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Names
Hunter, Robert, fl. 1805-1845
Cheetham, James, 1772-1810
Conway, Moncure Daniel, 1832-1907
Hunter, W. A. (William Archibald)
Paine, Thomas, 1737-1809
Palmer, Elihu, 1764-1806