COMMON NAME:

COMMON CHOKECHERRY

SCIENTIFIC NAME:

PRUNUS VIRGINIANA

ALSO CALLED: WESTERN CHOKECHERRY, BLACK CHOKECHERRY, AND WILD BLACKCHERRY

FLOWER COLOR: WHITE

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: IN BUNCHES ALONG BRANCHES

FLOWERING TIME: MAY

LEAVES: SPOON-SHAPED ON STEMS OBSERVABLE FRUIT: SMALL BLACK

NORMAL SIZE: UP TO 30'

EDIBLE: YES

NORMAL ELEVATION: 4500' TO 8000'

HABITATION: ROADSIDES AND CLEARINGS AND LAKE SHORES

ABUNDANCE: RARE

NOTABLE DETAILS: TREE WITH SPOON-SHAPED LEAVES AND MANY CLUMPS OF WHITE FLOWERS

SPECIAL INTEREST: VERY PRETTY