Florida State's tennis team dropped a 6-3 decision to wellbalanced Pensacola Navy here yesterday in the first of two important weekend matches for FSU.

The Seminoles entertain Georgia Tech this afternoon at 2 in a match on the varsity courts.

In yesterday's action FSU managed to break even in the singles but Pensacola came back to sweep all three doubles events to win going away.

In the feature singles match, FSU ace Hal Schaus edged Navy star Seth Peterson 6-2, 2-6, 6-3. It was the only individual clash to go three sets.

The loss dropped State's record to 3-2.

The results:

Hal Schaus (FSU) df. Seth Peterson 8-2, 2-6, 6-3. Art Fish (P) df. Tom Cundy 6-2, 7-5. Jerry Pope (P) df Shelby Creigh 6-2, 6-3. Don Wyly (FSU) df. Dick Gaskill 6-1, 6-3. Walker Harris (P) df. Joe Harris 6-0, 6-1. Shelhy Brewer (FSU) df. Tom Skielis 6-4, 6-1.

Peterson and Fish (P), df. Schaus and Creigh 8-6, 5-7, 8-6. Pope and Gaskill (P) df. Cundy and Harris 6-2, 6-2. Angstadt and Harris (P) df. Morgan and Wyly 6-1, 6-4.