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**Names**
Wagner, Richard, 1813-1883
Burrell, Mrs. (Mary), 1850-1898
Charnal, S. de
Cormon, Eugène, 1810-1903
Cormon, G
Kietz, E. B
Metternich-Sándor, Pauline, Fürstin, 1836-1921
Niemann, Albert, 1831-1917
Niemann, Marie
Poniatowski, Józef, Książę, 1816-1873