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Where did you get your partridge? I tried to find some at the show I was at on Sunday but didn't find what I was looking for.

Partridge and rooster hackle are two (of many) materials that I would never recommend buying on-line. Any time I walk into a fly shop (anywhere) I go right to the partridge skins and take them out of the package. The good shops know what they have and they are priced accordingly. I found a skin with beautiful markings on tiny feathers (very rare) that was marked \$30 right next to skins that were \$10. I walked out with it. And I had two at home already.