

FSU wins 6-4 in 10 innings

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STATESBORO — Freshman Jeff Ledbetter belted a two-out, run-scoring double and then scored himself on a throwing error to lift Florida State to a 6-4, 10-inning victory over Georgia Southern here Saturday night.

After Georgia Southern had tied the game in the bottom of the ninth, Eagle pitcher Carlos Colon got two quick outs in the 10th before hitting Mike Fuentes. Ledbetter then slapped his game-winning hit to deep left-center and scored when shortstop Scott Fletcher's relay throw sailed past third base and into the Georgia Southern dugout.

The two teams play a doubleheader today at 2 p.m. The Seminoles, now 32-8, will send Jim Riley (7-1) and Rick Hatcher (2-1) to the mound.

Florida State took a 2-1 lead in the bottom of the second when Dave

Mobley blasted a two-run homer to left-center. The Seminoles made it 3-1 in the fourth when Mobley singled in Ron Traylor.

Georgia Southern tied it at 3-3 in the fourth when Mark Strucher led off with a triple, Carmelo Aguayo singled and Terry Metts doubled.

Don Milner put the Seminoles back on top with a solo homer to lead off the fifth, a 400-foot shot to center-field.

The Eagles rallied to tie it in the ninth when Bob Laurie led off with a single, chasing FSU starter John Wolfer. Laurie moved to third on a sacrifice and an infield out, but Sergio Crego then hit a pitch from reliever Jim Smith past Mobley at third to score the tying run.

Smith picked up the victory for Florida State, his second against one loss.

Florida State					Georgia Southern				
	AB	R	H	BI		AB	R	H	BI
Schimchak rf	5	0	2	0	Fletcher ss	5	1	2	0
DeLoach ss	5	0	1	0	Crego 2b	5	0	2	2
Patterson 2b	5	0	1	0	Gray lf	5	0	0	0
Milner 1b	5	1	2	1	Strucher 1b	5	1	1	0
Fuentes cf	4	1	0	0	Aguayo c	5	1	5	1
Ledbetter dh	4	1	1	1	Metts rf	5	0	2	1
Traylor lf	5	1	0	0	Howard cf	3	0	0	0
Emerick c	4	1	3	0	Laurie 3b	3	1	1	0
Mobley 3b	4	1	2	3	Lezcano dh	3	0	1	0
Wolfer p	0	0	0	0	Godwin p	0	0	0	0
Smith p	0	0	0	0	Colon p	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	6	12	5	Totals	39	4	14	4

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E—Aguayo. DP—FSU 3. LOB—FSU 7, Georgia Southern 10. 2B—Schimchak, Ledbetter, Emerick, Metts. 3B—Fletcher, Strucher, Aguayo. HR—Mobley (6), Milner (3). SB—Milner. S—Schimchak, Laurie, Lezcano.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Wolfer	8	12	4	4	2	3
Smith (W, 2-0)	2	2	0	0	0	0
Godwin	5	10	4	4	1	3
Colon (L, 1-1)5	2	2	1	0	3	

HBP—Fuentes (by Colon). WP—Wolfer 2. Umpires—Rossiter, Johnson. T—2:41. A—407.