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I always have LBS's in my fly boxes, because I've found them on streams in different areas all year long. what I use for a dry fly pattern is a deer hair caddis in black and an all black henryville special. I also use a nymph, if they aren't taking the dry. It is important to know that the smaller flies, # 20 and # 18 hatch earlier, from about mid- January until mid- March, with the most likely hatches to be in February in the SE and progressively later the further north you go. In the Poconos the # 14 stones are still hatching in early April, and on the WB of the Perky the # 14s can still be present. The little guys hatch sporadically all year where there is good water quality.