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Summary Information

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Edwin James was an explorer, naturalist, and physician.

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Other Descriptive Information

This volume appears to be a draft of a language textbook for the Menomonee and Ojibwa. It begins with an overview of the Menomonee, their culture, history, and location. The text then goes on to describe their language with examples of words and usage.