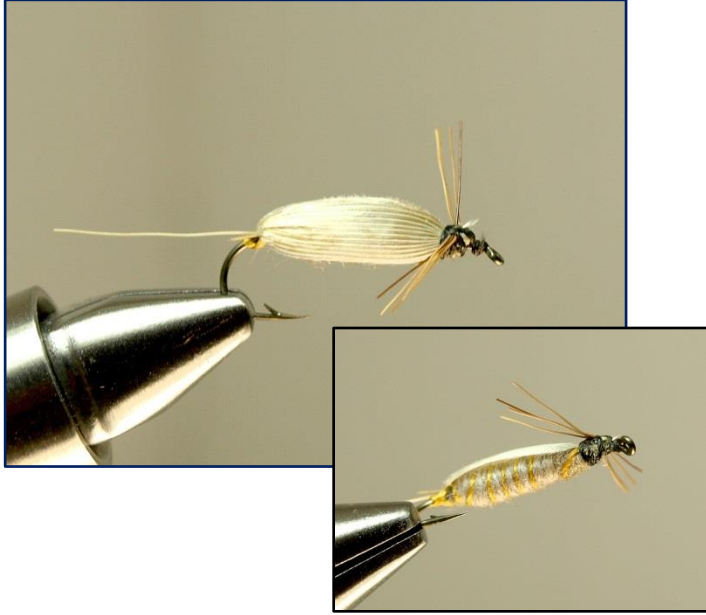


Gray Stone

Recipe



Hook: Mustad Dry Fly Size: 8
Thread: Black, 6/0
Tail: Deer Hair, two fibers, tied in a slight V.
Body: Gray Yarn
Rib: Yellow Monocord, 3/0
Shellback: White Goose Quill
Wing: Deer Hair, 4 fibers, tied spent

Tying Tips: Standard techniques. When tying in the shellback, secure the goose quill near the bend of the hook. Tie in the body and rib. Now pull the shellback over and secure it near the front of the shank. Please note: the tail on this fly has been damaged.

Fishing Tips: This fly was designed for the big golden stone hatch (*Paragnetina media*) which are found on Michigan waters from June through August.

Historical Note: Art Winnie (1880-1966) was a historical Michigan fly tyer. His most productive years of tying and creating flies was from the 1920s through the 1950s. This pattern was most likely created during this time frame. This photograph was taken from a collection of flies owned by Gary Miller.

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