

## The Farquharson Brothers

Private Frank Farquharson of the 33rd Battalion, was a draper from Kiama.

Pte Farquharson embarked with the 14th Reinforcements, 30th Battalion from Sydney on [HMAT Marathon](#) on 10 May 1917. Later transferring to the 33rd Battalion, on 31 August 1918 he died of wounds which he received in action, aged 19, and was buried in the Daours Communal cemetery Extension, France.



— Private (Pte) Frank  
Farquharson



— Daours Communal Cemetery Extension. Grave reference: VIII.  
B. 53. Courtesy Commonwealth War Graves Commission.

Frank's brother, Sergeant Walter Farquharson, of the 19th Battalion, was a Post Office official from Kiama. Sgt Farquharson embarked with the rank of Corporal with the 2nd Reinforcements from Sydney on HMAT Kanowna on 19 June 1915.



HMAT Kanowna



Later promoted to Sergeant, he was initially reported as missing in action but a later Court of Enquiry determined that he had been killed in action on 3 May 1917. He is commemorated on the Villers-Bretonneux Memorial.