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*Myrica pensylvanica*

[Synonyms : *Carothamnus pensylvanica*, *Myrica caroliniensis*, *Myrica cerifera* var. *frutescens*,  
*Myrica cerifera* var. *latifolia*, *Myrica macfarlanei*, *Myrica pennsylvanica*]

**NORTHERN BAYBERRY** is a deciduous or semi-evergreen shrub. Native to North America  
it has leaves that have a bronze tinge in Autumn.

It is also known as Bayberry, Candleberry, and Swamp candleberry.

*Pensylvanica* means ‘of or from Pennsylvania (United States)’.

The roots have been used for medicinal purposes.