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Making An Immediate Impact in the Conference

Metro's Talented Rookies

BY RUSS KIRK
Metro Editor

It didn't take long for the Metro Conference "rookies" to prove their worth.

In Week One of the 1979-80 college basketball season, Florida State's 6-foot-10 junior center Elvis Rolle, earned the Metro's initial Player of the Week honors with two sparkling performances against Florida A&M and Jacksonville.

Rolle, who transferred to Florida State following a freshman season at Oral Roberts in 1977-78, scored 54 points in the two games and in the opener against Florida A&M, connected on 12 of 15 shots from the field and grabbed nine rebounds.

Although Rolle's performance was surprising, it was not totally unexpected. In fact, all around the league, new faces are appearing and are causing an immediate impact.

Transfers like Rolle, junior college transfers and freshmen are playing key roles on no less than four of the Metro teams this season, with the other three teams using their newcomers as welcomed depth coming off the bench.

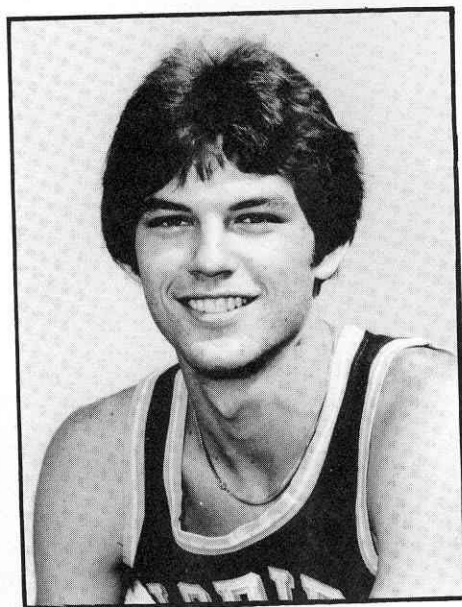
"I don't know many people who can step right in and play because that means someone who's starting has to step out," Seminole coach Joe Williams said of first-year players. "They're going to have to work for it to play. Fortunately, the people we have are already familiar with the way we do things."

Because of the large number of returning players he had coming back this season, Williams did not have to blister the recruiting trail. Rolle and another transfer Rodney Arnold from Furman, who became eligible Dec. 20, may be considered newcomers, but in name only.

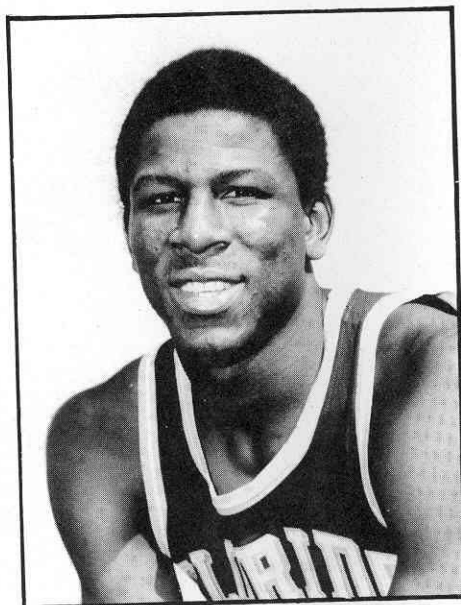
Both Rolle and Arnold sat out last season--their required NCAA hiatus after transferring schools--but were able to practice the entire year with the team and learn Williams' finer points of the game.

"It was hard on Elvis because he wanted to play so badly," Williams said. "But he handled the situation well and he's more than ready to go this year."

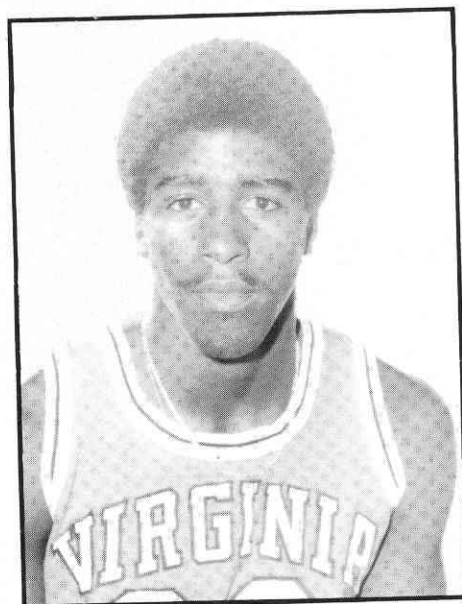
Williams is at one end of the spectrum along with Louisville's Denny Crum, Virginia Tech's Charlie Moir and Tulane's Roy Danforth. All four programs had a large number of returning players coming back, and thus were limited in the number of new people they could bring in.



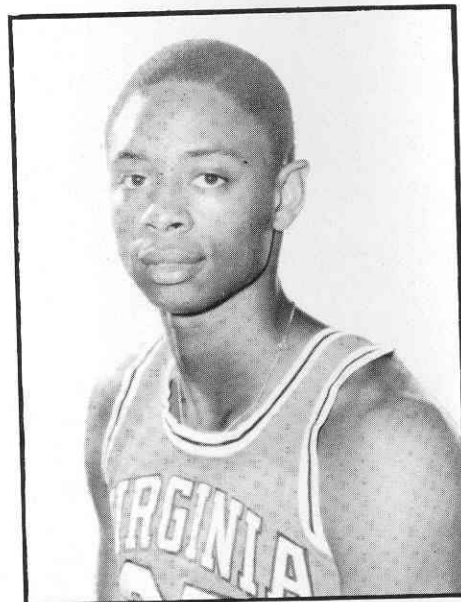
Rodney Arnold



Elvis Rolle



Reggie Steppe



Michael Cooke

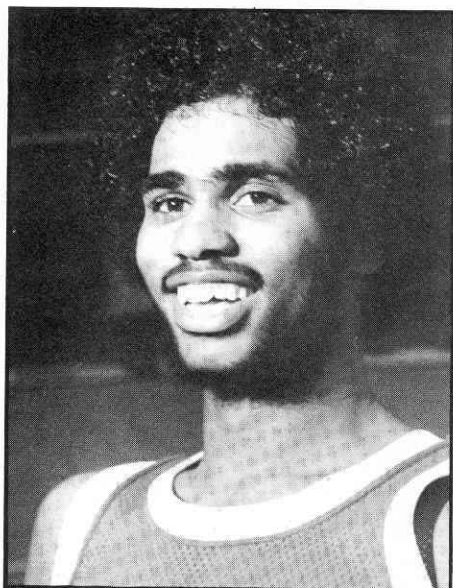
"We were pretty selective," said Moir, who brought in only freshmen this year. "We just wanted to add to our program the good athlete with the good attitude that would work pretty hard and fit in with the kind of team we have now."

"And I think Reggie and Michael fit that mold."

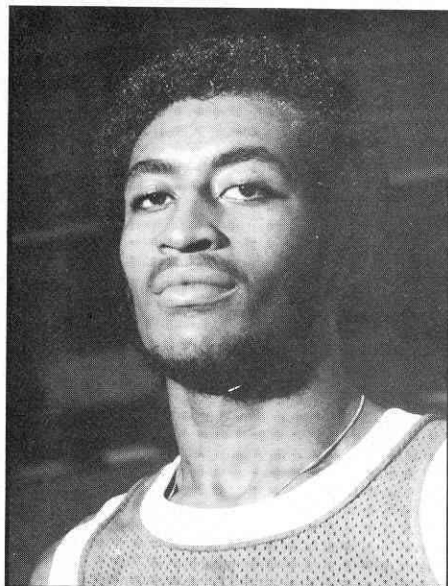
Reggie is Reggie Steppe, a 6-1 guard from Charlottesville, Va., and Michael is Michael Cooke, a 6-5 forward from Richmond, Va.

"They had the right ingredients," Moir said of Steppe and Cooke. "They both play with tremendous intensity and have great enthusiasm for the game."

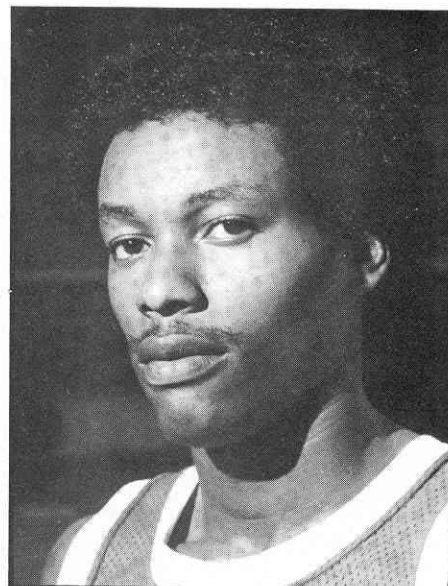
But as freshmen on a veteran ballclub, the



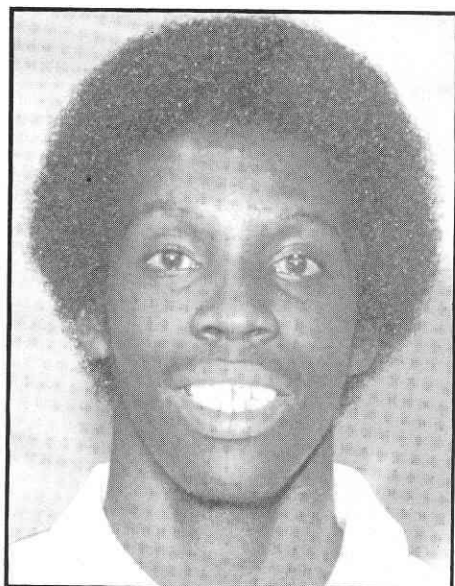
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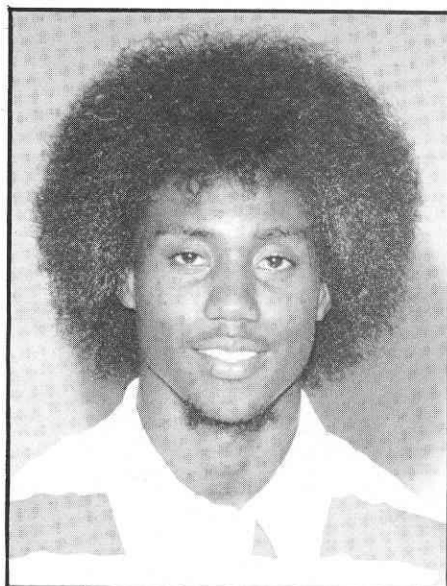
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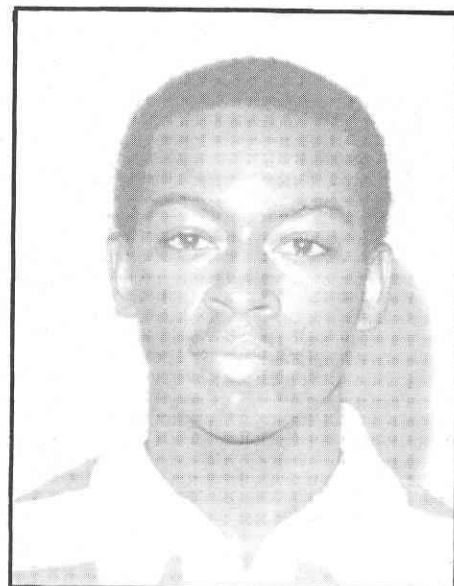
Clinton Sutherland



Willie Whittenberg



David Burns



LaTodd Johnson

twosome will have to bide their time. "I think the freshmen will see some playing time," Moir explained. "Steppe doesn't have as much competition in front of him (at guard) and at this time, will probably see a little more playing time than Cooke (who must battle Les Henson, Dale Solomon and Wayne Robinson)."

Danforth admits that "we had a good recruiting year," but whether the three incoming freshmen and one JUCO transfer can break into the starting lineup remains to be seen. Says Danforth, "they are a group of talented players, but they're still freshmen."

Danforth recruited the first 7-foot player in Metro Conference history when he inked Steve Carpenter of Knoxville, Tenn. to a letter-of-intent.

"He's a hard worker and has a good shooting touch, but he has every thing also to learn," Danforth said of the big man. "I don't think he'll play a key role this year.

He's learning something new every day, but we're going to bring him along slowly."

Three other players, though, may see considerable playing time as the conference season moves along. Paul Thompson, a 6-7 forward from Alexandria, La. and Daryl Moreau a 6-2 guard from New Orleans and junior college transfer Reggie McLaurin, a 6-2 junior guard from Lincoln, Ill. Trail Junior College all have shown signs of promise

Thompson is a talented rebounder with great leaping ability, while Moreau is a dead-eye shooter whose name appears in the Guinness Book of World Records for sinking 126 consecutive free throws in game competition. Defense and ball handling are McLaurin's forte.

After a 1978-79 recruiting year that was deemed the best in the nation, Louisville's Crum had only room to sign one newcomer, Rodney McCray brother of Cardinal

sophomore Scooter McCray. The 6-7, 220-pound forward has served as a back-up to Louisville's front line of Derek Smith, Scooter McCray and Wiley Brown.

As a prepster, Rodney McCray was a high school All-America and was listed 14th on the Louisville Courier-Journal's list of "Fabulous 50" prep players.

Cincinnati, Memphis State and St. Louis, have a definite new look. The three schools combined to bring in 21 new players this season.

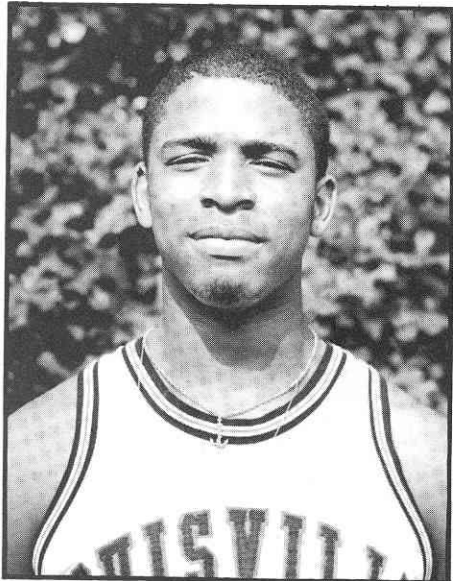
Said Billiken coach Ron Ekker, "Our new players have got to help us, and I expect very good things from them."

When the bills tipped-off in the IPTAY Tournament at Clemson, two Juco transfers from Navarro Community College in Corsicana, Tex. were in the starting

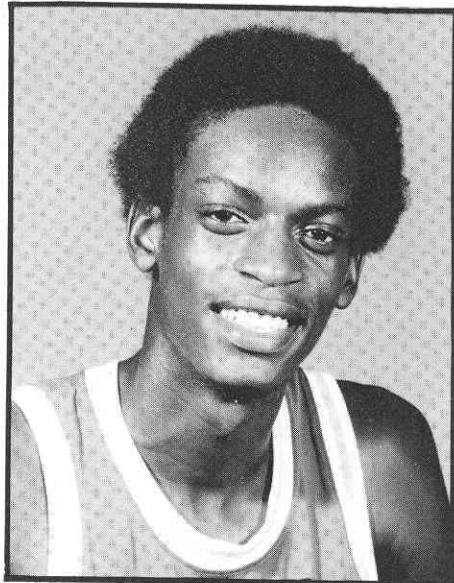
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Metro's Talented Rookies

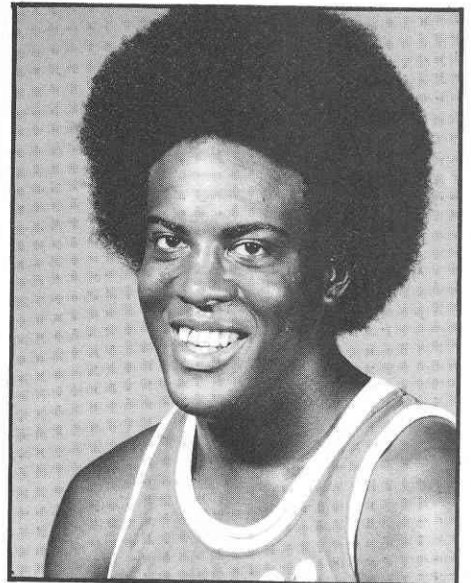
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Rodney McCray



A. Maceo Battle



Garry Taylor

lineups--David Burns and Willie Whittenberg. Together, they helped Navarro finish second in the Junior College tournament with a 28-2 record last year.

"They come from a winning background and that's what we're trying to build here," Ekker explained. Burns is averaging in double figures and close to five assists a game from his guard position. At 6-2, he has great quickness and is able to penetrate well. Whittenberg is a solid 6-6 forward whose defense overshadows his offense although averaging close to 10 points per game.

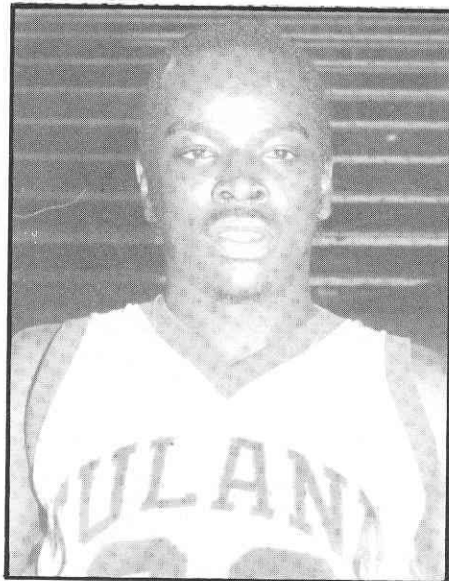
Ekker also added five freshmen: Monte Poole, 6-5; Jeff Schneider, 6-4; Gary Kerkemeyer, 6-7; Paul Woerner, 6-8; and LaTodd Johnson, 6-0. Johnson has been a pleasant surprise as Ekker's first man off the bench, and has keyed numerous late Billiken rallies.

"Our experience is limited," Memphis State Coach Dana Kirk explained. "We don't have anybody who actually started our first game last year and who started for us this year."

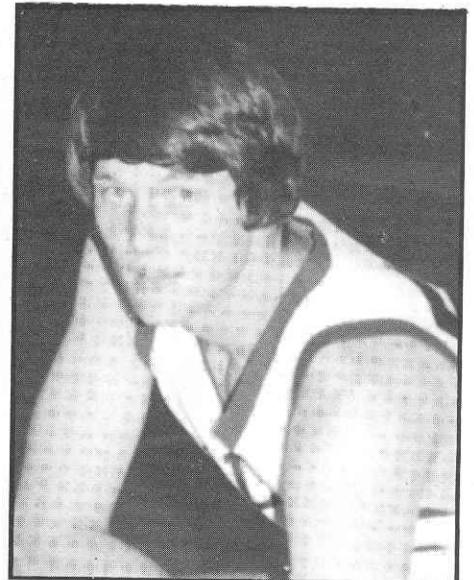
"We had a turnover of eight players this year," Kirk added. "We lost 63 of the 79 points we averaged last year."

Out of necessity, then, Kirk has eight new faces this year, although two are not actually newcomers. "I'd like to think a freshman can come in and play, but realistically you'd like to be good enough that a freshman can't make your ballclub. But we're in a different situation here at Memphis State. I'd like to look at it like a dividend problem. It's like a blue chip stock, it'll pay off for you later on."

Dennis Isbell, who did not play basketball last year, cracked the Tigers' lineup at the start of the season and he uses his 6-7 frame to good advantage inside. Redshirt Steve



Reggie McLaurin



Steve Carpenter

Meacham, 6-8, and junior college transfer Garry Taylor, 6-6, plus six freshmen have formed the basis of Kirk's depth. Tony Hubbard, 6-7; A. Maceo Battle, 6-8; Anthony Parker, 6-3; Derrick Phillips, 6-8; Bubba Luckett, 6-2; are all being given a solid look-see under playing conditions.

Cincinnati's Ed Badger, a veteran of many wars, brought in six new players, including five freshmen. And in the early going, has shown no reluctance to play any of them.

"I'd rather play a talented freshman than a non-talented senior," Badger stated.

One freshman, 6-8 Dwight "Jelly" Jones, has been a starter since the beginning of the season, but has not helped ease the loss of

Pat Cummings, the Metro's Most Valuable Player a year ago. "He was worth three or four kids," Badger said of Cummings. "No one can replace him."

After the starting five, though, Cincy's newcomers have seen a lot of action. Juco transfers Clinton Sutherland and Lonnie Camper, both 6-8 have been impressive as have Doc Holden, 6-6; Kevin Gaffney, 6-5; David Duarte, 6-8 and Junior Johnson, 6-0.

"It's hard to rate them, but I think we brought in some pretty good kids," Badger said.

Which is the story for the entire Metro Conference. The 1979-80 newcomers have, indeed, made an impact.



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Head Coach — Joe Williams
Assistants — Bob Dotson, John Jones,
Frank Gilmore

Trainer — John Mooney
Aides — Jim Towey

Alphabetical Roster

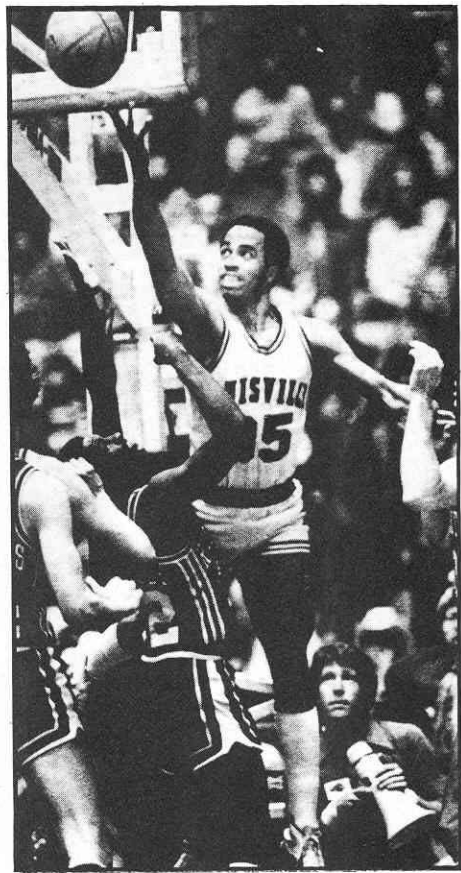
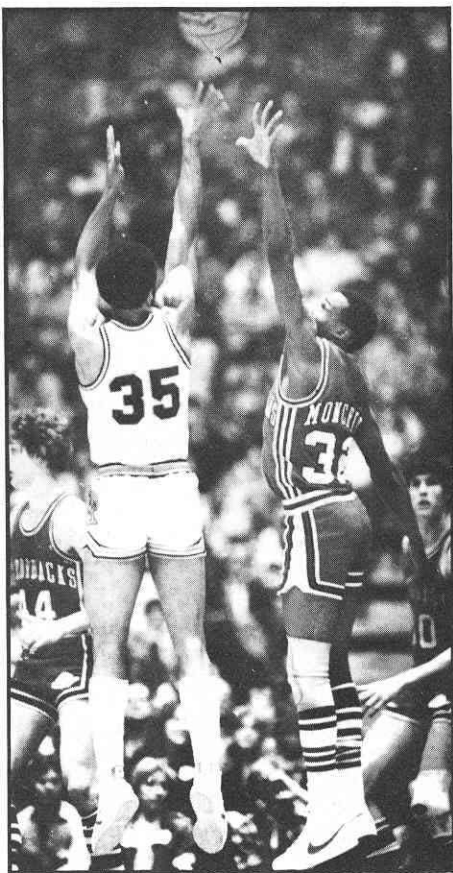
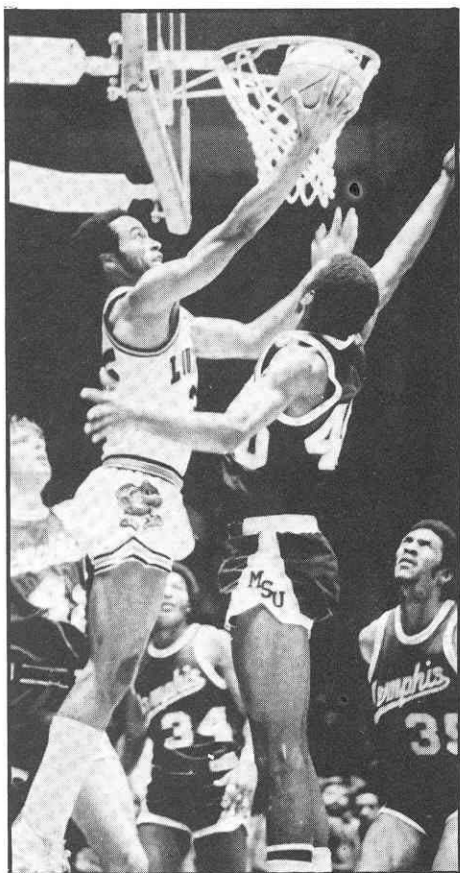
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34	Murray Brown	F	6-8	205	Sr.	Tampa, Fla.
24	Greg Collinsworth	F	6-5	195	So.	Titusville, Fla.
35	Jerry Cox	G	6-4	180	Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind.
22	Mickey Dillard	G	6-3	170	Jr.	Dania, Fla.
3	Marvin Haynes	G	6-2	180	Fr.	Lake Placid, Fla.
23	Tony Jackson	G	6-0	165	Sr.	Lexington, Ky.
32	Scott Matchett	G	6-3	185	Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla.
11	Bobby Parks	G	5-11	160	Jr.	Clearwater, Fla.
42	Elvis Rolle	C	6-10	216	Jr.	Ft. Pierce, Fla.
54	Pernell Tookes	F	6-6	185	So.	Orlando, Fla.
12	Ed Young	G	6-3	172	Fr.	Houston, Tex.

VIRGINIA TECH

Head Coach — Charles Moir

Alphabetical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown
44	David Bennett	F	6-6	209	Jr.	Bloomfield Hills, Mich.
32	Gordy Bryan	F	6-8	209	So.	Philadelphia, Pa.
25	Michael Cooke	F	6-6	190	Fr.	Richmond, Va.
21	Les Henson	F	6-6	195	Sr.	Richmond, Va.
50	John Hillenbrand	C	6-9	236	Sr.	Demus Point, N.Y.
10	Page Moir	G	5-11	165	Fr.	Blacksburg, Va.
11	Dexter Reed	G	6-1	166	Jr.	Norfolk, Va.
40	Wayne Robinson	F	6-9	229	Sr.	Greensboro, N.C.
24	Jeff Schneider	G	6-4	166	So.	Clarksburg, W. Va.
15	Chris Scott	G	6-2	158	Sr.	Fairfax, Va.
14	Mark Shrader	G	5-11	150	Jr.	Malvern, Pa.
35	Dale Solomon	F	6-8	230	So.	Annapolis, Md.
23	Reggie Steppe	G	6-1	170	Fr.	Charlottesville, Va.



Louisville's Darrell Griffith maybe the Metro's most spectacular scorer because of his ability to score from anywhere on the court.

The Art of Shooting

Concentration and 'Touch'

BY BOB COHN
Tallahassee Democrat

TALLAHASSEE -- The game of basketball can be as complex as any coach cares to make it, but the essence of the sport has been the same since Dr. James Naismith nailed up the peach basket. Put the ball through the hoop, and do it more often than you miss.

The importance of defense, rebounding and ballhandling notwithstanding, the teams that shoot the best win the most games.

Florida State last season enjoyed a measure of success, winning 19 and losing 10 and advancing to the final round of the Metro Conference tournament. Statistics are often misleading, but one number was directly responsible for the Seminoles' record. As a team, Florida State made 51 percent of its shots.

The man most responsible for that was Murray Brown, who, by season's end, was the most effective player in Division I basketball at sinking baskets. Brown took 343 shots from the field and made 237, for an astounding field goal percentage of .691. A

comparable season by Brown, now a senior would give him the record for the best shooting percentage in a career. The mark is .662, held by Joe Senzer of West Chester State, who broke the old standard of .651 set by the great Bill Walton of UCLA.

Brown, at 6-feet-8, 205-pounds, presents a modest appearance. He likewise is modest about his success, and finds verbal expression of his skills difficult.

"I can't describe it," he says. "I just go out and take the easy shots. It just comes natural."

In the high post-low post offense of FSU Coach Joe Williams, Brown is stationed under the hoop. A player who knows his limitations, Brown rarely puts the ball on the floor, and almost never wanders further than 12-feet from the hoop.

In addition to knowing what he can, or can't do, Brown is fundamentally pure as a shooter.

"He has an exceptional shooting touch, great accuracy," Williams says. "He is very sound mechanically. He does things exactly the right way."

Brown has worked overtime on his

shooting, primarily under the guidance of Johnny Jones, Williams' assistant at FSU. Furman and Jacksonville for the last nine years. Basically, however, Brown is a natural.

"You can spend a lot of time working with people, but Murray has that touch already," Williams says. "He has one of the best shooting eyes around the basket that I've ever seen."

The soft-spoken Brown, a native of Tampa, is aware at his chances for the shooting record, and believes his odds have been improved by the presence of Elvis Rolle at the high post. Rolle, a 6-9 sophomore transfer from Oral Roberts, is a dominant offensive force who should alleviate the pressure other teams began applying to Brown last season.

"We've got Elvis to help me, so I don't think teams will be able to double-team me like they have," Brown says. "We've got another big man, somebody that can score inside."

Though Brown does not take the crowd-pleasing, rainbow arced 25-footers, rival Metro coaches consider him a shooter in

every sense of the word.

"He is by all means a shooter," says Dana Kirk of Memphis State. "If he leads the nation, he has to be. I think he's got great body control. That's something most people don't know. You've got to be in control from your head to your toes. You have to have great body balance. You can't glide and slide. It starts with the feet."

Ask seven coaches to define the art of shooting, and like the line about getting a bunch of economists in the same room, you will hear seven different responses.

"I think it's a couple of things," says Denny Crum of Louisville. "Confidence is one. It's one of the things that characterizes the really great shooters. The tougher the competition, the better they shoot."

"Another thing is having a real high delivery. You have to have the ability to get the shot off. A guy who can't release the ball above his head is going to have a tough time being a great shooter."

Crum said the best shooter he ever coached was Lynn Shackleford, the cornerman from the Lew Alcindor days at UCLA when Crum was an assistant under John Wooden.

"He wasn't a great athlete, and he wasn't real quick," Crum says. "You just couldn't leave him open."

Now in his ninth year at Louisville, Crum has a present arsenal of talented shot-makers. One is sophomore forward Derek Smith, who as a 17-year-old freshman last season, made more than 62 percent of his shots.

Another is All American Darrell Griffith, only 6-4, but the owner of a 48-inch vertical leap that enables his shots to be mere drops in the bucket.

"He's probably as good as a shooter as I've ever had," Crum says. "The thing is, Darrell has so much physical talent, he'll take the shots a normal athlete couldn't get away with. That doesn't mean they're good shots. The only thing that keeps him from shooting 65 or 70 percent is that he doesn't shoot the best shot. But he has so much physical ability and he jumps so well, he makes the shots he shouldn't even be shooting."

Virginia Tech last season shot .511 from the field, best in the Metro. Coach Charlie Moir has three players, Wayne Robinson, Linwood Henson and Dale Solomon, who exceeded the 50 percent mark.

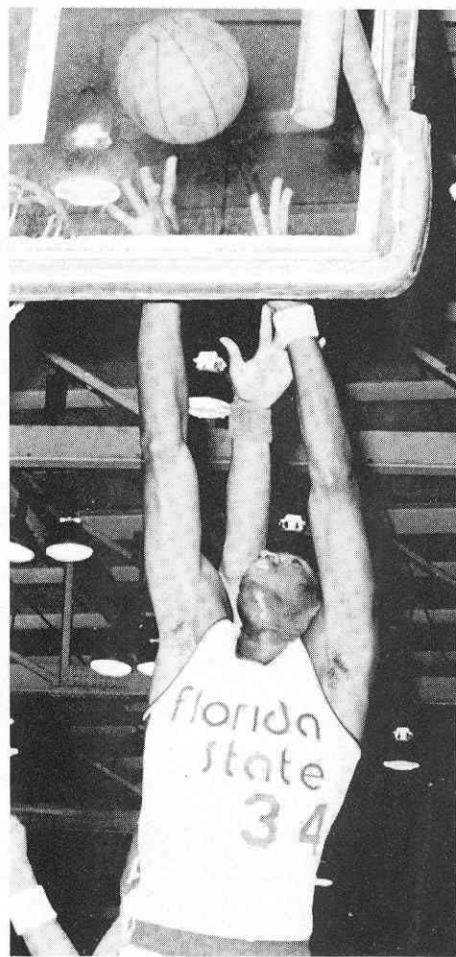
"The main thing is that we take the high-percentage shot," Moir says. "Solomon and Robinson are both good inside players. They're tough, with good moves and a soft turnaround jumper. Solomon has great technique for a big man (He's 6-9). Robinson is a streak shooter. And Henson is a great leaper. He gets a lot of stuffs for a guard."

Roy Danforth at Tulane offered this parcel of insight regarding shooting. "So many players shoot, but they don't know where they're shooting. They know the basket's up there and they assume they're looking at it."

"That's a big factor in lay-ups. People are



Les Henson



Murray Brown

afraid to get hit, and they are looking at the guy they think is going to block the shot. They don't look at where to place the ball."

Micah Blunt, a 6-9 sophomore forward, shot almost 51 percent for Danforth last season. Looking at the basket hasn't been his problem, his coach says.

"He's got a big hand on the ball, a nice soft touch, but he doesn't shoot as high as he should," says Danforth, echoing the Crum philosophy. "Steve Carpenter (a 7-footer) is the same way. He keeps the ball low for a big man."

Kirk, the new head man at Memphis State, lauds his center, Hank McDowell, a 6-9 junior who shot 47 percent in 1978-79.

"He's probably the most natural shooter we've got," Kirk says. "He's not a typical center. He plays 15 to 18 feet from the basket and has very good technique, good concentration."

"Hank has good body balance and the same release no matter what type of shot he takes. You have to have that consistency to be a consistent shooter."

To Cincinnati's Ed Badger, who lost 6-9 super shooter Pat Cummings to graduation and the NBA, the crux of shooting "is a matter of concentration and rhythm. You can really confuse a kid if you make too many changes. You can't emphasize rhythm and concentration enough."

Badger, in his second year with the

Bearcats, said he has four who shoot better than average, guards Bobby Austin and Kevin Gaffney and Forwards Lonnie Camper and David Duarte. Austin, Cincinnati's second-leading scorer as a freshman last year, has "classic body balance," Badger says.

Ron Ekker at St. Louis checks for most coaches whom he says the key to shooting success is taking the best shot. "Almost anyone can be a good shooter if he takes the shots that he shoots well," he says.

"But there's a difference in the types of shooters there are. There's the jump-shooter with the great touch and the ability to shoot different shots. That's a natural talent, but I think it takes in only five percent of the players. The rest of the players have to learn where to shoot from."

Which opens up the question: Are great shooters born, or are they made?

"Some guys can do it and some guys cannot," says Kirk. "You can't teach it, but you can correct and improve upon it, put finishing touches to it."

"You can take two 10-year olds who have never shot a basketball. One will pick it up and shoot it better than the other because he has more natural talent. If you correct both, the one who started out better will still be

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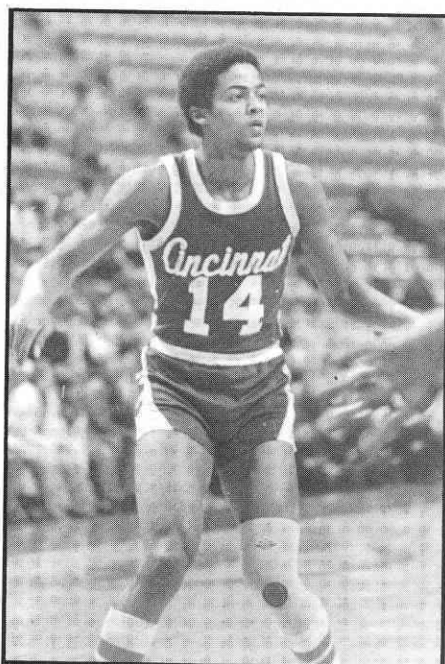


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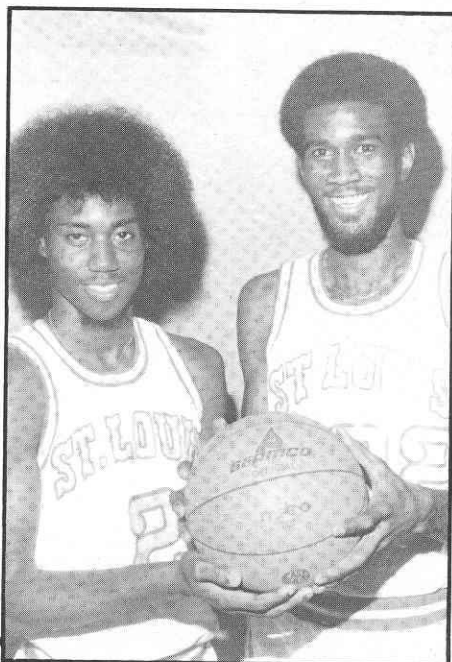
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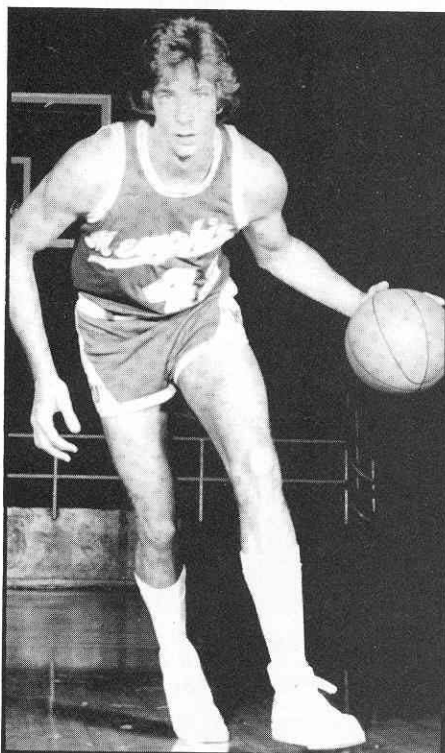
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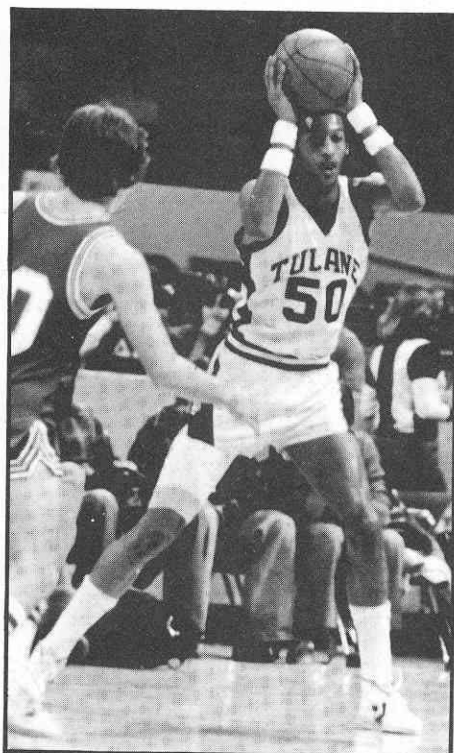
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David Burns (L) and Kelvin Henderson



Hank McDowell



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The Art of Shooting

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better."

Joe Williams says, "shooting contains a naturalness that's inherent in any skill. It's like the best pilot, the best plumber, the guy who throws the football the best. The best people still follow fundamentals, but inherently, their ability makes it all fall into

place."

"If a kid is taught at the proper time and works hard at it, then he can be an above average shooter," says Badger. "But there's a big difference in being able to shoot, and being able to shoot when you're down in the game and people are hanging all over you."



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SPORTS INFORMATION

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FLORIDA STATE (10-3) vs. VIRGINIA TECH (10-3)

January 21, 1980, 8:05 P.M.

Tully Gym, Tallahassee, Fla.

THE GAME--Florida State (10-3 , 3-1) hosts Virginia Tech (10-3, 3-1) in an important Metro Conference matchup. Tonight's winner takes over second place in the league standings behind Louisville (3-0).

THE LINEUPS--FLORIDA STATE			POS	VIRGINIA TECH		
34	Murray Brown	(6-8 , Sr., 20.7)	F	35	Dale Solomon	(6-8, So., 15.7)
22	Mickey Dillard	(6-3 , Jr., 22.2)	F	21	Les Henson	(6-6, Sr., 12.7)
42	Elvis Rolle	(6-10, Jr., 16.0)	C	40	Wayne Robinson	(6-9, Sr., 15.3)
23	Tony Jackson	(6-0 , Sr., 4.8)	G	11	Dexter Reid	(6-1, Jr., 6.9)
11	Bobby Parks	(5-11, Jr., 8.8)	G	25	Jeff Schneider	(6-4, So., 9.8)

THE OFFICIALS--Assigned by the Metro Conference: Referee--Carel Cosby (Fairfield, Ohio); Umpire--Bob Olah (Albany, La.); Umpire--Don Rutledge (Windermere, Fla.).

THE COACHES--Florida State is guided by Joe Williams (SMU '56) for the second year. Last year Williams guided the Tribe to a surprising 19-10 overall record and second place finish in both the Metro Conference regular season and tournament. Overall, Williams, who had head coaching stops at Jacksonville and Furman before coming to FSU, has a career mark of 263-161. He took his 1969-70 Jacksonville team to the NCAA finals where it lost to UCLA.

Charles Moir has been a college head coach for 13 seasons. This is his fourth campaign with the Hokies. In that Virginia Tech tenure, the Gobblers have won 70 while losing 30. His 100th Tech game came in a 61-59 victory at Cincinnati last Saturday. Last year was Tech's first in the conference and Moir guided the Hokies to the championship in the post-season tournament.

THE SERIES--This will be only the sixth meeting between the two schools. Virginia Tech has a 3-2 edge after it toppled the Tribe, 68-60, in the championship game of the Metro Conference post-season tournament at Memphis last season.

SECOND TRIP TO TULLY--This will only be the second visit for a Virginia Tech basketball team to "Tiny Tully." The Hokies last appeared here in 1969-70 when FSU captured an 83-73 verdict.

TRIBE LEADS IN SCORING--Three of the top four scorers in the Metro Conference individual scoring race belong to Florida State. Guard Mickey Dillard (22.2) is second to Darrell Griffith (22.5) of Louisville. Right behind Dillard are Murray Brown (20.7) and Elvis Rolle (16.0).

OTHER LEADERS IN TONIGHT'S GAME--Virginia Tech's Dale Solomon is the league leader in rebounding, pulling down 8.9 per game. FSU's Tony Jackson is leading the league in assists with 95 and Murray Brown tops the field goal percentage leaders at .652. FSU leads the Metro in points with an 84.4 per game average.

METRO CONFERENCE STANDINGS

TEAM	LEAGUE			OVERALL		
	W	L	PCT.	W	L	PCT.
Louisville	3	0	1.000	13	2	.867
Florida State	3	1	.750	10	3	.769
Virginia Tech	3	1	.750	10	3	.769
Cincinnati	2	1	.667	9	5	.643
Memphis State	2	3	.400	9	6	.600
St. Louis	1	4	.200	6	8	.429
Tulane	1	5	.167	5	10	.333

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

(Monday)

Virginia Tech at Florida State

(Tuesday)

Marquette at Louisville

St. Louis at Cincinnati

Southwestern (Memphis) at Tulane

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
1979-80 BASKETBALL STATISTICS

Won 10, Lost 3

Home: 4-1; Away: 4-2; Neutral: 2-0

NAME	G	FG-FGA	PCT.	FT-FTA	PCT.	RBS	AVG.	AST	BS	ST	PF-D	MIN	PTS	AVG.
Mickey Dillard, G	13	117-214	.546	55-71	.774	65	5.0	39	8	24	43-1	456	289	22.2
Murray Brown, F	13	109-167	.652	51-75	.680	82	6.3	7	9	6	37-0	459	269	20.7
Elvis Rolle, C	13	87-139	.625	34-52	.653	108	8.3	17	11	12	39-1	401	208	16.0
Rodney Arnold, G	8	28-65	.430	18-28	.642	10	1.2	19	2	7	17-1	156	74	9.2
Bobby Parks, G	13	45-79	.569	23-30	.766	29	2.2	38	2	17	34-1	384	114	8.8
Pernell Tookes, F	13	27-51	.529	14-17	.823	62	4.8	4	1	5	12-0	203	68	5.2
Tony Jackson, G	13	25-62	.403	13-22	.590	25	1.9	95	5	37	32-1	477	63	4.8
Jerry Cox, G	6	2-5	.400	2-6	.333	2	.3	1	0	0	5-0	22	6	1.0
Ed Young, F	4	1-3	.333	1-5	.200	1	.2	0	0	0	2-0	11	3	.7
Marvin Haynes, G	5	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	1	.2	0	0	0	3-0	13	3	.6
G. Collinsworth, F	6	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	3	.5	1	1	1	5-0	22	2	.3
Team						41								
D'Ball						50								
FSU Totals	13	442-789	.560	214-309	.692	428	32.9	220	39	109	231-6	2600	1098	84.4
Team						34								
D'Ball						50								
OPP Totals	13	416-837	.497	136-219	.621	413	31.7	179	43	99	272-11	2600	968	74.4

METRO CONFERENCE STATISTICS

Won 3, Lost 1

Home: 0-0; Away: 2-1; Neutral: 1-0

NAME	G	FG-FGA	PCT.	FT-FTA	PCT.	RBS	AVG.	AST	BS	ST	PF-D	MIN	PTS	AVG.
Murray Brown, F	4	32-47	.680	21-29	.724	24	6.0	1	1	3	13-0	144	85	21.2
Mickey Dillard, G	4	36-77	.467	13-21	.619	24	6.0	11	2	3	11-1	147	85	21.2
Elvis Rolle, C	4	25-42	.595	6-9	.666	27	6.7	9	3	2	15-1	115	56	14.0
Rodney Arnold, G	4	12-28	.428	11-18	.611	6	1.5	6	0	2	10-1	62	35	8.7
Bobby Parks, G	4	14-19	.736	4-8	.500	2	.5	11	0	6	11-1	115	32	8.0
Tony Jackson, G	4	10-16	.625	6-10	.600	9	2.2	23	1	10	11-1	143	26	6.5
Pernell Tookes, F	4	7-14	.500	3-5	.600	20	5.0	0	0	1	3-0	58	17	4.2
Jerry Cox, G	1	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0.0	1	0	0	0-0	3	0	0.0
G. Collinsworth, F	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	3	0	0.0
Marvin Haynes, G	1	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0.0	0	0	0	2-0	2	0	0.0
Ed Young, F	1	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	2	0	0.0
Team						15								
D'Ball						20								
FSU Totals	4	136-245	.555	64-101	.633	127	31.7	62	7	27	76-4	800	336	84.0
Team						12								
D'Ball						9								
OPP Totals	4	139-262	.530	41-61	.672	135	33.7	79	18	20	88-5	800	321	80.2

GAME-BY-GAME

	FSU	OPP	ATTD	Roll	Brwn	Dill	Jack	Park	Arnd	Took	Col	Hyn	Yng	Cox
Fla. A & M (H)	101	63	3394	32/9	17/3	26/6	2/1	6/1	-	8/10	2/3	2/1	2/0	4/1
Jacksonville (H)	76	77	3135	22/11	18/4	18/4	6/3	6/2	-	6/9	X	0/0	X	X
South Florida (A)	89	71	3050	22/5	25/6	21/3	2/2	6/3	-	11/5	0/0	1/0	1/0	0/1
Florida (N)	87	70	3104	15/14	18/4	31/4	2/1	17/9	-	4/0	X	X	X	X
Minnesota (H)	112	91	2913	13/3	28/11	22/3	8/2	14/3	19/1	8/6	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0
W. Kentucky (A)	67	65	8100	10/8	15/6	19/5	5/2	14/1	0/0	4/2	X	X	X	X
*TULANE (N)	108	97	3800	30/10	16/5	22/9	7/3	6/0	18/4	9/8	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0
*ST. LOUIS (A)	75	73	3849	16/11	21/10	14/8	5/2	16/1	1/0	2/0	X	X	X	X
South Florida (H)	84	69	2977	15/11	23/8	16/4	2/1	8/2	10/1	8/7	0/0	X	X	2/0
*MEMPHIS STATE (A)	74	69	11200	0/0	21/6	25/3	12/2	8/1	4/1	4/10	X	X	X	X
*TULANE (A)	79	80	3897	10/6	27/3	24/4	2/2	2/0	12/1	2/2	X	X	X	X
S. Carolina-Aiken(H)	82	69	2471	15/8	27/7	22/6	2/2	4/3	10/1	2/3	0/0	X	X	X
Marquette (A)	64	74	10938	8/12	13/9	29/6	8/2	6/3	X	0/0	X	X	X	0/0

*METRO CONFERENCE GAMES

SEASON HIGHS	INDIVIDUAL	TEAM
Points	32, Rolle vs. Florida A & M	112 vs. Minnesota
Field Goals	13, Dillard vs. Florida	48 vs. Minnesota
	13, Rolle vs. Tulane	
	13, Brown vs. S. Carolina-Aiken	
Field Goals Attempted	22, Dillard vs. Florida	75 vs. Tulane
	22, Dillard vs. Memphis State	
	22, Dillard vs. Marquette	
Field Goal Percentage	1.000, Parks (7-7) vs. St. Louis	.727 (48-66) vs. Minnesota
Free Throws	9, Dillard vs. Western Kentucky	25 vs. Florida
	9, Brown vs. Tulane	
Free Throw Attempts	11, Rolle vs. Florida A & M	34 vs. Florida A & M
	11, Rolle vs. Jacksonville	
	11, Brown vs. Jacksonville, Tulane	
Free Throw Percentage	1.000, Dillard (8-8) vs. Jacksonville	.800 (16-20) vs. Minnesota
	1.000, Dillard (7-7) vs. Marquette	
Rebounds	14, Rolle vs. Florida	45 vs. Tulane
Assists	11, Jackson vs. South Florida	23 vs. South Florida
	11, Jackson vs. St. Louis	23 vs. Minnesota
Shots Blocked	6, Tied with 2	6 vs. Florida A & M

Date 1/21/80 Site Tallahassee, Fla.
Attendance _____

Game	FG	<u>57%</u>	FT	<u>65%</u>	4	Deadball Rebounds
PERCENTAGES: 1st Half	FG	<u>58%</u>	FT	<u>78%</u>		
2nd Half	FG		FT			

PERCENTAGES:	Game	FG <u>61%</u>	FT <u>83%</u>	1 Deadball Rebounds
	1st Half	FG <u>67%</u>	FT <u>100%</u>	
	2nd Half	FG	FT	

OFFICIALS: Cosby, Rutledge, Olah
 Technical Fouls: none
 Notes: _____

SCORE BY PERIODS	1st H.	2nd H.	OT	OT	FINAL
Florida State	40	37			77
Virginia Tech	40	39			79

FLORIDA STATE VS. VIRGINIA TECH

JANUARY 21, 1980

FOR FSU: DILLARD, BROWN, JACKSON, PARKS, ROLLE
 FOR VPI: HENSON, ROBINSON, REID, SCHNEIDER, SOLOMON

8:00 P.M.
 TULLY GYM
 TALLAHASSEE, FLA.

FIRST HALF

TIME	FLORIDA STATE	SCORE	VIRGINIA TECH
19:40	Brown jumper	2 0	
19:20	Brown pfl	2 0	
18:55		2 2	Robinson jumper
18:40	Jackson pfl	2 2	
18:25		2 4	Solomon layup
18:01		2 4	Reid pfl
17:49		2 6	Robinson jumper
17:32		2 8	Henson jumper
17:11		2 10	Solomon jumper
16:40		2 12	Henson jumper
16:34	TIME OUT	2 12	
15:53	Rolle jumper	4 14	Foul - Robinson pfl
15:53	Rolle makes 1 of 1	5 12	
15:33		5 14	Henson jumper
15:15	Brown jumper	7 14	
15:04	Jackson layup	9 14	
14:35	Dillard layup	11 14	Henson pfl
14:35	Dillard makes 1 of 1	12 14	
14:31		12 16	Robinson dunk
14:17		12 16	Solomon pfl
14:17	Rolle makes 1 of 2	13 16	
13:39	Rolle jumper	15 16	
13:25		15 18	Robinson jumper
12:39		15 20	Henson jumper
12:26	Parks layup	17 20	
12:08		17 22	Schneider 15 ft. jumper
12:02		17 22	TIME OUT
11:42	Jackson 5 ft. jumper	19 22	
11:22		19 24	Solomon jumper
10:53	Parks pfl	19 24	
10:05	Tookes layup	21 24	
9:45	Parks pf2	21 24	
9:15		21 24	Robinson pf2
9:15	Brown makes 2 of 2	23 24	
8:46		23 26	Robinson tip in
8:27	Dillard jumper	25 26	
8:13		25 28	Reid 15 ft. jumper
7:55	Tookes 15 ft. jumper	27 28	
7:45	T.V. TIME OUT	27 28	Henson pf2
7:20	Rolle jumper	29 28	
7:00		29 28	Henson pf3
7:00	Cox misses 1+	29 28	
6:52	Tookes layup	31 28	
6:38		31 30	Robinson 10 ft. jumper
6:16	Cox 15 ft. jumper	33 30	
5:57		33 32	Solomon jumper
5:43	Jackson pf2	33 32	
5:26		33 32	Schneider pfl
5:26	Jackson makes 2 (1+)	35 32	
4:35	Tookes pfl	35 32	
3:59		35 34	Solomon jumper
3:32	Cox pfl	35 34	T.V. TIME OUT
3:32		35 36	Robinson makes 2 (1+)
3:17	Brown layup	37 36	
2:41		37 38	Solomon 10 ft. jumper
2:16		37 38	Solomon pf3
2:16	Rolle makes 1 of 2	38 38	
1:37		38 38	Schneider pf2
1:37	Dillard makes 2 (1+)	40 38	
1:22	Rolle pfl	40 38	
1:22		40 40	Robinson makes 2 of 2
	FLORIDA STATE	40 40	VIRGINIA TECH

END OF FIRST HALF.....

OFFICIAL METRO CONFERENCE
BASKETBALL BOX SCORE

Date 1/21 Site Tallahassee
Attendance _____

No.		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	REB			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
						O	D	T							
11	B. PARKS	1	2	0	0			1	2	2					
22	M. DILLARD	2	6	3	3			2	0	7					
23	T. JACKSON	2	4	2	2			0	2	6					
34	M. BROWN	3	4	2	2			2	1	8					
42	E. ROLLE	3	5	3	5			2	1	9					
54	P. TOOKES	3	4	0	0			2	1	6					
35	J. COX	1	1	0	1			0	1	2					
24	G. COLLINSWORTH														
3	M. HAYNES														
12	E. YOUNG														

TEAM REBOUNDS (Included in Totals)																							
TOTALS			15	26		10	13				9	8	40	7	4	1	2						
		Game	FG				FT				4	Deadball Rebounds											
PERCENTAGES:		1st Half	FG		58%		FT		78%														
		2nd Half	FG				FT																

No.		FG	FGA	FT	FTA	REB			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
						O	D	T							
11	D. REID	1	3	0	0			1	1	2					
21	L. HENSON	3	4	0	0			0	3	6					
24	J. SCHNEIDER	1	3	0	0			2	2	2					
35	D. SOLOMAN	6	6	0	0			1	3	12					
40	W. ROBINSON	6	8	4	4			4	1	16					
32	G. BRYAN														
50	J. HILLENBRAND	0	2	0	0			1	0	0					
14	M. SHRAOER														
15	C. SCOTT														
23	R. STEPPE	1	1	0	0			0	0	2					
25	M. COOKE														
44	D. BENNETT														

TEAM REBOUNDS (Included in Totals)																							
TOTALS				18	27	4	4				9	10	40	5	10	0	4						
				Game FG		FT				1	Deadball Rebounds												
PERCENTAGES:		1st Half		FG 67%		FT 100%																	
		2nd Half		FG		FT																	

OFFICIALS: <u>Cosby, Rutledge, Olah</u>		SCORE BY PERIODS		1st H.	2nd H.	OT	OT	FINAL
Technical Fouls: _____		<u>Florida State</u>		40				
Notes: _____		<u>Virginia Tech</u>		40				

TIME	FLORIDA STATE	SCORE	VIRGINIA TECH
19:35	Brown jumper	42 40	
19:18		42 42	Robinson jumper
18:56	Parks jumper	44 42	Schneider 3
18:56	Parks misses 1 of 1	44 42	
18:40		44 44	Henson jumper
18:22		44 44	Solomon pf4
18:22	Rolle makes 2 of 2	46 44	
18:12		46 46	Robinson jumper
17:49	Parks pf3	46 46	
16:54	Rolle pf2	46 46	
15:51		46 48	Schneider 10 ft. jumper
15:40	T.V. TIME OUT	46 48	Hillenbrand pfl
15:40	Rolle makes 1 of 2	47 48	
15:40	Rolle jumper	49 48	
14:59	Parks pf4	49 50	Schneider layup
14:59		49 52	Schneider makes 2 of 2
14:07	Rolle dunk	51 52	
13:44		51 54	Henson dunk
13:19		51 54	Hillenbrand pf2
13:08	Brown jumper	53 54	
12:49		53 56	Schneider 10 ft. jumper
12:06	T.V TIME OUT	53 56	
11:59	Jackson pf3	53 56	
11:54	Jackson pf4	53 56	
11:45	Cox pf2	53 56	
10:37	Brown tip in	55 56	
10:28		55 58	Henson layup
10:17		55 58	Bryan pfl
9:57	Rolle layup	57 58	Robinson pf2
9:57	Rolle misses 1 of 1	57 58	
9:48	Cox pf3	57 58	
9:48		57 58	Robinson misses 1+
9:28		57 58	Steppe pfl
9:28	Parks misses 1 of 1	57 58	
9:22		57 58	Steppe pf2
9:22	Parks makes 1 (1+)	58 58	
8:57		58 60	Bryan 10 ft. jumper
8:01		58 60	Henson pf4
8:01	Cox makes 2 (1+)	60 60	
7:49		60 60	TIME OUT
7:25	Cox pf4	60 60	
7:25		60 62	Bryan Henson makes 2 of 2
7:04		60 64	Henson 5 ft. xxxx jumper
6:52	Brown layup	62 64	
6:42		62 66	Solomon tip in
6:22	Brown pf2	62 66	
6:22		62 68	Steppe makes 2 of 2
6:11	Brown jumper	64 68	
5:57		64 70	Solomon jumper
5:49	Dillard jumper	66 70	
5:30	Dillard layup	68 70	
5:11	Rolle pf3	68 70	
5:11		68 71	Robinson makes 1 (1+)
4:46		68 71	Reid pf2
4:46	Jackson misses 1 of 1+	68 71	
4:25	Rolle pf4	68 71	T.V. TIME OUT
4:25		68 73	Robinson makes 2 (1+)
3:31		68 73	Robinson pf3
3:31	Cox makes 1 of 2	69 73	
3:29		69 73	TIME OUT
3:04		69 75	Solomon jumper
2:50	Jackson jumper	71 75	
1:47	Jackson 10 ft. jumper	73 75	TIME OUT
1:26		73 75	Reid pf3
1:26	Parks makes 2 of 2 (TO)	75 75	
1:13	Jackson pf5	75 75	
1:13		75 77	Henson makes 2 (1+)

CONTINUED....

TIME	FLORIDA STATE	SCORE		VIRGINIA TECH
:59	Tookes 10 ft. jumper	77	77	
:31	Dillard pfl	77	77	
:31		77	77	Schneider misses 1 of 1
:10	TIME OUT	77	77	<i>Henson</i>
:01		77	79	Robinson jumper - 80 ft.
	FLORIDA STATE	77	79	VIRGINIA TECH

END OF GAME...