## From the Tallahassee Democrat February 28, 1982 Page 62

## FSU wins three events

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Ronnie Taylor won the 440-meter dash, with a time of 48.4, for Florida State at the Metro Conference Invitational Indoor Track and Field Meet Saturday.

The Seminoles only took five runners to the meet, with Philip Rolle and the mile relay team also winning their events. The five have already qualified for the NCAA championship meet, but they used the meet to familiarize themselves with the the track.

"This is the only time this year we've had the opportunity to run on a track similiar to the one being used at the nationals this year," said FSU coach Dick Roberts. "As you can see I'm very pleased with the results."

Florida State will travel to Gainesville to run in Friday's Florida Fast Time Invitational at the Stephen O'Connell Center before going to the national meet the following week at the Silverdome in Pontiac, Michigan.

440-meter dash — 1. Ronnie Taylor 48.4; 800-meter dash — 1. Philip Rolle 1:52.5; 1600-meter relay — 1. (Reggie Ross, Lee McKenzie, P. Rolle, R. Taylor) 3:17.4; 55-meter high hur-

dles — 2. L. McKenzie 7.47; Triple jump — 3. Leon Hutchins 50'0.

## Metro Indoor

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Summaries of Saturday's final events in the Metro Invitational indoor track meet at Virginia Tech (running events in meters unless otherwise specified):

35-pound weight — 1, Joe Freeland, Radford T.C., 47-4/2. 2, Mark Thorpe, S. Carolina, 46-11. 3, Ray England, Va. Tech, 43.1. 4, Steve Mehr, Va. Tech, 42-34.

Long jump — 1, Sam Scott, S. Carolina, 23-1014. 2, Arnold Bell, N.C. State, 23-61/2. 3, Peter Eden, S. Carolina, 23-51/2. 4, Keefe Noleman, Brevard, 23-1/2. 5, Mike Helm, unattached, 22-0. 6y, Simon Vance, N.C. State, no distance.

High jump —1, Gus Kirkland, S. Carolina, 7-34. 2, tie among Kevin Elliot, N.C. State, Steve Whaley, Va. Tech, and Mike Ripberger, N.C. State, 6-834. 5, Derrin Walker, Norfolk St., 6-634. 6, Jake Howitt, Va. Tech, 6-634.

1,500 — 1, Jim McKeon, Richmond T.C., 3:51.7. 2, Tim Colas, S. Carolina, 3:52.0. 3, Carl Iverson, Campbell, 3:57.6. 4, Bill Forr, Va. Tech, 3:59.4. 5, Eddie Miller, Va. Tech, 4:04.7.

3,000 — 1, Jay Lambe, Va. Tech, 8:16.9.
2, Dave Montgomery, Va. Tech, 8:41.4. 3, Jim Hickey, Brevard, 8:43.1. 4, John Delaney, Brevard, 8:44.8. 5, Dan Clay, Brevard, 8:48.2.

400 — 1, Ronnie Taylor, Florida St., 48.4. 2, Robert Nash, Va. Tech, 48.6. 3, Tony Rambo, unattached, 49.7. 4, Reggie Ross, Florida St., 50.1.

800 — 1, Philip Ralle, Fiorida St., 1:52.5.
2, Anthony Calicutt, Virginia St., 1:54.1. 3, Ray Dickerson, E. Carolina, 1:54.3. 4, Tim Crossin, Va. tech, 1:54.9. 5, Artis Johnson, S. Carolina, 2:00.5. 6, Vernon Minor, Norfolk St., 2:00.6.

1,000 — 1, Ray McDaniels, Va. Tech, 2:26.7. 2, Glen Brooks, Richmond, 2:31.0. 3, Phillip Williams, Duke, 2:32.8. 4, Fred Gore, Norfolk St., 2:32.9.

Shot put — 1, S.eve Gettel, S. Carolina, 54-8½. 2, Earnest Butler, N. Carolina, 53-7. 3, Mark Thorpe, S. Carolina, 52-6. 4, Tom Mehr, Va. Tech, 50-2¾. 5, Steve Mehr, Va. tech, 49-11½. 6, Joe Freeland, Radford T.C., 50-7¾.

5,000 — 1, Mark Stickley, Va. Tech, 14:31.7. 2, Steve Pinard, Va. Tech, 14:39.6. 3, Dave Peterson, Va. Tech, 14:44.1. 4, Godon Snaden, Brevard, 14:59.9. 5, Robert Herndon, unattached, 15:00.9.

500 — 1, Pete Beltrez, unattached, 1:04.0.
2, Robert Nash, Va. Tech, 1:05.4. 3, Harold Butts, S. Carolina, 1:05.5. 4, Shawn Loney, E. Carolina, 1:05.7. 5, Verion Rhodes, S. Carolina, 1:06.3. 6, Chris Canter, Duke, 1:06.6.