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## Spaniards Score Smashing Success

Local townspeople and college students had an opportunity to see one of Spain's most popular and exciting song-and-dance companies when José Molina's Bailes Espanoles appeared at the College auditorium Monday night, February 7.

The handsome young company of ten Flamenco dancers, singers and instrumentalists scored

a spectacular overnight success when it premiered in Washington, D. C. in May of 1962. When the company returned to the Capital the next year, the Washington Evening Star critic wrote, "With those who know Flamenco dancing best, it's José Molina all the way!" Señor Molina is a protege of the great Flamenco dancer, See SPANIARDS page 4



To Make World Tour



Flamenco Dancing, Folkmusic

## Danforth Visiting Lecturer To Speak Here March 2-3

Dr. José María Chaves, a distinguished international lawyer, diplomat, educator, and authority on Cervantes, will be on campus March 2-3, as a Danforth Visiting Lecturer.

A native of Colombia, Dr. Chaves attended the Instituto de la Salla, and the Superior Normal School in Bogota, where he pursued studies in anthropology. He holds the degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence from the University of Bogota, and Masters of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from Columbia University in New York.

In this country Dr. Chaves has represented Colombia as a diplomat in Washington and at the United Nations. This great public servant also helped establish the first public high school in Bogota in 1941, and the first private university in Colombia--the University of the Andes--and became its first dean of the faculty. He sponsored the formation of a United States of Latin America for commerce, integration and development of the region.

### LECTURES

Here at Louisburg Dr. Chaves will give a public lecture on "Latin America, the New Frontier." This talk is a comprehensive survey of Latin America with particular emphasis on close relationship with the United States and the need for continental solidarity. At a student convocation he will speak on "The Cultures and Civilizations of Latin America," giving an interpretation of intellectual, artistic and scientific accomplishments of the Latin American peoples and a comprehensive analysis of their way of life.

In two informal meetings he will discuss "Patterns of Political and Social Progress in Latin America", and "The Alliance for Progress and the Future of Democracy in the Western Hemisphere."

Campus visits by Dr. Chaves are made possible by the Danforth Visiting Lecturers project begun in 1957 and sponsored jointly by the Danforth Foundation and the Association of American Colleges. The purpose of this program is "to strengthen the intellectual, the religious, and the cultural aspects of a liberal education in the United States."

Dr. Chaves is one of several scholars from this country and abroad chosen by the Foundation and the Association's Arts Program for campus visits during the current academic year.



Dr. José Chaves

## deHart In Who's Who

Professor H. Allen de Hart has been chosen to be included in the 1965-66 edition of WHO'S WHO IN THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.

This reference work gives biographical sketches of people of intra-sectional or national importance. Mr. de Hart, chosen by the editors last winter, met the occupational stature and achievement qualifications in one of the many fields of development in the United States.

De Hart is a native of Patrick County, Virginia. He is presently the Director of Testing and Guidance, and Director of Cultural Activities at Louisburg College.

Mr. de Hart did his undergraduate work at the University of Maryland, High Point College, and the University of Heidelberg, Germany. He received his Master's Degree from the University of Virginia, and did additional graduate work at Duke University and Florida State. Through the course of his education he was a member of three national honor societies, one social fraternity, and one religious fraternity.

From 1948-54 de Hart served in the United States Army. During this time he graduated from the Army General School, the Artillery School and the Adjutant General's School. De Hart worked two years with the Army Courier Service and had the opportunity to visit over 34 foreign countries.

His Colonial History of Prince George County, Virginia, was published in 1957 with funds provided by the Hopewell Historical Society. In the journalistic field de Hart worked as a columnist for The Danville Commercial Appeal and as a free lance writer for the Danville Register. In addition to this literary experience, he has published several articles in the field of psychology.

He founded the German-American Arts Union in 1952, an organization dedicated to the cultural exchange of young artists. Through this organization concert artists have made successful concert tours to America. This organization is now under the Lutheran Church in Germany.

At present Mr. de Hart is a  
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