

World Hockey Association Game Summary



New England Whalers 4 at Cincinnati Stingers 3 Riverfront Coliseum January 1, 1978

First Period

1. Cincinnati, R. Ftorek (R. Plumb) 4:09. 2. New England, G. Lyle (R. Ley) 17:19.

Penalties:

B. Maxwell, NE (high sticking) 5:16.

Second Period

3. New England, G. Howe (Mark Howe, G. Lyle) 1:05. 4. Cincinnati, R. Ftorek (R. Leduc, B. Coates) 8:21. **Penalties:**

B. Melrose, Cin (hooking) 3:58; G. Howe, NE (high sticking) 5:10; Marty Howe, NE (hooking) 7:43; R. Dudley, Cin (fighting major) 16:30; Jack Carlson, NE (fighting major) 16:30.

Third Period

5. Cincinnati, J. Hislop (B. Coates, B. Legge) 1:02. 6. New England, B. Maxwell (L. Pleau) 19:44.

Penalties:

B. Maxwell, NE (high sticking) 8:01; P. Stewart, Cin (high sticking) 8:01.

Overtime

7. New England, G. Howe (Mark Howe, G. Lyle) 5:16.

Penalties:

None.

Shots:

New England 6 9 5 4 - 24

Cincinnati 9 9 9 2 - 29

Goaltending:

A. Smith, NE (65:16 29 shots, 26 saves W). M. Dion, Cin (65:16 24 shots, 20 saves L).

Attendance: 4,386.

Referee: Ron Ego.

New England Coach: Harry Neale.

Cincinnati Coach: Jacques Demers.