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I was going to say pretty much exactly what Jack said. I like to tie mine with a peacock quill. You can just rub the "barbs" off with an eraser to get a clean quill, being careful not to break the quill. It's a nice deep dark brown color. The tail and hackle on both is a medium dun. The wing on the Gordon is mallard flank feathers, and the wing on the Blue Quill is medium dun hackle tips. I just tied up some #18 comparaduns for the Blue Quill too. Just a dark brown or black dubbed body with grayish elk hair wings. I tied some with microfibre tails, and some with a shuck for emergers.