#### THE COURIER.

## THEATRIGAL.

### THE OLIVER.

Clyde Fitch, the author, is a Connecti- mal friends are there. He also has a in Coventry, Connecticut, and graduat- ticut, where the wild animals roam ed from Yale in 1773. One of his about in a sort of animal heaven and staunchest friends, who was also a Continental Captain with him, was William Hull, also a graduate of Yale, 1773. Then pretty Alice Adams, Nathan Hale's sweetheart, was born it Canterbury, Conneticut, and her father, Col. Adams, who was of New England's on Monday night, April 1st, and will be Adams, who was of New England's presented by Della Pringle and ber glorious contributions to the Revolu-tionary cause. The early scenes of the some play. Theatre goers positively play are laid in New London, Conn. It grow enthusiastic over the great battle may not be generally known that the Reverend E. E. Hale, the author of "A Man Without a Country" is a grandnephew of the Revolutionary martyr.

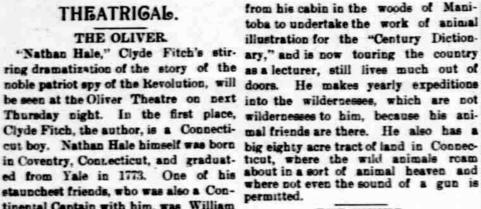
#### Sketch of Seton-Thompson.

The following article concerns Mr. Seton-Thompson, who will deliver two lectures at the Oliver Theatre, Saturday, April 5th, matinee and night:

Ernest Seton-Thompson, the distinguished author and lecturer, is about to begin his first lecture tour through the States of the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific Coast, under the management of Major J. B. Pond. For the past two seasons he has been speaking twice a day to eastern audiences in order to supply the demand for his lectures. There have been only two or three other such successes on the lecture platform during the past two decades.

Ernest Seton-Thompson looks like a man who has lived much out of doors and shaken himself free of restraints and conventionalities. Yet he is perfectly at home on the platform and nikau, deceased. Take notice, that Maria Schernikau has filed epeake with ease and natural straight- final report of her acts and doings as adminisforwardness and simplicity that is good tratrix of said estate and that said matter has to hear. Tall, gaunt, large-framed, with a shock of jet black hair and a complection dark as a Spaniard, one understands after seeing him why his printed portraits look so black. Yet he is not so black as he is painted.

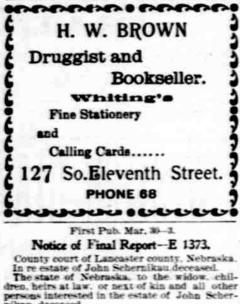
Mr. Seton-Thopmson was recalled



#### THE FUNKE.

"A Soldier to the King," one of the most successful plays seen in this country, comes to the Funke Opera House scene between the French and the Germans, the great duel and scone showing the guilotine in operation. Great spec ialties will be introduced between each act. A car load of special scenery is used in the production.

Ladies free tickets Monday night. Seats now on sale.



been set for hearing on April 26,1901, before said county court, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., at which time any person interested may appear and contest the same; and notice of this proceeding is ordered published for three weeks consecutively in The Courier of Lincoln, Dated March 27, 1901.

FRANK R. WATERS. County Judge. (SEAL.) By WALTER A. LEESE. Clerk County Court,



# Thursday, April 4.

Clyde Fitch's great play of the period of the American Revolution.

Entire original production exactly as seen during the long and memorable eugagements at the Nickerbocker Theatre. New York, and Powers' Theater, Chicago.

HOWARD KYLE & COMPANY

Seats on sale Tuesday 9 A. M. Prices \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c. 50cand 25c.

# SATURDAY, APRIL 6.

#### Matinoe, 2:30; Night 8;15.

Children's Day-The Great Friend of Wild Animals.

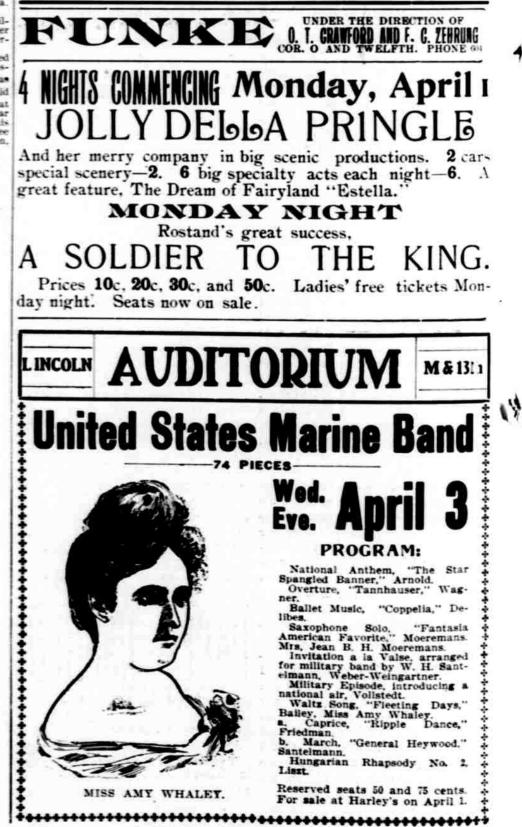
Two of His Great Illustrated Lectures.

"Personality of Wild Animals"-Saturday after-DOOD, April 6. "Wild Animals I Have Known"-Saturday evening, April 6.

Since October last, over 80,000 children and 75,000 grownups have attended these lectures, seen Mr. Seton-Thompson's beautiful animal pictures, and heard the wonderfu! stories of his experience with them.

All the Children of Lincoln are Invited to come and bring their parents, teachers and friends. They will see their Ani-mal Favorites. The Springfield For, Mollie Cottontail, Lobo and his Mate, Little Johnry. The Great Bears and many other Animal and Birds in his book.

Prices-Matinee, children 25c, adults 50c, any seat in the house, except boxes. Box seats \$1.00, children half price. Only boxes reserved at matinee, Evening prices 25c to \$1.00. children 50c any seat. Sale opens Thursday, 9 A. M.





Benefit April Ninth.