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CATALOG #: SC337
RELEASE DATE: JUNE 3, 2016
FORMAT: CD/LP/CASSETTE/DIGITAL

CD BOX LOT: 30
LP BOX LOT: 40
CASSETTE BOX LOT: 250

GENRE: ALTERNATIVE
KEY MARKETS: CHICAGO, LOS ANGELES, NEW YORK CITY, PORTLAND

TERRITORY RESTRICTIONS: NOT AVAILABLE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA
VINYL NOT RETURNABLE

CASSETTE UPC: 656605033709



CD UPC: 656605033723



LP UPC: 656605033716



COLORED LP UPC: 656605033730



DIGITAL UPC: 656605033754



ABOUT THE ALBUM

Formed from the core of guitarist Max Kakacek (ex-Smith Westerns) and singing drummer Julien Ehrlich (ex-Unknown Mortal Orchestra), to say that Whitney is more than the sum of its parts would be a criminal understatement. The band itself is something bigger, something visionary, something neither of them could have accomplished alone. Their debut, *Light Upon The Lake*, marks the culmination of a short, but incredibly intense, creative period for the band.

Chicago's Whitney arrive as a fully formed gang of outsiders, their album rich in the musical history of the classic bands of the '60s and '70s. "I'm searching for those golden days," sings Ehrlich, with a subtle ripple of something that sounds like hope, on the track "Golden Days." It's a song that defines Whitney as a band. "There's a lot of true feeling behind these songs," says Ehrlich. "We wanted them to have a part of our personalities in them. We wanted the songs to have soul."

Classic and modern at the same time, they revel in concrete details, evocative turns of phrase, and thorny emotions that don't have exact names. These ten songs on *Light Upon The Lake* sound like they could have been written at any time in the last fifty years.

TRACK LIST

SIDE A:

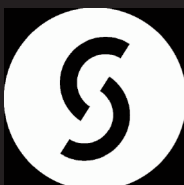
1. No Woman
2. The Falls
3. Golden Days
4. Dave's Song
5. Light Upon The Lake

SIDE B:

6. No Matter Where We Go
7. On My Own
8. Red Moon
9. Polly
10. Follow

SELLING POINTS

- "No Woman," first single off album, was named Best New Track by Pitchfork, was included on Spotify's Viral Charts for numerous European countries, and the video has over 100,000 views on YouTube
- US tour planned for Spring: opening for Wild Nothing in April and Unknown Mortal Orchestra in May
- Band will perform at numerous SXSW showcases, including Aquarium Drunkard's
- Profiled in The Guardian (New Band of the Week), The Fader (Generation F), and NME Under The Radar, among other publications
- Limited pressings of red cassettes and translucent blue vinyl available at release date



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