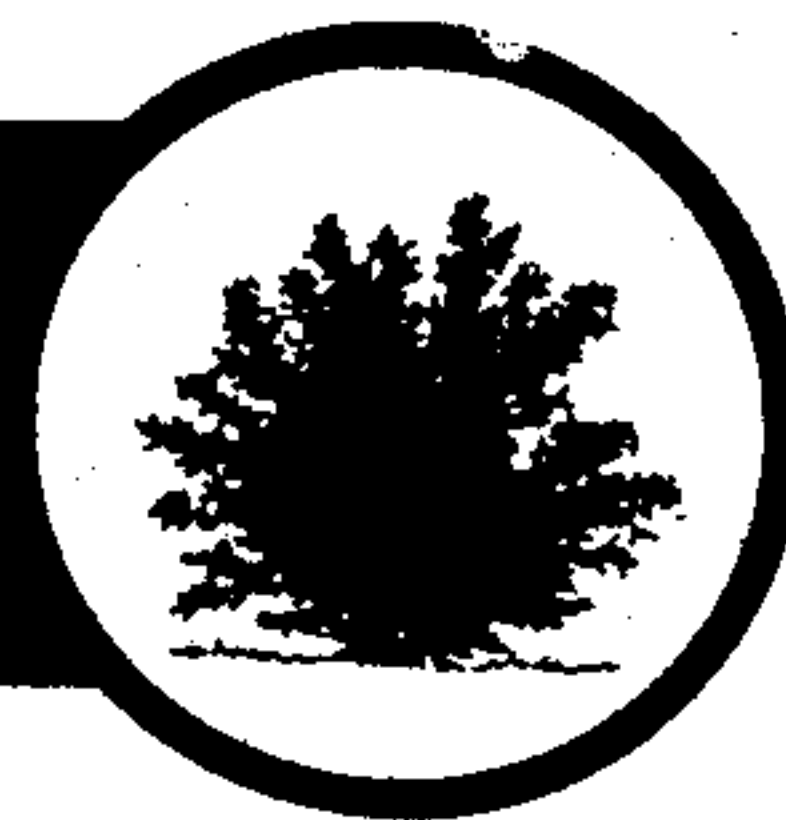


ARROW-WOOD



Viburnum dentatum

IDENTIFYING CHARACTERISTICS:

- Branching: Opposite.
Leaves: Simple; coarse-toothed; 2 to 3 inches long; dark green turning purple-red in fall.
Flowers: White; conspicuous for about two weeks in May or early June.
Fruit: Attractive bluish-black in pendant clusters; ripen in late September.
Twigs: Velvety to smooth; pairs of lateral buds hug the twig.
Stems: Multistemmed; arching; vase-shaped.

GROWTH HABITS:

- Rate: Moderate.
Height: 4 to 10+ feet.
Crown spread: 4 to 8 feet.
Roots: Fibrous.

RANGE: Native; hardy in all zones; see zone map for shrubs.

SHADE TOLERANCE: Tolerant.

SOILS: Prefers moist, well-drained soils; does not tolerate drought.

SUSCEPTIBILITY:

- Insects: Bean aphid.
Diseases: *Ramularia* leaf spot; *Cercospora* leaf spot.

USES:

- Shelterbelts and/or windbreaks: Should be tested in farmstead shelterbelts and in field windbreaks under center-pivot irrigation systems.
Wildlife: Good to very good; birds—some nesting, feeding, perching, escape cover; mammals—some feeding, escape cover.
Horticultural: Used for hedges, groups, or masses.