

SPECIAL TO THE DEMOCRAT

GASTONIA, N. C. — Clemson's Tigers, behind the five hit pitching of senior Harold Stowe, defeated Florida State's baseball team 5-0 for the NCAA District 3 championship here last night.

Stowe struck out 13 FSU batters and walked only four while earning the most valuable pitcher award for the District 3 Tournament.

WESTENDICK LEADS

Tallahassee's Bill Westendick, led the Seminole attack against Stowe with three singles in four trips to the plate. The Seminole catcher just missed winning the outstanding hitting award, based on batting percentages, by striking out his last time up.

During the tournament, Westendick rapped out eight hits in 13 at bats. Clemson first baseman, Fred Deberry got six hits in nine appearances for the award. He was also selected as the best infielder edging out FSU's first baseman Charlie Rodgers. Rodgers drove in six runs against Georgia Tech Friday night.

TROUBLE STOWE

The Seminoles constantly had Stowe in trouble but the little lefty came through in the clutch.

FSU got two men on base in the sixth, eighth, and ninth innings. All in all the Seminole batters stranded 10 base runners.

After Rodgers and Bob Clem got on base by two Clemson errors with none out in the sixth, Stowe struck out the next two batters and got the next man to fly to right field.

An error and a walk got Stowe in trouble again in the eighth but he ended that by getting the next man up to ground out.

In addition to being runner up in the hitting department, Westendick set a new NCAA playoff record for most runs scored in a single game Friday night against Georgia Tech, 5.

Frank Davis was the starting pitcher for the Seminoles allow-

ing six innings. Davis suffered his third loss of the season against eight wins. He struck out five and walked only one.

He was relieved by Junior Carl Nelson of Daytona Beach. Nelson

gave up one run in three innings pitched.

RUNNER UP AWARD

Nell Martin, Seminole right-fielder, was runner up to Roger Kaiser of Georgia Tech for the Most Valuable Outfielder award.

The stocky junior from St. Petersburg helped the Seminoles win their first game against George Washington with a double in the tenth inning.

The Seminoles leave Gastonia for Tallahassee late this morning.

FLORIDA STATE				CLEMSON			
AB	R	H		AB	R	H	
Martin, rf	4	0	0	Gline, lf	5	1	2
Rodgers, lb	4	0	1	Bagwell, ss	5	1	2
Glen, 2b	3	0	1	Hoffman, cf	3	0	0
Dull, 3b	4	0	0	Deberry, lb	3	2	2
Wanka, ss	3	0	0	Cordill, rf	3	0	1
King, lf	4	0	0	Coker, c	4	0	0
Hazzell, cf	4	0	0	Suggs, 3b	4	1	2
Westndk, c	4	0	3	Burnette, 2b	4	0	1
Davis, p	2	0	0	Stowe, p	4	0	0
a-Buss	1	0	0				
Nelson, p	0	0	0				
b-Lanford	0	0	0				
Totals	33	0	5	Totals	35	5	11

a-Struck out for Davis in 7th. b-Walker for Nelson in 8th.

Florida State 000 000 000—4 0 2
Clemson 010 210 10x—5 11 6

E—King Bagwell 2, Davis Burnette 2, Dull. RBI—Burnette, Suggs 2, Bagwell, Hoffman. PO—A—Florida State 24-7, Clemson 27-6. LOB—Florida State 10, Clemson 1. BB—Suggs, Bagwell. SF—Hoffman.

IP H R or BB so
Davis (1-2-3) 6 7 4 4 1 2
Nelson 3 4 1 1 1 1
Stowe (W-7-3) 0 0 0 0 4 12
PB—Coker. U—Allen, Weston. Chambers. T—2:15. A—1900.