

## **Women basketballers finish third in region**

The Florida State University Womens' basketball team won the consolation game at the Region III Basketball Championships for a third place finish at the recent meet held at West Georgia College in Carrollton, Ga.

The only loss of the tournament for the Tribe came at the hands of Mercer University, the eventual regional champions. Mercer easily ended FSU's hopes of the regional bid with a rousing 62-40 win. In that game, Marlene Graham scored 11 points for the Seminoles while Emma Colquitt led the Tribe with nine rebounds.

The Seminoles did win their other two matches, however, as they stopped Tuskegee Institute in their first match of the weekend and then doused East Central Mississippi in the consolation match for third place, 49-46.

Against Tuskegee, FSU used a balanced scoring attack as Liz White, Debby Belcher, Terry Brown and Graham all scored in double figures.

The third place game was right down to the wire as the Seminoles held off a late East Central comeback attempt to claim the victory. Graham again finished as the high scorer for the Tribe with 16 points while Brown scored 12. Colquitt also pulled down her season high total of rebounds with 16.

With the women's season over, Graham finished as the high

scorer on the team with a 13.6 average while Colquitt was tops in rebounds with 8.4 a game. Linda Crutchfield led the Tribe in assists with four a game. The Seminoles, as a team, also recorded an impressive 68 percent from the free throw line for the season.