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The Winter Poker (*Kniphofia rooperi*), an Eastern Cape endemic, growing in the newly proclaimed Kwelera National Botanical Garden. See p. 112.  
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