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LEATHERS COMMISSIONED

CHARLESTON, IL--Lee Leathers, whose parents Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Leathers live in Charleston, has been commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army upon graduation from Eastern Illinois University.

Leathers, a 1985 graduate of Charleston High School, majored in industrial technology while at Eastern. He was a member of the Applied Sciences Curriculum Committee, Sigma Pi, Epsilon Pi Tau - an honorary technology fraternity and the Dean's Student Advisory Council.

Second Lt. Leathers is a member of Airborne, which qualifies him to make jumps, and Rangers, which is an elite part of military training. He will begin the Officer's Basic Course March 18, 1990 and serve with the Corps of Engineers.