

Dixie Conference Spring Championships

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MACON, Ga., May 20 — The Florida State University Seminoles ran their string of Dixie Conference championships to five here today as they scored easy victories in golf, tennis and track.

The Indians, who had previously copped the conference crowns in football and baseball, experienced little trouble in golf and tennis but were forced to extend their best efforts to beat out a tough Mercer track team.

The golfers won over second place Mercer University of Macon by an unbelievable 77 strokes (64 holes, medal play, four-man teams). And the netters trimmed Florida Southern College of Lakeland, the nearest opponent, 19-11.

The Florida State track team found the going much tougher, winning with 71 points to 61½ for Mercer, 43 7/10 for Mississippi College and 38 1/5 for Florida Southern.

Individual Honors

Individual tennis honors were taken by Herb Quay of FSU in the Class B singles, Bob Lanigan of FSU in Class C singles, Quay and Don Seiffert in the doubles. George Winchell of Florida Southern successfully defended his Class A singles crown by edging Seiffert of the Indians in a three-set match.

Sonny Tinney of Florida State set a new medal score record in defending his individual Dixie Conference golf title. The lanky Tallahasseean, who only three weeks ago got back on the links after being out of action all season with a broken wrist, negotiated the tournament's 54 holes in 214 strokes—two under par for the course. He was followed in order by three of his teammates: Dick Montney—218, Ted Hewitt—226, Joe Bassett—231.

Florida Southern's team dropped out of the tournament before completing the initial 36 holes.

Nip and Tuck

The track meet was a nip and tuck battle all the way with Bob Reeder of Mercer and Tom Bowman of Florida State battling it out for individual honors. Reeder took the cup with four first places and a final total of 20¾ points to Bowman's 20¾.

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records were set during the meet, five of them by Florida State University performers. The record breakers were Pete Frascchetti (FSU) in the half mile, Hannon Miller (Miss College) in mile run, Tom Bowman (FSU) in high hurdles, Aubuer Kinsaul (Mercer) in two-mile run, Captain Brick Bradford (FSU) in shot put, Jim Templon (FSU) in discus throw, Joe Fracassi (FSU) in pole vault, and the mile relay team of Florida State (Rickey Mahoney, Dick Mize, Frank Pearson, Tom Bowman).

TENNIS

Dixie Conference tennis tournament: Class A singles: Seiffert (FSU) defeated Brynmour (FSC) 6-0, 6-0; Winchell (FSC) defeated Parker (M) 6-4, 6-0. Finals—Winchell defeated Seiffert 6-4, 6-1.

Class B singles: Sam Smith (FSU) defeated Owley (FSC) 6-0, 6-2; Quay (FSU) defeated Holland (FSC) default. Finals—Quay defeated Smith 6-2, 6-0.

Class C singles: Lanigan (FSU) defeated Lange (FSC) 6-0, 6-0; Boda (FSU) defeated Gregg (FSC) 6-4, 6-4. Finals—Lanigan defeated Boda 4-6, 6-2, 8-2.

Doubles (all in one tournament): Seiffert and Quay (FSU) defeated Dickson and Smith (FSU) 6-4, 6-4; Winchell and Owley (FSC) defeated Darden and Smith (O) 6-3, 6-0. Finals—Quay and Seiffert defeated Winchell and Owley 6-2, 8-7.

Final team standings: Florida State University 19, Florida Southern College 11, Mercer University 4, Oglethorpe University 2.

GOLF

Dixie Conference golf tournament, summaries:

Soumy Tinney (FSU) 73-71-70-214; Dick Montney (FSU) 70-71-77-218; Ted Hewitt (FSU) 77-77-72-226; Joe Bassett (FSU) 73-79-79-231; Jack Gillan (Mercer) 54 hole score—236.

Final team standings: Florida State University 880; Mercer University 968; Florida Southern College (withdrew before completing 36 holes).

TRACK

Dixie Conference track meet, summaries (each event winner, then names of Florida State and Florida Southern who placed in each event):

100-yard dash: Reeder (Mercer), 2—Bowman (FSU), 3—McKenna (FSC); time 18 3/5 seconds.

220-yard dash: Reeder (Mercer), 2—Bowman (FSU), 3—McKenna (FSC); time 23.5 seconds.

440-yard dash: Mize (FSU), 3—Pearson (FSU); time 52.6 seconds.

880-yard dash: Frascchetti (FSU), 2—Pearson (FSU); time 2 minutes 2.7 seconds. (New conference record).

Mile run: Miller (Miss Col), 2—Duncan (FSU); time 4 minutes 32.2 seconds. (New conference record).

Low hurdles: Seasums (Miss Col), 2—Watson (FSU), 4—Brush (FSC); time 27 3/5 seconds.

High hurdles: Bowman (FSU), 5—Watson (FSU); time 15.9 seconds. (New conference record).

Two-mile run: Kinsaul (Mercer), 4—Duncan (FSU), 5—Flaming (FSC); time 10 minutes, 32 seconds. (New conference record).

Javelin: Templon (FSC), 2—Rodger (FSU), 5—Vickers (FSC); 165 feet 11 inches.

Shot put: Bradford (FSU), 4—Templon (FSC), 5—Bowman (FSU); 42 feet 9 5/8 inches. (New conference record).

Discus: Templon (FSC), 2—Bradford (FSU), 4—Fox (FSU); 124 feet 6 inches. (New conference record).

Pole vault: Fracassi (FSU), 2—Warner (FSC), tied for third with four others—Marshburn; 11 feet 6 inches. (New conference record).

High jump: Reeder (Mercer), 5—Bowman (FSU); 6 feet 2 inches.

Broad jump: Reeder (Mercer), 2—Bowman (FSU); 21 feet 4 1/2 inches.

One-mile relay: Florida State (Mahoney, Mize, Pearson, Bowman), 5—Florida Southern; time 3 minutes, 31.6 seconds. (New conference record).

Final team standings: Florida State University 71; Mercer University 61 2/3; Mississippi College 43 7/10; Florida Southern College 36 1/3; Howard College 2; Oglethorpe University 8 7/10.

Individual high scorer for meet: Reeder (Mercer) 29% points; 2—Bowman (FSU) 29% points.

DIXIE CONFERENCE TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Macon, Georgia, May 20, 1950.

- 100 yds: 10.3.5s -- 1, Reeder (M); 2, Bowman (FSU); 3, McKenna (FSC);
4, Hattan (Miss); 5, ~~Sm~~ Sims (H).
- 220 yds: 23.5s -- 1, Reeder (M); 2, Bowman (FSU); 3, McKenna (FSC);
4, Burks (M) and Hattan (Miss).
- 440 yds: 52.6s -- 1, Mize (FSU); 2, Stribling (Miss); 3, Pearson (FSU);
4, Burts (M); 5, Cassel (Miss).
- 880 yds: 2m 2.7s -- Frascchetti (FSU); ~~Larry~~ 2, Leroy (M); 3,
Mahoney (FSU); 4, Bethea (H); 5, Stratton (Miss).
- One mile: 4m 32.2s -- 1, Miller (Miss); 2, Duncan (FSU); 3, Sheldon (Miss);
4, Benson (M); 5, Kolpatrick (M).
- Two miles: 10m 32s -- 1, Kinsaul (M); 2, Miller (Miss); 3, Benson (M);
4, Duncan (FSU); 5, Fleming (FSC).
- 120 yds high hurdles: 15.9s -- 1, Bowman (FSU); 2, Murphy (Miss);
3, Johnson (M); 4, Griffin (H); 5, Watson (FSU).
- 220 yds low hurdles: 27.3.5s -- 1, Sessums (Miss); 2, Watson (FSU);
3, Murphy (Miss); 4, Brush (FSC); 5, Johnson (M).
- High jump: 6ft 2in -- 1, Reeder (M); 2, Stratton (Miss); 3, Tanner ~~(0)~~
(0) and Colquitt (M); 5, Bowman (FSU).
- Broad Jump: 21ft 4 1/8in -- 1, Reeder (M); 2, Bowman (FSU); 3,
Thomblason (FSU); 4, Flowers (M); 5, Kennedy (Miss).
- Pole vault: 11ft 6in -- 1, Fracassi, (FSU); 2, Warner (FSC); 3,
Tanner (0), Clement (M), Kennedy (Miss), Mount (M) and
Marshburn (FSC).
- Shot put: 42ft 9 5/8in -- 1, Bradford (FSU); 2, Tanner (0); 3,
Lunsford (M); 4, Templon (FSC); 5, Bowman (FSU).
- Discus throw: 124ft 6in -- 1, Templon (FSC); 2, Bradford (FSU);
3, Clements (M); 4, Fox (FSU); 5, Tanner (0).
- Javelin throw: 168ft 11in -- 1, Templon (FSC); 2, Rodger (FSU);
3, Clements (M); 4, Bethea (H); 5, Vickers (FSC).
- Mile relay: 3m 31.6s -- ~~Ex~~ 1, Florida State (Mahoney, Mize, Pearson,
Bowman); 2, Mississippi College; 3, Mercer; 4, Howard; 5, Florida
Southern College.

POINTS SCORED: Florida State University 74, Mercer University 61 2/5,
Mississippi College 43 7/10, Florida Southern College 28 1/5,
~~Oglethorpe University~~ Howard College 9, Oglethorpe University 8 7/10.

High scoring individual: ~~Ex~~ 1, Bob Reeder (M), 20 3/4; 2, Tom Bowman
(FSU), 20 1/4.

Results of the second annual Dixie Conference Track Meet held in Macon,
Georgia on May 20, 1950.

Team scores:

Florida State-----	74
Mercer-----	61 4/10
Miss. Colloge-----	43 7/16
Florida Southern-----	28 1/5
Howard-----	9
Oglethorpe-----	8 7/10

100 Yd. Dash

1. Reeder	Mercer	10.35
2. Bowman	Fla. St.	
3. McKenna	Fla. Sou.	
4. Hattan	Miss. C.	
5. Sims	Howard	

220 Yd. Dash

1. Reeder	Mercer	23.5
2. Bowman	Fla. St.	
3. McKenna	Fla. Sou.	
4. Tie between		
Hattan	Miss. C.	
and		
Burks	Mercer	

440 Yd. Run

1. Mize	Fla. St.	52.6
2. Stribling	Miss. C.	
3. Pearson	Fla. St.	
4. Burks	Mercer	
5. Cassel	Miss. C.	

880 Yd. Run

1. Frascchetti	Fla. St.	2:02.7
2. Leroy	Mercer	
3. Mahoney	Fla. St.	
4. Bethea	Howard	
5. Stratton	Miss. C.	

Mile Run

1. Miller	Miss. C.	4:32.2
2. Duncan	Fla. St.	
3. Shelton	Miss. C.	
4. Benson	Mercer	
5. Kilpatrick	Mercer	

Two Mile Run

1. Kinsaul	Mercer	10:32.6
2. Miller	Miss. C.	
3. Benson	Mercer	
4. Duncan	Fla. St.	
5. Fleming	Fla. Sou.	

120 Yd. High Hurdles

1. Bowman	Fla. St.	15.9
2. Murphy	Miss. C.	
3. H. Johnson	Mercer	
4. Groffith	Howard	
5. Watson	Fla. St.	

220 Yd. Low Hurdles

1. Sessums	Miss. C.	27.35
2. Watson	Fla. St.	
3. Murphy	Miss. C.	
4. Brush	Fla. Sou.	
5. H. Johnson	Mercer	

Polo Vault

1. Fracassi	Fla. St.	11'6"
2. Warner	Fla. Sou.	
3. Five way tie among		
Mount	Mercer	
Marshburn	Fla. Sou.	
Tanner	Oglethorpe	
Kennedy	Miss. C.	
Clements	Mercer	

High Jump

1. Reeder	Mercer	6'2"
2. J. Stratton	Miss. C.	
3. Tie between		
Tanner	Oglethorpe	
and		
Colquitt	Mercer	
5. Bowman	Fla. St.	

Broad Jump

1. Reeder	Mercer	21'4 1/8"
2. Bowman	Fla. St.	
3. Thombleson	Fla. St.	
4. Flowers	Mercer	
5. Kennedy	Miss. C.	

Shot Put

1. Bradford	Fla. St.	42'9 5/8"
2. Tanner	Oglethorpe	
3. Luncelford	Mercer	
4. Templon	Fla. Sou.	
5. Bowman	Fla. St.	

Javelin

1. Templon	Fla. Sou.	168'11"
2. Rodger	Fla. St.	
3. Clements	Mercer	
4. Bethea	Howard	
5. Vickers	Fla. Sou.	

Discus

1. Templon	Fla. Sou.	124'6"
2. Bradford	Fla. St.	
3. Clements	Mercer	
4. Fox	Fla. St.	
5. Tanner	Oglethorpe	

Mile Relay

1. Fla. State	3:31.6
2. Miss. College	
3. Mercer	
4. Howard	
5. Fla. Southern	