Laingia hookeri

FAMILY

Delesseriaceae

AUTHORITY

Laingia hookeri (Lyall) Kylin

FLORA CATEGORY

Non-vascular - Native

ENDEMIC TAXON

Yes

ETYMOLOGY

hookeri: Named after Sir Joseph Dalton Hooker (born 1817) - a world famous botanist who travelled on the Antarctic expedition of 1839 under the command of Sir James Ross and wrote "Handbook of New Zealand Flora" published in 1864-67 describing many specimens sent to Kew by collectors. He died in 1911 and has a memorial stone at Westminster Abbey London.

MORE INFORMATION

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/laingia-hookeri/

