

GAME SUMMARY

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DATE: December 14, 1980 DAY OF WEEK: Sunday STARTING TIME: 1:00 p.m.

VISITOR: Buffalo Bills VS. HOME: New England Patriots AT: Schaefer Stadium

SW 15-25 mph

WEATHER: Sunny, cold TEMPERATURE: 33 WIND AND DIRECTION: wind chill factor -10

OFFICIALS: REFEREE Cal Lepore UMPIRE Dave Hamilton LINE JUDGE Gene Carrabine

LINESMAN Tony Veteri BACK JUDGE Williams FIELD JUDGE Vaughan SIDE JUDGE Klemmer

BUFFALO		VISITOR	BILLS	LINEUPS		NEW ENGLAND	HOME	PATRIOTS
OFFENSE			DEFENSE			DEFENSE		
WR 80	Jerry Butler	LE 77	Ben Williams	WR 86	Stanley Morgan	LE 64	Richard Bishop	
LT 72	Ken Jones	NT 76	Fred Smerlas	LT 62	Dwight Wheeler	NT 71	Ray Hamilton	
LG 67	Reg McKenzie	RE 83	Sherman White	LG 73	John Hannah	RE 85	Julius Adams	
C 53	Will Grant	OLB 57	Lucius Sanford	C 67	Bill Lenkaitis	LOLB 59	Mike Hawkins	
RG 69	Conrad Dobler	ILB 55	Jim Haslett	RG 75	Bob Snyder	LILB 57	Steve Nelson	
RT 70	Joe Devlin	ILB 59	Shane Nelson	RT 74	Shelby Jordan	RILB 51	Bob Golic	
TE 86	Mark Brammer	OLB 58	Isaiah Robertson	TE 81	Russ Francis	ROLB 56	Rod Shoate	
WR 81	Ron Jessie	LC 29	Mario Clark	QB 12	Matt Cavanaugh	LC 26	Ray Clayborn	
QB 12	Joe Ferguson	RC 26	Charles Romea	RB 43	Vagas Ferguson	RC 40	Mike Haynes	
FB 47	Curtis Brown	SS 22	Steve Freeman	FB 44	Don Calhoun	SS 25	Rick Sanford	
RB 26	Joe Cribbs	FS 45	Bill Simpson	WR 29	Harold Jackson	FS 48	Tim Fox	

SUBSTITUTIONS

5 Nick Mike-Mayer	52 Chris Keating	91 Ken Johnson
7 Greg Cater	62 Ervin Parker	97 Darrell Irvin
0 David Humm	71 Mike Kadish	
1 Dan Manucci	73 Jon Borchardt	
5 Roland Hooks	74 Dee Hardison	
8 Rufus Bess	82 Frank Lewis	
8 Jeff Nixon	84 Duke Ferguson	
0 Terry Miller	88 Reuben Gant	
8 Roosevelt Leaks	89 Lou Piccone	
1 Jim Ritcher	90 Scott Murchinson	
1 Phil Villapiano		

SUBSTITUTIONS

1 John Smith	54 John Zamberlin
6 Mike Hubach	58 Pete Brock
23 Horace Ivory	70 Doug McDougald
28 Bill Currier	77 Garry Puetz
30 Mosi Tatupu	78 Tony McGee
32 Andy Johnson	80 Don Hasselbeck
35 Allen Clark	83 Don Westbrook
38 Roland James	
52 Steve King	
53 Bill Matthews	

DID NOT PLAY

14 Steve Grogan	50 Larry McGrew
17 Tom Owen	61 Sam Adams
22 Chuck Foreman	88 Carlos Pennywell

FIELD GOALS (Made & Missed)

None attempted

John Smith 1/2 (40 wide left, 27)

	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
Buffalo Bills (Visitor)	0	0	0	0	-	0
New England Patriots (Home)	7	7	7	3	-	24

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY (drive in yds/plays)	SCORE	
				VISITOR	HOME
NE	1	6:12	V Ferguson 9 run (Smith kick)	0	7
NE	2	13:45	Francis 5 pass from Cavanaugh (Smith kick)	0	14
NE	3	5:34	A Johnson 13 pass from Cavanaugh (Smith kick)	0	21
BUFF	3	13:38	Safety - Simpson & Bess tackled Hubach in end zone	2	21
NE	4	4:39	Smith FG 27	2	24
ATTENDANCE FIGURES: 60,296 tickets distributed					
58,324 in stadium					
1,972 no-shows					
TIME OF GAME: 2:46					

ATTENDANCE: TICKETS DISTRIBUTED _____ ; ACTUAL _____ ; NO SHOWS _____ ; TIME _____

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FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

AT SCHAEFER STADIUM

VISITOR BUFFALO BILLS

HOME NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
CRIBBS	X	12	57	4.8	23	0			
MANUCCI		2	24	12.0	17	0			
BROWN		6	19	3.2	8	0			
HUMM		1	5	5.0	5	0			
LEAKS		1	3	3.0	3	0			
TOTALS		22	108	4.9	23	0			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS	TD	LG.	INT.	
FERGUSON, J		2	2	12	15	0	12	0	
MANUCCI		6	5	64	54	0	22	0	
HUMM		14	4	39	29	0	19	1	
TOTALS		22	11	115	62	0	22	1	
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
BUTLER		4	43	22	0				
BROWN		2	26	19	0				
HOOKE		1	22	22	0				
FERGERTSON		1	8	8	0				
JESSIE		1	7	7	0				
MILLER		1	5	5	0				
CRIBBS		1	4	4	0				
TOTALS		11	115	22	0				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
SIMPSON		1	13	13	0				
FREEMAN		1	3	3	0				
TOTALS		2	16	13	0				
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
CATER		5	200	40.0	1	0	49		
TOTALS		5	200	40.0	1	0	49		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD			
HOOKE		0	1	0	0	0			
TOTALS		0	1	0	0	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
BROWN		3	46	24	0				
KEATINGE		2	23	16	0				
HOOKE		1	4	4	0				
TOTALS		6	73	24	0				
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN SEC.	YDS.	TD	OPP. SEC.	YDS.	TD	OUT. SEC.
CRIBBS		2		7					1
HUMM		1							
McKENZIE		1	1	30	0				
TOTALS		4	1	30	0	0	0	0	1

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
FERGUSON, V*		20	81	4.1	10	1			
CAVANAUGH		6	44	7.3	22	0			
CALHOUN		7	27	3.0	11	0			
TATUPU		8	22	2.8	10	0			
CLARK		2	19	9.5	15	0			
IVORY		1	2	2.0	2	0			
HUBACH		1	0	0.0	0	0			
TOTALS		47	195	4.1	22	1			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS	TD	LG.	INT.	
CAVANAUGH		19	12	136	29	2	24	2	
TOTALS		19	12	136	29	2	26	2	
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
FRANCIS		4	49	25	1				
CALHOUN		2	8	5	0				
JACKSON		1	26	26	0				
WESTBROOK		1	21	21	0				
JOHNSON		1	13	13	1				
IVORY		1	10	10	0				
MORGAN		1	6	6	0				
FERGUSON, V		1	3	3	0				
TOTALS		12	136	26	2				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
SHOATE		1	0	0	0				
TOTALS		1	0	0	0				
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
HUBACH		1	28	28.0	0	0	28		
TOTALS		1	28	28.0	0	0	28		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD			
JAMES		2	0	10	8	0			
TOTALS		2	0	10	8	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
IVORY		1	23	23	0				
TOTALS		1	23	23	0				
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN SEC.	YDS.	TD	OPP. SEC.	YDS.	TD	OUT. SEC.
WHEELER		1		4					(SAFETY)
SHOATE									1
HAYNES									1
TOTALS		1	0	4	0	2	0	0	0

BUFFALO BILLS
(Visitor)

VS.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS
(Home)

Date SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1980 AT SCHAEFFER STADIUM, FOXBORO MA

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	VISITOR <u>BUFFALO</u>	HOME <u>NEW ENGLAND</u>
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	8	21
BY RUSHING	5	10
BY PASSING	2	9
BY PENALTY	1	2
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	4-13-31%	9-14-64%
TOTAL NET YARDS	164	324
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS (Inc. times thrown passing)	52	68
AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY	3.1	4.8
NET YARDS RUSHING	101	195
TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS	22	47
AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY	4.9	4.1
NET YARDS PASSING	53	129
TIMES THROWN--YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS	3 FOR 62	2 FOR 7
GROSS YARDS PASSING	115	136
PASS ATTEMPTS--COMPLETIONS--HAD INTERCEPTED	22-11-1	19-12-2
AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing)	1.8	6.1
PUNTS--NUMBER AND AVERAGE	5-40.0	1-28.0
HAD BLOCKED	NONE	NONE
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE	89	33
NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS	0-0	2-10
NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS	6-73	1-23
NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS	2-16	1-0
PENALTIES--NUMBER AND YARDS	7-63	3-20
FUMBLES--NUMBER AND LOST	4-2	1-0
TOUCHDOWNS	0	3
RUSHING	0	1
PASSING	0	2
RETURNS	0	0
EXTRA POINTS MADE--ATTEMPTS	0-0	3-3
FIELD GOALS MADE--ATTEMPTS	0-0	1-2
TIME OF POSSESSION	24:48	35:12
SAFETY	1	0

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

** BUFFALO * BILLS ** versus ** NEW * ENGLAND * PATRIOTS **
 Sunday, December 14, 1980 1:00 p.m. Schaefer Stadium, Foxborough, Massachusetts
 WEATHER: Sunny, cold. Temperature 33 (wind chill factor -10). Wind SW 15-25 mph.
 Barometer 29.76. Relative humidity 52%.
 LEGEND: "P" denotes PATRIOTS. "B" denotes BILLS. "(")" denotes PRINCIPAL TACKLER.

FIRST QUARTER

Bills won the flip and chose to RECEIVE. Patriots defended SOUTH goal.
 Hubach kickoff squibbed, as it fell off tee just as he kicked it. Ball squirted to Brown at B10, up over head, Brown fielded it and stepped out of bounds at B2. He gets a return of 0 yds.

- B1-10 B2 (14:52) Ferguson at qb. Brown into line for 1 yd (Nelson)
- B2-9 B3 Brown on pitch left for 1 yd (Shoate)
- B3-8 B4 Cribbs around left end for 4 yd (Fox)
- B4-4 B8 Cater punted 41 yds to James at B49, returned to B41, 8 yd (Bess)

- P1-10 B41 (12:39) Cavanaugh at qb. Ferguson up middle for 3 yd (Haslett)
- P2-7 B38 Cavanaugh screen pass to Calhoun for 5 yd (Robertson)
- P3-2 B33 Ferguson around right end for 9 yds but PENALTY on Patriots, holding, 10 yds, ball back at B43 (Francis guilty)
- P3-12 B43 Cavanaugh pass to Westbrook for 22 yds (L Sanford) FIRST DOWN
- P1-10 B22 Ferguson slanted thru line for 10 yd (Williams)
- P2-1 B12 Ferguson around right side for 3 yd (Smerlas) FIRST DOWN
- P1-8 B9 Ferguson takes inside handoff for TOUCHDOWN up middle. FIRST DOWN
 Smith PAT kick GOOD. 41 yards in 6 plays and 3:51

PATRIOTS 7 BILLS 0 Time: 6:12

- Hubach kickoff to Brown -1 yd in end zone, returned 24 yds to B23 (Tatupu)
- B1-10 B23 (8:37) PENALTY at snap. Bills illegal procedure, 5 yds (Jones guilty)
 - B1-15 B18 Cribbs around right end for 3 yds (Clayborn)
 - B2-12 B21 Ferguson pass to Butler for 5 yds (Nelson)
 - B3-7 B26 Ferguson passed to Butler, caught out of bounds incomplete - PENALTY - Patriots offside, 5 yds, J Adams guilty
 - B3-2 B31 Cribbs around left end for apparent loss of 1 yds but PENALTY for facemask tackle 5 yds from spot of foul (Haynes guilty)
 - B1-10 B35 Ferguson swing pass to Brown for 7 yds (Nelson)
 - B2-3 B42 Ferguson sacked by Hawkins for loss of 5 yds, Ferguson shaken up
 - B3-8 B37 Manucci in at qb. He hands to Cribbs from shotgun, Cribbs loses 3 yd (McGee)
 - B4-11 B34 Cater shanks a punt which rolls to P38, 28 yds, downed by Brammer

- P1-10 P38 (4:46) Cavanaugh pass for Morgan off target incomplete
- P2-10 P38 V Ferguson around left side for 3 yds (Haslett)
- P3-7 P41 Cavanaugh pass to Francis for 11 yd (Robertson) FIRST DOWN
- P1-10 B48 V Ferguson thru right guard for 3 yd (Shane Nelson)
- P2-7 B43 Cavanaugh flat pass for Morgan over head, rolled out of bounds incomplete
- P3-7 B45 Cavanaugh ran from pocket around right end for 22 yds & out of bounds FIRST DOWN
- P1-10 B23 Ferguson up middle for 2 yd (Freeman)
- P2-8 B21 Cavanaugh pass over middle to Francis incomplete, off hands
- P3-8 B21 Cavanaugh ran from pocket, forced out of bounds by L Sanford, lost 2 yds, sack credited to L Sanford
- P4-10 B23 Smith 30 yard field goal try NO GOOD, wide to left

- B1-10 B24 (1:59) Manucci, still at qb, sacked for loss of 11 yd by Hamilton
- B2-21 B13 Brown up middle for 6 yds (McGee)
- B3-15 B19 Manucci sideline pass to Hooks for 22 yds (Clayborn) FIRST DOWN
- B1-10 B41 Brown tries right side, gains 1 yd (Hawkins)
- B2-9 B42 Time allowed to run out. Third downs Bills 1/3, Pats 3/4 on conversions

First Quarter Score NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 7 BUFFALO BILLS 0

	NE	BUFF
FIRST DOWNS	5	2
YDS RUSH	55	13
YDS PASS	35	18
ATT. Conv. Int	6-3-0	3-3-0

SECOND QUARTER

- Bills have ball, driving from B24 in 1:59 elapsed and 4 plays. They now have wind at backs.
- B2-9 B42 Manucci pass for Cribbs incomplete - PENALTY - Bills holding, 10 yds, Dobler guilty
- B2-19 B32 Manucci screen pass to Cribbs for 4 yds (Hawkins)
- B3-15 B36 Manucci pass to Butler for 14 yds (Clayborn)
- B4-1 @50 PENALTY on Bills for delay of game, 5 yds
- B4-6 B45 Cater punt to James at P18, returned to P20, 2 yds (Parker guilty) 37 yd kick
- P1-10 P20 (13:33) V Ferguson around right side for 4 yds (Williams)
- P2-6 P24 V Ferguson straight ahead for 7 yds (Haslett) **FIRST DOWN**
- P1-10 P31 Tatupu around left end for 5 yds - PENALTY - 5 yds on Bills for facemask tackle, (Romes guilty) **FIRST DOWN**
- P1-10 P41 V Ferguson hit left side for 3 yds (Freeman)
- P2-7 P44 V Ferguson up middle for 4 yds (Haslett)
- P3-3 P48 Cavanaugh pass intercepted by Simpson at B37, returned 13 yds (intended for Jackson) (V Ferguson tackle)
- B1-10 @50 (10:38) Brown carried for 8 yds (Bishop)
- B2-2 P42 Cribbs around right end for loss of 2 yds (Steve Nelson)
- B3-4 P44 Manucci ran from shotgun up sideline for 17 yds & out of bounds **FIRST DOWN**
- B1-10 P27 Manucci sacked by Adams for loss of 11 yd
- B2-21 P38 Cribbs, on attempted flea flicker, passed ball back to Manucci over his head - ball rolled out of bounds at P45. Cribbs gets a rush of -7, and a fumble
- B3-28 P45 Manucci pass for Hooks off target incomplete
- B4-28 P45 Cater punted 45 yards into end zone for touchback
- P1-10 P20 (8:13) V Ferguson tried right end for 2 yds (Haslett)
- P2-8 P22 V Ferguson up middle for 5 yds (Simpson)
- P3-3 P27 Cavanaugh pass to Francis for 8 yds (Sanford) **FIRST DOWN**
- P1-10 P35 Calhoun around right end for 4 yds (Freeman)
- P2-6 P39 Cavanaugh flat pass to Morgan for 6 yds (Haslett) **FIRST DOWN**
- P1-10 P45 V Ferguson thru right guard for 7 yds (Simpson)
- P2-3 B48 V Ferguson thru left guard for 4 yds (Simpson) **FIRST DOWN**
- P1-10 B44 Ivory straight ahead for 2 yds (Shane Nelson)
- P2-8 B42 Cavanaugh pass over middle to Ivory for 10 yds (Shane Nelson) **FIRST-DOWN**
- P1-10 B32 Calhoun tried left end, no gain (Simpson)
- P2-10 B32 Cavanaugh pass for Francis off target, incomplete wobbler
- P3-10 B32 Cavanaugh ran from pocket for 2 yds & out of bounds
- P4-8 B30 Cavanaugh pass to Francis complete at B18, carried to B5, 25 yd gain (Freeman) **FIRST DOWN**
- P1-6 B5 (2:00) Calhoun tried right tackle, no gain (Shane Nelson)
- P2-6 B5 (1:25) Cavanaugh pass to Francis in end zone for TOUCHDOWN **FIRST DOWN**
80 yards in 15 plays and 6:58 Smith PAT kick GOOD.

PATRIOTS 14

BILLS 0

Time: 13:45

Kubach kick: bounced, picked up by Keating at B21, returned 7 yds (King)

B1-10 B28 (1:09) Brown up middle for 2 yd (Zamberlin)

B2-8 B30 (0:40) Cribbs thru middle for 23 yds and fumbled, recovered by Shoate at P47
Fumble forced by Sanford, Steve Nelson made the initial tackleP1-10 P47 (0:30) Cavanaugh sacked for loss of 5 yds by Williams
Time runs out. Third downs: Buffalo 1/3 qtr., 2/6 half
Pats 2/3 qtr., 5/7 half

Halftime score: NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 14 BUFFALO BILLS 0

FIRST HALF SUMMARY

BUFFALO
VISITOR

vs NEW ENGLAND
HOME

DEC 14, 1980
DATE

FOXBORO MA.
SITE

PERIOD SCORES

VISITOR 0 - 0 = 0
HOME 7 - 7 = 14

TIME OF POSSESSION

VISITOR 12:59
HOME 17:01

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY	SCORE VISITOR	SCORE HOME
NE	1	6:12	RUN 9 YDS FERGUSON (SMITH) 4 1/6	0	7
NE	2	13:45	PASS 5 YDS FRANCIS FROM CAVANAUGH (SMITH) 80/15	0	14

	VISITOR	HOME
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	3	13
First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty	1-1-1	5-7-1
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	2-6-33%	5-7-71%*
TOTAL NET YARDS	79	188
Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing)	22	37
NET YARDS RUSHING	13 FOR 54	22 FOR 104
NET YARDS PASSING	25	84
Gross Yards Gained Passing	52	91
Times Thrown--Yards Lost Attempting to Pass	3-27	2-7
PASS ATTEMPTS--COMPLETIONS--HAD INTERCEPTED	6-5-0	13-8-1
POINTS--Number and Average	4-37.8	0-0
PENALTIES--Number and Yards	4-25	3-20
FUMBLES--Number and Lost	2-1	0-0

VISITOR BUFFALO BILLS

RUSHING	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
BROWN	6	19	3.2	8	0
CRIBBS	6	18	3.0	23	0
MANUCCI	1	17	17.0	17	0

PASSING	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TICD	YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.
FERGUSON J	2	2	12	1	5	0	7	0
MANUCCI	4	3	40	2	22	0	22	0

PASS RECEIVING	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD
BUTLER	2	19	14	0
HOOKS	1	22	22	0
BROWN	1	7	7	0
CRIBBS	1	4	4	0

HOME NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

RUSHING	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
FERGUSON V.	15	69	4.6	10	1
CAVANAUGH	2	24	12.0	22	0
TATUPU	1	5	5.0	5	0
CALHOUN	3	4	1.3	4	0
IVORY	1	2	2.0	2	0

PASSING	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TICD	YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.
CAVANAUGH	13	8	91	3	27	1	25	1

PASS RECEIVING	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD
FRANCIS	4	49	25	1
WESTBROOK	1	21	21	0
IVORY	1	10	10	0
MORGAN	1	6	6	0
CALHOUN	1	5	5	0

THIRD QUARTER

Bills kicked off with the wind to begin the half. Mike-Mayer kicked to Ivory at P2, returned to P25, 23 yds (Hardison)

- P1-10 P25 (14:51) V Ferguson up middle to P29 for 4 yds (L Sanford)
- P2-6 P29 V Ferguson thru right guard for 3 yds (Haslett)
- P3-3 P32 Cavanaugh ran from pocket for 7 yds but PENALTY - 15 yds on Bills for personal foul after play, Kadish guilty 2 FIRST DOWNS
- P1-10 B47 Calhoun thru left side for 11 yds (Romes) FIRST DOWN
- P1-10 B36 V Ferguson into line 1 yd (L Sanford)
- P2-9 B35 Cavanaugh screen pass to V Ferguson for 3 yds (Romes)
- P3-6 B32 Cavanaugh pass to Calhoun for 3 yds (Freeman)
- P4-3 B29 Cavanaugh ran from shotgun pocket for 17 yd (Bess) FIRST DOWN
- P1-10 B12 V Ferguson tripped up by Freeman, lost 1 yd
- P2-11 B13 Patriots timeout #1. Then Cavanaugh pass down middle to Johnson for TOUCHDOWN FIRST DN
75 yds in 10 plays and 5:25 Smith PAT kick GOOD.

PATRIOTS 21 BILLS 0 Time: 5:34

Hubach kickoff bounced to Keating at B21, returned to B37, 16 yds (King)

- B1-10 B37 (9:17) Cribbs thru left side for 7 yds (R Sanford)
- B2-3 B44 Cribbs up middle for 6 yds (Golic) FIRST DOWN
- B1-10 @50 Manucci chased out of bounds by Shoate, no gain, Shoate gets a sack of 0 yds
- B2-10 @50 Manucci ran from pocket for gain of 7 yds (Haynes)
- B3-3 P43 Cribbs tried left side for 2 yds (
- B4-1 P41 Leaks straight thru for 3 yds (Zamberlin) FIRST DOWN
- B1-10 P39 Manucci flat pass to Butler for 2 yds (Shoate)
- B2-8 P36 Manucci sacked by Bishop and McGee for loss of 19 yds - fumbled but ruled down
- B3-27 B45 Manucci pass to Butler for 22 yds (Clayborn)
- B4-5 B33 NE timeout #2. Then Manucci sacked by McGee for loss of 7 yds

P1-10 P41 (3:41) Ferguson straight ahead for 5 yds (L Sanford)

- P2-5 P46 Calhoun into line for no gain (L Sanford)
- P3-5 P46 Calhoun on draw play from shotgun hit for loss of 5 by Williams
- P4-10 P41 The snap to punter Hubach sailed over his head and rolled near goalline, Hubach picked it up and took intentional safety back in end zone. Simpson tackled Hubach and gets credit for the safety. 41 yds fumble yardage assessed to Wheeler. Hubach gets a rush of 0 yds. Bess helped out on the safety tackle.

PATRIOTS 21 BILLS 2 Time 13:36

Hubach kickoff from P20 bounced to Hooks at B30, juggled and picked up, returned to B34, 4 yds (Clark tackle) PENALTY on Bills on play, holding, 10 yds, ball back at B24 (Haslett guilty)

- B1-10 B24 (1:21) Cribbs carried for 8 yds (Shoate)
- B2-2 B32 Cribbs gained 6 yds (Adams) FIRST DOWN
- B1-10 B38 Humm in at qb, passed to Butler incomplete
- B2-10 B38 Cribbs ran for 3 yds gain. (Hawkins)

PATRIOTS 21 BILLS 2

	BUFF	NE
First downs	6	18
Yds rushing	96	146
Yds PASSING	23	103
ATT - Conv - INTCT	9-7-0	16-11-1

FOURTH QUARTER

B3-7 B41 Humm evaded rush, passed, tipped in air and intercepted by Shoate at P41 (Cribbs) Return of 0 yds. Pass intended for Cribbs

P1-10 P41 (14:49) Calhoun straight ahead for 3 yds (White)

P2-7 P44 Calhoun up middle for 2 yd (Haslett)

P3-5 P46 Cavanaugh pass to Jackson for 26 yds (Romes)

FIRST DOWN

P1-10 B27 Calhoun up middle for 11 yds (Simpson & Romes)

FIRST DOWN

P1-10 B16 Tatupu hit left side for 3 yds (Simpson)

P2-7 B13 Tatupu straight ahead for 3 yds (Simpson)

P3-4 B10 Cavanaugh rolled right, pass to Francis, broken up by Haslett

P4-4 B10 Smith 27 yard field goal try GOOD. 49 yds in 7 plays and 4:28

PATRIOTS 24

BILLS 2

Time: 4:39

Hubach kickoff to Brown at B7, returned to B29, 22 yd return (Golic)

B1-10 B29 (10:09) Humm pass to Jessie on sideline for 7 yds & out of bounds

B2-3 B36 Humm long heave for Ferguson overthrown incomplete

B3-3 B36 Humm ran from pocket for gain of 5 yds (Adams) Fumbled after whistle FIRST DOWN

B1-10 B41 Humm pass to Brown complete at B45, carried 15 more for gain of 19 (Claybn) FIRST DOWN

B1-10 P40 Humm swing pass to Miller complete for 5 yds (Hamilton)

B2-5 P35 Humm pass for Leaks overthrown incomplete

B3-5 P35 Humm pass for Miller broken up by Fox

B4-5 (P35) Humm pass down middle for Gant, in and out of hands incomplete

P1-10 P35 (7:55) Tatupu straight ahead for 1 yd (Robertson)

P2-9 P36 Cavanaugh pass for Westbrook intercepted by Freeman at B41, returned 3 yds (Westbrook)

B1-10 B44 (7:03) Humm pass tipped by Steve Nelson in backfield, incomplete

B2-10 B44 Humm pass for Hooks low, almost intercepted by Steve Nelson

B3-10 B44 Humm pass to Ferguson for 8 yds (Clayborn)

B4-2 P48 Humm, back to pass. sacked by McGee. Humm fumbled forward, McKenzie picked it up for Buffalo and returned to P18. McKenzie fumbled and it was recovered at P18 where Haynes recovered for Patriots. A 30 yd fumble return for McKenzie. A return of 0 yd for Haynes. A sack of 0 yds for McGee

P1-10 P18 (5:49) Tatupu carried for 9 yds (Freeman)

P2-1 P27 Tatupu up middle loss of 1

P3-2 P26 Clark thru right side for 15 yds (Simpson)

FIRST DOWN

P1-10 P41 Tatupu thru right side for 4 yds (Irvin)

P2-7 P44 Tatupu tried left side, lost 2 yds (Haslett)

Weather change Wind shifts around to North, against Patriots. Driving snow whips into stadium. Wind estimated at 25-35 mph NORTH. Haslett injured on play.

P3-9 P42 Clark around right side for 4 yds (Irvin)

P4-5 P46 (2:00) Hubach punted into wind to Hooks, fair catch at B26, 28 yd punt. PENALTY flag, Bills penalty 13 yds, half the distance to goal, personal foul on Haslett.

B1-10 B13 (1:52) Humm pass over middle to Leaks incomplete

B2-10 B13 (1:47) Humm sacked by Hamilton and McDougald for loss of 9 yd

B3-19 B4 (1:18) Humm pass for Gant incomplete, off target

B4-19 B4 (1:11) Cater punt downed at P47, a 49 yard kick. Piccone downed the ball

P1-10 P47 (0:59) Cavanaugh fell back for loss of 2, covering the ball (Romes)

P2-10 P45 (0:25) Cavanaugh fell back for loss of 2 more as time allowed to expire.

Third down conversions: Bills 1/5 qtr., 4/13 game,
NE 2/4 qtr., 9/14 game

Final Score: NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 24 BUFFALO BILLS 2

