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StarvinMarvin wrote:

going back to what PatrickC said im not sure what this is called but in a quicker riffle as I bring my flies up I can feel the load from the current and almost pluck my rig and it just flings upstream and back down into the riffle is that called flipping?

Yes sir. Right before the end of the fly line breaks the surface tension (down stream of course), rotate your reel parallel to the stream and pop that line. Point your rod tip right to where you want it to go with that quick twitch or pop (or whatever you want to call it) and your line will drop right where you point. So much more efficient when nymphing or indie fishing than making that overhead cast each time. You'll be much less tired at the end of the day.

BTW, it's that same feeling of the line surface tension (and understanding it) that will also allow you to become very efficient with roll casting. And that will also greatly assist you if you start wanting to spey cast a little.