in southern Lebanon released Canadian missionary after holding him for 12 Beirut office was freed in the capital after be ing held for five days. beirut and Damascus chmen would be free soon. There had been newspaper's report that they would be releas newspaper's re
ed Wednesday.

Walesa's priest warned
WARSAW, Poland - A priest who is a close
adviser to Solidarity leader Lech Walesa said a state prosecutor warned him Friday that he risks arrest if he continues alleged "anti-state The Rev. Henryk Jankowski, the provost o St. Brygida at the prosecutor's office
Jankowski, contacted by telephone at his
rectory, said the prosecutor accused him of rectory, said the prosecutor accused him of
delivering "inciting sermons which could cause social disturbance

Nude Stallone photos to appear in Playgirl


LOS ANGELES (AP)
photographs of Sylvester Stallone, taken before he beefed up for the, Ber Aut fans eager to see beefcake
"Rocky" and "Rambo" movies. Stallone's rippling muscles may be "Rocky and "Rambo movies, Stalloners appear in the October issue of disappointed. The Playgirl picPlaygirl, the magazine said
tures show the Sly of old - no flab Playgirl refused to disclose how riday.
Stallone, 39 , joins a recent flurry The X-rated Stallone snapshots of Playgirl, was unavailable Fri of eelebrity nudes, including the are taken from an old porno film or day but Playgirl spokesman Rand Penthouse and Playboy pictures of reaturing stailone in sexually ex- Richardson said the issue was be
Madonna and the current nude plicitscenes. Originally titled "A ing rush printed and will be on
Playboy spread featuring Party at Kitty and Studs," the newstands next week.

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it to wearing it. it to wearing it.
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is open to any resident of Howard is open to any resident of Howard
County or area counties. Entries must be made of at least 60 percent
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Entry forms are due by Sept. 11 Entry forms are due by Sept. 11
and are available at local fabric stores or the County Extension Of fice. Contest judging will be at
12:30 p $12: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. ., Saturday, Sept. 14 at
the Big Spring Mall. Awards will be presented following the fashion
show at $7: 30$ p.m., Tuesday, Sept. show at $7: 30$ p.m., Tuesday, Sept.
17 at the Howard County Fair. For more information contact contest
chairman, Beverly Jeffcoat at chairman, Beverly Jeffcoat at
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For your garden
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## Open for business

Entrepreneur considers country store for Big Spring

By Johnnie Lou Avery One possibility being considered
by an entrepreneur for the Old Towne enirepreneur spring are is a "coun-
try- store" that would attract tourists but woull also serve as the
base for a large mail-order operation. a large mail-order More than 90 percent of
respondents in a survey of Better have purchased merchandise from mail-order catalogs. And even
more said they enjoyed catalogs more said they enjoyed catalogs
received in the mail,-even if they haven't asked for them. The survey was part of a study to
develop information on consumer develop information on consumer
attitudes and marketing trends.
More than 60 percent said they Mhop by mail for various reasons:
convenience, time saved, unique items and price. Connelly gets iob Michael Connelly has been pro-
moted to area manager for West exas Foods Inc., franchiser of the
Kenlucky Fried Chicken Connelly was manager of the Big pring store and was involved in
rganizing the Big Spring restaurant Association. Mona Laib, assistant manager of the
store, was appointed manager.


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## QUICK NOTES: Bill and Tony Arencibia, owners of Sportabout, have bee very

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cent. In 1979 the plant employed fewer numbers by "Team cent. In 1979 the plant employed
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The story of the Livonia
revitalization is related in detaili in the fortheoming book "Transforming the Workplace" by Bob Stram-
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the p plate manager) and two colicagues who
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The book relates that every step
of that process was marked by painstaking efforts to destroy the
commonplace "we-they" union management relationship union forts that involved no magic for-
mula other than care, listening, openness, trust, conviction, pa-
tience and persistence. (Within the
union itself, the rank and file was union itself, the ránk and file was
even more skeptical than the
leaders.) leaders.
After much cajoling of the union After much cajoling of the union
leaders and company managers leaders and company managers,
Strammy convinced them to risk a two-day "retreat." There a
cooperative philosophy was ham-
mered out: "Don't force the issue." A 15-person planning group
now labeled the "Livonia Planning Team" was appointed; it included
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tion and team-to-team transfer Other aspects of the Livonia
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## Martina in Players

TORONTO (AP) - Using big ahead with another break in the
serves and deft backhand passing fourth game and served out the set shots, Claudia Kohde-Kilsch of to win easily.
West Germany shocked Martina
NAfter the first set, I thought,
Naratiova with a 3 .6, $6-4,6-3$ Navratilova with a 3 36, $6-4$, , $6-3$ 'Here we go again, it's going like
quarterfinal victory in the Player's every match we ve had,' Kohde-
Challenge women's tennis tourna- Kilsch said. Challenge women's tennis tourna- $\begin{aligned} & \text { Kilsch said. "I told myself, 'Just } \\ & \text { try and hang in there, maybe you }\end{aligned}$ ment Friday. the fourth loss of the can get the set.'
It was only, maybe you
year for the Czechoslovakian-born
"That was my first goal to try Navratilova, the tourney's No. ${ }^{2}$
seed. She has won 57 matches. Two of Navratilova's defeats came against American Chris Evert
Lloyd and the other was to Hana Mand IIkion
Czechoslovakia. Czechoslovakia. the 21 year-old Kohd
Kilsch, who lives in Monaco and Kilsch, who lives in Monaco and is
the fifth seed here, it was her second lifetime victory over
Navratiova and the first since 1981 when she
match.
In between, there were 11 con-
secutive losses, all but one in two straight sets.
In Friday's match, they traded
winners - two nher her backhand In Friday's match, they traded then broke when Navratilova,
early service breaks in the opening backpedaling, mishit an overhead.
set. Then. Navratilova moved She then served for the match.

## Lady Steers volleyball ready to start



## Sports Briefs

Houston team wins state tourney
WACO, Texas (AP) - Dale Stanton hit a three-run homer in the third aning league title with a $7-4$ win Sagemont-Beverly Hills, which took the title Thursday night, also was
the state champion in 1983. The three-run homer by Stanton made the score 5-1 and Sagemont-Beverly Hills scored two other runs in the fifth inning with an RBI double by Chris McKinley. uart and Jacinto Constante hit solos in shots over the fence. Scott MarAlex Alegria hit a two-run homer in the fifth
with Midway's Brent Baker walking, steay defeated Carrolliton South 1-0 with Midway's Brent Baker walking, stealing second, advancing to thir Carrollton pitcher Jeff Conway threw a one-hitter and struck out 10 in

Cardinal game rescheduled
The Texas-New Mexico League championship game between the Big Stadium to Roy Anderson Complex. The game time is still $1: 30$ p.m. Sun

## Tennis Camp Correction

The Figure 7 Tennis Day Camp. being conducted by head pro Ed Sparl The was incect dates of the camp are August 2922 , with sessions runnin
The rom 9.12 a.m. and 14 p.m. daily
The Herid

Cards snap Philly streak
PHILLADELPHIA (AP) - Andy Van Slyke and Terry Pendleton nit onsecutive home runs for the second straight game Friday night as the
St. Lovis Cardinals rallied with a four-run fift to defeat Philadelphia $5-4$ snapping the Phillies' four-game winning streak.
on just six pitches for four runs to make Joaquin Andujar the firs Tom Herr started the Cardinal's fifth with a single. Jack Clark doubled

## National League

 reschedules gamesNEW YORK (AP) - The Na- $\begin{aligned} & \text { and Reds will play makeup } \\ & \text { gional }\end{aligned}$ rescheduled 11 games lost to the players' strike last Tuesday and Wednesday.
The San $\mathbf{F}$ The San Francisco Giants and
Astros will make up the game they lost as part of a twi-night The Pittsburgh Pirates and The Pittsburgh Pirates and
Phillies rescheduled their lost
games as part of twi-night games as part of twi-night
double-headers Oct. 4 and 5 at Philadelphia.
The New York Mets and Ex pos will play a single game Axg.
19 and a double-header Sept. 13 . both at Montreal, to make up the two games they lost. St. Louis sept. 5 and 9 will make up the
Sthe games lost ty the Chicago Cubs
and Cardinals, while the Los and Cardinals, while the Angeles Dodgers and Braves set
their make-up dates for Sept. 9
and 10 at Atlanta, with the latter and 10 at Atlanta, with the latter
as part of a twi-night double-
header. The San Diego Padres

Cincinnati.
Five Amer postponed by made up as part of doubleheaders Thursday night. The Oakland A's and the Min-
nesota Twins will make up the games they lost by playing games they lost by pext Monday
double-head nd Wednesday at Minneapolis.
The California Angels will be The California Angels will be
at Seatle for double-headers next Monday and Wednesday. Detroit will be at Kansas City
Aug. 19 for a single game to Aug. 19 for a single
make up a lost game. Milwaukee at Texas,
Cleveland at New York, Cleveland at New York, Baltimore at Toronto and
Boston at Chicago-were tenBoston at Chicago were ten-
latively scheduled to play Oct. 7 , he day after the regular season, division of the games effect the In all, 25 games were called
off because of the strike.


SCOTT VERPLANK; who is in Abilene this weekend for the La'Jet'Pelti golf - 0 urnament, feels that the pressure he feels on the golf course is no
where near as bad as the pressure in the press room. VERPLANK was

## SMU to appeal NCAA ruling

DALLAS (AP) - Southern bowl apperances would kill any
Methodist University football
hopes for a national tite. coach Bobby Collins said Friday
the school will appeal an NCAA ficier acknowledged that they had the school will appeal an NCAA ficials acknowledged that they had
penalty that reportedly will bar
received a list of sanctions from penatty that reportedy wext bar
football scholarships next year and keep the Mustangs from bowls and
television appearances for
years.
Collins said that school officials would reserve compent until after an appeal was presented to the
NCAA Council next Wednesday. "And the NCAA hasn'tsaid. our
appeal won't be heard. So it would appeal won't be heard. So it would
be premature to say anything until then," said Collins
The Dallas Times Herald
reported Friday that the penaltie reported Friday that the penalties
were assessed by the National Collegiate Athletic Association committee on infractions. The
newspaper reported that SMU of
ficials newspaper reportellenge the deci-
ficials plan to chall
sion in sion in court on grounds that the
school has been discriminated against.
SMU is highly ranked in several SMU is highly ranked in several
early pre-season polls, but a ban on

## Verplank feeling strain

By SCOTT KIRK
Brte-Hanks News Servic Harte-Hanks News Service
ABILENE - Scott Verplank $n$ only won the Western Open last
week but he proved something by winning that daily grind, that fight to keep his composure, those inces-
sant distractions that pester the
first amateur to first amateur to win a PGA tourna-
ment in 29 years It wasn't the golf in the tourna-
ment that bothered him. He's played so many 72 -hole tour-
naments in the past couple neecessary to defeat golf. It was Even the drama of the final nin
dealing with reporters dealing with reporters on a daily
basis. "Every afternoon I'd go in there
(the press room) and answer say(the press room) and answer say
ing the same damn thing," said
Verplank, who is here to play in the Latet-Pelz National Amateur a Fairway Oaks Golf Racquet Club
Verplank has won the tournament three straight years, and he is the heavy favorite to win the four-day
event that begins Thursday event that begins Thursday.'
"People would say, 'You're an
amateur. Do you think you're good amateur. Do you think you're good enough to win?' Ididn't want to pop
off, but $I$ just go out and play the
tsame way."
Verplank is the hottest thing in Verplank is the hottest thing in Carolina, Washington, New Jersey, among others - all wanting the
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have prepared him for this. "The last few days have been
unreal," said the Oklahoma State All-American, who has the reputation of being a reticent - but polite test he was second with a drive of

- during interviews. Although he



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