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*Patrinia* commemorates a French mineralogist and botanist, Eugene L.M. Patrin (1742-1815), who travelled in Siberia, and the Ural mountains (as well as Germany and Hungary) from about 1780 to 1789 and collected plants and minerals. His mineral collection contained about 2000 specimens and in 1791 it was given to the King's Cabinet. He was librarian at the School of Mines, Paris established in 1783 by Louis XVI (1754-1793).