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Well, now seems like a good time to post an introduction, seeing that a new beginner section has started. I just bought my first rig this past weekend, time to stop lurking. - I have been a spincaster since I was a little kid, and have always wanted to try flyfishing, after many years of I finally took the plunge.

I do have a question, after reading and watching many videos, I was trying out my first casting of my line, I tried tieing a piece of yarn to the end, however I found it easier without it. When I took the yarn off, I notice the end of my leader/ Tippet was making a cracking sound- basically like a whip crack. Is this something that I should be trying to avoid? As in if I hear the crack my cast is not so "perfect"?

Thanks!