REGINALD CHARLES HAMBLIN

Leading Aircraftsman 1170132

211 Squadron Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

died on Thursday 21st September 1944 aged 29

REGINALD CHARLES HAMBLIN is commemorated on the SINGAPORE MEMORIAL Singapore

Additional information in the
Commonwealth War Graves Commission Register
Son of Ernest and Emily A. Hamblin, of Ledbury, Herefordshire.

After the reoccupation of Singapore, Kranji War Cemetery was developed from a small cemetery started by the prisoners at Kranji, by the Army Graves Service. Within Kranji War Cemetery stands the Singapore Memorial, bearing the names of over 24,000 casualties of the Commonwealth land and air forces who have no known grave. The land forces commemorated by the memorial died during the campaigns in Malaya and Indonesia or in subsequent captivity, many of them during the construction of the Burma-Thailand railway, or at sea while being transported into imprisonment elsewhere. The memorial also commemorates airmen who died during operations over the whole of southern and eastern Asia and the surrounding seas and oceans. Reginald Hamblin is commemorated on Column 438.

