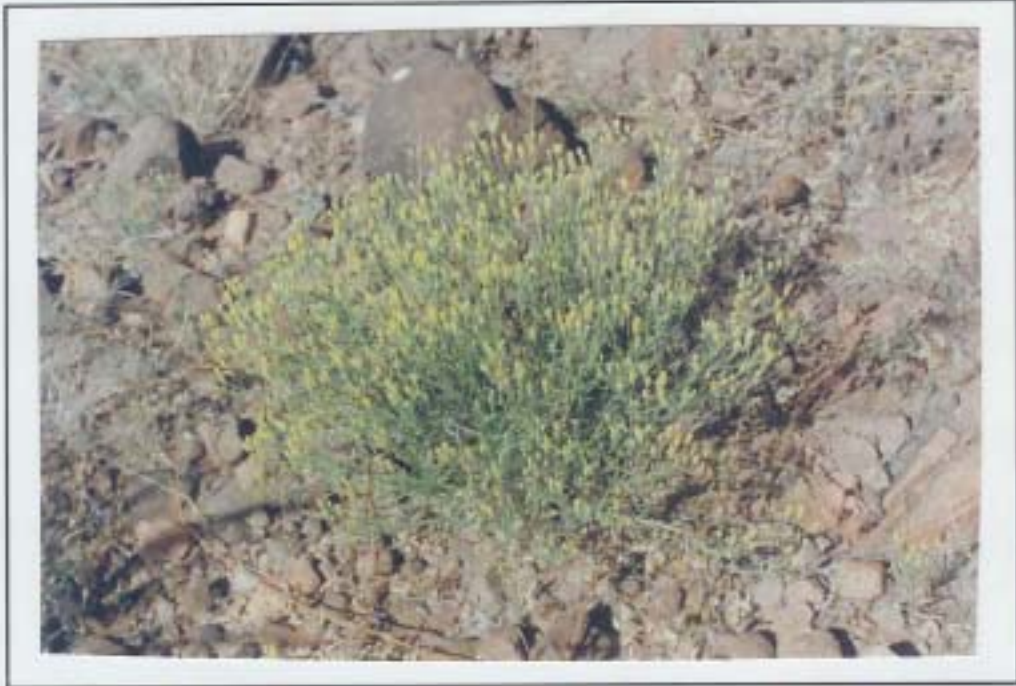


Pegolettia senegalensis

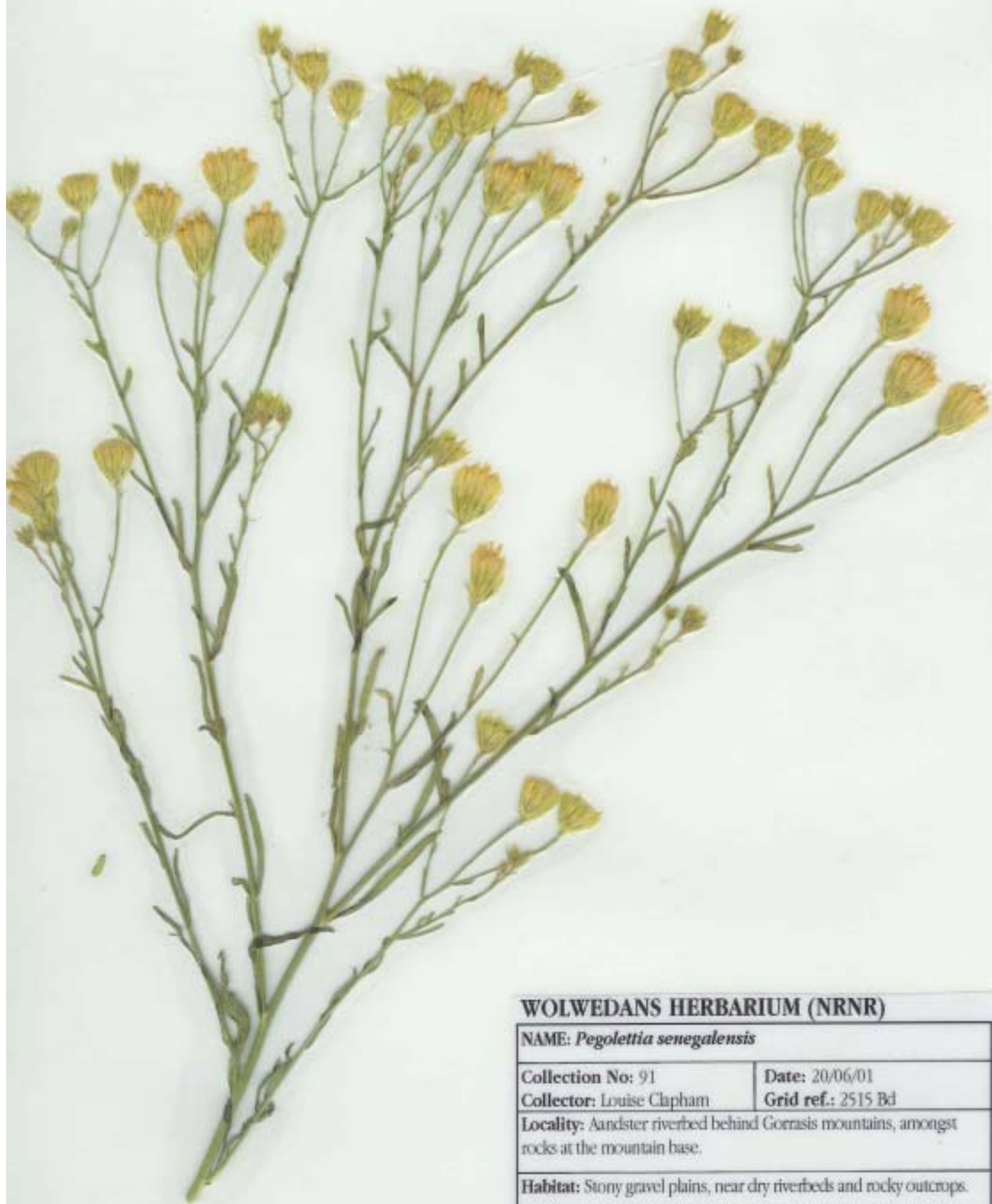
Family: Asteraceae



Collection Number: 91

Description: A small, dense shrub, growing to 30 cm, which is a light, bright green. It has a composite inflorescence made up of many tube-like flowers with fine, bright yellow petals. It remains bud-like and does not 'open out'. Leaves are simple, linear and margins entire. Stems and leaves are light, bright green and slightly sticky. The plant has a strong herbal scent. This plant grew in abundance after late summer rainfall (April) in 2001.

Habitat: Stony, rocky ground. It grows well on the south-east side of Gorrasis mountains, and sometimes on disturbed ground, such as around Wolwedans house.



WOLWEDANS HERBARIUM (NRNR)

NAME: *Pegolettia senegalensis*

Collection No: 91

Date: 20/06/01

Collector: Louise Clapham

Grid ref.: 2515 Bd

Locality: Aandster riverbed behind Gorrasis mountains, amongst rocks at the mountain base.

Habitat: Stony gravel plains, near dry riverbeds and rocky outcrops.

Plant features: Small, herbaceous shrub. Inflorescence a bright yellow capitulum of flowers, does not open fully. Leaves simple, linear, light, bright green., slightly sticky. Strong herbal scent.

Other notes: Very common.

INDRI - Collection Data Form

Collectors No. 91 Date 20.06.2001
 Collectors Louise Clapham GPS S
 Locality (please describe properly, not just grid/gps) E
Grandster river bed behind Corrasis Grid 2515 Bd
mountains, up in rocks at the mt. base Altitude
 Aspect Slope moderate Exposure full sun Photo no's
 Voucher for

DESCRIPTION OF PLANT *Please give as much information as possible*

Species Related to wild sage? *Pegolettia senegalensis?* Perennial/Annual
 Habit (eg: dwarf shrub) Small, fairly dense shrub
 Height ± 30 cm Occurrence (eg: common) Very common locally
 Flower/Inflorescence (colour, shape, size, smell, texture) Yellow, inflorescence
Flowers are long + slim, many fine petals. Inflorescence
remains 'bud-like', does not appear to open out.

Leaves (simple/compound, margin, shape, colour, texture, stipules)

Simple, linear, margins entire. Light, bright green.

Stems and bark (colour, texture, habit - eg: erect stem with yellow peeling papery bark - presence or absence and smell of sap or latex - eg: milky latex with unpleasant smell)

Light bright green, slightly sticky. Strong herbal smell,
Similar to wild sage. ~~Slightly~~

Fruits and seed (presence/absence, shape, colour, edibility and taste if edible, single or clustered, maturity) Not yet

Roots/Underground organs (shape, texture, colour, size)

Other (eg. uses, ecology)

Indigenous names and languages

Habitat		Substrate	Soil type	Moisture	Biotic effect
cliff face	overbank streambank	soil	sand		road/railside
mountain/hill peak	seepage area	stony/rocky soil	sandy loam	well-drained ✓	cultivated land
mountain/hill slope	waterfall/ rapids	gravel	loam	seasonally waterlogged	abandoned land
cavine/cloof/ gorge	littoral	termite mound	humus- rich	permanently waterlogged	heavily grazed
talus/scree	unknown	bare rock	loamy clay	moist/damp	garden
dune slope		water	clay	freestanding water	plantation
dune crest	Vegetation	roots	calcrete	running water	recently burnt
interdunal street	desert	other	black turf	mud/log	disturbed - other
ridge	shrubland ✓ open/closed		salt/brack		other
rocky outcrop ✓	woodland open/closed		gravel		
plain	thornbush savanna		dolomite		
plateau	forest		granite		
valley	grassland		lime		
donga/ditch/gulley	karoo		mica schist		
depression/ pan			quartzite		
dam			other		
dry bed of river/stream					
floodplain					
estuary/lagoon					
marsh/swamp/ wetland					
river/stream					

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Det. By..... date..... Accession.....

flowering code		fruiting code	voucher		duplicates
	mature		genebank		
	immature		ethnobotanic		
	remains				
	absent				

Collector: L. S. Clapham No: 46

Provisional name: Wild Sage

LOCATION:

Region ² Mediterranean Grid ref. ³

Major ⁴ Warriner Road, Victoria, Australia Alt. m/ft

Minor ⁵ District of ... Relevé

Precise ⁶ Close to public road 926

HABITAT:

Vegetation type ⁷ Decid. grassland

Substrate ⁸ stony/rocky soil Moisture regime ⁹ well drained

Soil type ¹⁰ gravel/sand Lithology ¹¹

Exposure ¹² full sun Aspect ¹³

Slope ¹⁴

Biotic effect ¹⁵ Distributed amongst grasses in old gravel pit and

Other ¹⁶ near to roads along clay waste mounds

PLANT FEATURES ¹⁷⁻²⁴

Plant height m

4 large, multi-stemmed shrubs very strongly scented. not un-pleasant. ~~...~~

NOTES ²⁵⁻³¹

Local abundance ²⁵ infrequent

No fruit or flower when collected. Please advise if the sample and information are insufficient.

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Name of plant

Genspec /

Det. Date No. of labels

FLOWERS: Present Absent FRUIT: Present Absent

SEEDS: Present Absent TYPE SPECIMEN: Yes No

SPECIMEN STATUS: Essential Keep Return Discard

DUPL. DIST.