

Dallas, Tex. (AP)- The brother of the late Jack Ruby testified at a will hearing Wednesday that California lawyer Melbin Bellit was dismissed from the sensational case when he tried to sell pictures of Ruby to a national magazine.

Earl Ruby of Detroit told a Dallas court that the Ruby family had become disenchanted with Bellit even before Ruby was found guilty of murdering Lee Harvey Oswald, the man the Warren Commission identified as President Kennedy's assassin.

Ruby and a sister, Eva Grant, testified in probate court over a will given by Ruby to a guard in the Dallas County Jail.

Attorneys for the family are trying to prove Ruby was insane when he wrote a document leaving a deputy sheriff a hat, ring and a suit. Mrs. Grant testified that Ruby's mind snapped two weeks after he was convicted.

"He thought they were going to get us all. The Nazis. The conspirators. He was slowly going out (of his mind)," Mrs. Grant testified.

"He was a broken man after the assassination. The trial wore him down. It was very obvious."

Mrs. Grant said after the conviction Ruby wrote notes to others that were "crazy."

It was in a note scrawled on a piece of scrap paper that Ruby told then deputy sheriff Norman Hooten he wanted him to have his diamond ring, a diamond encrusted watch and a suit of clothes. Hooten filed the will as a codicil to the 1950 will in which Ruby left everything to two sisters and nephew.

Mrs. Grant said her brother was convinced there was a room upstairs in the jail "where they cut up people."

She said he believed Kennedy was murdered by Nazis because "he felt that President Kennedy loved Jews. Jack figured they were taking it out on the Jews."

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