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Dallas, Tex., Jan. 1 (AP)- Cancer-ridden Jack Ruby clung to life Sunday in what officials described as "unchanged" condition.

An official bulletin from Parkland Hospital said Ruby continued in serious condition. The rease message took no notice of a published reporr that said Ruby, the alayer of Lee H arvey Oswald, had lost his will to live.

The Dallas Times Herald quoted a source Saturday as saying Ruby, , the former nightclub operator who gunned down Oswald while the nation ~~xxxx~~ looked on, "has just lost his spirit."

Ruby has been in Pqrkland since Dec. 9, suffering from widespread cancer.

Ruby has lost weight since being admitted. Cancer has been discovered in his lymph system, lungs and pancreas, and physicians have yet to discover the origin of the malignancy.

Ruby, 55, killed Osalnd, identified by the Warren Commission as President Kennedy's assassin, Nov. 24, 1963, in the basement of city hall.

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