



Like the other casualties of McDowell's Burke County militia, Henry Wakefield is omitted from the 1909 Kings Mountain monument. Henry's wound did not require extended treatment or immobilization. He continued to serve with the corps guarding prisoners to Bethabara.

The neighborhood map indicates Henry's tract upstream from Doctor Dobson on Paddy Creek. His plantation was 360 acres adjoining Robert Montgomery, John Matthews, and William Rutherford.

Henry Wakefield was a son of Charles Wakefield & Elisabeth his wife. Henry was married to Elizabeth Alexander daughter of William & Elizabeth Alexander March 20th 1778. Their only child Mary Wakefield was born January 23rd A.D. 1773

Widower Henry Wakefield remarried.

Link to picture of burial marker for Henry Wakefield - <http://www.geni.com/people/Henry-Wakefield/6000000012108235021>

Link to Smith County Tennessee 28Aug1832 pension application testimony <http://www.revwarapps.org/w35.pdf>

[Wakefield neighborhood map link](#)