



# Fly in my Email

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**Help – Can you identify these old bobbins?** 3/11/2019

If you remember, I bought on EBay 20 old bobbins. I was interested in the Frank Matarelli bobbins and there were 6 in the group. All the other Bobbins were old.



Three of the bobbins were manufactured by some company. The brass spool holders are like Frank Matarelli's brass spool holders. But they have JD or DJ stamped on the brass thread holders.



The thread does not go through the entire tubing because in this company's manufacturing process stamps everything together instead of soldering.

The thread is fed through the top section of the tubing.

Do you know who made this bobbin?

If so, send me an email at [dmstead@aol.com](mailto:dmstead@aol.com).



### Dorsey's Top Secret Midge

Materials:

Hook: Tiemco TMC2499SP-BI or TMC2487BL

Hook size: 18, 20, 22, 24

Body: UNI-Thread Camel 8/0

Ribbing: White Thread 6/0, but I prefer Metallic Pearl Embroidery thread

Wings: Glamour Madeira Prism White 2400

Thorax: Super fine brown dubbing or rust brown dubbing

Fly tied by Dennis Stead – size 20

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