

The Cornell Daily Sun

Keith R. Johnson '56 Digital Archive

Frosh Class Plans to Aid Chilean Univ [ARTICLE]

Cornell Daily Sun, Volume LXXVII, Issue 90, 23 February 1961, Page 1

Frosh Class Plans to Aid Chilean Univ.

As the Freshman Class Project, the Class of '64 has announced plans for a fund-raising drive to gain financial aid for the University of Chile. The University, located in Santiago, suffered great damage from the 1960 earthquakes.

Steven Crawford '64, President of Mennen Residential Hall has been put in charge of the project and Jose M. Gomez '64 is chairman of publicity. The project committee hopes to raise at least \$5,000 from the fund drive in answer to a plea from the University of Chile to support their reconstruction of facilities.

The drive will include a variety show on March 3 at 8.30 p.m. featuring foreign student groups, the Sherwoods, and the Kingsmen, a Dixie band.

University President Deane W. Malott and Governor Nelson A. Rockefeller have fully endorsed the project. Supplementing it will be a campus-wide subscription drive and full publicity including radio advertising.

Aiding the University was selected as a class project for the improvement of the moral health of our, and the South American community, the fostering of international good will and aiding those who are seeking goals common to our own.

During the earthquake catastrophe, five thousand people were killed at the University, and one-third of its physical plant was

destroyed

This article has been automatically clipped from the Cornell Daily Sun, organised into a single column, then optimised for display on your computer screen. As a result, it may not look exactly as it did on the original page. The article can be seen in its original form in the page view.

Copyright 2005, Cornell University Library