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Abolitionists in Brooklyn and beyond fought hard to abolish slavery in Washington D.C. and created broadsides like the one above to persuade the public. They argued that the continuance of slavery in the nation's capital was an embarrassment in a land of liberty.

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The image of the kneeling slave asking “Am I Not a Man and a Brother?” was a popular symbol in the British abolition movement which gained momentum in the 1790s. By 1807, Britain abolished the slave trade, and by 1833, slavery in the colonies. American abolitionists used the British anti-slavery movement to give credibility and justification to their cause.