

Florida State's red-hot tennis team was braced here today for its toughest dual exam of the season, a 1:30 p.m. match against Florida's streaking Gators.

Both teams enter the state showdown with spotless records. Florida has an 8-0 mark this season and has won 16 straight matches over the last two years.

Off to a blistering start, the Seminoles hiked their record to 7-0 with a 7-2 triumph over Navy's Middies at Jacksonville yesterday.

Bill Tyn and Jim Schaffer are Florida's top single players. Rebel Bellamy and Paul Scarpa have been playing 1-2 for FSU.

Rebel Bellamy, FSU, def. Bill Moore, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2; Colin Fox, Navy, def. Paul Scarpa, 2-6, 4-6, 6-3; Bill Whitaker, Navy, def. Ed Fasula, 6-4, 1-6, 6-4; Gordy Smith, FSU, def. Fred Fluegel, 6-2, 6-1; Huddle McClain, FSU, def. Felix Karabasz, 6-3, 6-1; Jamie Jamieson, FSU, def. Jim Laster, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.

Bellamy-Smith def. Moore-Fox, 6-6, 6-4; Scarpa-Fasula def. Fluegel-Whitaker, 6-1, 6-4; McClain-Jamieson def. Karabasz-John Baehr, 6-3, 6-4.