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speech in that body mr speaker i am skeered but i don t know what about i know i can lick any man in this house and i ain t afeared of none of em still i m skeered he afterwards made a tour of the principal cities of the north where he was the object of much attention as a representative of the hardy frontiersmen of the southwest as was the case with many frontiersmen of that day he was an expert with his rifle was a great this engaging book profiles the state of texas with all of its geography culture economy politics and arts touching on the history of the state the book s main focus is on the present day and the future of this fascinating state exploring texas through project based leaning includes 50 well thought out projects designed for grades 3 5 in assigning your students projects that dig into texas s geography history government economy current events and famous people you will deepen their appreciation and understanding of texas while simultaneously improving their 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