

James W. Batchelor; Durant, Oklahoma. Born, Bennington, Oklahoma, in Bryan County. Parents, L. E. and Jim (Glass) Batchelor. White.

MR. BATCHELOR'S STORY:

"Father came in 1904 from Haywood County, Tennessee
Mother came in 1903 from Fannin County Texas

"Rev. J. W. B. Lloyd, a Presbyterian Missionary came to Indian Territory many years before statehood = about 1880 and preached to the Indians. He established a church 2 miles northeast of Present town of Bennington. Town of Old Bennington sprung up $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of its present location where it remained until A & C railroad came through and then it was moved to its present location.

"Governor Wilson N. Jones old home is about 10 miles northeast of Bennington near Cade"