

FSU Baseball

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FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL

Date 3/16 / 80 Site Tallahassee, Fla.

Brooklyn College	000	031	100	-	5	8	4
FLA. ST.	400	370	36 X	-	23	20	3

Battery: BKLYN - Kolodney, Paller(4), Papagni(4) and Bueno.

FLA. ST. - Wiggins, Phillips(7), Gagnon(8), Ledbetter(9) and Ramsey

2B: BKLYN - Ferreira FLA. ST. - DeLoach(2), Yastzremski, Cullen, Ramsey(2), →
 2B-cont Emerick, Alvarez | (3B) - BKLYN - SHEA FLA. ST. - DeLoach, Huff

HR: BKLYN - Nicasio FLA. ST. - CULLEN

Leading Hitters: BKLYN - Nicasio - 2-5/2 RBI's FLA. ST. - DeLoach -
3-7/6 RBI's, Cullen 2-2/4 RBI's, Ramsey - 3-4/3 RBI's

W.P.: Wiggins(3-2) L.P.: Kolodney(0-1)

Records: 12-3 0-1

Game Notes: FLA. ST. BLEW THE GAME OPEN WITH SEVEN
RUNS in the fifth inning and sealed it with six
runs in the eighth to win their 5th straight game.
In the game, FLA. ST. set a school record
with eight doubles. Shortstop Don DeLoach had
two of those doubles plus six RBI's.

FSU 'gets happy' with a 23-5 waltz

By BOB COHN
Democrat sportswriter

With less than formidable opponents now regularly appearing on the Florida State baseball schedule, Coach Mike Martin calls this the "get-happy" part of the season.

Sunday, the Seminoles were ecstatic. Had there been aisles to roll in, the players would still be spinning.

FSU beat Brooklyn College 23-5 at Seminole Field, pounding out 20 hits and winning their fifth straight since losing to big boy Florida 21-6 a week ago. In addition to Sunday's win over Brooklyn, the Seminoles won double-headers this week from NAIA member Wingate College and Missouri-Rolla, an NCAA Division II team.

The series, "Giants of College Baseball," continues tonight at 7:30 when the Seminoles, 13-3, play host to Northern Kentucky.

FSU and Brooklyn provided such gripping tension and drama that the highlights occurred when a dog twice ventured onto the field and the fire department arrived to extinguish a tiny blaze that broke out in some bushes behind the bleachers.

"Our bats were so hot, they called the fire engines," Martin cracked, smiling at the ease with which his Seminoles disposed of the NCAA Division III Kingsmen.

Brooklyn was opening its season. The Kingsmen practice on a football field, when the weather lets them. Brooklyn Coach Mike Hipscher said his team has managed to get outside about four days and therefore knew what was coming.

"I don't feel too bad considering this was our opening game," Hipscher said in a New York accent thick enough to spread on rye bread. "It's about what I expected. I really did. I

think by the end of the week, we'll be playing a different game."

The Seminoles showed the Kingsmen a different game. Don DeLoach hit two doubles and a triple, drove in six runs and tied a school record with seven at-bats. Craig Ramsey had a pair of doubles among his three hits, and drove in three runs. Mike Cullen didn't enter the game until the seventh, but still found the time for a double, home run and four runs batted in.

The Seminoles set a team record with eight doubles. They are hitting

.346 overall and averaging just fewer than 10 runs per game.

FSU quickly established control in the first inning with four runs off Kingsmen starter Mike Kolodney.

After a lead-off walk to Lionel Martinez, the first of four for the second baseman, DeLoach's pop fly was caught by the gusts but not by the Kingsmen. It fell for a double between shortstop Henry Tapia and leftfielder John DeRosa.

After Jim Weaver fanned, Jeff Ledbetter's sacrifice fly, which should have been the third out, scored Martinez. Then Mike Yastrzemski hit a real double for two more runs and Ramsey singled in another tally.

That was all the cushion Dick Wiggins would need. The senior right-

hander, who committed two errors, muddled through six innings. He allowed four runs on seven hits, but got his third victory of the year against two defeats.

Kolodney, despite missing all of last season after undergoing elbow surgery, is a hard-throwing professional prospect. He was held to three innings work and shut the Seminoles down after the first. Some scouts in the stands departed after Kolodney did.

So did all semblance of a game. Brooklyn pitchers Walter Paller and John Papagnia were battered by 15 hits and 19 runs over the final five innings. Only 13 of the runs were earned, however. Pete Shea, moving from rightfield to shortstop in the

fifth, committed four errors for the Kingsmen.

FLORIDA STATE					BROOKLYN COLL.				
AB	R	H	B	I	AB	R	H	B	I
Martinez 2b	3	4	1	1	Walker 2b	5	1	0	0
DeLoach ss	7	2	3	6	Shea rf-ss	4	1	1	2
Weaver lf	2	0	0	0	Nicasio 3b	5	1	2	2
Huff lf	2	1	1	1	Ferreira lf	4	0	1	0
Ldbettr dh-p	2	2	0	1	Dredger 1b	4	1	2	1
Fuentes cf	5	4	2	1	Mhari dh-rf	4	0	2	0
Ystrzmski rf	3	2	2	2	DeRosa cf	2	0	1	0
Cullen rf	2	2	2	4	Hchmn ph-cf	2	0	0	0
Ramsey c	4	1	3	3	Bueno c	2	0	0	0
Emerick c	3	1	1	1	Mangracina c	1	0	0	0
Alvarez 1b	4	2	3	1	Tapia ss	1	1	0	0
Keck 1b	1	1	0	0	Papagnia p	2	0	0	0
Figueredo 3b	4	1	1	0					
Howser 3b	2	0	1	0					
Totals	44	23	20	21	Totals	36	5	9	5

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 Florida State 400 370 36x — 23

E — Shea 4, Wiggins 2, Martinez. LOB —
 Brooklyn Coll. 7, Florida State 9. DP —
 Brooklyn Coll., Florida State. 2B — Ferreira,
 DeLoach 2, Yastrzmski, Alvarez, Ramsey
 2, Cullen, Emerick. 3B — Shea, DeLoach.
 HR — Dredger, Nicasio, Cullen. SB — Maha-
 raj, Weaver. SF — Ledbetter.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Brooklyn Coll.						
Kolodney (L, 0-1)	3	5	4	4	3	3
Paller	1 1/3	5	5	5	6	0
Papagnia	3 1/2	10	14	8	4	1
Florida State						
Wiggins (W, 3-2)	6	7	4	3	1	4
Phillips	1	2	1	1	0	0
Gagnon	1	0	0	0	0	1
Ledbetter	1	0	0	0	0	0

WP — Paller, Papagnia. HBP — Mangracina (by Gagnon). A — 805.