



World Hockey Association Game Summary



Birmingham Bulls 1 at New England Whalers 8
Hartford Civic Center
December 27, 1977

First Period

1. New England, G. Lyle (G. Howe, R. Ley) 1:41. 2. New England, J. McKenzie (R. Ley) 2:31. 3. New England, M. Antonovich (J. McKenzie, D. Keon) 3:07. 4. Birmingham, K. Linseman (R. Langway, P. Westrum) 13:42.

Penalties:

P. Westrum, Bir 3:27; Jack Carlson, NE 9:42; G. Bilodeau, Bir 9:42; R. Ley, NE 18:08.

Second Period

5. New England, B. Selwood (D. Keon, M. Antonovich) 9:29.

Penalties:

G. Roberts, NE 17:10; P. Roberto, Bir 17:10.

Third Period

6. New England, Mark Howe (A. Hangsleben, G. Lyle) 6:05. 7. New England, M. Rogers (G. Roberts, L. Pleau) 9:06. 8. New England, B. Selwood (L. Pleau, Jack Carlson) 13:09. 9. New England, Marty Howe (M. Antonovich, J. McKenzie) 18:20.

Penalties:

G. Bilodeau, Bir 7:22; S. Durbano, Bir (misconduct) 9:19; S. Durbano, Bir (game misconduct) 9:19; G. Bilodeau, Bir 13:49; G. Bilodeau, Bir (major) 13:49; Jack Carlson, NE 13:49; Jack Carlson, NE (major) 13:49; R. Ley, NE 18:34.

Shots:

Birmingham 9 11 3 - 23

New England 11 13 14 - 38

Goaltending:

J. Garrett, Bir, W. Wood, Bir. A. Smith, NE (60:00 23 shots, 22 saves W).

Attendance: 10,309.

Birmingham Coach: Glen Sonmor.

New England Coach: Harry Neale.