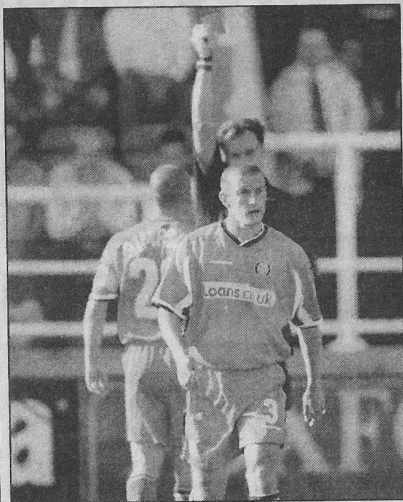




He's off: Chris Vinnicombe

Gibson: Ref was an absolute disgrace

WANDERERS assistant boss Terry Gibson slammed referee Phil Crossley and his assistants and said they should never be allowed to officiate again.

The former Manchester United star was furious with the way they handled the match and said: "There wasn't a bad tackle out there, yet we've finished with half a dozen bookings, two sendings off and the manager sent off.

The linesman in the first half and the referee shouldn't be refing again. If

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we had a centre half play that bad he wouldn't play again.

"They cost us the game today and two players and a fine for Lawrie."

Sent off keeper Frank Talia and defender Chris Vinnicombe will now be suspended for the Oldham clash while manager Lawrie Sanchez is certain to face an FA rap after being sent to the stands.

But Gibson was still

disappointed that Wanderers didn't force a draw after controlling much of the second half and wasting a glorious opportunity through Jermaine McSparran when he was clean through on goal in the second half.

He said: "We were that close. We were the better team in the second half and you didn't notice we were a man short.

"Jermaine has got to do better than that. It was an awful shot and it was a pass back in the end."