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# OU Professor Aids on Ruby Trial Panel

OKLAHOMA CITY (UPI)—A panel of nationally known psychiatrists has agreed to serve, if asked, as friends of the court in the Texas trial of Jack Ruby, an Oklahoma City psychiatrist said today.

Ruby killed Lee Harvey Oswald, accused assassin of President Kennedy.

The move to form the panel was disclosed by Dr. L. J. West, head of the psychiatry department at the University of Oklahoma medical school.

West said the panel had been suggested by a group of Dallas medical and legal experts. He said such a panel would offer its service to the court to examine Ruby on an impartial basis.

He said the Dallas group is headed by Charles W. Webster, professor of criminal law at Southern Methodist University, Dallas. West said he had been contacted by Webster to sound out the possibility of arranging such a panel.

West said at least 10 nationally known experts in legal psychiatry have indicated they are willing to serve.