

Mrs. Alex Rennie, 718 West Pine, Durant, Oklahoma.
Born, September 7, 1881, Stonewall, Indian Territory.
Parents, Colbert A. and Laura A. Burris. Father, Indian
(Chickasaw), mother, white.

MRS. RENNIS'S STORY:

"Father came when the Chickasaws moved. from
Missis[s]ippi

"Father was eleven years old- walked, and drove a
small herd of cattle belonging to his mother

"Father was an out standing orator- prominent in
religious and political work-represented the Chickasaws
in Congress- was prominent in tribal politics- was one
of the speakers at the laying of the corner stone of the
Chickasaw Capital building which is now the Johnston
County Court house at Tishomingo.

"Our old home at Stonewall, Oklahoma was a
convention ground for the Chickasaws"