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The truth of the matter is, that with a slight change of the wing, which I believe calls for furnace on the original, this pattern can be scaled down to March Brown proportions and used extremely effectively during the March Brown hatch.

I couldn't dig up the recipe, but if memory serves me right, the MAC mag had this fly featured by somebody about 4-5 years ago. I cut that article out and saved it and when I get home I'm going to dig it out. In the meantime, here is a foam winged version that I sometimes use. To be honest, I fish very few dries during the green Drake and lean towards a GD Wiggle Nymph and of all things, a big Brown Hackle Peacock with a silver bead in the thorax and do much better fooling those "surface" feeding fish that are so selective during the hatch and spinner fall.

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