



● DO I LOOK THE PART? Chris Seymour, normally a central defender, playing in goal for Yeovil Town on Tuesday. Picture by Nigel Andrews.

YEOVIL Town have signed Lee Harvey's goalkeeping brother Keith for just one match - Saturday's vital FA Trophy qualifier with Evesham at Huish Park.

An unprecedented goalkeeping crisis meant that central defender Chris Seymour was forced to wear the jersey for the second time on Tuesday when Yeovil met Yeading in the Guardian Insurance Cup.

"He's a good keeper", said manager Graham Roberts, "but I felt I needed a specialist for the Trophy. Keith played several seasons for Edgware but has been forced out of the game this season because of work. He's taking one Saturday off to help out".

Roberts was unable to call up...

● Tony Pennock, out until Christmas to recover from an appendix operation...

● Mark Tyler, the loan keeper from Peter-

borough. He was ineligible for Tuesday's replay because he wasn't signed in time for the original match, and can't play in the Trophy as loan players are barred.

● Gary Beach, the local veteran helping out the reserves. He has damaged ligaments...

● Jamie Smith, a promising teenager from the youth ranks. He has fractured an ankle.

The manager says: "I think the rule concerning loan players is daft but I have to abide by it".

Seymour was one of the few successes on Tuesday when Yeovil lost 1-0 to Yeading in their Guardian Insurance Cup second round replay.

Twice in the first four minutes he had to dive bravely at forwards' feet to save certain goals, and he continued to distinguish himself being far the busier goalkeeper in the first half.

**FURIOUS** Yeovil Town manager Graham Roberts fined his entire 14-man squad one-third of their wages after Tuesday's inept display had seen them bundled out of the Guardian Insurance Cup at Huish Park.

Yeovil were beaten 1-0 by visitors Yeading in a second round replay and Roberts described the team performance as "garbage".

"I won't tolerate it", he said. "There were over 900 people who paid something like a fiver each to watch it, and they were short changed."

Roberts agreed that it was hard on the likes of Chris Seymour, who was forced to play in goal because all the recognised keepers were either ill, injured or ineligible.

"Chris was probably our man of the match. I have no hesitation in playing him in goal in an emergency.

"There were a few others who might consider themselves hard done by.

## Town crash out of league cup

YEOVIL Town crashed to their first home defeat of the season on Tuesday - and bowed out of the ICISLeague's Guardian Insurance Cup.

A 50th-minute header from Dave Kellman was enough to give Yeading a 1-0 victory in the second-round replay, sponsored by the *Express and Star*.

Yeovil gave a miserable display for the first hour, but then piled on the pressure.

The closest they came to levelling was when Warren Patmore and Dean Birkby had efforts cleared off the line.

Yeading could have added to their tally, but their finishing was generally poor.

The attendance was a disappointing 922.



● LEROY WHALE gets the better of Yeading's Tony Houghton in Yeovil Town's ill-fated match with Yeading on Tuesday. Picture by Nigel Andrews.