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**“ If you listen to the earth
you will hear me running,
submerged, singing, ”**

Pablo Neruda

In Britain...

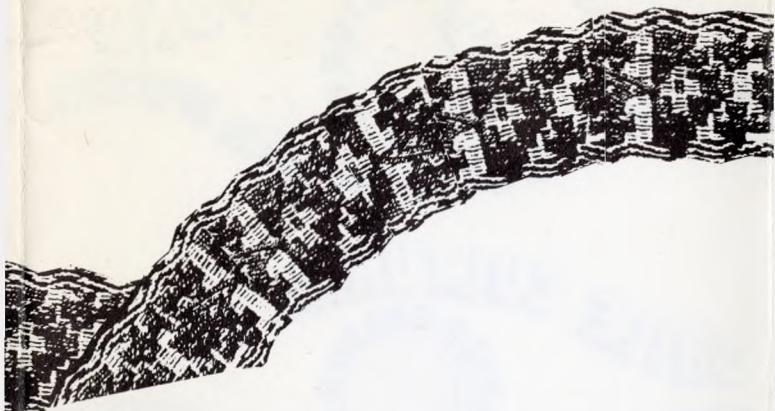
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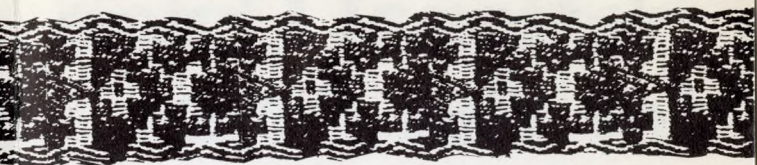
The CHILE CULTURAL FUND has been set up by the CHILE COMMITTEE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS and will be administered by it. Its objective is to provide artists in Chile with financial assistance for their work in keeping alive the Chilean cultural tradition amidst continuing repression and in giving expression to their desire for freedom.

Book-burning, censorship and the persecution of artists—detention, torture, murder and enforced exile—have characterized the military regime. In spite of this, cultural activity has not ceased. Those artists remaining in Chile, together with a new generation, are working in all fields of the arts, undaunted by restrictions, blacklisting, general harassment and desperate economic problems. Theatre groups, art galleries, music and dance groups, literary workshops and indigenous cultural centres exist, struggling to carry on in the face of such fundamental difficulties.

They need help to continue their struggle; money to buy the materials indispensable for their work; money to survive.

The CCF has been established to provide them with this help.

Your assistance is needed. All that is given will be multiplied by many creative hands.



“Every person has the right to take part freely in the cultural life of the community to enjoy the arts and to participate in scientific progress and the benefits that result from it.”

Article 27 of the UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS is the basis of the Declaration of Principles of the ‘Union Nacional por la Cultura’—the **NATIONAL UNION FOR THE ARTS**—an unofficial organization recently created in Chile which the Chile Cultural Fund will support. It is the initiative of a large number of intellectuals, artists and cultural bodies.


The National Union for the Arts states that: “The situation has become extremely serious in the last few years. The basic principles of participation and freedom of expression have been violated. Without them, true and authentic artistic creation cannot exist and it is impossible for the community as a whole to participate in creative activities.”

Its principal objective is “the real and guaranteed possibility of all groups and individuals to express themselves, to communicate, act and create freely, in order to ensure their own development, a harmonious life and the cultural progress of society.”

In Chile...

National Union for the Arts

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