Sophomore guard Hugh Durham scored 43 points and set a new Florida State University scoring record here Saturday night to lead the Seminoles to a 104-86 victory over Stetson.

Scoring his last point on a free throw with seven seconds-left in the game. Durham broke the record set last year by Jimmy Oler, who tailied 42 against Morning-side College.

The flashy Louisville, Ky., sophomore has been the Tribe's sparkplug all season long and in the second game of the season became the first soph since the days of Oler and Ham Wernke to break into the starting lineup. He has started ever since.

HIT CAREER HIGH ..

The total was also Durham's personal career high, his previous best being a 39-point production last year as a freshman against Southwest Junior College:

He had previously broken 20 only twice this year, scoring 26 in a losing cause against Bradley and 31 in the Seminoles' only previous triumph, a 108-95 Semior Bowl win over Furman.

The victory boosted the Tribe's FIEC stock considerably, giving them a 1-2 mark. Stetson had previously lost only to league leader Miami in conference play.

Guard Tommy Garcia set the sarly scoring pace as Coach Bud Kennedy's charges moved into a commanding 10-3 lead in the first five minutes of play.

50-41 AT HALFTIME

When Garcia cooled, Durham caught fire, and the Seminoles pulled away to a 38-23 margin, only to have the visiting Hatters close it up to 50-41 at the half-time intermission.

However, García and Durham scored seven quick points between them to make 57-41, and after that the fans anly interest came in watching Durham inch toward the record.

After he hit his 37th point, a free throw which made the score-board read 99-76. Durham was taken out of the game by Kennedy; but when the FSU coach was informed that his high-scoring sophoomre was just one field goal short of a Seminole record, he put him right back in

He got that field goal immediately upon re-entering the game, tying the mark of 14 in a game set by Ham Wernke against Tampa in 1954.

He hit three tree throws to tie Oler's record, then—as the crowd of 1.800 gasped—missed three on two separate occasions before sinking the record-breaking charity toss.

14 OUT OF 22

Durham hit his 14 field goals in 22 tries for a .636 percentage and 15 of 22 free throw attempts for a .681 percentage:

Overshadowed by Durham's effort was a 24-point performance by Garcia, who scored 12 from the free throw line. No other Seminole hit double figures and 13-point performances by Dick Layer and Mac Stones led the losers.

The vitcory avenged a 97-70 drubbing which Stetson gave FSU last Monday night at DeLand. This Monday night, the Seminoles take to the road to meet the Georgia Bulldogs at Athens, Ga.

STETSON	FG	FT.	TP
Kilchens	3	. 7-3	11.
Stones.f	- 5	5-3	13
Moffettif	P.	7-5	- 5
Schnelder.t	3	1-1	7
Reynolds t	n n	n-0	, 6 , 3
Lierson.f	0	2-2	2
Siskovic _i e	4.5	6-2	18
Hearin.c	, 2 ,	0-6	_ '∳ ;
Layetie	3	9-1	~ 1 3
Howard.g		3+3	- 11
M. Gregory g	4	3-0	8.
Totals	20	43-28	86
FLORIDA STATE	FG		TP
Waits	1	7-5	***
Strom,f	7	4-2	
S. Gregory,f	·Ž	2-1	. .
Ward,f	2	6-0	7
B. Williamsie	7	6-0	8
Westhafer,c	ź	3-3	7
Garcia,	- 6	15-12	24
Durham,g	14	22-15	
J. Williams.g		9-6	
Twomey,g	10	8-4	
Totals	77	53-38	104
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