PLANT FACT SHEET

Petalacte coronata (L.) D. Don

GENUS *Petalacte* **FAMILY** Asteraceae

COMMON NAMES Paperflower

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A herb or small shrub. It grows 50 cm tall. The leaves are spoon shaped and rough. They are 2-5 cm long. They have a white coating. The tip is black. The flowers are white and in clusters.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows on coastal dunes and sandstone slopes.

NOTES

There is only one Petalacte species.

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