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Captain Hank Mercer set the pace with a one under par 71 as the Florida State University golf team avenged its only dual match defeat of the season by soundly trouncing the Stetson University sextet 23½ to 3½ at the Country Club here yesterday. The victory closed the regular season for the Seminoles with a record of 8 wins against the single early season loss to Stetson.

Mercer, Sonny Tinney, Ted Hewitt and Joe Bassett—the four-some which will probably represent Florida State in the Dixie Conference tournament at Macon. Georgia, next weekend—had an aggregate medal score of 298 this afternoon making it two days in a row—the quartet had scored under 300. Friday the four Seminole linksmen had a fine 293 while defeating the Jacksonville Naval Air Station.

## Point Scores

Point scores of today's match with Stetson, giving the names of Florida State players first and medal scores in parenthesis, were:

Tinney (74) over Butler (77),  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Hewitt (75) over Rotan (78),  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Tinney and Hewitt over Butler and Rotan, 3 to 0.

Mercer (71) over Herndon (80), 3 to 0. Bassett (78) and Wade (79) tied, each getting 1½ points. Mercer and Bassett over Herndon and Wade, 3 to 0.

Montney (75) over Matthews (78), 2½ to ½. Watkins (76) over Reeves (80), 3 to 0. Montney and Watkins over Reeves and Matthews, 2½ to ½.