

GAINESVILLE—The "unsinkable" Bim Stults put some old swimmers through new paces here Saturday afternoon, and Florida State fashioned a come-from-behind 53-42 victory over Florida.

The Seminoles, undefeated since 1963, won just five of the 11 events but pulled out the victory with superior reserve strength and a pair of veterans swimming in strange events.

With butterfly man John Rangeley sidelined because of an eligibility agreement between the two schools, Gene Dayton was pressed into service in the 200 - yard event. Ordinarily a freestyle distance swimmer, Dayton cruised home ahead of Florida's Ray Whitehouse, and Bob Durocher finished third to give Florida State the lead for the first time during the cold, windy afternoon.

Three events later sprinter Mike Blouin, hero of two dual meets against the Gators last year, went the long haul in the 500 - yard freestyle to win. Dayton, still not thoroughly rested, swam for second place, keeping the Seminole head above water.

Florida's strong sophomores swept to an easy victory in the

opening event, defeating FSU's proud medley relay team.

Jim Mauldin and Tom Lloyd finished second and third for the Seminoles in the 200 freestyle.

Florida's Tom Dloguardi, one of the South's outstanding sophs, came in with a school, pool and meet record in the 50 free, ahead of FSU's Charles Robertson. Florida also took third place, and FSU trailed 18-8.

Powerful Dick Abbott registered the first win for the Seminoles, beating Florida's Charles King in the 200 individual medley. Tut Heisler finished third for FSU.

Then Neal Allen and Larry Profumo, possibly the best one-two punch off the springboard in the South, got eight more points on the board for Florida State, tying the score at 22-all.

Dayton manipulated the 200 fly in 2:06.3 to give the Seminoles a 28 - 25 lead.

Florida bounced back with another record - setting performance by Dioguardi in the 100 - yard freestyle. However, Abbott and Mauldin grabbed second and third place to keep FSU ahead, 32-30. The Gators closed the gap in the next event when Blanchard Tual, another soph., outswam Dick Acosta and Jim Mullally in the 2000 - yard backstroke, but Blouin and Dayton gave the Seminoles a cushion with their one - two finish in the 500.

Still pressing, the Gators got

a first and third in the 200 - yard breaststroke, but Doug Kruger hauled in second place for Florida State, making the score 46 - 42 going into the final 400-yard freestyle relay event - winner take all.

Florida State led with Lloyd, followed with Mauldin, Robertson and Abbott, and the four some swam away from the Florida team in 3:24.5.

The FSU freshmen made it even closer, but edged the Baby Gators 48-47 in the preliminary. Seeley Feldmeyer, an up - and - comer from Annapolis, Md., won the 100 and 200 - yard freestyle events, then anchored the winning freestyle relay team.

FSU remains undefeated in athletic competition against Florida this year.

The Seminole varsity, now 3-0, meets Alabama at the FSU pool on Wednesday.

Varsity

400-YD. MEDLEY RELAY—1. Fla. (Tual, Edgett, Whitehouse, Dioguardi). 2. FSU. T—3:47.5.

200-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Corbin, Fla. 2. Mauldin, FSU. 3. Lloyd, FSU. T—1:55.9.

50-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Dioguardi, Fla. 2. Robertson, FSU. 3. Kelly, Fla. T—0:22.9. (Meet, Pool, Fla. Record).

200-YD. IND. MEDLEY—1. Abbott, FSU. 2. King, Fla. 3. Heisler, FSU. T—2:05.2.

DIVING—1. Allen, FSU. 2. Proffano, FSU. 3. Chaves, Fla.

200-YD. BUTTERFLY—1. Dayton, FSU. 2. Whitehouse, Fla. 3. Durocher, FSU. T—2:05.3.

100-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Dioguardi, Fla. 2. Abbott, FSU. 3. Mauldin, FSU. T—0:45.9. (Meet Record).

200-YD. BACKSTROKE—1. Tual, Fla. 2. Acosta, FSU. 3. Mullally, FSU. T—2:03.6. (Meet, Pool, Fla. Record).

500-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Blouin, FSU. 2. Dayton, FSU. 3. Corbin, Fla. T—3:21.1.

200-YD. BREASTSTROKE—1. King, Fla. 2. Kruger, FSU. 3. Edgett, Fla. T—2:23.8.

400-YD. FREESTYLE RELAY—1. FSU. (Lloyd, Mauldin, Robertson, Abbott). 2. Fla. T—3:24.5.

Freshmen

200-YD. MEDLEY RELAY—1. Fla. (Orendorff, Kirkland, White, Hames). 2. FSU. T—1:43.6.

200-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Feldmeyer, FSU. 2. Anderson, Fla. 3. Putwain, Fla. T—1:52.9.

50-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Ranch, Fla. 2. Gibson, FSU. 3. Matthews, FSU. T—0:22.5.

200-YD. IND. MEDLEY—1. Reese, FSU. 2. Orendorff, Fla. 3. Hoffman, FSU. T—2:11.4.

DIVING—1. McAllister, FSU. 2. Moore, Fla. 3. Silk, FSU.

100-YD. BUTTERFLY—1. Putwain, FSU. 2. White, Fla. 3. Maul, FSU. T—0:56.8.

100-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Feldmeyer, FSU. 2. Ranch, Fla. 3. Aldrich, FSU. T—0:49.5.

100-YD. BACKSTROKE—1. Orendorff, Fla. 2. Schlichenmaier, FSU. 3. Reese, FS. T—0:59.8.

400-YD. FREESTYLE—1. Putwain, Fla. 2. Unger, FSU. 3. Zarzecki, Fla. T—4:11.4.

200-YD. BREASTSTROKE—1. Kirkland, Fla. 2. Heatley, FSU. 3. Scarfuti, Fla. T—1:06.2.

200-YD. FREESTYLE RELAY—1. FSU (Gibson, Matthews, Anderson, Feldmeyer). T—1:30.9.