

I don't believe it – we've actually scored at last

WHAT a way to finish a goal drought! As Mickey Bell's bomb-shell hit the back of the net on Tuesday there seemed to be a split second of stunned silence. Is the ball in the net? Have we really scored? Then euphoria broke out, we had got a goal after six hours and three goalless games.

VIEW FROM THE STAND By Ron Barnett

No wonder our three front men mobbed Mickey. They had squandered plenty of chances, and it looked like we were going to record our 14th blank of the

season.

Meanwhile, at the other end, John Cheesewright was playing his own game of 'heroes and villains'. Whilst he made a string of excellent saves his kicking almost gifted Millwall the game. Hopefully John Gregory will give him kicking practice and the strikers extra shooting

training before Saturday.

Other results went with us, with Rotherham, Notts County and Peterborough all losing. We're off the bottom and only three points adrift from The Posh and County. The only sad note was the 4,500 attendance.

Once again, the Millwall match

proved there is a fine line between the top and the bottom. In our last four games we have played three of the leaders, and although we have only won one we were very unlucky to lose at Watford and Wrexham.

Next task Barnet in the cup. Leicester and a certain Mr O'Neill would do nicely in the third round!

Governor Gregory returns to navy quarters

WANDERERS will be back in quarters next season – on their travels at least.

They will change their white pin-stripe away kit for red and navy quarters. The move has been requested by manager John Gregory and the club is considering consulting fans over its final design.

The kit will still be made by Mizuno but the home strip cannot be changed next season because of the contract.

A club spokesman said: "If the quartered away strip proves popular it will pave the way for the return of a new navy and sky quartered home kit."

■ The mystery fan who offered to pay £1,000 for each of the next ten games Wanderers win has decided to pay, regardless of the

results.

He made his decision before Tuesday's win over Millwall believing that a losing team needs the money more.

■ Wanderers have been given an extra 450 terrace tickets for tomorrow's FA Cup clash at Barnet after selling out their allocation of 900.

The extra tickets will be sold on a first come first served basis at Underhill priced £8 with no concessions. Families can also buy family stand tickets on the day.

■ Keith Ryan is nursing a new injury. He had stitches above his eye after a non-football incident which occurred during his social hours.

■ The Auto Windscreens match at Swansea looks likely to be

moved from Tuesday, December 10 to Wednesday, December 18.

■ Wanderers players will take on Premiership stars in a Wycombe Wanderers golf day at Chartridge Park Golf Club, Chesham on April 1. It will finish with a presentation dinner in the evening where John Gregory will be the speaker.

The Blues Sales and Marketing department are looking for teams of four to take part. Every team has the option of a celebrity/footballer. The maximum handicap allowance is 24 and entry is £300 for teams.

■ Wycombe Wanderers Independent Supporters Club have their Christmas Party on Friday, December 13 at the Trades and Social Club, Queens Road,

Wycombe from 7.30pm. Admission is £2 members, £3 non members.

■ Manager John Gregory has given Neil Davis a vote of confidence. Gregory saw the £100,000 rated loan striker miss three chances against Millwall extending his barren run to eight matches.

Gregory said: "It hasn't fallen into place for him yet but he's the type of guy that will keep persevering. He'll come into training and work hard, he's the type we need."

■ Triallist Ellis Laight scored one and made one as the reserves beat Fulham 4-2 on Wednesday. The 20-year-old striker has made 31 appearances and scored two goals for Torquay.