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Re: Old rod: what line weight do I use on it?

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What Tups said about the first three numbers does sound logical, but then, my experience was more along the line of what Sasquatch said. And although it is obvious the 8 1/2 is rod length, I don't know what the 130 would mean. I don't know of any such numbering for line. The old system for lines used on bamboo and early fiberglass rods used letters such as HDH which corresponds to a 6wt DT.

Rather than post them all, here is a link.

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