FSU Net Squad Closes Season With 8-1 Win

Florida State University's Seminole tennis squad closed a highly successful season here yesterday afternoon as they swept past Troy state's netters 8-1 to rack up their ninth victory against only four defeats.

First Successful Source

The largest crowd of the season gathered at the West Campus courts to see Coach Don Loucks' charges become the first successful sports squad in FSU's brief athletic history.

The win was the Seminoles's second of the season over the Wave team. In a previous match in the Alabama city the Indians had garnered a 9-0 triumph.

Lanky Jim Costello, who dropped his first match of the season to Southern college last week, returned to his winning ways yesterday as he brushed past Brantley of Troy 6-0, 6-0 for his eleventh win in 12 individual matches this season.

Sweep Singles

The Seminoles, after sweeping the six singles matches without the loss of a set, dropped the second doubles match for their lone defeat of the day.

The summaries with FSU players listed first are:

Kratzert over McLeod, 6-0, 6-3; Dickson over Lloyd 6-0, 6-4; Lanigan over Bush 6-1, 6-2; DeLoach over Richardson, 6-0, 6-3; Costello over Brantley, 6-0, 6-0; and Jarrett over Smith, 6-0, 6-1.

Doubles: Costello and Lanigan over McLeod-Richardson 6-8, 6-2, 6-3: DeLoach and Gimlore lost to Bush-Lloyd 4-6, 4-6 and Albirght and Gavangan topped Brantley-Smith 6-2, 6-3.

Jim DeLoach was elected honorary captain by his teammates for the season just completed.