

Chamber of Commerce Will Have as Guests 2 Governors at Dinner Meeting on May 1

Gov. Vernon Thomson has accepted an invitation to attend the 45th annual meeting of the Racine Chamber of Commerce on May 1, George H. Wheary Jr., Chamber of Commerce president announced this week.



Thomson

The governor, in accepting the invitation, said the message of Gov. Luther H. Hodges, of North Carolina, should be of interest to all persons in Wisconsin who are concerned with industrial development. Gov.

Hodges will discuss "A State Governor Looks at Industry."

The North Carolina chief executive, a former vice president of Marshall Field & Co., is regarded as a southern leader in retaining and expanding industry, Wheary said.

Another state official who will attend the Chamber of Commerce annual meeting is Robert L. Koob, director of the Wisconsin division of Industrial Development.



Hodges

Features of the annual meeting will be a presentation of a 100th anniversary award to Porter Furniture Co., and the annual Chamber of Commerce report.

Gov. Thomson and Mayor Jack H. Humble will deliver short addresses of welcome from the state of Wisconsin and the city of Racine.

Wheary said an estimated 1,000 persons would attend the 6:30 p.m. dinner meeting at Memorial Hall. Invitations have been sent to all members of the Racine Chamber of Commerce, state industrial development groups, and local representa-