

to note that both Chiloglottis formicifera and Pterostylis nutans were growing on hills exposed to the SW winds; the perfect landing place for seed blown from Australia).

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MYOPORUM LAETUM VAR. DECUMBENS

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Have any readers who are familiar with the Coromandel Peninsula noticed the peculiar ngaio, Myoporum laetum, which grows against the Granite Wharf, north of Te Hope stream? It has a sprawling growth habit and has very broad leaves with a thick, leathery texture, 11 x 5 cm; margins entire in lower half, finely serrate in upper. It fits the description of M. laetum var. decumbens in Flora Vol. 1.

CORRECTION

to de Lange, P.J. 1989. Koromatua Bush, Pirongia Highway. ABSJ 44(1): 12-22.

For Pteris saxatilis read Pteris pendula.