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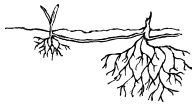
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*Phalaris arundinacea*

A Non-native Plant

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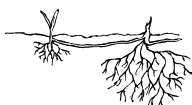
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