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Biographical Sketch of James Bridger, Mountaineer, Trapper and Guide. By Major-General G. M. Dodge, New York, 1905.

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Lippincott's Pronouncing Dictionary of Biography and Mythology. By Joseph Thomas, M. D., LL. D., Philadelphia, J. B. Lippincott Company, 1901.

Lippincott's Complete Pronouncing Gazetteer, or Geographical Dictionary of the World. Originally edited by Joseph Thomas, M. D., LL. D. New Revised Edition. Philadelphia. J. B. Lippincott Company, 1904.

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