

NO. 86-2227-1

VIC FEAZELL,)	IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
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Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	MCLENNAN COUNTY, TEXAS
)	
BELO BROADCASTING)	
CORPORATION, and)	
CHARLES DUNCAN, JR.,)	
Individually,)	
)	
Defendants.)	19TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

JUDGMENT

On the 11th day of March, 1991, came on to be heard the above-entitled and numbered cause and Vic Feazell, Plaintiff, appeared in person and by attorney of record and announced ready for trial, and A. H. Belo Corporation, Belo Broadcasting Corporation d/b/a WFAA-TV and Charles Duncan, Defendants, appeared in person and by attorneys of record, a jury having been previously demanded, a jury consisting of twelve (12) good and lawful jurors was duly empaneled and the case proceeded to trial.

After selection of the jury, A. H. Belo Corporation, an original Defendant in this cause, was dismissed from the lawsuit leaving only as Defendants Broadcasting Corporation and Charles Duncan, Jr., Individually.

At the conclusion of the evidence, the Court submitted the case to the jury on special questions. The charge of the Court, including the special questions, and the verdict of the jury, are incorporated herein for all purposes by reference as if fully set forth herein. It appearing to the Court that the verdict of the jury was for the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, judgment should be rendered upon the verdict in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants. (X) New PA

The Court finds that there is sufficient evidence to support the jury's findings that broadcasts 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10,

each taken as a whole, were false and defamatory of Vic Feazell and that all of said broadcasts were published with actual malice by both Defendants, Duncan and Belo.

The Court also finds that the Plaintiff is entitled to judgment against Defendants Duncan and Belo, jointly and severally, for the actual damages awarded by the jury.

The Court also finds that, because the jury found actual malice as to the Defendant Duncan and the Defendant Belo, Plaintiff is entitled to judgment for the exemplary damages awarded by the jury against Defendants Duncan and Belo.

Based upon the verdict of the jury, the judgment should be as follows:

1. Plaintiff Feazell is entitled to recover of and from Defendants Belo and Duncan, jointly and severally the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) for damage to business; the sum of Nine Million Dollars (\$9,000,000.00) for impairment to reputation and standing in the community; and the sum of Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for personal humiliation and mental suffering.
2. Plaintiff Feazell is entitled to recover of and from Defendant Duncan the sum of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) as exemplary damages.
3. Plaintiff Feazell is entitled to recover of and from Defendant Belo the sum of Forty Million Dollars (\$40,000,000.00) as exemplary damages.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that Plaintiff Feazell have and recover of and from Defendants Belo and Duncan, jointly and severally, for actual damages in the sum of Seventeen Million Dollars (\$17,000,000.00).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff Feazell have and recover of and from Defendant Duncan the sum of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) for exemplary damages.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff Feazell have and recover of and from Defendant Belo the sum of Forty Million Dollars

(\$40,000,000.00) for exemplary damages.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all sums awarded herein shall bear post-judgment interest at the legal rate of ten percent (10%) per annum from the date of the signing of judgment until the judgment is paid.

All costs of Court expended or incurred in this cause are hereby adjudged against Defendants Duncan and Belo, jointly and severally. All writs and processes for the enforcement and collection of this judgment or the costs of Court may issue as necessary. All other relief not expressly granted herein is denied.

SIGNED this _____ day of _____, 1991.

JAMES R. MEYERS,
Judge Presiding

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ATTORNEY FOR BELO BROADCASTING CO.
and CHARLES DUNCAN, JR.