

Reader Reviews

Souther strikes

Souther-Hillman-Furay Band
Asylum
7E-1006

There is a certain past-time that all John David Souther fanatics like me have become highly-practiced in - waiting!! We wait for J.D. Souther to write the ultimate song-of-songs about Southern California landscapes, wholesome women, and assorted urban cowboys. J. D. Souther, a very underrated but influential leader of the whole Southern California music scene, is no newcomer in the rock-music business. He, along with Jackson Browne, David Crosby, and Graham Nash, have been working together for years as vocalists on each other's albums, ad and studio work for the Eagles, Joni Mitchell and Linda Ronstadt.

All of this is not to ignore the S.H.F. Band's other members by favoring its most talented and enigmatic one. For Hillman and Furay certainly aren't lacking in credentials. Chris Hillman was formerly of the Flying Burrito Bros. and Richie Furay being with Poco for seven years. It's just that this was supposed to be an album that could have been the year's best, not just an album that "makes it", and that is all that it is.

Having had the good fortune of hearing J.D. Souther some years ago as a solo, I have no doubt that his contributions to the album are the strongest and most meaningful. Hillman and Furay contribute their usual sample of good material, but nothing to get excited about.

So, the album "makes it", but it's not what it might have been or even the most memorable disc of the year. S.H. & F. along with Jim Gordon (drums), Al Perkins (steel guitar, dobro), and Paul Harris (keyboards) are without a doubt cooking-up something nice for their next album. Catch them live if you can and buy the album if you want some good solid music.

I'll still be waiting, thinking about how good-how great the second album will be.

-Jim Luciani

Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE OF CONTEST	TIME
Feb. 7	Schuykill Campus (PSU)	CAPITOL CAMPUS	7:30 pm
Feb. 10	Mont Alto Campus (PSU)	Mont Alto, Pa.	7:00 pm
Feb. 11	Lackawanna Jr. College	CAPITOL CAMPUS	7:30 pm
Feb. 13	Stevens Trade School	CAPITOL CAMPUS	7:30 pm
Feb. 18	Spring Garden College	CAPITOL CAMPUS	8:00 pm
Feb. 21	Delaware Campus (PSU)	CAPITOL CAMPUS	8:00 pm
Feb. 26	Wilmington College	New Castle, Del.	8:00 pm

Consumers clutch purses

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want to curb the severity of the 1975 downturn, since profits provide the cash flow for capital outlays and jobs. "But Congress is myopic on this cash flow problem," says Dean McKinley, "and will probably aggravate the recession, rather than alleviate it."

---The difference between a recession and a depression is whether capital goods do or do not fall apart. The is why the President and Congress are supporting a rise in the investment credit on taxes to 12 percent.

To A Friend

by Ken Silverstein

To ask you not to cry
Would be to live a lie
And to change nothing.
To pretend you feel no pain
Would be to deny tomorrow
And play the fool.
For I know that hurt
I've tasted those tears
And I've felt the fear
of ill-spent years—
It's barely disappeared.
I can only hold you tight
Sharing some of your pain
Stealing a few of your tears
Giving you some of my strength
Some of my warmth
To soothe your chilling loneliness
Lest you forget
The beauty of life
The meaning of love
The joy of "tomorrow".
To a smile.... Your own!
And you'll breathe freely
And sense your life as your own
And you will be beautiful!
For you will surely love as strongly
But never again hurt so deep.

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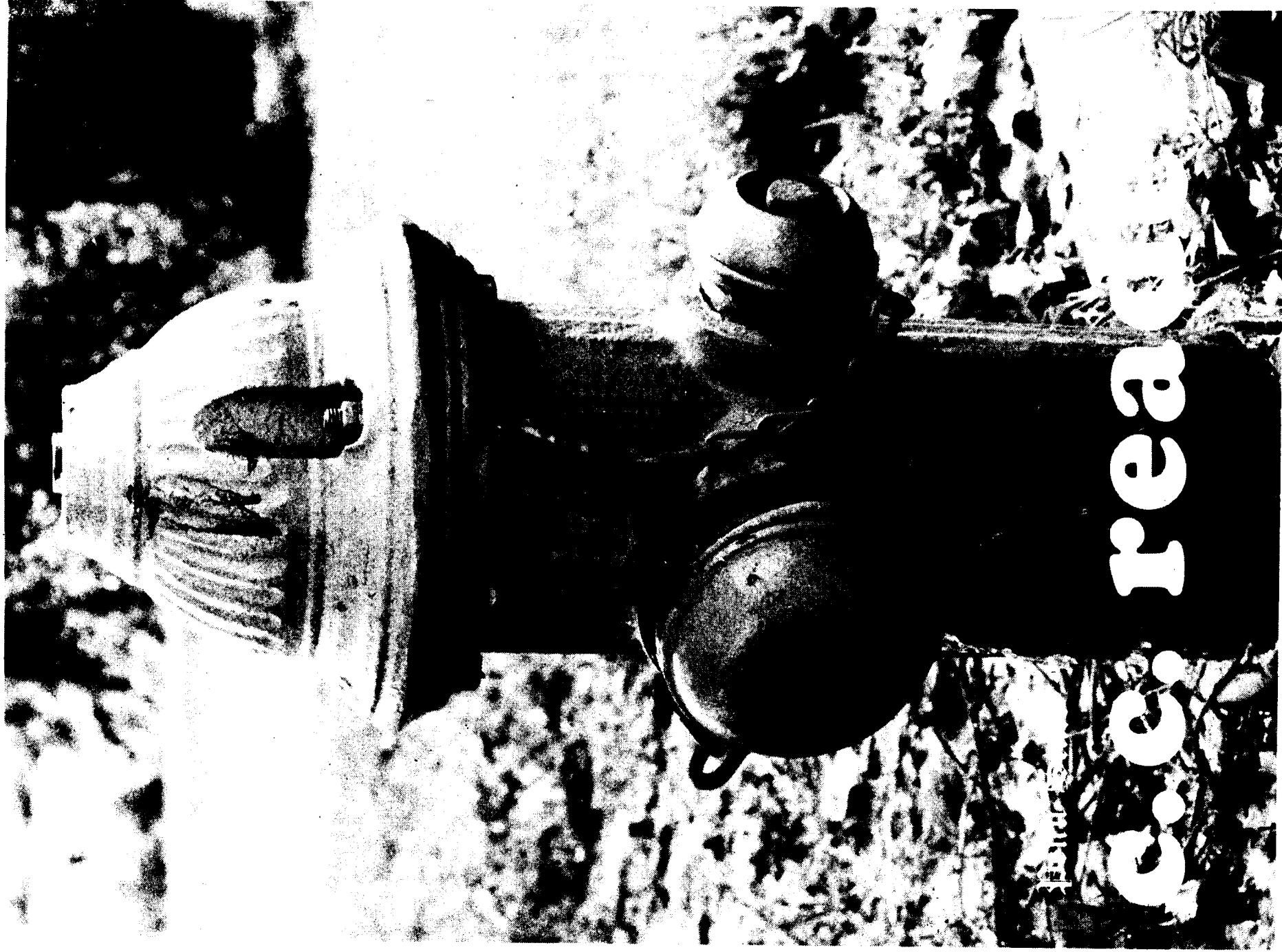
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