

Sculptures  
in Reading  
town centre

## The Trooper Potts VC Memorial Site



# George Palmer

*George Simonds*



Statue in bronze of George Palmer by George Simonds (1891) – It was removed from Broad Street to Palmer Park in 1929.

George Palmer (1818-1897) was a member of the family noted for their tinned biscuits being Managing Director of Huntley & Palmers for many years. He also served as Mayor of Reading and represented Reading in Parliament from 1878 to 1885