



GREENHOOD ORCHID

(Pterostylus)

If you walk in the bush in Spring,
Take care where you put your feet.
Look at the ground
Where the small plants cling.
There you may see
A little green elf
Deeply hooded to hide himself.

Tiny orchids are shy and quiet;
That's why they like to stay out of sight.

Margaret Thornton



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