Specimen roach and bream queue up for 'Lucky Mike' as he...

Cracks 'heartbreak' water

NOWN for his globe-trotting angling antics, Mike Green has proved he can still set the world alight in his own backyard.

Making his first visit to a local lake known as a real heartbreaker, he promptly bagged a fin-perfect 2lb roach! Then he went again...netting a superb bream turning the scales to 10-5!

"Perhaps I've been lucky," he said, "I've only been there for two afternoons. The first time my tip started twitching with really impressive roach as soon as I cast out. The best bit was I had the place to myself both times."

- ABINGTON AC's council of war with police and officials about persistent fish theft from their park lake fishery (last week's column) has brought serious action. Various patrols are being mounted and 'seein-the-dark' covert CCTV is ALREADY in place! Seems no-one wants 'town waters to be a soft touch for crims!
- LOCAL match-scene patriarch-figure Geoff Ringer proved he still has what it takes by winning with 10 bream for 66-10 in Sunday's Ferry Meadows open, 6lb clear of the next man.

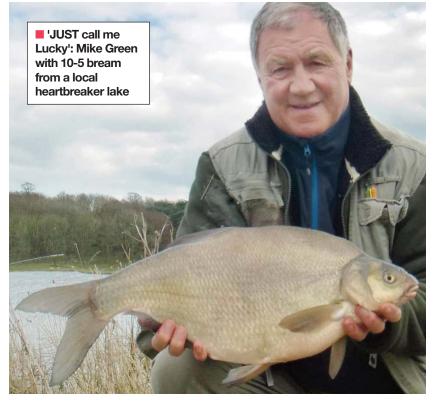
It was the first time in 14 visits that he'd managed to draw the 'hot' Overton Lake – and he made the most of it with worm on feeder!

- STANWICK produced another shoal of 20s this week. Craig Morby had a 28-4, a 23 and a 22 all from Elsons.
- SUNDAY's third Meadowlands spring league round saw Trevor Wise with 176-4 as Glenn

Maxwell had 88-14 and Phil Canning 50-12. Bas Byrd leads by one point.



- SAS (formed from Mobbs Miller and Little Harrowden leftovers) went to Biggin Lake where Jim Broadbent won with 107-4. Warren Berry had 37lb and Sam Corteze 29-11.
- GLEBE, Peatling Parva: Dave Haddon 76-8, Martin Shaul 51-4, Paul Latter 48-4. Towcester made a first-round Super Cup exit against Knighton on the same complex, despite their Gerald Green being runner-up on 67lb.



- CASTLE Ashby: Weddy, Brickyard, Frank Pizamenti 73-4, Ron Bull 23-6, Dave Sinfield 15lb; Sat, Brickyard, Chris Prigmore 55-8, Pizamenti 45-12, Courtney Hewlett 43-8.
- WHITE Hart Flore's Barby Banks outing left Joe Roberts with 67-6 followed by Dave Griffiths 61-13 and Pete Sibley 57-10.
- CASTLE silverfish spring league, Canons: Paul Lafflin 27-4, Jeff Rice 23-8, Bob Spencer 16-4 several barbel showed.
- WILLOWBROOK open: Bill Underwood 19-6, Paul Brand 8-12, Ian Bradshaw 8-12.
- ABINGTON, park lake: Vince Battams celebrated his birthday (53rd) by winning with 18-8 (bream to 6-1). Rus Coleman had 1-1. The rest blobbed.
- FLORE & Brockhall, Silverlake: Terry Smith 13-8, Alan Brightman 10lb, Kelvin MacIlhinney 7-8.
- FIXTURES: Sunday, Lakeside open, 07739 094216; Tuesday Castle AGM, 8pm Far Cotton WMC ■