

**In Memory of  
Captain CHARLES WILLIAM BANBURY  
3rd Bn., Coldstream Guards who died, age 36,  
on 16 September 1914 of wounds received on 14  
September.**

**Son of the Right Hon. Sir Frederick George Banbury,  
Bart., MP (now 1st Baron Banbury of Southam)  
and Lady Banbury; husband of Josephine Banbury  
(now the Hon. Mrs. Rupert Craven)  
of Wadley Manor, Faringdon, Berks.  
Served in the South African Campaign.**

**Remembered with honour  
Faringdon War Memorial and  
SOUPIR COMMUNAL CEMETERY**



**Commemorated in perpetuity by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission**

Soupir is a village and commune in the Department of the Aisne, Northern France. The village was cleared by the Brigade of Guards on 14 September 1914 and on the same day, and for some days later, heavy fighting took place at La Cour de Soupir farm, near the head of the valley north-west of the village. Dressing stations were established at Soupir Chateau and at the farm. The village was in German hands again between 2 and 6 November 1914 and for much of the war it remained very close to the front line. Soupir Communal Cemetery contains 16 Commonwealth burials of the First World War. All date from September-October 1914 and were brought in after the Armistice from a position near the north-west corner of the village of Vailly.

Charles died near Soissons from wounds received on 14 September 1915