



Speech of Mr. James Graham, of North Carolina: On the Bill Making an Appropriation to Prevent and Suppress Indian Hostilities, Delivered in the House of Representatives (Classic Reprint)

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