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TWO NEW OR NEGLECTED SPECIES OF THE FLORA
OF FRIULI-VENEZIA GIULIA

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Abstract - Two species of vascular plants not included in the recently published Chorological Atlas of Vascular Plants in Friuli-Venezia Giulia have been found to occur or to have occurred in the discussed territory. One herbarium sheet with *Hordeum geniculatum* collected at the beginning of the century in the vicinity of Trieste was discovered during revision work at the LJU herbarium, and *Oxalis dillenii* was recorded in 1994 in Palmanova and Gorizia. The first species is most probably only a casual, and the second a neophyte in the phase of spreading throughout Europe.

Key words: Friuli-Venezia-Giulia (NE Italy), Flora, *Hordeum geniculatum*, *Oxalis dillenii*.

Riassunto breve - Sono state trovate due specie di piante vascolari, la presenza delle quali non è segnalata nel recentemente pubblicato Atlante corologico delle piante vascolari nel Friuli-Venezia Giulia. L'*exsiccata* di un esemplare della specie *Hordeum geniculatum*, trovato all'inizio del secolo nei dintorni di Trieste, è stata rinvenuta durante la revisione dell'erbario LJU; *Oxalis dillenii* è stata invece segnalata negli ultimi anni a Palmanova e a Gorizia. Ambedue le specie sono avventizie: la prima è probabilmente soltanto casuale, mentre la seconda è una neofita nordamericana, che attualmente si sta propagando in Europa.

Parole chiave: Friuli-Venezia-Giulia, Flora, *Hordeum geniculatum*, *Oxalis dillenii*.

Introduction

The recently published Chorological Atlas of Vascular Plants in Friuli-Venezia Giulia (POLDINI, 1991) was not only a marvellous presentation of chorological data, it was also a spur to further investigation and the filling-in of "gaps", blank base areas of under-recorded species on one hand and species not included in the Atlas on the other. In a similar way the Red Data Book of Slovenian Flora (WRABER & SKOBERNE, 1989), although far less complex and thorough, caused an increase of interest in species denoted as "insufficiently known" Hence, the systematic searching stimulated by the Red Data Book has resulted in the elucidation of the actual occurrence of about 10% of the included species over the last few years.

