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Governor Smith will be the principal speaker at a dinner on Tuesday under the auspices of the Coney Island Chamber of Commerce in the new Half Moon Hotel, Coney Island, in the twelfth floor of which has been arranged to be his Summer home. He is to speak there also at another dinner on Thursday. Mayor Walker and other city officials will speak on Tuesday.

Situated on the widest boardwalk in the world, the hotel is far enough from the various amusements of the island, it is said, to assure privacy. It contains many innovations, and special praise has been bestowed on the Gal-
leon grill room. The first event in connection with the opening will be this afternoon when more than 3,000 persons will be guests of the American Hotels Corporation at a tea and dance. The hotel is to be open for business on Friday.