

COMMON NAME:
MINERS PEPPER

SCIENTIFIC NAME:
LEPIDIUM CRANDALLI

ALSO CALLED: MUSTARD PEPPERGRASS AND CRANDALL PEPPERGRASS

FLOWER COLOR: WHITE
FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: SPIKES OF SMALL FOUR PETAL FLOWERS
FLOWERING TIME: FEBRUARY TO APRIL
LEAVES: NARROWER THAN MOST PEPPERGRASS
NORMAL SIZE: UP TO 24"
EDIBLE: SEEDS ARE DRIED AND USED FOR FOOD
NORMAL ELEVATION: 2000' TO 5000'
HABITATION: HILLSIDES
ABUNDANCE: RARE

NOTABLE DETAILS: HERBACEOUS MULTI-STEMMED PLANT WITH TINY WHITE FLOWERS WITH MUSTARD LEAVES

SPECIAL INTEREST: SEEDS WERE PARCHED AND EATEN. THE REST OF THE PLANT WAS ALSO EATEN WITH MEATS.