

Seminole homers bomb JU

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JACKSONVILLE — Florida State continued its hitting barrage here Tuesday afternoon and pitcher Mike Bretz settled down after a shaky start as the Seminoles whipped Jacksonville U. 9-5.

The two teams were to meet

On the air

The game will be broadcast in Tallahassee on WTAL (1450 AM) beginning at 3:20 p.m.

again today at 3:30, with ace right-hander Larry Jones (4-0) on the mound for the Seminoles. The Dolphins were expected to counter with Tom Braithwaite (1-3).

The Seminoles blasted four more home runs in Tuesday's game, pushing their season total to 30 in 15 games. Joe Hicks continued his tear with two of the homers, and finished the day with three hits in three trips to the plate and seven runs batted in.

Meanwhile Bretz, a sophomore, gave up five runs in the first three innings before settling down. He pitched into the seventh inning before giving way to Jackie Smith, who pitched the final 2½ innings to nail down the win.

Bretz is now 3-1 on the season. Florida State is 12-3, while JU fell to 18-8.

Trailing 3-0, the Seminoles jumped on top in the third when Rick McGlone led off with a solo homer. After Carlos Lezcano reached on a fielders choice and Guillermo Bonilla singled, Hicks brought them home with his first homer of the day.

Hicks drove in a pair of insurance runs with a single in the sixth, and Bonilla brought home the final run in the eighth with a sacrifice fly.

The Seminoles have now scored 141 runs in 15 games (9.4 per game) and 84 in their last six games (14 per game).

FSU					Jacksonville				
	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Huff,rf	5	2	3	0	Del Sardo,lf	4	0	0	0
Lezcano,cf	5	3	2	1	Bow'man,ph	1	0	1	0
Bonilla,2b	4	1	1	1	Robtson,rf	3	1	1	1
Hicks,3b	3	2	3	6	Petrillo,ph	1	0	0	0
Mobley,3b	0	0	0	0	Chappell,1b	4	1	1	1
Coulter,dh	4	0	0	0	Rausch,ss	4	1	1	0
Curry,1b	4	0	1	0	Laval,dh	4	0	1	0
McArdle,lf	5	0	2	0	Donovan,cf	4	1	1	2
Benda,ss	3	0	0	0	Bircher,3b	3	1	0	0
McGlone,c	5	1	1	1	Cham'l'n,c	3	0	1	0
Bretz,p	0	0	0	0	Bowden,2b	2	0	0	0
Smith,p	0	0	0	0	Pustay,p	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	38	9	13	8	TOTALS	33	5	7	4

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E—Hicks, Chamberlain. DP — FSU 2, JU 1. LOB — FSU 10, JU 9. 2B—McArdie, Robertson, Chappell, Rausch. HR — Hicks 2 (6), Lezcano (5), McGlone (4), Donovan (2). SF — Bonilla.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Bretz (W,3-1)	6⅔	5	5	5	6	1
Smith	2⅓	2	0	0	1	3
Pustay (L, 3-2)	7⅔	13	9	8	4	6
Coughlin	1⅓	0	0	0	3	0

HBP — By Pustay (Benda), by Coughlin (Coulter). WP — Coughlin. PB — McGlone. T—2:58. A—800.