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Our correspondent 'Ada' and 'Magawisca,' we are proud to learn, is a young colored lady of Philadelphia.

For the Liberator.

PRAYER.

This sacred right none are denied,
Which makes the soul to Christ allied ;
Man bends the heart and bows the knee,
And knows in prayer that he is free.

Yes, free to ask of Him, whate'er
The fainting heart alone can cheer ;
To worship at that holy shrine,
Where beams thy Spirit, Lord, divine.

And Afric's children they are free,
To breathe their vows, their prayers to Thee ;
With thought of future joy and gain,
The slave forgets his grief and pain ;

Forgets awhile his slavish fear ;
Forgets,—that fetters bind him here ;
And in that sweet communion rest
His hopes, his fears,—for he is blest.

Philadelphia, March 16th.

ADA.