

# Blues in triple transfer bid

WANDERERS made two new signings and missed out on a third target in a hectic week of transfer deadline activity at Adams Park.

Veteran midfielder Dave Carroll has also left the club, being snapped up by Ryman League Aldershot.

But there was no joy for Paul Emblen. No-one came in for the transfer listed attacker before yesterday's midday transfer deadline.

## Signed



**Richard Harris**

WANDERERS have signed Crystal Palace striker Richard Harris until the end of the season.

Boss Lawrie Sanchez swooped for the 21-year-old goal ace after seeing him blast a hat-trick for Palace reserves in their 6-1 win over Wycombe last week.

Harris was only playing in that game because Palace striker Jovan Kirovski had to pull out because his wife went into labour.

He said: "I wasn't meant to be starting but I did and ended up scoring a hat-trick and some of the best goals I've scored. Wycombe signed me on the back of that. They'd probably never heard of me before.

"I'm over the moon. It's a good club with a lot of good players and a good manager. It's in my hands now.

"I've got a foot in the door now by signing here until the end of the season and I want a future here.

"It's not long, but I think it is long enough. I played 19 games for Palace so I know I can do a job here but it is up to me to work hard and earn it."

## Signed



**Andy Thomson**

BRISTOL Rovers central defender Andy Thomson has joined the Blues in a two-year-deal.

The 28-year-old former Swindon and Portsmouth stopper arrives at Adams Park on a free transfer ending a year-long chase for the Blues.

They tried to sign him last year but Rovers wanted too much money then but they've let him go now because he's on a Bosman in the summer.

## Missed

WANDERERS pulled out of their bid to sign Crystal Palace's Steve Kabba on loan after the Eagles demanded a £5,000 borrowing fee.

Kabba was the other half of the Palace double act along with Richard Harris that destroyed Blues reserves, scoring twice in the Eagles 6-1 romp at Adams Park.