## spendenERALD <br> Reflecting A Proud TEXAS Community <br> MONDAY

Storm tears through area


Above left, A utility pole sits in a muddy field, sheered off from the base, along Highway 87 after high winds felled 100 poles during a Saturday evening storm. Above right, Cap Rock Electric workers prepare a new utility pole before erecting it after high winds sheered off nearly 100 poles in the north Howard County area Saturday night.
Fallen powerlines force closure of Highway 87; keeps utility crews out all night

By CARLTON JOHNSON

ACKERLY - Residents in the Knott/Ackerly areas of North-
ern Howard County are happy they could wake up to another Monday morning following
Saturday's storm that swept Saturday's storm
through their area.
The storm passed through at The storm passed through at
about 9:15 p.m. Saturday, about about $9: 15$ p.m. Saturday, about
20 miles north of Big Spring, 20 miles north of Big Spring,
causing Highway 87 North to
be closed down be closed down due to fallen power lines.
According to

## Coahoma students <br> AHA top earners

By KELLIE JONES | $\begin{array}{l}\text { nearly all people left without } \\ \text { power by the storm should } \\ \text { have had power restored. }\end{array} \begin{array}{l}\text { nobody was injured, thank } \\ \text { God, said North. } \\ \text { And despite the NWS in Mid- }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | have had power restored. And despite the NWS in MidAccording to sources in the

Knott area there was one house Knott area there was one house
south of Ackerly that had its roof completely that had its roof completely blown off and
seval power lines are still down and in need of repair. North added that Caprock
workers workers in Ackerly after the
storm saw storm saw a house that had
been "destroyed" by the thad been "destroyed" by the storm.
Caprock knew of no stormCaprock knew of no storm-
related injuries. We had a couple of cars hit
poles that were down, but poles that were down hut Stanton area, but there was poles that were down, but Please see STORM, page 2

Weather Service in Midiand,
there was no confirm tornado, but confirmation of a through the area were moving 40 miles per hour. speeds storm winds reaching hour at times, the storms could produce winds of that magnitude. Wind gusts were much according to certain areas,
ach winds NWS described the of the Permian Basin as


Heat forces harvest on a dry, expensive cotton season

## $\begin{array}{cl}\text { COTTON CENTER, Texas } & \text { tor of the International Textile } \\ \text { (AP) - Stout winds were churn- } & \text { Center at Texas Tech Universi- }\end{array}$ (AP) - Stout winds were churn- Center at Texas Tech Universi-

 ing up rosy puffs of dust that ty, said farmers are receivingbrought stripping gear to a about 60 cents per pound. Last
standstill amid rows of cotton year, prices varied from 50 $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { standstill amid rows of cotton } \\ \text { stalks this November morning. }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { year, prices varied from } \\ \text { cents to }\end{array} \text { 55 cents, Smith said. }\end{array}$ Glenn Kirkland, who already "Not only are they making
harvested his fields, paused for
more cotton, but they're getting a cigarette and game of domi- a better price for it," said Carl
noes at Midcot Gin Inc. He and Anderson, an economist and others at the gin chalked up this cotton specialist for the Texas
growing season as dry and Agricultural Extension Service
expensive $\begin{array}{ll}\text { expensive. } & \text { in College Station. "There's } \\ \text { "Everybody knew going in it } & \\ \text { was going to be tough,"" Kirk- } & \text { increas demand and potential for } \\ \text { increas exports." }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { was going to be tough," Kirk- } \\ \text { land said. "Dryland cotton did- } & \begin{array}{c}\text { increasing exports. } \\ \text { The } 25 \text { counties around Lub- }\end{array} \\ \text { n't make anything. You had to }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { n't make anything. You had to } \\ \text { irrigate to get a yield." }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { bock - a region known as the } \\ \text { world's largest cotton patch - }\end{array}\end{array}$ Even so, crop quality and look poised to yield from 2.7
quantity held up better than million to 2.9 million bales, expected around Cotton Center million to 2.9 million bales,
down from 3.45 million bales on and other parts of Texas that got
little rain, agriculture experts $\begin{gathered}\text { the same acreage last year. } \\ \text { Kater Hake, cotton specialist }\end{gathered}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { say. } \\ \text { And they predict the nation's } & \begin{array}{l}\text { for the Texas Agricultural } \\ \text { Extension Service in Lubbock }\end{array}\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { And hey predict the nation's } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Extension Service in Lubbock, }\end{array} \\ \text { top cotton state will yield } 5 \text { mil- } \\ \text { said irrigated cotton fared much }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { lion bales during a record, } 19.45 \\ \text { million-bale year for U.S. grow- } & \begin{array}{l}\text { better than fields that weren's } \\ \text { watered during the summer's }\end{array}\end{array}$ ers.
This year's early harvest This year's early harvest -75
percent complete, by some estipercent complete, by some esti-
mates - has been by a favorable market.
by a favorable market.
Harvin Smith, assistant direc-

## County coming through for UW

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer
Earlier this year, as the
Earier this year, as the Unit
ed Way's
netting started, campaign was
Campaign getting started, Campaign
Chirman Rey Villereal said this year's theme is "Serving
The Need in Howard County the United Way," and the goal is to raise $\$ 225,000$.
And Howard C And Howard County seems to
be coming through At its recent campaign break
At
fast, the first of two during the fast, the first of two during the campaign, the United Way, in
the company of several volun teers and company representatives, gave a status report on the progress of fundraising efforts.
According to United Way Executive Director Carol Jen nings $\$ 133,995$ have been raised so far, which puts the United
Way at 60 percent of its Way at 60 percent of its goal of
$\$ 225,000$.
Jennings said, "We're about Jennings said, "We're about
$\$ 90,000$ away from our goal, but $\$ 90,000$ away from our goal, but
we're very confident that we'll wet there.:
get The United Way campaign
drive is divided into several groupings, according to villere al, in order ty, giving everyone an opportu
nity to help support United Way.
Pacesetters are one-time indi Pacesetters are one-time indi-
vidual donors of $\$ 500$ and then there are the Commercial
donors, small businesses; Golddonors, small businesses; Gold-
en Age, retired people; Comen Age, retired people; Com-
bined Federal, federal agencies; bined Federal, federal agencies
Professionals, doctors, lawyers, Professionals, doctors, Lawyers,
etc., Laoned Executive, Large
businesses; Residential and businesses; Residential and
Rural; and Out of Town donors. division is leading the way as far as contributions, but FINA Refinery is still the largest con
tributor The 1994.95 campaign will conclude on Jan. 10 , at which
time the United Way will announce the final results of the Sweetwater turns on Christmas lights tonight By CARLTON JOHNSON Staff Write

It began in 1993 as an inspiration created by other Texas communities like Marshall and now the Sweetwater Trail of
Lights Holiday Lighting Festival is about to kick off its second annual event.
The STL will have its citywide lighting festival, "Light Night,"
Monday from $5: 30$ p.m. to $7: 30$ p.m. in downtown Sweetwater on the north side of the Nolan Please see LIGHTS, page 2


Obituaries Gregorio Moreno
A prayer service for Gregorio
Moreno, 108, of Big Spring will Moreno, 108, of Big Spring will
be at 7 p.m. tonight at Nalley
Pickle \& Welch Rosewood Pickle \& Welch Rosewood
Chapel. Funeral services will be
4 p.m. Monday Nov 4 p.m. Monday, Nov. 21, at the Nalley-Pickle \& Welch Rose-
wood Chapel wwith Rev. Paul
Martinez, pastor of Northside Martinez, pastor of Northside
United Methodist Church, offi
ciating. Interment will follow a ciating. Interment will follow a under the direction of Nalley
Pickle \& Welch Funeral Home. Pickle \& Welch Funeral Hom
Moreno died Saturday, $N$
19, in a Big Spring hospital. 19, in a Big Spring hospital.
He was born on March 6, in Mexico, and married Maria Montecino on Dec. 26, 1917 in
in death on March 17, 1982 . Mr. Moreno worked for
Texas \& Pacific Railroad for years and then went to work for Tucker Plumbing as a plumber.
He worked as a plumber for more than 50 years. He was United Methodist Church. Survivors $\begin{gathered}\text { include } \\ \text { seven } \\ \text { daughters: }\end{gathered}$, Margaret
Ortega, Anita Bustamante, Juanitt Marquez, Rosa Marquez, Maria Big Spring, and Lucy Garcia of
Gurnee, Ill.; one son: Jose Moreno of Big Spring: forty-two
eighty-three great grandchildren, and fifteen
great great grandchildren. Ted Osmulski

Services for Ted Osmulski, 46,
Big Spring, will be 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, Nov. 23,1994 , at St. Thomas Catholic Church with clating. Burial will follow in the direction of Myers \& Smith Funeral Home. A memorial
mass will be held simultaneousass Catholic Church, in Lincoln Park, Mich. Rosary will be 7:30 Myers \& Smith.
Nov. 20, at his home.
He was born Sept. 10, 1948, in
Detroit, Mich. He was a veteran of the USAF. He married Nancy
 outheast Rstir turing the Vietreturned to West Texas to
attend Texas Tech University attend Texas Tech University untII 1988. Mr. Osmulski ed from Howard College with a degree in nursing in 1991. He of his death.
He is survived by his wife:
Nancy, Big Spring; one daughter, Amy Osmulski; one son: Texas Tech University in Lub bock; his parents: Stan and
W11ma Osmulski, Southgate, Mich.; three brothers: Ed Whipp, all of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Wwo sisters: Cynd Smedo, ffamily and friends.
He was precede in death by his father:- Rechard Whipp, an
infant son and an infant daugh-
ter. The family suggests memorials: Hospice of the Southwest,
P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, Texas 79868-4710; St. Thomas Catholic Church, 605 N . Main, Big Spring, Texas 79720 , or
charity of one's choice.

## MYERS \& SMITH

 FUNERAL HOM\& CHAPEL 24th \& Johnson 267-8288 Ted Osmulski, 46, died
Sunday. Rosary will be $7: 30$ PM Tuesday at Myers \& Smith
Chapel with Funeral Mass Wednesday 10.30 AM Thomess Catholic Church with burial at Trinity Memorial buria
Park.






Coahoma
Continued from page 1 it
very supportive of this event
because they pretty much shut
down in the morny down in the morning so the stu-
dents can participase,
explained Linhart.
The fund raiser ties in with
the students physical education the students physical education
unit on how to stay healthy and unit on how to stay healthy and
prevent heart disease. About 80
third graders jumped rope durtird graders jumped rope dur
ing theirs physical education
clave days as part of their efforts to raise money.
Fourth, fift and sixth grader Fourth, fifth and sixth graders
participated in the three hour
program on Friday. There are teams made up of six students
and each student takes turns and each student takes turns
jumping for a period of three
minutes. "Students had to take home permission slips to their par-
ents. If the parent signed the
slip, they were allowing the slip, they were allowing their
child to solicit donations. Most child to solicit donations. Most
everyone gave a flat donation to everyone gave a flat donation to
the students for jumping for
three hours. All of the money raised stays. in the local area,
said Debbie Churchwell, the elesaid Debbie Churchwell, the ele-
mentary school physical educa-
tion teacher. tion teacher.
The students are also competing with each other to see what
group, grade and student raise group, grade and student raise
the most money. The overall
winner will winner will receive a medal
from the AHA and others
receive gifts such as

## Lights

Continued Trom page
Susty Courthouse.
Sewley, STL co-chair Susan Bewley, STL co-chair-
person, said there will be more than a half million sparkling
holiday lights throughout holday lights throughout
Sweetwater's business districts
and neighborhoods and neighborhoods.
The festival will The festival will also include
Christmas carols Christmas carols and church
bells ringing as well bells ringing as well as Santa
receiving children in his headquarters downtown.
Bewley added that specially created lighted displays a and a
huge sign spelling 'Sweetwater huge sign spelling "Sweetwater
(welcoming people to town for (welcoming people to town for
the holidays) will be part of the the hoildays) will be part of the
festivities as well as gingerbread houses, seasonal decor, a
lighted night parade and speclighted night parade and spec-
tacular homes brightly decorat-
ed for the filtival. ed for the fi'stival.
The description of the sTh tive atmosphere.
Bewley said, -This picture is a
eality that began in reality that began in 1993 when
All-America Sweetwater began All-America Sweetwater began
Sweetwater's Trail of Lights
Holiday Sweetwater's Trail of Lights
Holiday Lighting Festival which runs from Thanksgiving
until New Year's Day. This until New Year's Day. This
event has grown by leaps and event has grown by leaps
bounds in its first two years.:
The schedule of events and
performances begining at $5: 30$
p.m., leading performances beginning at s:ing up to the lighting
peremony, will include a live ceremony, will include a live
broadcast by radio station
KXOX; the Sweetwater Municipal Band; awards for children's decorations; Miss Sweetwater Zion Baptist Choir; Ginger bread/Graham Cracker house awards, sponsored by the Amer
ican Businesswomen's Associa ican Businesswomen's Associa-
tion; City Wide Children's Choir led by Amy Prather of First Presbyterian Church; Introduc tions; the countdown to the
lighting ceremony by Nolan lighting ceremony by Nolan
County Judge Jack Aycock; and

## Storm

only one customer connected
only one customer connected major disruption. South of Ackerly, TU Electric had seven frames on its transmission line blown down.
Clements said, "We were to sectionalize the were able pick everyone back up. During a storm like this, we try to tem-
porary as much as possible porary as much as possible
(restore power) and go back (restore power) and
and fix things later.:

## $\mathrm{O}_{\mathrm{N}} \frac{\text { THE }}{\text { Rig spring }}$ RUN

POLICE The Big Spring Police Depart.
ment reported the following ment reported the following
incidents between 2:30 p.m. Sat-
urday and $7: 30$ a.m. Monday: urday and 7:30 a.m. Monday:
-MATTHEW HILGER, 20 of
$330 \&$ W. 80 was arrested for $330<W$. 80 was arrested
PUBLIC INTOXICATION.
CCARLOS SALCADO CAARLOS SALGADON MAN-
TANEZ, 17 of 1807 Nolan was
arrested on LOCAL WARarrested on LOCAL WAR-
RANTS.
-REYNALDO HERNANDEZ, 37 of 1502 Bluebird was arrested
for UNAUTHORIZED USE OF for UNAUTHORIZED USE OF
A VEHICLE and PUBLIC INTOXICATION.
-ROBERT JACKMAN, 31 of 404 W . 6th was arrested on
LOCAL WARRANTS. -FIDENCIO RODRIGUEZ, 49 of HC 76 Box 316A was arrested
for DRIVING WHILE INTOXI-
-TERESA WALKER, 25 of 1314 Lexington was arrested for
ASSAULT/FAMILY VIO-
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- RICHARD PRICE, 32 of 1524 E. 17th was arrested for CRIMI-
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-GRACE JARA KING, 31 of -GRACE JARA KING, 31
HC 61 Box 491 was arrested
LOCAL WARRANTS. LOCAL NARRANTS. 3706 Parkway was arrested on
LOCAL WARRANTS. - JACKIE JUSTIN JOBE, 28 -JACKIE JUSTIN JOBE, 28
of 1105 N. San Antonio Was
arrested on LOCAL WARRANTS and released after pay-
ing fine.
ANTHONY VEGA, 30 of 1612 -ANTHONY VEGA, 30 of 1612
15th was arrested for
ASSAULT/FAMILY
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the 700 block of $E$. 15 th the 700 block of E. 15 th.
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-BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM -BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM
- the 1800 block of S. Goliad.
-BURGAR/FIRE ALARM in the 1300 block of Grege.
-BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM -BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM
in the 700 block of 1 th Place. -ASSAULT in the 1100 block
of N. Lamesa. -DOMESTIC DISTUR-
BANCE at 17th and Gregg.
DISTURBANCE in the 100 block of N .
Mam. -DOMESTIC 1300 DISTUR-
BANCE in the $\mathbf{E}$. ${ }_{- \text {THEFT in }}^{18 \text { in }} 1700$ block of Marcy.
-THEFT in the 800 block of $E$. I -20.
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-THEFT in the 400 block of


## Records

Sunday's temp
Sunday's low
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Rainfall Sunday
Month to date
Month's normal
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Normal for year
-Statistics not available.

## -In Brief <br> Fund established

 to help Ronald DunlapA medical fund has been
established at State National Bank to offset costs for Ronald Dystrophy ayndrome (RSDS)
dyene patient profiled in the Herald.
Contributions may be sent to Contributions may be sent to
State National Bank, Ronald tate National Bank, Ronald
Dunlap Medical Fund, 901 Main Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720. C.City parade

## set for Saturday

Colorado City is having a
Christmas parade and tree light Christmas parade and tree lightparade begins at 4 p.m. on Sec
ond Street and ends at the court
house.
The winner of the Miss Merry Christmas pageant will be crowned. There will also be mas carolers and David Jones
playing the trumpet. mas caroiers and Daving trumpet.
The tree lighting
The tree lighting ceremony
begins at dusk, approximately
$:: 30$ p.m. at the courthouse.
6:30 p.m. at the courthouse
First, second and third place
awards will be handed
awards will be handed out to
those with the best foats.
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## as part of streamling

The Department of Agricul
as the Natural Resources Con-
servation Service as it streamlines its operations and takes on
new program responsibilities new program responsibilities. The new Natural Resources
Conservation Service will con tinue to have responsibility for
all the programs of the former Soil Conservation Service. In addiltion, several other pro-
grams have been transferred to grams have been transferred to
it including the Wetland
Reserve Program, the Waterband Program, the Colorado
River Basin Salinity Contro Programs, Farms for the Future
Program, and Great Plains Con Program, and Great
servation Program.
Farmers, ranchers and other costomers of the agency can assistance they have from the
Soil Conservation ing the transition period.

Salvation Army serving dinner after services
The Salvation Army will have at $12: 30$ p.m. following services location. Thanksgiving dinner Thursday at its emergency shelter at 308 Aylford Street.
Both dinners are open to the public and for people who can-
not get out on Thanksgiving not get out on Thanksgiving
Day the SA will deliver dinner Day them. The phone number at
to the Aylford location is 267.1175 .

## SPRINGBOARD

To submit an item to
Springboard, put it in writ-
ing and mail or deliver it to ing and mail or deliver it to
us one week in advance. Mail
to: Springboard, Big Spring to: Springboard, Big Spring
Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, 79720 , or bring it by
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" Single-Minded," unmar ried/singles group, 8 p.m., Elks
Lodge, FM 700. Call 263-8868 or
$263-5367$ Lodge, FM
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Kentwood Center, Lynn Drive. Everyone welcome. Call 393-
5709 - Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), $6: 30$ p.m. Weigh-in, 6
p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700
Lancaster. Call $263-1340$ or 263 -
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Setles.
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-Turning Point A.A., 8.9 p.m.,
St. Mary's Episcopil St. Mary's Episcopal Church.,
10th and Goliad. Open to 10th and Goliad. Open to all
substance abusers. -Alcoholics Anonymous
open meeting, 615 Settles. -Disabled American Veterans Austin, behind Elks Lodge. Call
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noon, the Advisory Group, noon, the board room at the
YMCA, 801 Owens. Contact
Tish Long at the Howard Tish Long at the Howart
County Mental Health Center,
263-0027. Rig Spring-Howard County
Retired Teachers Association, 11:30 a.m., Cactus Room at Howard College.
ing a mother's night out. For ing a mother's night out. For
more information call 267.7626. -Survivors of Suicide, a support group for the family and
friends of suicide victims, $7: 30$ piends of suicide victims, 7iand Memorial
p.m.i Midandar.
Hospital. Rev. Marshall Mason will be the speaker. Call $685-$
wital .Spring TaESDAY
1209 Wright, has free food for area needy, 10 a.m. to $12 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.

- Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.
p.m. Call Reppert group, $\mathbf{c}$ 3:45
prisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.
-Spring City Senior Citizen Center, ceramics classes from
$9: 30-11: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} .55$ and older 9:30-11:30
invited.
$\rightarrow$ Pastoral counseling by Samaritan Counseling Center,
Frist Crristian Church, 10th and Goliad. For appointmen call 1-000-329.9144
roup, 2 p.m., Canterbury
group, 2 p.m., Can
South. Call 263 -1265.
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7 p.m., Cornerstone Bookstore.
Call 26.1424 after $5 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$., or 263-3168 before 8 p.m.
.Ant -Alcoholits Anonymous noon
open meeting and 8 p.m. closed open meeting and 8 p.m. clo
meeting. 615 SEtILEes.
-Gamblers ADAY -Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., ot. Stephens
Church, room 1,4601
Midand. Call 263 8920 .

## Howard-Glasscock Old Settlers Reunion Questionnaire


33. Would you be wilining to donate or pay extra for meals next ye
(1995) in order to keep the reunion active and to pay for the
catered meal?
4. In preparation for compliling the history of the Old Settler's
Reunion, we are in need of information, pictures and stories. you help us with any of these?
Information:
Please elabo
Prctures:
(We will copy and return originals to
you)
Stories: Yes $\quad$ No
Things that happened at reunions you attended.
Please write as much as you can.
Return completed questionnaire together with any additional.
information you have by Dec. 14, 1994 to:
Howard County Historical Commision
P.O. Drawer 989
P.O. Drawer 989
Big Spring, TX 79721

## Markets



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915-264-7432
Big Spring, TX
Ranch Headquarters 915-398-5461

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Poll: Texans split on concealed weapons
HOUSTON (AP) - Texans are
about evenly split on a legislative proposal that would grant
the right to carry conceal the right to carry concealed
weapons, according to a poll weapons, according to a poll
published Sunday in The Houston Post.
In the survey of 501 people across Texas, 51 percent said
they oppose legislation that would allow residents with no
felony convictions and no hist felony convictions and no histo-
ry of mental illness to carry ry of mental illness to carry
concealed weapons. Forty eight percent said they supported the
proposal. One percent was unde proposal. One percent was unde
cided. Women oppose the mearure
more than men, and minorities oppose it more than whites
according to the poll. according to the poll.
Fifty eight percent of women Fifty-eight percent of women
were against allowing concealed
and fled a similar bill for the next
legislative session, said he was
n't surprised by the poll's over orted it. Among men, 55 per
ent expressed support while 45 percent opposed it. Whites endorsed the proposal ab 53 percent to 46 percent, bu
about 60 percent of the black and Hispanic populations opposed the legislation.
The poll, conducted for The poll, conducted for Th sion station KHOU and the New Jersey surveying firm Bulle error, making the results a vir tual even solit.
State Rep. Ron Wilson, the
Houston twice sponsored unsuccessfu concealed weapons bills and ha

## ill results. <br> 11 results.

## $h$ basics

 The skyrocketing remedialcourse work isn't unique to
Texas. Experts say spending
has increased dramatically
nationwide since the 1980s,
though no national statistics are
available.
In Texas, the increase is driv-
en largely by the Legislature's
1988 imposition of the Texas
Academic Skills Program, a
mandatory placement test that
identifies incoming college stu-
dents in need of remedial help.
Roughly a third of college fresh-
men fail the test annually.
Educating students who fall
short is shared by large state
universities, but about 85 per-
cent of all remedial instruction
is taken on by community col
leges. The smaller schools now devote about 20 percent of their
academic instruction to the cause, up from 5 percent in 1987. "This isn't a development
we've cheered," said Stan we've cheered," said Stan
Calvert, executive director of the Texas Association of Community Colleges. "Community colleges would like nothing bet-
ter than to get out of remedial ter than to get out of remedial
education and teach collegelevel work."
Remedial
Remedial courses are considered "developmental" and don't
count toward a degree. They can range from math classes on fractions and percentages to basic reading courses and
instruction in grammar and

Nearly $\$ 60$ million, or 46.2 per
cent of the total spent on reme ent of the total spent on reme
dial courses in 1994-95, was pent teaching basic math sills. Writing classes took 32.9
percent of the total, while reading courses took 20.9 percent. "Those numbers are a grea
indication of public schools indication of pubbic schools
failed curriculum" said Georg Scott, president of the Tax Research Association of Hous Research Association of Hous
ton. "They show we're spending money the wrong way

Some public school leaders acknowledge the problem bu say progress is being made by phasing out less rigorous cours preparatory classes.


This Christmas, enjoy 0\% Interest* and no payments until March, 1995 on all your Anthonys Charge Card purchases of $\$ 75$ or more, from Nov. 20 thru Dec. 24, 1994!


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4-4A alldistrict list shows Steers prowess

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Placing 11 players on the all-
District 4-4A team doesn't erase he disappointment of an area teers.
Doesn't hurt any, though. Big Spring, which finished
the season 7.5 with a bi-district championship, put 11 players
on the first team . seven on on the first team - seven on
offense and four on defense. The pleersers than any other team
district champion Lake View has nine, though the Chiefs do have two Most Valuable Players
in offensive co-MVP David
Taylor and defensive MVP Thad Turner. Jason Roberts, Norman
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Dickson made the First Team offense. The four Steers on First
Team defense are Tony Team defense are Tony
Rodriguez, Leslie Adkins, Rodriguez, Lesile Adkins,
Robencia and David Foresyth.
For means more than any postsea son list. The senior and two
time all-district defensive end has plenty of great moments to point to
ticular.
"The run I had last week, I'l always remember that,
Foresyth said, referring to the Frucial tackle he made follow ing a length-of-the-field run gainst El Paso Parkland in but
district Nov. 12. The tackle cut short Parkland's Tony ecquir's 90-yard run at the Bi rom scoring what could have been a momentum-building
touchdown. Adkins had one of those unforgettable plays, too. Th fumble against Monahans Oct 28 and returned it 73 yards for Big Spring touchdown. The win in playoff position, and the in playoff position, and they with another big play involvin all-district First Teamers.
This time it was Waters and Franks, Nov. 4 in Andrews Andrews 18, split end Waters took a handoff from quarter back Bucky Crenshaw and ooked to pass. Waters found Franks in the end zone - th
pass was a bit behind Franks pass was a bit behind Franks
but the tight end hauled it in fo he touchdown that killed Andrews and sen
into the playoffs.

Big Spring beat Andrews $24-0$ hen beat Parkland 47-21 before falling $21-12$ to Canyon Randal "Ine just like to thank our for all the support they gave us,"" said senior defensive end
Arthur Barrera. "Thanks to Arthur Barrera. "Thanks to
everybody - all the fans, the pep everybody - all the fans, the pep
rally, to the whole community And there's going to be a lot
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