State of Mississippi) Personally ap-
Copiah County) peared before the
undersigned an acting Justice of
the Peace in and for said County
James Beesley who being duly sworn
deposes and says, that his Brother
D. H. E. Beesley returned from Texas
to this State after his release from
Mexico, about the first of November
1844 on a visit to his friends, intend
ing to return to Texas in the Spring
of 1845 — but on account of the feeble
state of his health he was unable to
return, that he claimed Texas as his
home, that his property was there, and
was never removed till after his death
which occured sometime in August
1845 at Louisville Kentucky

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 21st day
June A D 1857
O. C. Cochran J. P. Copiah Co.

James Beesley