

# E. P. NORTON DIES AT HIGHLANDS

Was One of the Pioneers  
In Settlement of  
Western N. C.

The death of E. P. Norton Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock marked the passing of one of the early pioneers of Western North Carolina, and one of the best-loved and best-known men in Macon county. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. G. A. Hovis of the Methodist church, officiating.

Mr. Norton is survived by a sister, Mrs. J. T. Gotwals, three sons, Ray Norton, of Highlands, Jamie Norton of Franklin, and Ernest Norton, of Glendo, Wyo., and a daughter, Mrs. J. A. Christopher, of Herlock, Md.

"Uncle P. Norton," as he was called by many, was eighty-five years old, and was the oldest member of the Norton clan when he died. He lived all his life in Macon county and surrounding territory and married Sally McGuire, the sister of W. B. McGuire of Franklin. She passed on years ago.

He died at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Z. Gotwals and was buried in the Highlands cemetery.

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