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54th & O STS. Today at 6:15, 8:05, 9:55 Sat. and Sun. at 1:00, 2:45. 4:30, 6:15, 8:05, 9:55 STARTS TODAY!! THE MOST SHOCKING EPISODE IN THE HISTORY OF HUMAN SURVIVAL! THE RE-CHEATION OF THE PLANE CINEN o Presents A Subert Stigmont / Allen Carr Pr Produced by Connecise and Reno Cordena, Jr. Birected by Rose Corder le Culer A Paramount Release

'Hard ass'.

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There are certainly heavy blues influences, but don't get comfortable with that. He'll flash classical at you and come back with a clean jazz riff on his way to a folk base. For those of American base, who need a pigeon-holed classification of Fahey's style, all you can come up with is that he plays one hell of a mean guitar.

Jungian overtones Veteran reviewer Paul Nelson tried to describe the "Fahey Vision" like this: "1) he plays a John Ford guitar with Jungian overtones, hitting as many archetypes as he can; 2) he creates a lonesome, truly American flamenco music, steel strings fastened to death and eternity; 3) his playing conjures up not the rocks but the spaces between the rocks, ala Godard and other poets."

Fahey was instrumental in setting up the up the Minnesota independent record company, Tokoma Records. Be-sides recording Leo Kottke and Peter Lang at one time, it also was the finest and most complete catalog of dulcimer and other folk music currently available. One of the finest comtemporary guitar albums on the market is on Tokoma, and it features Kottke, Land and Fahey in an incredible variety of moods.

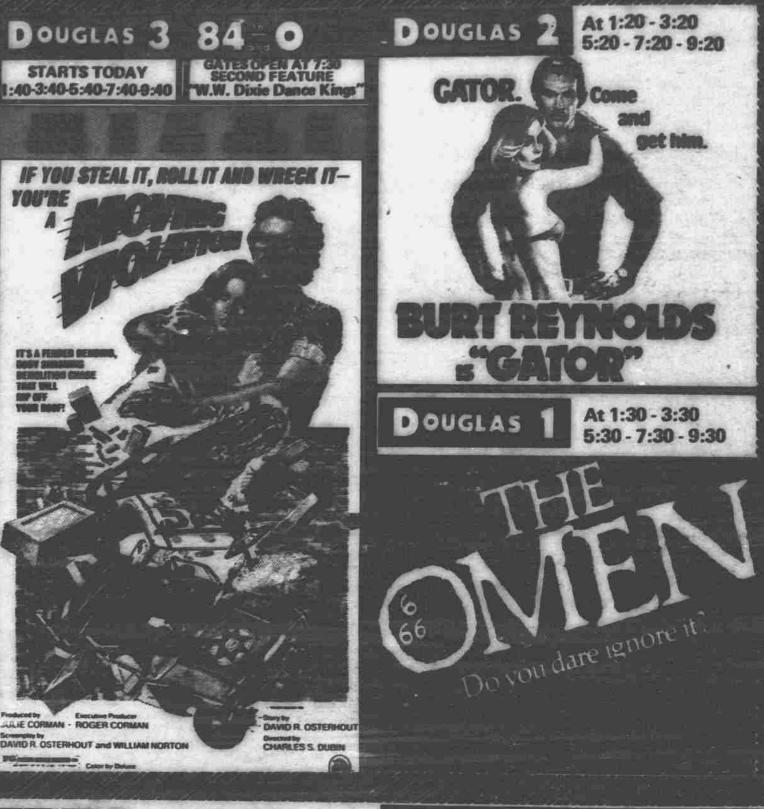
Fahey differs from the two. With the obvious limitations of a twelve string guitar, Kottke tends to sound muddled in comparison with Fairry. Lang tends to be simpler and more direct. All three together could part the Red Sea with their talent. Fahey could walk across it. Misued instrume

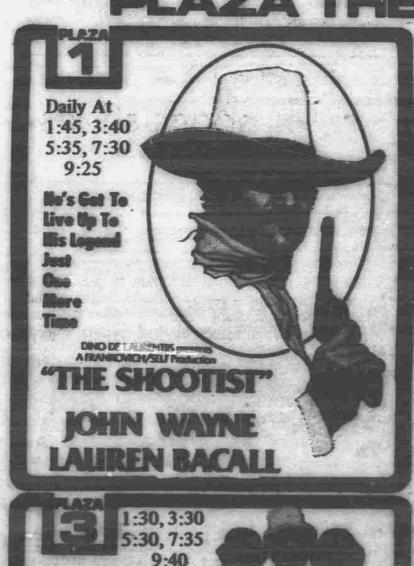
The guitar is a much misused instrument. It has been pounded on by more hacks than probably any other instrument-in tune and out.

There is a subtlety to a well-played guitar that can corner you with an emotional intensity that can rock you from anger to self pity and sadness, and then still mellow you to a point of comprehension.

Fahey's playing is a trip. He treats the guitar with respect while totally mastering the sound and mood. The things they say about Fahey may be true; he may be hard

He looks tough enough, but very few people can equal the depth of his record and concert work. If Fahey won't talk, his music certainly speaks for him. I bet he's a pussycat.





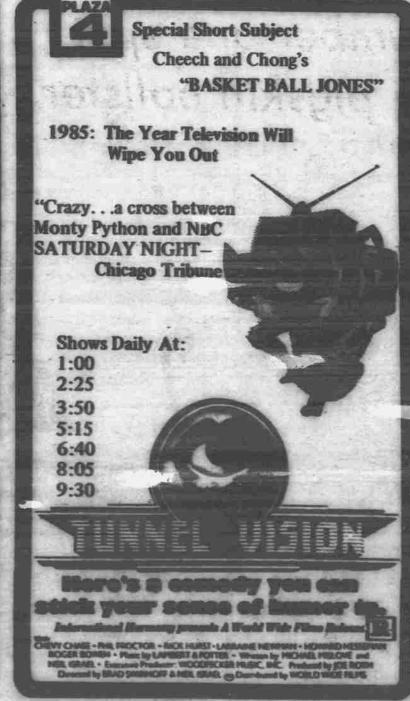
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