

Herts at War

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Name: Frederick Waldron Stimpson

Rank: Sergeant

Service Number: 193

Date of Death: 16th May 1915

Age: 37

Regiment/Service: 4th Battalion Suffolk Regiment

Award:

Grave/Memorial Reference: Panel 9

Cemetery/Memorial: LE TOURET MEMORIAL, FRANCE

UK Cemetery/Memorial: Hitchin War Memorial, St Mary's Church, Hitchin
St Mary's Church Memorial Book, Hitchin (*not confirmed*)
British Schools Museum, Hitchin

Pre War:

He was the son of Richard and Mary Stimpson of Hitchin and the husband of Ellen Margarita Stimpson of Buller Road, Leiston, Suffolk. Frederick was born in Hitchin, but enlisted in Leiston in Suffolk.

Wartime Service:

His Regimental Number was 193 and he served in the 4th Battalion of the Regiment. He was killed in action in France.

At the time of his death the Battalion was part of the Jullundur Brigade of the Lahore Division in the Indian Corps of the 1st Army taking part in the Battle of Festubert. The Division had adopted a defensive position due to earlier losses that could not be readily replaced.

He is remembered on Panel 9 on the Le Touret Memorial to the Missing in France.

Additional Information:

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