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Schull Spurs Big Effort Before Overflow Turnout

By BILL McGROTHA Democrat Sports Editor

Florida State's basketball team put it all together here Friday night, looking like the tough outfit Coach Bud Kennedy thought it might be but had come to fear it wouldn't be.

And the result was a clear-cut, stunningly. easy 78-62 victory over a University of Miami team that put few things together.

Shooting percentages mirrored the whole bit. Miami hit a miserable 28.4 per cent of lis Boor shots, Florida Statea sesson high 56.6 per cent. But for the brilliance of 6-6 junior Mike Wittman, it would have been somewhat worse for the Hurricanes Wittman" packed in 31 points, pulled in a game-high 16 rebounds.

FSU's Gary Schull, who played less than Wittman, put the skids to Miami early, hitting 11 first - half points. He ended with 17, nabbed 15 rebounds.

Possibly the biggest crowd in Tully Gym history watched this one. The stands were packed, some folks were standing, some seated on the floor. been turned away at the door, stood outside until campuz police dispersed them. Officially, attendance was apbraised at 5,000,

was the biggest crowd-I can recall," said FSU Coach Bud Kennedy.

At that point Schull cut less with Bine points in loss then four minutes. Derrell Stewart, after a steal, added two points in that spec and FSU at 18.6 was cold for the races.

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Miami led only once at 87.

ened in the last half.

FSU's guard pair of Stewart and Jim Lyttle, though they teamed up for only about half the game, outshope Miami's pair of Junior Gee and Rick Jones whom Cosch Bruce Hale considers and good on any in the country. "I wouldn't trade," said

Kennedy. Lyttle, wie fouled out late, got 12 points and Stewart, who fouled out earlier, got nine. "It was a free-fouling affair throughout. Miami was charged with 24, FSU with 22, Miami's Wittman also fouled out

FSU was superb defensively, keeping the pressure on frombeginning to end-a not inconsiderable factor in Miami's poor shooting.

Billy Peacock was second to Schull in FSU scoring with 12. Bill Phillips got 10. Ken Doyle, starting for the first time, contributed some key work, got six points.

Gee was checked with six points. Jones got 14.

Coach Hale also rated his Hurricanes as one of the best-rebounding groups he's had. Well, Florida State dominated both boards, pulled down 54 rebounds to Miami's 39.

Only at the foul line

only at the foul line was FSU on the short end. Miami hit 24 of 34, FSU just 18 of 30. Jones, who leads the nation in free-throw percentages, was 4-for-6 at the foul line.

FSU, now 5-5, plays Loyola of New Orleans here Monday

night.

Miami, 4-6, goes to Jackson- c ville U. for a date tomorrow f night, plays at Florida on Monday.

Gulf Coast Junior College of toppled FSU freshmen 100.84 in a preliminary. The Panama City team is now 10-4 for the dyear, FSU freshmen 4-3.

The Baby Seminoles were t spurred by Jelf Hogan's 28 a points, and LaDon Boyd's 22.

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