

Yeovil's Jerry Gill gets England call



● JERRY GILL - off to Dublin

JERRY Gill, the Yeovil Town defender, has been named in the England semi-professional squad for the match with the Republic of Ireland in Dublin on Tuesday, 25 February.

He is one of only two ICIS League players in the squad which, as usual, is drawn mainly from the Conference. The other is the Dagenham goalkeeper Paul Godhard.

Gill, who joined Yeovil from Bath City in the summer, will be only the fourth semi-professional international in Yeovil's history, providing he is

included in the final line-up.

The last was centre-half Mark Shail, who made one appearance four years ago before joining Bristol City.

Before him, goalkeeper Brian Parker played once in 1980, and full-back Brian Thompson on 15 occasions between '79-'84. Several of those appearances were after he had been sold to Maidstone.

Gill, 26, said: 'I'm delighted. I owe it all to the manager Graham Roberts. He has brought the

best out of me. He has encouraged me to go forward and score goals and my confidence is sky high.

'I thought I had a good game when I played for the ICIS League against the FA XI at Oxford, but so did some of the other Yeovil lads. And while I'm pleased for myself, I am sorry that someone like Rob Cousins didn't make the squad.'

Yeovil had arranged to play their key league game with Enfield on 25 February. That is now likely to be postponed.

ICIS League Premier Division

(includes Tuesday's games)

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| Yeovil..... | 23 | 18 | 3 | 2 | 37 | 15 | 57 |
| Enfield..... | 24 | 17 | 5 | 2 | 55 | 20 | 56 |
| Sutton..... | 22 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 48 | 34 | 43 |
| Dulwich..... | 24 | 12 | 5 | 7 | 41 | 28 | 41 |
| Dagenham..... | 22 | 11 | 7 | 4 | 34 | 16 | 40 |
| Oxford..... | 25 | 11 | 6 | 8 | 48 | 43 | 39 |
| Purfleet..... | 26 | 11 | 6 | 9 | 38 | 34 | 39 |
| Aylesbury..... | 23 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 27 | 27 | 36 |
| Yeading..... | 22 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 34 | 26 | 34 |
| Heybridge..... | 23 | 10 | 4 | 9 | 31 | 40 | 34 |
| Kingstonian..... | 26 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 49 | 53 | 31 |
| Carshalton..... | 26 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 31 | 37 | 31 |
| Hitchin..... | 27 | 8 | 6 | 13 | 31 | 43 | 30 |
| B Stortford..... | 24 | 8 | 4 | 12 | 24 | 36 | 28 |
| St Albans..... | 20 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 36 | 33 | 26 |
| Borehamwood..... | 24 | 8 | 6 | 11 | 28 | 34 | 26 |
| Harrow..... | 25 | 6 | 6 | 11 | 34 | 41 | 26 |
| Staines..... | 24 | 7 | 6 | 11 | 28 | 39 | 24 |
| Bromley..... | 21 | 6 | 5 | 10 | 34 | 35 | 23 |
| Hendon..... | 22 | 4 | 6 | 12 | 27 | 34 | 21 |
| Grays..... | 22 | 4 | 5 | 13 | 24 | 38 | 17 |
| Chertsey..... | 27 | 4 | 4 | 19 | 26 | 60 | 17 |

THE National Westminster Bank has virtually written off £300,000 of Yeovil Town's massive debt. And the balance sheet which was sent out to shareholders this week reveals that whereas the club's debts once topped £960,000, they are now £301,532 - and falling.

BANK'S £300,000 GIFT, TOWN TO TOWN