

Clemson's angry Tigers had been in Tallahassee for two days and hadn't won a baseball game. Friday they came alive and rocked four Florida State pitchers for 11 hits and took advantage of three Seminole errors for an 8-5 victory at Seminole Field.

The win evened the FSU - Clemson series at 1-all. The Tribe won a Thursday game 8-4. Friday morning Clemson dropped a 6-3 decision to Tennessee.

Florida State plays them both today, meeting Clemson at 10:30 a.m. and Tennessee later at 3:30. The Seminoles now stand 2-2 for the year.

A big second inning put Clemson into the lead. Buddy Nixon and Tommy Pack shook FSU starter Bob Kull with two doubles in a row. Howard Sharman walked, then came home with Pack on pitcher Greg Casey's double.

Florida State made it 4-1 in the third; All-American center-fielder Mike Augustine drew a walk and came home on a throwing error. Newcomer Gary Nichols' home run in the fourth added another Seminole score.

But Clemson iced it away in the seventh on Ron Moore's late - swinging blast into the scoreboard in right field, scoring three runs.

Casey went the distance for Clemson and won his first victory. Florida State's Larry Johnson tagged one of Casey's fastballs for a solid home run over the left field fence in the eighth, but otherwise the junior from West Palm Beach, Fla. had little trouble with FSU's batters.

Coach Fred Hatfield replaced Kull, a righthander, with sophomore Munroe Hunt, who lasted until Clemson's seventh-inning barrage. Quincy's John Andrew Smith came on then, and in two innings lost his second game of the year.

Dave Dahlen replaced Smith in the ninth and gave up one hit.

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