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la de la Mare) (the blotite) . . . does not ~ or
horribly — *Economic Geology* 7
rim 'rɪ\ n -s [ME *reme*, *rim*, *rim* *ombrans*
rēma member, ligament; akin to OS & OJ
rima 'rima\ n -s [L *rima* 'archae: a perforation
ri-ma 'rɪm\ n, pl *ri-mas* 'ɪ\ a: a long narrow
crack — more at **row** 1
FISSURE 2 also **rima** *glot-ti-dis* 'glɒd-ɒd-ɪs
NL, lit., rim of the glottis; the passage be-
tween the true vocal cords — **ri-mal** 'rɪm-əl
ri-mas 'rɪm-əs\ n -es [Tag] *Philippines*: BR
ri-mate 'rɪ-ma-tɪ\ adj [L *rima* + E -ate]:
FISSURED
rim-bone 'rɪm-bən\ n -s [NL *rima* + E
rim-base 'rɪm-bās\ n -s: the mass of met-
trunium with the trunium bar or the body
see CANNON illustration 2: the shoulder of
firearm on which the breech of the barrel re-
rim blight n: a disease of tea caused by a fun-
Cladosporium and characterized by yellow
margins followed by browning
rim-bound 'rɪm-baʊ\ adj: having the tips and
leaves curved downward (as in tobacco suff-
hunger)
rim clutch n: a friction clutch having for
contacting members a cylindrical rim that is
lever action, fitted ring segments, or shoes) on
surfaces
rim-drive 'rɪm-draɪv\ n: a method of driving a
phonograph turntable by frictional contact be-
shaft and the rim of the turntable and often
rubber-covered wheel between shaft and tur-
rim 'rɪm\ n -s [ME *rim*, fr. OE *hrim*; af-
frost, OHG *hrifilo*, Lith. *hrėna*] 1 or *OR* *hrim*
Latvian *kreims* cream, Lith. *krėna*] 1 or *OR*
ice and an accumulation of granular ice to-
ward sides of exposed rocks slightly reser-
but formed only from undercooled fog or ice
built out directly against the wind 3: CRUS-
(~ of snow — D.C. Peattie) (Dust settled down
gray ~ on flyboards, nose — Thomas Wood
alkali on flatland)
rim 'rɪm\ vj -ED/-ING/-S: to cover with or
(hedgerows) with rimmed and stiff with frost—
ner) age — *Hamlet* his beard — Kay Rogers
with clay — *Rained Basin*)
rim 'rɪm\ n -s RHYME
rim 'rɪm\ n -s [L *rima* — more at **row**]
FISSURE
rim 'rɪm\ dial chiefly Eng var of REAM
rima *couée* 'rɪm-kli\ n, pl *rimes* *couées*
RHYME
rim-less 'rɪm-ləs\ adj: being without rim
rim *riche* 'rɪm-riʃ\ n, pl *rimes* *riches* 'rɪm-
rɪʃ\ a: a rhyme produced by agreement in s-
the last accented vowel and any succeeding
the consonant preceding this rhyming vowel
chance *spire* *spire* *spire* *spire* *spire* *spire* *spire*
identical *rhyme*; distinguished from *rim* *suf-*
rim *suf-fix* 'rɪm-suf-ɪz\ n, pl *rimes* 'rɪm-
[F, lit., sufficient rhyme]: end rhyme produc-
in sound of an accented final vowel and follow-
nant or consonants if any (in English, *lip* a-
see *rim* *suffixes*) — distinguished from
rimfire 'rɪm-faɪr\ adj [rim + fire (v.)] 1 of a
the percussion compound in a rim surro-
— the use of rimfire cartridge — 2: design-
rimfire 'rɪm-faɪr\ n -s [rim + fire (v.)]: the bul-
rim (as in tobacco) caused by potash hu-
rim-land 'rɪm-land, -lænd\ n -s: the periph-
ery of the heartland
rim-less 'rɪm-ləs\ adj 1: lacking a rim or fr-
glasses) 2 of a carriage case: having a rim or
or less than that of the body of the case
rim lighting n: BACKLIGHTING
rim lock or **rim latch** n: a lock or latch made
the face of a door — compare
MORTISE LOCK
rimmed 'rɪm-d\ adj [rim + -ed]
1: having rim — *usu.* used in
combination (gold-rimmed) (nar-
row-rimmed) (red-rimmed) 2 of
a carriage case: having a diam-
eter at the rim greater than that of
the body of the case and no ex-
tractor groove around a base of
the case at the rim 3 of a letter
: bordered all round by white
space enclosed by a continuous
fine line (a ~ type face) 4 of
a: incompletely deoxidized so
that after solidification the out-
side portion is distinctly in con-
interior of the ingot — compare **KILL** vj 6l
rim-mer 'rɪm-ɪm\ n -s [rim + -er] 1: o-
a: an implement for cutting, trimming, or
rim of something b: a worker who forms or
used as top frames of bedspring as-
assembles attaches to the top coils of bedspring
trimmer 'rɪm-ɪm\ n -s [rim + -er] 1: REAMER
trimming *press* *part* *rim* *rim* *rim* *rim* *rim* *rim*
rim 'rɪm\ n -s [rim + -ing] *usu* cap S [after
cent. botanist] 1: CRASSULA
ri-mose 'rɪm-ɒs\ or **ri-mous 'rɪm-əs\ a:
rima slit, crack, fissure + -ous, -ose, -ous
: having numerous clefts, cracks, or fissures
tree) — **ri-mose-ly** *adv* — **ri-mos-i-ty** *adv*
rim-ple 'rɪm-pl\ n -s [ME, fr. OE *hrim*
RUMPLE] 1: FOLD, WRINKLE, RUMPLE, RUMPLE
rim-ple 'rɪm-pl\ v -ED/-ING/-S: to rumple, wrinkle
rim-ption 'rɪm(p)-ʃən\ n -s [origin un-
land] 2: ABUNDANCE, LUSHNESS 3: RUMPLE, WRINKLE
rim-rock 'rɪm-rɒk\ n -s: a stratum of
strata of resistant rock of a plateau outcrop-
or less vertical face (as in the wall of a cany-
on with ~ — Agnes M. Cleaveland) — com-
2: the edge or face of an outcropping of
the car on the high ~, we looked down ~
(a flat high face, with ~ all around — W.
rimrock 'rɪm-rɒk\ vt, West: to destroy (as a fl-
driving over a cliff)
rim *saw* n of **rim**, *press* *part* *rim* *rim* *rim* *rim* *rim*
rim-saw 'rɪm-sɔ\ n -s: disk saw having the teeth on a
rim-stone 'rɪm-stən, -st-ɒn\ n -s: a calcareous
stone found around an overlying basin (as**

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