PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Dracocephalum royleanum* Benth.

**GENUS** *Dracocephalum* **FAMILY** Lamiaceae

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Leaves, Medicine

The young leaves are used in soup.

## DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows each year from seed. It grows 20 cm tall. It is spreading and has white hairs. The leaves are oval and 1.5-2.5 cm long by 0.8-1 cm wide.

Possibly now Lallemantia royleana.

## HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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