



Florida State's gymnastics team added two national champions to its list of medal winners in the NCAA championships this past week-end in Chapel Hill, N.C.

Though the Seminoles as a team finished third, behind Illinois and Penn State, Jamile Ashmore and Ronnie Amster proved best in their specialties. Amster took top honors in the free exercise event and Amster won the Ronnie Amster top rating on the horizontal bar.

Other FSU performers also

scored in the meet that featured 26 colleges.

Don Preisser took 6th place in the trampoline. Amster and Raphael Lecuona were 7th and 9th respectively in the side horse. Jim Hanks was 8th in the rope climb. Joe Taylor was 7th in flying rings and 8th in parallel bars. Joe Gusic was 8th in parallel bars. Lecuona took 10th in free exercise.

Lecuona was leading the field for the all-around title when his foot hit the floor near the finish of one exercise, and the mislapse dropped him to ninth place. Ashmore had a fourth place in tumbling in addition to winning the title in free exercise.

Other teams finishing in order behind Illinois, Penn State, and FSU, were UCLA, Michigan, Michigan State, Navy, Los Angeles State, Iowa, and Army.