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This is a speech delivered by a member of the South Carolina legislature in 1860. The speech is a plea for states' rights and against the federal government's attempt to regulate slavery in the states. The speaker argues that the federal government has no authority over the states and that the states have the right to determine their own laws regarding slavery. The speech is a reflection of the sectional tensions that would eventually lead to the American Civil War.