Collinsonia canadensis

Richweed

Also called horsebalm and stoneroot. A tall woodland wildflower and member of the mint family, this plant has large, toothed leaves and loose, branching heads of lemon-scented flowers in late summer. The leaves are also scented, and can be used for tea. Easy to grow in moist soil and part shade.

Suggested companions: lady fern (Athyrium filix-femina), blue cohosh (Caulophyllum thalictroides), Culver's root (Veronicastrum virginicum), oaks (Quercus sp.), hickories (Carya sp), sassafras (Sassafras albidum)