

# Appalachian keeps indoor title

**LXINGTON** — Marshall Pitts figured in the only two meet records and led Appalachian to its third straight Southern Conference Indoor Track Championship yesterday.

The Mountaineers piled up 180½ points in outdistancing Virginia Military Institute (158½). Marshall was next with 81, followed by East Tennessee (73), Western Carolina (32), The Citadel (15), Furman (13) and Davidson (2).

Pitts was selected the meet's outstanding athlete after setting a record of 1:04.34 in the 500 meters and anchoring the Mountaineers' record 1,600-meter relay effort of 3:18.15.

**35-pound weight** — 1, Sheldon Johnson, VMI, 59-2. 2, Fred Ryan, Marshall, 49-1. 3, John Chesson, VMI, 47-9. 4, Leigh Hawkins, Appalachian, 46-5. 5, Steve Schultz, Appalachian, 44-9½. 6, Dan Foster, Appalachian, 42-8½.

**1,500** — 1, Phil Roberts, Western Carolina, 3:56.77. 2, Conrad Conneely, East Tennessee, 3:56.92. 3, Randy Hale, East Tennessee, 3:57.30. 4, Dave Marks, Marshall, 3:58.36. 5, Greg Hoofnagle, VMI, 3:58.40. 6, Harry Williams, Appalachian, 4:00.00.

**55 hurdles** — 1, Andrew Stewart, VMI, 7.62. 2, Chris Hauner, Appalachian, 7.73. 3, Tony McKinnie, Western Carolina, 7.81. 4, Tommy Robbins, Appalachian, 7.83. 5, Scott Griffie, VMI, 7.84. 6, Chuck Goins, Appalachian, 8.01.

**55** — 1, Bobby Blackwell, VMI, 6.40. 2, Keith Wash-

ington, VMI, 6.49. 3, Kenny Stewart, VMI, 6.50. 4, Tony McIntosh, 6.55. 5, Tim Halsey, Marshall, 6.66.

**Triple jump** — 1, Michael Hanks, Appalachian, 51-10½. 2, Warren Posey, Appalachian, 49-10½. 3, Carl Harris, Appalachian, 49-3½. 4, Anthony McIntosh, VMI, 49-2½. 5, Keith Washington, VMI, 47-11. 6, Benji Motte, Furman, 47-9.

**Pole vault** — 1, Eric Faison, VMI, 14-0. 2, Terry Cornher, Appalachian, 14-0. 3, Mark Underwood, Marshall, 14-0. 4, David Parker, Appalachian, 13-6. 5, John McCray, VMI, 13-6. 6, Tom Brooks, VMI, 13-6.

**400** — 1, Bobby Harris, VMI, 49.86. 2, Willie Davis, The Citadel, 49.94. 3, Greg McCollum, Appalachian, 49.99. 4, Richard Rowe, Western Carolina, 50.17. 5, Dan Monahan, VMI, 50.19.

**800** — 1, Thane Harmon, Appalachia, 1:57.68. 2, Martin Castillo, VMI, 1:58.05. 3, Rob Mitchell, Marshall, 1:58.25. 4, Charlie Milner, East Tennessee, 1:58.26. 5, Lane Anderson, The Citadel, 1:59.13. 6, Don Chapman, Appalachian, 1:59.28.

**1,000** — 1, Keith Sewell, Appalachian, 2:29.54. 2, Mike Curcio, Appalachian, 2:31.02. 3, Dave Marks, Marshall, 2:32.17. 4, Greg Hoofnagle, VMI, 2:33.68. 5, Dave Ball, Marshall, 2:36.88. 6, Harry Williams, Appalachian, 2:40.47.

**5,000** — 1, Conrad Conneely, East Tennessee, 14:44.56. 2, Thomas O'Garrah, East Tennessee, 14:47.79. 3, Mark Shea, Appalachian, 14:48.14. 4, Dan Rechner, Marshall, 14:48.59. 5, Adam Jagelski, Furman, 15:06.63. 6, Dave Tabor, Marshall, 15:20.86.

**500** — 1, Marshall Pitts, Appalachian, 1:04.34 (meet record). 2, Rod Elliott, Marshall, 1:05.11. 3, Mike Maxwell, VMI, 1:05.68. 4, Anthony Brown, VMI, 1:05.69. 5, Bobby Whitehead, Marshall, 1:06.23. 6, Robby Pate, Marshall, no time.

**1,600 relay** — 1, Appalachian (Mike Baldwin, Greg McCollum, Harold Simpson, Marshall Pitts) 3:18.15 (meet record). 2, VMI 3:19.83. 3, Marshall 3:21.22. 4, The Citadel 3:30.05. 5, East Tennessee 3:35.29. 6, Davidson 3:47.62.

**Team** — Appalachian 180½, VMI 158½, Marshall 81, East Tennessee 73, Western Carolina 32, The Citadel 15, Furman 13, Davidson 2.

**Distance medley relay** — 1, East Tennessee (Charlie Milner, Kevin Lemon, Thomas O'Gara, Conrad Conneeley) 10:08.17. 2, Appalachian 10:14.80. 3, VMI 10:23.00. 4, Marshall 10:23.00. 5, Furman 10:42.44. 6, Davidson 11:15.54.

**High jump** — 1, Sammie Cunningham, Appalachian, 7-0. 2, Henry Ingram, VMI, 7-0. 3, James Brookshire, Western Carolina, 6-10. 4, Stephen Morrison, Appalachian, 6-10. 5, Carl Harris, Appalachian, 6-10. 6, Jimmy Ellis, East Tennessee, 6-6.

**Shot put** — 1, Fred Ryan, Marshall, 51-8½. 2, Steve Schultz, Appalachian, 49-2½. 3, Sheldon Johnson, VMI, 48-3¼. 4, Leigh Hawkins, Appalachian, 47-9. 5, Jerry Ledlow, VMI, 46-11¼. 6, Bo Willard, The Citadel, 46-1½.

**Long jump** — 1, Tom Hanks, Appalachian, 24-4½. 2, Benji Motrte, Furman, 23-10½. 3, Kenny Stewart, VMI, 23-9½. 4, Nelson Dixon, Western Carolina, 23-2½. 5, Thane Gash, East Tennessee, 23-2. 6, Carl Harris, Appalachian, 22-11.

**3,000** — 1, Conrad Conneely, East Tennessee, 8:33.53. 2, Mark Shea, Appalachian, 8:36.04. 3, Dave Tabur, Marshall, 8:37.82. 4, Randy Hale, East Tennessee, 8:37.93. 5, Thomas O'Gara, East Tennessee, 8:38.96. 6, Richard Stewart, Marshall, 8:41.01.

**3,200 relay** — 1, VMI (Pete Carty, Marty Castillo, Greg Hoofnagle, Mike Maxwell) 7:53.62. 2, Appalachian 7:56.13. 4, East Tennessee 8:08.68. 4, Marshall 8:13.41. 5, Western Carolina 8:21.94.