FSU Swimmers Earn NCAA Spots

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MIAMI — Florida State pulled two major surprises here Friday afternoon in the Southern Independent swimming championships, and qualified Chet Miltenberger and Mark Middleton for the NCAA championships.

Miltenberger, a junior, splashed to a meet record 2:12.9 in the 200 breast in what Coach Birn Stults called "quite

a surprise."

Middleton earned his NCAA qualification by swimming the 100 fly in 52.4 in the second of three victories turned in by the Seminoles on the first of the

two-day meet.

Jarrell Stevens won the 50 free in 21.9 while John Barna-castle finished fourth in the same event. Larry Shoeman, first during the preliminaries, finished second in the one-meter diving and missed his chance at the nationals.

Other FSU swimmers Steve

Driver and Tom Arnold finished fourth and sixth in the 200 breast and Matt Mosteller eighth in the 500 free.

Miami leads the event after the first day with 80 points. Tulane had 52, FSU 39, South Carolina 34, South Florida 12, Georgia Tech 2 and Fort Lauderdale College 4. From the Tallahassee Democrat March 6, 1972 Page 15

Swimmer Earns Three **NCAA Spots**

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MIAMI — Florida State's Chet Miltenberger qualified for his third NCAA tournament event Saturday as the Seminoles took third place in the Southern Independent swimming championships.

The University of Miami took winning honors with 155 points. Tulane followed at 114, Florida State 92, South Carolina 58, and the University of South Florida 25, Georgia Tech 4 and Ft. Lauderdale 312.

Miltenberger, who qualified for the NCAA tournament in the 200-breast Friday, won the 100-breast and placed second in the 200-yard individual med-

The Florida State 400-yard free style relay team also qualified for the late-March NCAA meet with a 3:11.0.

Miltenberger's two times and the relay team's time are Seminole school records.

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500-yard freestyle - 1, Tye (UM); 2, Tozer (UM); 3, Machado (UM); 4, Barnes (T); 5, Strauss (UM); 6, Kesslering (SC). Time :4:49.1. 400-yard individual medley - 1, Bacerra (UM); 2, O'Brien (T); 3, Tozer (UM); 4, Machado (UM); 5, Hardy (SF); 6, Weidner (T). Time 4:16.2. 50-yard free style — 1, Stevens (FSU); 2, Newman (SC); 3, Kauffman (T); 4, Barncastle (SC); 5, Van Der Merve (UM); 6, Spears (SC). Time :21:9. 100-yard butterfly — 1, Middleton (FSU); 2, Ploch (T); 3, Villanova (UM); 4 Weidner (T); 5, Gray (SC); 6, Villa (SC). Time:52:4. 100-yard backstroke - 1, Claffin (SC); 2, Spire (UM); 3, McPherson (T); 4, Hillencamp (UM); 5, Stevens (SF); 6, Warner (SC). Time :54:4. 200-yard breaststroke — 1, Miltenberger (FSU); 2. Reynolds (T); 3. Morehead, (SF); 4. Driver (FSU); 5. Douglas (SC); 6. Arnold (FSU). Time 2:13.4.

200-yard free style — 1. Van Der Merve (UM); 2, Milne (T); 3, Newman (SC); 4, tie between Spire (UM) and Villanova (UM); 6, Barnes (T). Time 1:43.5. One meter diving - 1, Myers (UM), 410.5 points; 2, Shoeman (FSU); 3, Lang-don, (T); ;, Wetherhold (SC); 5, Gay .(T); 6, Swayze (UM). 800-yard free style relay - 1, Mlami (Machado, Tye, Tozer, Van Der Merve); 2, Tulane; 3, South Carolina; 4, Florida State; 5, South Florida; 6, Georgia Tech. Time 7:07.5

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1,650 free style - 1. Tye (UM); 2. Machado (UM); 3. Strauss (UM); 4. Barnes (T); 5. Hughes (T); 6. Kesslering (SC). Time: 16:50.2. 400 yard medley relay - 1. Middleton, Miltenberger, Snyder, Stevens (FSU), 2. Miami; 3. South Carolina; 4. Tulane; 5. South Florida; 6, Ft. Lauderdale, Time: 3:37.6. 100 yard free style - 1. Van Der Merve (UM); 2. Barnacastle (FSU); 3. Stevens (FSU); 4. Milne (T); 5. Villanova (UM); Newman (SC). Time: 47:8. 200 yard butterfly — 1. Bacerra (UM); 2. O'Brien (T); 3. Tye (UM); 4. Grey (SC); 5. Weldner (T); 6. Gannaway (SC). Time: 1:57.7. 200 yard backstroke - 1. Spire (UM); 2. Claffin (SC); 3. McPherson (T); 4. Hillencamp (UM); 5. Warner (SC); 6. Dun-can (FtL). Time: 1:59.4. 100 yard breast stroke — 1. Miltenberger (FSU); 2. Reynolds (T); 3. Driver (FSU); 4. Morehead (SF); 5. Milne (T); Neubert (SC). Time: 1:00.7. three meter diving — 1. Myers (UM), 437 points; 2. Langdon (T); 3. Shoeman (FSU); 4. Wetherhold (SC); 5. Bridges (SF); 6. Swayze (UM). 200 yard individual medley - 1. Reynolds (T); 2. Miltenberger (FSU); 3. O'Brien (T); 4. Claflin (SC); 5. Tozer (UM); 6. Bacerra (UM). Time: 1:59.1. 400 yard free style relay — 1. Milne, Kauffman, Reynolds, Ploch (T); 2. FSU; 3. Miami; 4. South Carolina; 5. South Florida; 6. Georgia Tech. Time; 3:10.2.