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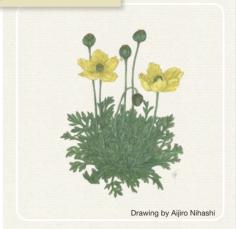
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Flower blooming in Rishiri-Rebun-Sarobetsu National Park

The Rishiri Poppy

Papaver fauriei



The Rishiri Poppy is the only poppy species that grows in the wild in Japan. It can be found only in the rocky areas of the alpine zone on Mount Rishiri. It grows several stems of about 20cm long, and at each tip opens a pale yellow flower of about 3cm in diameter in July.

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