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I took Friday off work, and was headed north (non-fishing weekend). I thought about fishing Penns but went to Spring instead. Only fished about 2.5 hours, from about 12:30-3. Caught 8, one big one that went I wanna say 18, but I didn't measure, so probably more like 16". All on dries. BWO's in the eddies. Not a heavy hatch or consistent risers, but they were looking up in those eddies, and once you picked one out and let it sit over him, he was gonna hit. You'd either catch or miss him.

Tends to be the rule for me on these early hatches on the big famous waters. Hatches aren't blockbusters and you don't get every fish rising every 3 seconds like you do some evenings in May. But when you do find a sporadic riser it's usually a pushover. Cover water and watch CLOSELY. Or nymph.

Other guys said they had success nymphing.