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VOLUME V.

Thrilling Sketch.

GEN. SAMUEL DALE.
HIS GREAT CANOE FIIGHT.

In 1784, when Samuel Dale was yet a boy his father moved from Virginia, and made a settlement near the site of the present town of Greenwood, Georgia. But a few days had elapsed before the subject of our sketch—a youth of sixteen summers—found himself an orphan; and in virtue of his fatherly guardianship of seven brothers and sisters, the pointing of them in the best manner his limited resources would allow, he joined a company of volunteers, raised to quell the insurrection of the Creeks; and here commenced that military career which, through the difficulties of his country, could not be so happily followed in the States.

He was only sixteen years of age when he embarked with the Indians in the Indian war—with the bloody battles of Barren and Holy Ground—the terrible massacre of the Chickasaw, and the various other remarkable adventures with which his life is so replete.

The celebrated "Canoe Fight" is the Albanian war, in which he lost two of his company, trained, with clubbed rifle, into Indian ranks, in fair and open combat. It is a kind of hand-to-hand work, in which the combatants are on the river, and the river is the only means of escape; while in the Indian war, the combatants are on the land, and the land is the only means of escape. In the Indian war, the combatants are on the land, and the land is the only means of escape. In the Indian war, the combatants are on the land, and the land is the only means of escape.

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with a jury, which threw Assail slightly off his balance, and he could regain it, it will direct a blow from a river which will sweep across the boat. A half dozen powerful arms were raised to complete the work, when the heavy rifle of Dale came down upon the head of the Chief, with a force which sunk it deep into his skull. Smith had not been less active, and his trusty barrel had fallen with the work of destruction. The two were held the boats together with iron grapnel, and with one foot in each our heroes fought. Two successive blows from Assail's rifle dispatched two of the enemy, one of whom fell overboard. Thinking to make sure of his foe by a second stroke, Assail lured forward to strike, when he was surprised to find himself struck, when he was surprised to find himself struck, when he was surprised to find himself struck.

Some time ago Gen. Dale was held in captivity by the Indians. He was held in captivity by the Indians. He was held in captivity by the Indians. He was held in captivity by the Indians.

Gen. Dale died in 1841, at his residence, with the friends of a soldier, and in the bosom of a Christian. We know not how long he lived, but we know that he lived.

In many respects, physical and moral, he was a noble specimen of the work of God. He had the square forehead, the high cheek bones, the compressed lip, and in fact, the physiognomy of an Indian, relieved, however, by the features of a European. Like the Indian too, his feet fell lightly upon the ground, and turned nimbly to the right and left. He was a man of great energy, and of great courage. He was a man of great energy, and of great courage.

Select Miscellany.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL PRIZE. The constitutional prize is a prize given to the author of the best article published in the Constitution. It is a prize given to the author of the best article published in the Constitution.

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the trouble thus passed off in a whirl of moments. There was next a more lively and curious affair between Mr. Clingman, of North-Carolina, and Messrs. of Alabama, some five or ten years ago. They succeeded in getting to the "bloody ground" of Bladenburg. They exchanged shots. Clingman's ball striking the ground near Yancy's feet, Yancy's ball passing considerably over the head of Clingman, missed the Chingman's head. They exchanged shots. Clingman's ball striking the ground near Yancy's feet, Yancy's ball passing considerably over the head of Clingman, missed the Chingman's head.

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their honor by shooting of each other.—He can't allow any more practice near his premises, without a hand in it, and being sure to win by his game every day.

Bladenburg is a scattering village of about five hundred inhabitants, and is situated five miles east of Washington. The country around is poor, resembling the soil in small tracts of underbrush and little crops.

The next morning turned to another leaf, which was that of a Chinese and an Englishman, and sprinkled in the same manner with gold, but on it delineated heads of cattle and hogs, the latter standing in the line in the manner that I never observed in any other painting.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY. The subscribers respectfully inform the public that they are prepared to execute all the best kinds of Cash bill selling prices...

SONS OF TEMPERANCE. The Regular meeting of the B. S. will be held on Tuesday evening...

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. All Traders and Commissioned, under the supervision of the Court of Equity for Chester District, are hereby notified to make their annual returns...

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Farmer's Department.

WORK FOR APRIL. It will be about too late when this number reaches most of our readers...

We think the secret of success lies more in good preparation than in the manner of planting...

The essay published in a former number has given in detail, pretty much all which we have to say on the subject of corn culture...

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TO MERCHANTS & GILBERS. 50 BARS, CARL MAGNUSIA. No. 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120.

THE FIRST WORKING OF COTTON IS generally little more than throwing the drill into benches. This is done with the hoe, by rapidly throwing the hoe...

be left very much to the discretion of the planter. When the furrow is laid, we think some other should follow pretty soon...

We have seen men in trouble all our lives by following their neighbors too implicitly...

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Sunmorning Reading.

POPPING THE QUESTION.—Mehltable, a young lady of thirty-nine who had never had a chance to change the alternative character of her name...

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No SABBATH.—In a "Prize Essay on the Sabbath," written by a journeyman printer in Scotland, occurs the following passage: "I have thought how the instruction of a Sabbath would happily improve the working classes of this world..."

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New Furniture Warehouse.

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