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gravestone in Beard Cemetery, Lonoke Cty, Ark

Richard M Flynt      Co K 37 Ark Inf.    C.S.A.

**CONFEDERATE ARKANSAS TROOPS 37th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry**

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No.	Soldier Name	Company	Rank In	Rank Out
1	Flynt, R.M.	K	Private	Private

**Arkansas Confederate Pension Record R.M. Flynt**

Spouse: Mildred Flynt, Lonoke, Arkansas

State Served From: Arkansas, Division Infantry, Company K, Regiment Lonoke

Death Date 3 Dec 1897, Spouse Death Date 19 Dec 1932

widow applied 1929/questionnaire

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Organized in Pope County by individual companies throughout March through June of 1862 as the 1st Trans-Mississippi Infantry; and organized as the 29th Arkansas Infantry Regiment upon its acceptance into Confederate service on June 6, 1862 under the command of Colonel Joseph C. Pleasants. Field Officers were Lt. Col. Jephtha C. Johnson and Major John A. Geoghegan.

**Renamed as the 37th Arkansas Infantry regiment in the summer of 1862.** Initially assigned (along with the 34th, 35th, and 39th Arkansas and Chew's Arkansas Sharpshooter Battalion) to form BG James F. Fagan's brigade in Shoup's Division in MG Thomas Hindman's 1st Corps of the Army of the Trans-Mississippi.. The brigade fought in the battle of **Prairie Grove on December 7-8, 1862**. After the retreat from Prairie Grove to Van Buren, **On July 4, 1863, the brigade and the 37th Arkansas served in the attack on the federal post at Helena, Arkansas, and subsequently in the defense of Little Rock in September, 1863.**

The brigade, now under the command of BG A.T. Hawthorn, and composed of the 37th, 34th, and 35th Arkansas regiments, spent the **winter of 1863 southwest of Little Rock**, and then was sent south with General Churchill's Arkansas Infantry Division to **Shreveport, Louisiana in the early spring of 1864 to assist General Kirby Smith's army** in countering Union General Nathaniel Banks' advance along the Red River.

After fighting in the battle of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana, Churchill's Division and Kirby Smith then marched back to Arkansas to assist General Price in dealing with the other half of the Red River campaign, Union Gen'l Frederick Steele's Camden Expedition moving southwest from Little Rock. The Division and Hawthorn's Brigade arrived in time to join the pursuit of Steele's army as it retreated from Camden, and join in the attack on Steele as he tried to cross the Saline River at **Jenkins' Ferry on April 30, 1864.** Gause's Brigade returned to the vicinity of Camden following Jenkins' Ferry, and saw **no substantial combat for the remainder of the war.**

**The regiment ultimately surrendered with Kirby Smith's army on May 26, 1865.**

Also Known As: 29th Arkansas Infantry Regiment; 1st Trans-Mississippi Infantry Regiment.

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/37th\\_Arkansas\\_Infantry\\_Regiment](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/37th_Arkansas_Infantry_Regiment)

<http://www.couchgenweb.com/civilwar/>

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## **37TH (BELL'S) ARKANSAS INFANTRY REGIMENT CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA**

### **FIELD OFFICERS AND STAFF**

#### **BEHEN, DENIS JR AQM**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Dropped 11 Apr 1864. Age 31. Born Ireland.

#### **BELL, JOSEPH H. Adjutant**

Enl 1 Mar 1863 at Little Rock, AR. Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Alton, IL then to Johnson's Island, OH 6 Aug 1863 then to Baltimore, MD 9 Feb 1864. Age 31, Born NC. - escaped Prison.

#### **BELL, SAMUEL S. Col.**

Enl 15 Mar 1862 at Hamburg, AR. Wounded in knee & captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Alton, IL then to Johnson's Island, OH 6 Aug 1863. Trfd to Baltimore, MD 9 Feb 1864. - escaped Prison

#### **BLACKNALL, F.H. Maj**

Enl 8 May 1862 at Princeton, AR. Age 27. Born NC.

#### **BOGAN, CHARLIE P. Asst Surgeon**

Enl 15 Mar 1862 at Hamburg, AR. Age 33. Born SC.

#### **BROWN, J.M. Chaplain**

Appointed 2 Jul 1863. Age 28. Born TN.

#### **GEOGHEGAN, J.A. LTC**

Enl 8 May 1862 at Princeton, AR. In command of the sick left at Camp Hope, AR.

Resigned 18 Dec 1862. Age 38.

#### **GOODRUM, JOHN C. QMSGT**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR.

#### **HERRIAGE, ROBERT H. Pvt**

Enl 7 May 1862 in Clark Co, AR. Detailed as Bass Drummer 6 Jun 1862.

Deserted 25 Sep 1863.

#### **HOLCER, EDWARD Pvt. Took oath of allegiance 10 Mar 1864. Residence: Drew Co, AR.**

**JOHNSON, JEPHTHA C. LT Col**

Enl 28 Mar 1862 at Searcy, AR. Severely wounded at Prairie Grove, AR 7 Dec 1862.

Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Johnson's Island, OH 6 Aug 1863.

Paroled and transferred to New Orleans, LA 9 Jan 1865. Age 29, Born KY.

JONES, W.R. Asst Surgeon

Enl 8 Mar 1862 at Princeton, AR. Age 25.

MACON, N.H. Ord Sgt

Enl 13 Jun 1862 at Little Rock, AR.

MATHEWS, ALLEN C. Sgt Major

Enl 2 Jun 1862 at Little Rock, AR. Present through 29 Feb 1864.

PLEASANTS, H.C. CPT

Enl 1 Jun 1861 at Little Rock, AR. Asgd as Cpt 8 Feb 1863. Age 20. Born VA. Wounded and captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR. Died of G.S.W. left thigh 30 Jul 1863 at Memphis, TN

PLEASANTS, J.C. COL.

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Wounded in leg 7 Dec 1862 at Prairie Grove, AR.

Died 21 Dec 1862 at Van Buren, AR. Age 20. Born VA.

RUM, JAMES Pvt

Paroled at Memphis, TN 14 Jun 1865.

SENLESLEN, A.J. Pvt

Captured 16 Mar 1865 at Big Black River Bridge, MS.

STUBBLEFIELD, P.B. ACS

Enl 8 May 1862 at Princeton, AR. Age 24. Born, NC.

VAUGHAN, S.W. Major & surgeon.

Enl 15 Mar 1862 at Hamburg, AR. Age 28. Born VA.

WRAY, JAMES A. Com Sgt

Enl 8 May 1862 at Princeton, AR. Age 30.

**COMPANY K a few names that lived near RM Flynt 1870-1900**

**BAIN, J.R. Pvt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Deserted from Prairie Grove, AR 7 Dec 1862.

BANKS, L.D. Sgt

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Captured at Helena, AR 4 Jul 1863 & sent to

MP Alton, IL then to Ft Delaware, DE 4 Mar 1864. Exchanged 4 Mar 1865 on the

James River in VA. Paroled 1 Jun 1865 at Vicksburg, MS.

**BEARD, W.H. Sgt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. **Died** at St Johns Hosp Little Rock, AR 30 Jan 1863.

**CATO, R.H. Pvt**

Enl 11 Mar 1862 at Brownsville, AR.

**EAGLE, DANIEL** Pvt - Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR.

**EAGLE, J.D.** Pvt

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Disch 15 Aug 1862. Age 31. Born TN.

**EAGLE, S.A.** Pvt Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Age 21.

Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Cairo, IL.

**FERGUSON, A .J. Sgt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. age 31. Was sick at home Sep 1862.

**FERGUSON, JAMES I. Pvt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. age 31. Detailed as hospital nurse. Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Alton, IL. Died 7 Jan 1864 of intermittent fever at Alton, IL.

**FERGUSON, R.S. Pvt**

Enl 5 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Died in Camp Hospital near Little Rock, AR 3 Apr 1863.

**FLYNT, R.M. Pvt**

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**GLOVER, G.W. Pvt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Age 27. Wounded & captured at Helena, AR 4 Jul 1863 & sent to MP Alton, IL then transferred to Camp Douglas, IL 23 Aug 1864. Disch 19 May 1865.

**GLOVER, MONROE Pvt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Detailed in brigade wagon shop 15 Nov 1862.

**GLOVER, SAMUEL Pvt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Disch 22 Apr 1863 by furnishing a substitute.

**GOODRUM, WILLIAM Cpt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Resigned 26 Jul 1862.

**MARTIN, J.M. Cpt Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR.**

Died 20 Jul 1862 at a Little Rock, AR hospital.

**PLUNKETT, WILLIAM A. Cpt**

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to Alton, IL then to Johnson's Island, IL 6 Aug 1863. Transferred to New Orleans, La for exchange 9 Jan 1865. Paroled 5 Jun 1865 at Jacksonport, AR. Age 27. Born TN.

**REEVES, B.W. 1Sgt**

Enl 19 Jun 1862 at Ft Hindman, AR. Wounded in breast at Prairie Grove, AR 7 Dec 1862. Present through 3 Aug 1863.

**THOMPSON, B.F. 1Sgt -Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Age 24.**

Acting Sgt Major 8 Jul 1863.

**THOMPSON, GEORGE W. 3LT -Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Resigned 8 Jun 1862.**

**THOMPSON, J.W. Pvt**

Enl 5 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Alton, IL 9 Jul 1863 then to Ft Delaware, DE. Trfd to Point Lookout, MD 17 Feb 1865 for exchange. Was in Richmond, VA hospital 13 Mar 1865.

TUCKER, GEORGE Pvt

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Age 28. Died at home in Prairie Co, AR 26 Feb 1863.

TUCKER, J.S. Pvt

Enl 15 Jul 1863(?) at Austin, AR. Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP

Alton, IL 9 Jul 1863. Escaped 14 Oct 1863.

TUCKER, L. Pvt Enl 11 Oct 1863 at Camp Martin Green, AR. Deserted 10 Sep 1863.

TUCKER, WILLIAM Cpl

Enl 7 Jun 1862 at Camp Hindman, AR. Age 34. Wounded in left arm at Prairie Grove, AR

7 Dec 1862. Captured 4 Jul 1863 at Helena, AR & sent to MP Alton, IL 9 Jul 1863

then to Ft Delaware, DE 29 Feb 1864. Exchanged 7 Mar 1865 at City Point, VA.