

Surname	Burnell
Forename(s)	George Cuthbertson
Initials	G C
Age	25
Honours/Awards	
Date died	24/06/1915
Rank	Second Lieutenant
Regiment	The King's (Liverpool Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	10 th Bn.
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Boulogne Eastern Cemetery
Grave Reference	II.A.26.
Further Information	Son of Mary Cuthbertson Burnell, of "Barn-Hey," Seabank Rd., Liscard, and the late Robert Cuthbertson Burnell. Native of Wallasey, Cheshire.
<p>Chronicle News</p> <p><u>Well-Known Rugby Footballer</u></p> <p>The fact that Second=Lieutenant George Cuthbertson Burnell, of the 10th Liverpool (Scottish), had been seriously wounded in the charge at Hooge was recorded in last Saturday's <i>Chronicle</i>. We now have to record with regret his death in hospital at Boulogne.</p> <p>The late Lieutenant Burnell, who joined the Scottish in August, and received a commission in March, resided until two years ago in Seabank Roa, New Brighton, but had prior to the outbreak of war lived at Whitby, near Chester. He was well known among followers of Rugby football, having been a prominent member of the New Brighton Club, in which he played in the forward line with his brother, Mr. S. Burnell, and later of the Birkenhead Park Club. During four seasons he had a place in the Cheshire fifteen.</p>	

References and Acknowledgments

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