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WORD LIST

Periods:	Old English (—1150)	1
	Middle English (1150—1450)	74
	Late Middle English (ca 1350—1450)	257
Individual Years:	1300—1399	315
	1400—1499	319
	1500—1599	384
	1600—1699	645
	1700—1799	924
	1800—1899	1069
	1900—1957	1363
Undated Words		1384