

# FSU UPSETS HATTER FIVE

**Westhafer, Wernke  
Pace 76-66 Win**

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Florida State's cagers knocked the Stetson Hatters into a cocked hat last night with a rousing 76-66 victory over the green-clad visitors in State's West Campus gym.

Only once after the opening minutes was the contest in doubt—a terrific Hatter spurt closed FSU's lead to 60-55 with six minutes left, but Ham Wernke and Jerry Westhafer squelched the threat.

With a 11-5 record and an outside shot at Florida's mythical state championship, Stetson expected to win this one, but Coach Bud Kennedy's Seminoles, after three straight defeats, had other ideas.

A stunning 29-point performance from 6-4 Jerry Westhafer, the lad with the magical right hand, and a 21-tally job by Hammerin' Ham Wernke, kept the Indians strong in the scoring column.

A fine and fancy floor game from frosh Jim Oler contributed more than the figures show. Freshman Gary Wold, in the pivot, held Stetson's big Jim Yonge to five markers, although a substitute—Ed Hansel—tallied 14.

Kennedy substituted but twice: In the closing minutes when floorman Tom Burst came in to relieve Oler, and 6-7 Rick Benson replaced Wold who had fouled out.

The victory for the Indians—and the most convincing one they've scored on the home floor this campaign—was their sixth all-told against nine defeats.

State got away fast with a three-man club in the first quarter that was Wernke-Westhafer-Oler. At the quarter FSU led 22-12.

In Wernke's one bad quarter—the second when he didn't score at all—Westhafer took up the slack and continued to ring true with his finger-tip push shot from inside and out.

Leading the stunned Stetsonites 40-23 at half-time and 58-39 at the end of the third quarter, FSU eased up and the visitors came up to 55-60. That was as close as they ever got.

While Westhafer was hitting 13 of 22 from the floor, the Indians together rang 28 of 71—almost 40 per cent—and swished 20 of 30 from the line.

Florida	State	Stetson
	fg ft tp	fg ft tp
Westhfr,f	13 3 29	Crumptn,f .1 0 2
Gordon,f	3 4 10	Garrett,f 4 1 9
Wold,c	1 3 5	Cassidy,c 1 1 3
Oler,g	3 3 9	Silvers 0 0 0
Wernke,g	7 7 21	Smith 2 7 11
Burst	1 0 2	Yonge,c 1 3 5
Benson	0 0 0	Oksnee,g 1 1 3
		Carlin,g 2 4 8
		Hansel 4 6 14
		Imgrund 5 1 11
TOTALS	28 20 76	TOTALS 21 24 66
Referee: McCoy; Umpire: Also-		
brook; Scorer: Johnson; Timekeeper:		
Fory.		