

AN UNSIGNED WILL OF RUBY DISCLOSED

DETROIT, Feb. 17 (UPI)—A

probate judge said Friday that a second, unsigned will takes precedence over one handwritten in 1949 by Jack Ruby, killer of Lee Harvey Oswald, assassin of President Kennedy.

In the unsigned will, disclosed Friday for the first time, Ruby reiterated that he had "no association with any persons in connection with the assassination of the late John F. Kennedy and (I want) the world to know that on my death bed I so make this statement."

Judge Thomas C. Murphy of the Wayne County Probate

Court said the will had more legal effect than one handwritten by Ruby in 1949 and filed with Dallas authorities Wednesday.

"A person could write a new will every 15 minutes and it would keep taking precedence over the previous one, Judge Murphy said.

"In probate, the most recent will generally prevails."

He set April 3 to hear testimony in the case. The judge ruled he had jurisdiction in the case because, in the will, Ruby said he intended to move to Michigan, but could not because he was in jail for Oswald's murder.

The will was disclosed by Ruby's brother Earl, a resident of suburban Southfield.