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Florida State used its favorite weapon — the home run — to bludgeon North Carolina into submission and win its 18th victory of the season, 15-7 here yesterday.

A full day of baseball was scheduled today with North Carolina meeting Miami at 11:30, FSU vs. North Carolina at 3, and FSU vs. Miami under the lights of Centennial Field tonight at 7:30.

Shining sophomore Jim Lyttle hit two of the homers yesterday his ninth and tenth of the season. Second baseman Dick Fernandez got his fourth, a grand slam blow in the third, and Maury Hopkins turned in an inside the park performance in the fifth.

Fernandez had five RBIs on two hits, Lyttle drove in three runs on three hits. Hopkins and Tom Thomas drove in two runs each.

Sophomore southpaw Wayne Vincent got by some early inning trouble and went on to handcuff the Tar Heels on six hits for eight innings, striking out 11. Chester Cole came on to pitch the ninth and gave up two hits, one a three run homer by center fielder Charlie Carr.

The Seminoles blasted 16 hits in typical fashion. North Carolina grabbed a two run lead in the first inning when Bob Hume was hit by a pitch, Danny Talbott walked, and Bob Banczek tripled down the right field line.

The lead lasted until Mr. Lyttle came to bat. Gary Sprague preceded him with a single, and Lyttle poked one 400 feet into center field.

The Tar Heels took the lead for the second time in the second on a walk to catcher John Shaw and a double by second baseman Charlie Thomas.

Fernandez erased Carolina's hopes with his basesloaded blow in the third which cleared the fence in center at almost the exact place of Lyttle's earlier one.

Hopkins drove the Tar Heel right fielder to the wall in the sixth, and scampered all the way around before Carolina could chase the ball down.

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