REV. GEORGE INGLE
CANTON — The Rev. George E. Ingle, 88, of 53 Filter Plant Road, died Saturday, Aug. 12, 1995, in Haywood County Hospital.

He was born in the Flat Creek Community of Buncombe County and was the son of the late Hughes M. and Laura Morrow Ingle. He had lived in Canton since 1937.

He retired from Champion International in 1962 following 25 years of service. He was a retired Baptist minister and had organized the Canton Pigeon Baptist Church and Maple Grove Baptist Church. He had served as pastor of Sunny Point, East Canton, Laurel Grove and Harmony Grove Baptist Churches. He also served as pastor of Canton Free Will Baptist Church.

He conducted a religious broadcast ministry on radio stations WSKY, WHCC, WWIT and WPTL for 19 years. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1923 to 1927.

He was preceded in death by his wives, Alta Fox Ingle in 1975 and Juanita Curtis Ingle in 1992; and six children, infant twin girls, Georgetta and Samuel Hughes, Leah Ann and Glenda LaNell Ingle.

He is survived by his daughters, Jean Bryant of Clyde, Barbara Woody of Canton; sons, Leon and Allison Ingle of White Pine, Tenn., Charles Ingle of Dunkirk, Ind., and Dale Ingle of Canton; stepdaughters, Carolyn Earley of Canton, Nancy Garrison of Asheville and Becky Kaufman of Black Mountain; brother, the Rev. Ernest M. Ingle of Candler; 15 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Center Pigeon Baptist Church with the Revs. R.H. Lance and J.D. Grant officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Todd, Jeff, Dean and Steve Ingle, Keith Woody and Michael Grooms.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at Wells Funeral Home, Canton, where the body will remain until placed in the church 30 minutes before the services. At other times, the family will be at the home.

Memorials may be made to Center Pigeon Baptist Church School Fund, 306 Pisgah Drive, Canton 28716.