

NOV. 21, 1963

**Edward Lowe Lived
Life In Barnes City,
Excellent Farmer**

BARNES CITY-- Funeral services for Edward Lowe, pioneer farmer and conservationist, were held at the Methodist church at 10 a.m. Nov. 10, conducted by the Rev. Wm. Morehouse. Mrs. Bill Landstrum played the organ numbers and accompanied Leslie Steele as he sang "How Great Thou Art."

Interment was in the cemetery here under direction of the Steffy Funeral Home. Casket bearers were Paul Case, Bill Landstrum, Charles Hamilton, Donald Patterson, John Westercamp and Bill Halstram.

Edward, son of Ida and William Lowe, was born near Barnes City, Oct. 15, 1891. He died in the Mahaska hospital Nov. 8 at 72 years of age. He attended rural school and at the age of 11 years became the family provider on the death of his father.

He was united in marriage with Ida Sanders Mar. 15, 1914, and to this union three children were born, their son dying in infancy. Their entire married life was spent farming in this vicinity. He was very active in soil conservation and this year he and a son-in-law, Roger Sampson, won state recognition for excellence in improvement facilities and practices.

He was an active member of his church and participated in all its activities. Surviving are his wife of the home, two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Young and Mrs. Sampson; two grandchildren, Donald Young and Beverly Sampson; a sister, Mrs. Della Wimmer, Lorimer, other relatives and many friends.