4. Tillaeastrum Pringlei Rose, * sp. nov.

Delicate little plants growing in masses in damp mountain soil, 2-3 cm. high; leaves linear, 3-4 mm. long, acute; flowers axillary, solitary on very short peduncles, 1 mm, or less long, in fruit becoming 3 mm. long; carpels obtuse; seeds oblong, not papilloseroughened.

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