Special to the Democrat

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 8—Florida State turned in its finest basketball effort of the young season but it wasn't enough to hold a talented Bradley team that pulled away in the last half for a 90-66 victory.

FSU Coach Bud Kennedy thought it was perhaps the finest effort by a team of his "in a year and a half." The Seminoles were down only 45-37 at halftime.

Seminole sophomore Hugh Durham was high point man for the game with 26. Tommy Garcia had 16.

Three FSU players fouled out. Bobby Waits retired shortly after the start of the second half. Bob

Williams left with eight minutes remaining and Stu Gregory took to the bench with about five minutes to go.

Losers of four straight now, the Seminoles face University of Florida in Gainesville on Monday night. First home game for FSU is Thursday night against Texas A&M.

Bradley Bops FSU By 90-66

Hugh Durham of Florida State picked off scoring honors with 26 points.

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Gregory	1	1.	3Morse	-1	2	4
B.Williams	2	0	4McMillan	4	- 2	10
Durham	9	8	76.Johnson	- 4	1	9
Garcia	6	4	16Sedgwick	- 2	- 8	9
Ford	0	4	4Dhabalt	- 1	0	2
J.Williams	.0	0	0McAd*	- 2	- 6	10
Westhafer	0	0	OCatruthers.	.0	0	.0
Walter	- 1	0	28merson	0	- 1	1
Dulemes	1	2	4Herberger	0	0	0
			Jaker	0	1	
			Groves	- 8	4	14
			Mason	0	3	3.
			Myers	0	n	0
			Fox	3	.0	2
			Dunn	- 1	0	- 2
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