trol of the New York underground railroads, and of the elevated railroads. He is the gentleman who did not buy any underground tunnel on the East Side, because it is more profitable to pack foolish New Yorkers like sardines into the East Side elevated trains.

He is also the gentleman who ran away from the democratic party-to which he never really belonged-in 1896 and 1900, when his Lombard street instincts came to life, and his pocket told his brain to run. He d.d

#### An Old Rabbit Story.

We find in the esteemed Savannah Morning News this thinly concealed disparagement of The Post's pretensions to pre-eminence in rabbit research:

"The rabbit editor of the Washington Post has received and published a circumstantial story of a bunny that, attacked by a big hound, turned upon his tormentor and so seriously wounded him that the dog quit the fight howling and ran away and died. It is a very good rabbit story. But we submit that it is not quite so good as that narrative, which we printed some time ago, of the Georgia rabbit that fought and killed a rattlesnake and then made a meal off the snake's head. In support of the Georgia rabbit story, we saw a photograph of the

All we have to say on this point is that the story about the rattle-

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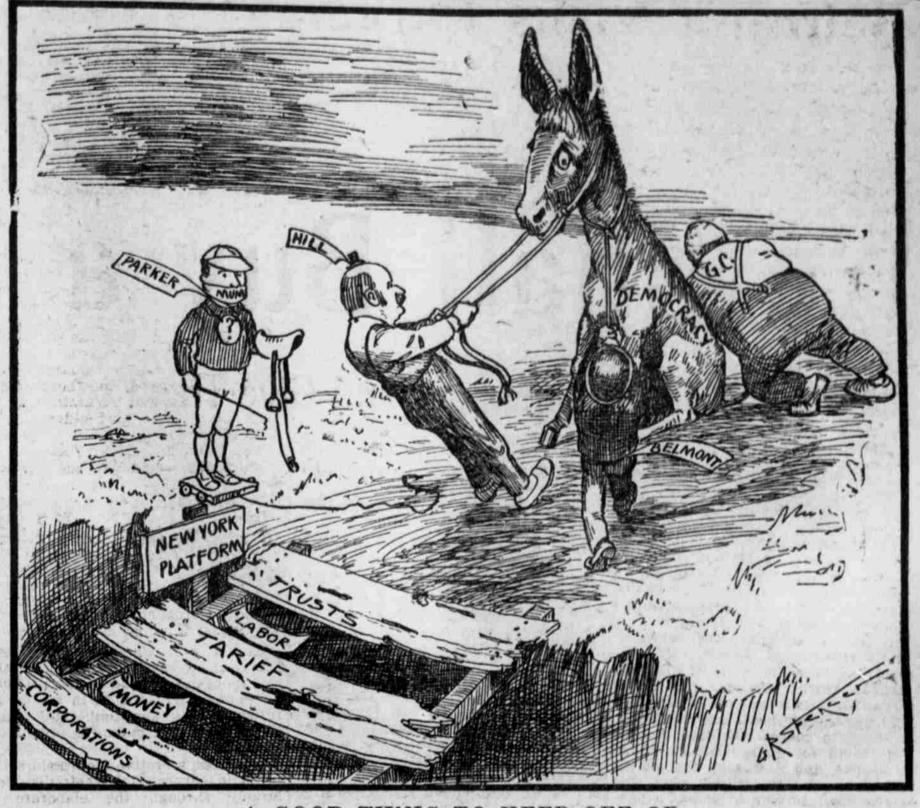
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snake is an old one. It is to be found in one of Mr. Ernest Thompson-Seton's books, and, therefore, has the sanction of the very highest authority. Mr. Thompson-Seton saw the deadly reptile as it advanced upon the rabbit's nest, and saw that dauntless animal attack it, with the fatal results already recorded. Moreover, The Post has more than once referred to the incident in support of rabbit theories which may have startled the thoughtless and uninformed, but which have never been successfully confuted.

It may be well to add that the Virginia incident of the murdered hound came to us duly authenticated, and is entitled to the most respectful, not to say unquestioning, acceptance. There is nothing the matter with our rabbit stories except the astonishment with which they are received by an honest but benighted minority.-Washington Post.

#### Caring for the Canary.

Nearly all ailments of the canary are caused by colds, improper foods or lack of care. The seeds put up in packages should not be used, as it is generally poor stuff, principally millet and hemp, neither of which should be given in large quantities. Millet acts as a laxative, and hemp causes fat and disease. Three-fourths of a pound of best canary seeds to one-fourth of several kinds equally mixed, is a good proportion. Do not feed the bird cakes and sweets. Always keep a piece of cuttlefish bone and a tiny bag of sulphur suspended in the cage. Rolled oats, German rape, Indian millet, Turkish mace seeds, with fine gravel, lettuce (seed or green), plaintein or fresh drinking water is important at pepper and tiny scraps of fat pork ing water. A red pepper pod should twice a week; if constipated, give be hung in the cage, as pepper is a should be kept clean and sweet, with

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