

Stock and Keen meet again

A SHUDDER went down the Bournemouth spine when they heard that Wycombe Wanderers had beaten Worcester and so earned a first round tie at home on Saturday, November 22.

Fans remember only too well what happened six years ago when the teams met in the second round. After a goalless draw at Loakes Park, Wycombe travelled to Dean Court and won the replay 2-1 with goals from Tony Horseman and Steve Perrin.

That took Wanderers into the third round for the first time in their history where they met Middlesbrough and

we all know what happened against them.

Only one player from the Bournemouth side that day is still with the club, namely midfielder man Keith Miller. There have been wholesale changes since then.

Small world

Bournemouth are now managed by the much respected Alec Stock, who led both Queens Park Rangers and Fulham to Wembley finals.

It was in 1966-67 that Mr Stock led QPR onto the field for the Football League Cup final and the man immediately behind him was skipper Mike Keen, who of course now manages

Wycombe. Who says it isn't a small world?

But the man with most of the team responsibilities these days is David Webb, who achieved his greatest moment in the FA Cup when he headed Chelsea's winning goal in the replayed final against Leeds in 1970.

Webb's official title is player coach but following a recent injury he has stopped playing. Under him the team are now placed tenth in Division Four, and goal-scoring seems to be their main problem — only 16 goals in 19 games.

The Wycombe survivors from the 1974 game are Paul Birdswye, Mick Holifield and Howard Kennedy. The first two are certain to play in

this year's encounter, but Kennedy had a minor leg operation last week and will be out for a month.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION 4

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Southend	19	14	2	3	36	12	30
Lincoln	19	11	5	3	33	10	27
Mansfield	19	11	2	6	25	15	24
Aldershot	19	10	4	5	18	12	24
Hartlepool	19	10	3	6	29	23	23
Doncaster	19	9	4	6	21	26	22
Tranmere	19	9	3	7	30	23	21
Pborough	19	7	6	6	31	26	20
Bradford	19	6	7	6	24	24	19
Bournemouth	19	7	5	7	16	18	19
Nthampton	18	9	1	8	26	30	19
Wimbledon	19	8	2	9	24	21	18
Rochdale	19	6	6	7	26	29	18
Crewe	18	6	6	6	24	28	18
Stockport	19	6	6	7	21	27	18
Wigan	18	7	3	8	18	25	17
York	19	6	4	9	20	36	16
Darlington	19	7	2	10	23	31	16
Port Vale	18	6	3	9	25	17	15
Torquay	18	7	1	10	19	22	15
Sthorpe	19	4	7	8	20	27	15
Halifax	19	4	5	10	18	30	13
Bury	19	5	2	12	29	37	12
Hereford	18	2	7	9	14	21	11