

GAINESVILLE—Florida State's baseball team missed a chance to sweep a three-game series against the University of Florida Saturday when it committed four errors in the last two innings of the second game of a doubleheader and lost 4-3.

The Seminoles had won the opener 2-0 on the two-hit pitching of freshman Marty Rice and ace reliever Mac Scarce and Friday had notched a 7-2 win.

And, the Tribe had a 3-0 lead going into the bottom of the sixth in the nightcap before the roof caved in.

FSU pitcher Dave Fernald gave up a single to UF's John Sutton to open the bottom of the sixth frame, then walked Nick DiVirgilis. Rick Scarborough, who was the batting hero for the Gators, followed with a single which scored both runners after a wild pitch had moved them into scoring position.

Barry McQueen came on in relief for FSU and was promptly hurt by the first of the errors when Len Fuller was safe at first on a bunt which catcher Harry Saferight had trouble fielding.

With UF pitcher Bob Kowalski at the plate, McQueen fired an outside pitch for a ball and Saferight threw down to second trying to pick off the runner. The throw was late. McQueen fired a strike past the batter and Saferight again tried to get the runner at second. This time, however, the throw got by shortstop Dave Nichols.

Nichols retrieved it and tried to throw out Scarborough at third, but his throw was in the dirt and the other runner moved to second. Glenn Hurst soon hit a grounder to first to score Scarborough with the tying run.

In the seventh Will Harman

was hit by McQueen and stole second. John Sutton reached base when Nichols couldn't find the handle on his grounder to the whole at shortstop. That put runners on first and second, one out.

DiVirgilis lofted a fly ball to centerfield, which bounced out of the glove of Greg Gromek. Harman, trying to score on the play, was thrown out Gromek-to-Nichols-to-Saferight for the second out, but up comes Scarborough and lines another single which scored Sutton.

FSU had scored two runs in

the first inning on a single by Saferight and a sacrifice fly by Ken Doria, and added another in the sixth on a sacrifice fly by Larry Cocks.

The Seminoles left 11 runners stranded in the game and committed five errors.

In the opening game Rice went five and a third innings, allowing just singles to Sutton and pitcher Doug Corbett.

The former Leon High star was credited with his 11th victory against two losses. Mac Scarce worked the final inning and two-thirds, walking one, hitting one and striking out two.

Herb Sikes, another ex-Leon standout, drove in both runs with a 400-foot triple to the power-alley in left centerfield in the fifth inning.

The Seminoles now stand 40-15 for the season, Florida 18-25. The two teams clash in

Tallahassee Friday and Saturday nights in FSU's final two games of the season.

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	ab	r	h		ab	r	h
Nichols ss	4	0	0	Hurst ss	3	0	0
Cocks lf	3	1	0	Lee ph	0	0	0
Safrght c	2	1	0	Steele pr	0	0	0
Sikes 3b	4	0	1	Hedgecock 2b	2	0	0
Doria rf	2	0	0	Hull ph	1	0	0
Grimes 2b	3	0	1	Harman lf	2	0	0
Kasimir 1b	2	0	1	Dobies cf	3	0	0
Gromek cf	3	0	0	Sutton 1b	1	0	1
Rice p	2	0	1	DiVrglis rf	2	0	0
MScarce p	0	0	0	Crpentr ph-rf	1	0	0
				Scrbrough 3b	2	0	0
				Fuller c	1	0	0
				Delaney ph	0	0	0
				Kiezek c	1	0	0
				Corbett p	3	0	1
Totals	25	2	4	Totals	22	0	2
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E—Nichols. PO—A—FSU 21-11, UF 21-9. DP—FSU 1. LOB—FSU 8, UF 8. 3B—Sikes. RBI—Sikes 2. SB—Cocks, DiVirgilis.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Rice (W, 11-2)	5 1-3	2	0	0	5	1
Mac Scarce	1 2-3	0	0	0	1	2
Corbett (L, 5-7)	7	4	2	2	5	5

HBP—Lee (by Scarce), Saferight (by Corbett). WP—Rice 2. BALK—Rice. SAVE—Scarce. U—Wilds, Anderson. T—1:50.

Florida St.

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	AB	R	H		ab	r	h
Nichols ss	3	1	1	Hurst ss	3	0	1
Cocks lf	3	0	1	Hedgecock 2b	4	0	1
S'right c	4	1	2	Harmon lf	2	0	0
Sikes 3b	4	0	2	Dabies cf	4	0	0
Doria rf	3	0	1	Sutton lb	4	2	1
Grimes 2b	1	0	0	DiVir'lis rf	3	1	0
Kasimier lb	2	0	0	Scarb h 3b	3	1	2
Gromek cf	4	0	0	Fuller c	2	0	0
Fernald p	2	0	1	Delaney pr	0	0	0
McQueen p	0	0	0	Sheffield p	0	0	0
				Kowalski p	1	0	0
				Seybold ph	1	0	0
				Gardner p	0	0	0
				Corbett p	0	0	0
TOTALS	26	3	7	TOTALS	27	4	5

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E — Hurst, Hedgecock, Nichols 2,
 Saferight, Grimes, Gromek. PO—A —
 FSU 20-4, UF 21-8. LOB — FSU 11,
 UF 9.

2B — Hedgecock. 3B — Fernald. RBI
 — Saferight, Doria, Cocks, Scarborough
 3, Hurst. SB — Harman 2, Nichols,
 Doria, Grimes. S — Doria, Cocks,
 Fuller.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Fernald+		5	4	3	2	4
McQueen (L,3-3)	1	2	3	1	1	0
Sheffield		1	3	2	2	1
Kowalski		5	4	1	0	4
Gardner		2	3	0	0	0
Corbett (W,6-7)		1	3	0	0	0

+ Faces 3 men in sixth. Note: 2 outs
 in 7th inning when winning run scored. *

HBP — Harman (by McQueen). WP
 — Gardner, Fernald. BALK — Fernald.
 U — Anderson, Wiles. T — 2:10. A
 — 500.