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Key Terms

Geographic Names

Bath (Me.) -- Religious life and customs

Cambridge (Mass.) -- Religious life and customs

Occupations

Clergy

Subjects

Congregationalists -- United States

Names

Jenks, William, 1778-1866

Adams, John Quincy, 1767-1848

Gerry, Elbridge, 1744-1814

Tilghman, Tench, 1744-1786

Jenkins family

Harvard University