

Florida State University's Seminoles rushed to a decisive lead, then coasted to a 91-78 victory over Florida Intercollegiate Basketball Conference foe Stetson University in the Florida High gym last night.

Stetson had been impressive in three opening victories.

With Allstate guard Jim Oler contributing 23 points, FSU got a ten-point cushion before the visiting Hatters could get their breaths.

The Tribe maintained its lead throughout in its second FIBC

victory.

Monday the Tribe humbled Rollins, 101-67, to begin its defense of the conference title won with ten straight victories last season.

### WILLIAMS OUT

Regular center Bob Williams sat out Saturday's contest after suffering a sprained ankle in Friday practice.

Stu Gregory, the transfer from Jacksonville Junior College, took up the slack, hitting 15 points. Actually filling the center vacancy, however, was Gary Wold, who poured in 21 and was a terror under the boards all night. Wold captured 12 rebounds, a game high.

Oler, a push-shot artist, connected on 9 of 15 from the floor for a sharp 61 average.

Oler hit from outside on a push-shot with a little over 17 minutes left in the second half for his 20th point and was used sparingly thereafter by FSU coach Bud Kennedy, who poured in the reserves in the last 10 minutes.

### SUBSTITUTES IN

With only 4:14 remaining FSU held a 88-60 lead. Playing against subs, Stetson pulled the score to the realm of respectability with an 18 points splurge.

The winners made 43 per cent of their shots from the floor and hit on 31 of 40 shots from the foul line.

The victory sent FSU into a tie for the conference lead with the University of Miami Hurricanes.

### Stetson

	PG	FT	PF	TP
Crumpton, f	3	4-6	2	10
Kitchens, f	3	4-10	3	12
M. Gregory, f	3	3-4	4	3
Laver, f	3	2-4	3	10
Howard, f	3	2-3	2	2
Malfett, f	4	1-4	1	9
Skkeric, f	3	0-2	4	6
Iverson, f	3	2-3	0	4
Stoner, f	3	0-0	4	10

Totals 30 30-33 23 76

	PG	FT	PF	TP
Artmeyer, f	3	4-4	3	14
S. Gregory, f	3	5-8	3	15
Twomey, f	3	0-0	2	0
Wursbach, f	3	2-2	0	6
Wood, f	3	0-0	0	0
Wold, c	7	7-10	2	21
Oler, c	9	10-17	2	30
Walix, f	3	0-0	3	0
Garcia, f	1	2-3	3	4
Mahoney, f	1	0-0	2	2
Ward, f	0	0-0	0	0
Patterson, f	0	1-3	2	1

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Halftime: FSU 46, Stetson, 32. Umpire: Durden; Referee: McCoy.