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JACKSONVILLE — Florida
State's four-run sixth inning
outburst proved to be too much
for Jacksonville's speedy
Dolphins to overcome
Wednesday at Alexander Brest
Field as the Seminoles
captured a 7-5 victory.

The win upped the Tribe's record to 33-8 and kept alive its hopes for an at-large bid to the NCAA District 3 baseball tournament later this

month in Gastonia, N.C.

The Seminoles' road trip continues today with a 3 p.m. contest against JU followed by a 7:30 game against Georgia Southern Friday and Saturday.

Timely hitting by Dick Gold and Mike Easom paced the Florida State attack and provided Gene Ammann with his ninth victory in 10 decisions.

Gold collected three hits and drove in two runs while Easom was two-for-five with three RBI.

The Seminoles wasted no time jumping on JU starting pitcher Jerry Roberts, getting two runs on Easom's single in the first.

JU came right back with two tallies of their own in the first. Shortstop Stan Marecki greeted Ammann with a 360foot home run over the left field fence. It was the Dolphin leadoff man's first homer of the year.

Gus Bell was safe on a throwing error by Easom, but was forced at second by Larry Byrnes. Guy Ezzell moved Byrnes to second with a single. Byrnes then stole third and came home when Mike English's throw went into right

field trying to pick off the runner at first.

FSU went back on top in the second when Roberts walked the first four men, Gurzynski

scoring for the Tribe.

Jacksonville knotted things back up in the third when Walt Sumner dropped Marecki's fly ball and Byrnes singled him home.

Ammann led off the Seminoles' big sixth-inning uprising with a one-out single: Sumner followed with a single, but was forced at second by Dave Moates, Ammann moving to third.

Gold lashed a sinking line drive to left centerfield at which Byrnes made a diving attempt. The ball escaped him, however, and Gold pulled up with a double as two runs scored.

Jeff Hogan grounded third, but Gary Gann threw the ball away allowing Gold to cross the plate. Easom singled in Hogan from second to wrap up the Tribe's scoring.

Jacksonville added single runs in the seventh and ninth, but it was not enough to overcome the Seminole

advantage.

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Gold 2b
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Easom 35 5 0 2 Wiggins 15 4 0 0 Nichols rf 5 0 1 Sanders c 4 0 0
Gurzynski 15 4 1 0 Gann 35
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Byrnes, Gold (2) DP - FSU-2; Ju-1.
LOB --- FSU.9: Ju.5.
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Moates, Alford.
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WP -- Roberts, U -- Baudreau, Fritts.

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