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O. H. Dockery has not yet accepted the nomination by the republican convention of this State for governor, though he has had ample time to consider the matter. It is reported that he is waiting to see whether the Chicago convention will nominate John Sherman, in which event he will decline to run for Governor.

Prince William, who by the death of his father yesterday, becomes Emperor of Germany, is 27 years of age, is married and has three children. He is said to be very unpopular with the masses. They rather fear that, as he has never been through any wars, he will not be as careful to guard against them as those who have preceeded him on the throne.

At a recent democratic county convention in Illinois, the following vigorus speech was made by a farmer: "You may be surprised to see Bill Bledsoe here. If it was a republican pow-wow I would need no introduction. For twenty years I have voted the republican national ticket. I will do so no longer. I am not there because I love the democratic party, but because I love myself. I am convinced that the democratic party of to-day is the friend of the laboring man. I was in the Union army and fought all through the war. I came home a republican, and have remained such until this year. The old bloody shirt has played out with me. It will not pay my taxes, nor will it raise the price of my farm products one cent, nor reduce the cost of the necessaries of life. If I am not badly mistaken 15,000 or 20,000 more farmers will do as I have done before the election in November—enough, at least to change the State of Illinois from a republican high tariff and high State tax camp to a reform tariff, or farmers protection State."

## GOVERNOR TAYLOR.

The Knoxville *Journal*, in referenee to the coming contest for United States Senator in Tennessee, says: "It may be, that if the fight between Harris and Atkins, which is just beginning, should wax warm, it may become necessary, in the interest of harmony in the democratic party to take up Governor Taylor and elect him to the senate. He has served his party long and faithfully. The duties of the senatorial office would be more congenial than those of governor. He is a born leader, as his successful management of his late campaign, when he was bitterly opposed by more than half the democratic press in the State will show. It may become necessary for him to cut the Gordion knot, tied by Harris and Atkins, by going to the senate himself.

## Anecdotes About Thurman.

Washington Cor. N. Y. Herald, 11th.

A friend of Judge Thurman, who knows him both in a social and business way, gave some interesting facts to the *Herald* correspondent to-day ahout the ex-Senator.

"To Judge from the newspaper stories," he said, "one would imagine that the Senator was a most inveterate snuff taker. Now, that idea is all wrong. The Senator uses snuff very moderately—in fact, I have often known the snuff in his box to become dry and caked up simply because he used it so sparingly. That shows you how moderate he is."

TEN CIGARS A DAY.

"By the way, did you ever hear anything about the Senator's smoking? No? Well, I thought not. Everybody knows that he is a snuff taker, but few have ever thought about his using tobacco in any other form. The truth is, the Judge smokes more than he snuffs; he will average ten cigars a day.

"Are they good or bad?"

"I am not much of a smoker, myself, but I should say they were of average strength."

"What kind of a snuff does he use?"

"It is the ordinary Scotch snuff, Maccaboy I think it is called. He carries it in a plain box, and, unlike the snuff takers of a century ago, has no weakness or vanity for fancy or expensive boxes."

THE BANDANA.

"What is the regulation Thurman bandana—linen, cotton or silk?"

"Silk, and although some of the papers have said linen they do not know what they are talking about. However, there is nothing peculiar about his bandana. It is the ordinary kind, such as can be bought in any store, and Mrs. Thurman has bought them for the Judge in this city and New York and other places. And while talking about that let me tell you that when the Judge wears a dress suit he always has a white handkerchief in his pocket."

"What is the Senator's home life like?"

"He is devotedly attached to Mrs. Thurman and his children, a son and two daughters, both of whom are married. He is simple in his habits. There is a good deal of the old school courtliness of manner about him, but he is never austere and frigid, and I have known him to be interrupted in the midst of matters of importance by some pronounced bore and yet he never displayed the slightest signs of impatience.

BIBLE READING.

"The Judge makes a practice of reading the Bible through in three languages every year. Every day he reads a chapter or so in Latin, French and English, and then he compares the three versions to see how they correspond."

"I suppose you are familiar with the newspaper story of Judge Thurman having kept a private bottle in his committee room when he was in the Senate?"

"I don't know about that, but I do know that there isn't a drop of liquor kept in the Judge's house. Mrs. Thurman is a strict believer in temperance and for that reason the Judge defers to her wishes and keeps no liquor on hand.

"The Judge reads a good deal. He sits up nearly every night until two and three o'clock in the morning studying historical, scientific and philosophical works. He is very kind to young men and has a special affection for them."

A Southern member of Congress says that the red bandana is going to make large numbers of negroes vote the Democratic ticket this fall, as they all use the red bandana, and the fact that it is the emblem of the Democratic party will inspire them with confiidence.

A Boston man in the trade, who was here today, said that all the New York wholesale houses have sold out their stocks of bandanas and that the New England mills are now running night and day to fill orders.

There is a "United Labor" ticket in the field, though we don't believe the fact is generally known. Robert H. Cowdry, of Illinois, and W. H. Wakefield, of Kansas, are the candidates for President and Vice President.

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