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Topic: : Swinging for Pennsylvania Steelhead.

Re: Swinging for Pennsylvania Steelhead.

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geebee wrote:

has anyone tried.....or swinging traditional salmon flies like a GP or ally's shrimp ?.....

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The last steelhead I caught this year on the Catt took a variation of Ally's Shrimp. It's called "Ally's Cascade". Actually, it's my variation of the cascade tied on chartreuse plastic tube, added flash and a gunmetal colored conehead. Also, the materials aren't original to the fly as I used what I had available to me. Finn Raccoon was used in the winging instead of squirrel, etc...

Those two old patterns are just as effective today as they were back when Alastair Gowans first developed them.

The fish in the pic below was taken at the end of what was turning out to be, a fishless day. Water was somewhat clear and i spent most of the morning swing more natural colored flies.

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