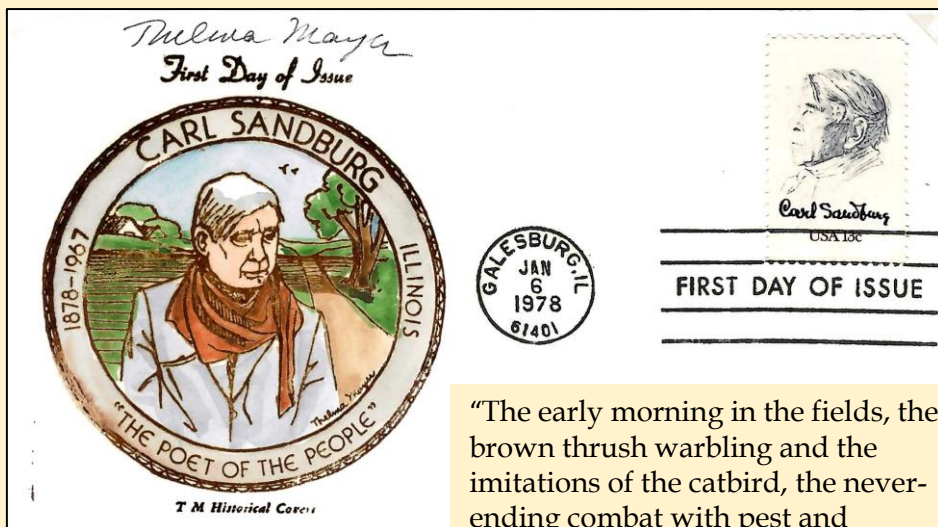


Authors Addressing Agriculture

By Cynthia Scott

I collect authors and poets. Here are a few who wrote about being close to nature, about farming, or about agricultural damage to the environment.



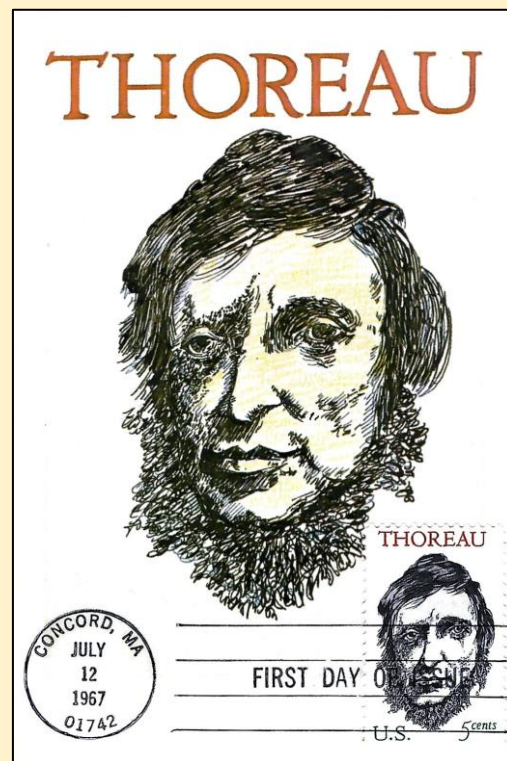
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"The early morning in the fields, the brown thrush warbling and the imitations of the catbird, the never-ending combat with pest and destroyer, the chores of feeding and watching, seedtime and harvest."

---- Carl Sandburg, *The People, Yes*

"The winds, the sea, and the moving tides are what they are. If there is wonder and beauty and majesty in them, science will discover these qualities. If they are not there, science cannot create them."

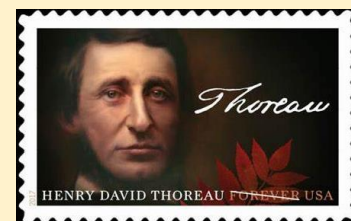
---Rachel Carson



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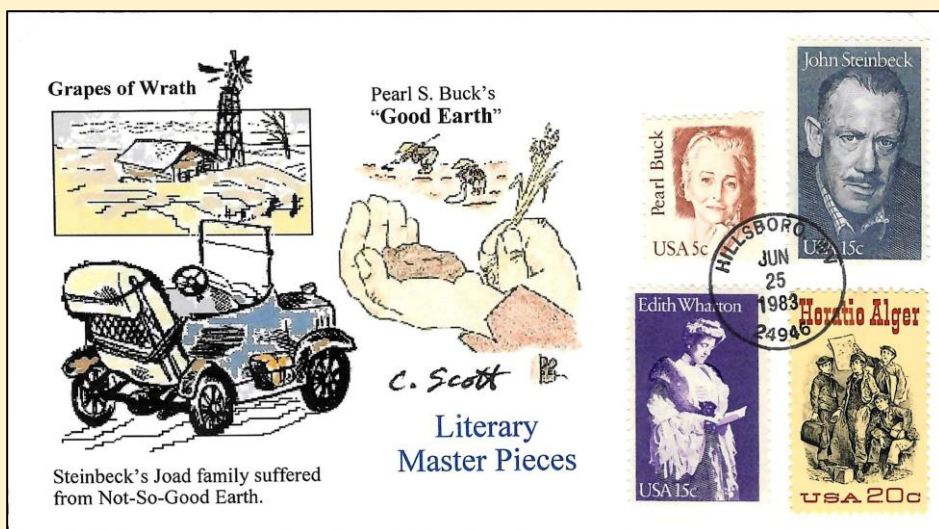
"What shall I learn of beans or beans of me? I cherish them, I hoe them, early and late I have an eye to them; and this is my day's work."

---- Henry David Thoreau, *Walden*



"And as the sharp sun struck day after day, the leaves of the young corn became less stiff and erect; they bent in a curve at first, and then, as the central ribs of strength grew weak, each leaf tilted downward."

---- John Steinbeck, *Grapes of Wrath*



Anon E Mouse Cachet Add-On, 75%, with 4-author stamp combo. Focus here is on John Steinbeck and Pearl Buck.