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An interesting article, *The Mayfly Stages of Life 101*, on the home page.

The article describes mayfly emerger's wings, while drying, as drab gray in color. This suggest, using only grayish materials for tying emerger patterns.

Is the trailing shuck, clear/grey or will it have a slight coloration?

Pictures of duns show mayflies with colored wings. When do the wings take on coloration?