

*C. hispidissima* Greene but has tuberculate nutlets, and well developed corollas indicating its affinities with *C. intermedia* (Gray) Greene. West of the Coast Ranges, *C. intermedia* or its relatives is not known between San Luis Obispo County and San Francisco Bay. This local relative of *C. intermedia* in the Monterey area is of some interest and it is hoped that collectors will watch for it when working in the region.

***Cryptantha pterocarya*** (Torr.) Greene var. ***stenoloba***, var. nov.

A forma typica speciei differt lobis calycis fructiferi conspicue elongatis lanceolatis 5-8 mm. longis ca. 1 mm. latis quam nuculis 1.5-2.5-plo longioribus.

ARIZONA: between Mesquite and Littlefield, Mohave Co., 1500 ft. alt., April 17, 1937, *Kearney & Peebles 13184* (G); near Arizona-Nevada line, sandy desert, April 4, 1934, *Maguire 4972* (G). NEVADA: 15 mi. east of Glendale, Clark Co., 4000 ft., May 19, 1933, *Maguire & Blood 4466* (TYPE, Gray Herb.).

A plant of the valley of the lower Virgin River in Nevada and adjacent Arizona where it appears to replace the ordinary form of the species. It has the one wingless and the three broadly winged nutlets of typical *C. pterocarya*, but differs conspicuously in its very elongate narrower calyx-lobes.