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Re: Early Stones - It's Game on.

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Where I fish the LBS crawl up the banks and into the creekside bushes. LBS nymphs fished in the shallows at tails of pools (or near the bushes with the LBS) works well. The dry fly fishing isn't from hatching bugs really, but from when a gust of wind blows the adults back in the water and they motor across the surface to get back. Usually it's only the smaller fish that pick them off, but it does allow for for some early dry fly action. At least that's what I usually see.

The large stonefly adults don't cause much action out east, but stonefy nymphs of all sizes are a consistent producer all year long since most large stoneflies have a two year cycle. Tan "softshell" stonefly nymphs are often worth a try when it gets a little warmer.