

Roberts' Deer Hair Hopper



Recipe

Hook: Mustad #94831 or #79580 Sz: 8-10
Thread: Black, 6/0
Tail: Red Duck Quill
Body: Light Green Chenille with a loop
(egg sac)
Wing: Deer Hair, tied down over the top
of the body.
Hackle: Brown & Grizzly, mixed.

Tying Tips: Standard techniques.

Fishing Tips: Used mid to late summer when the hoppers are out.

Historical Note: This fly was created by Clarence Roberts around 1952. Clarence was a game warden in Michigan from 1942 to 1971. He started commercially tying flies about 1949. This fly was also tied with a yellow chenille body.

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