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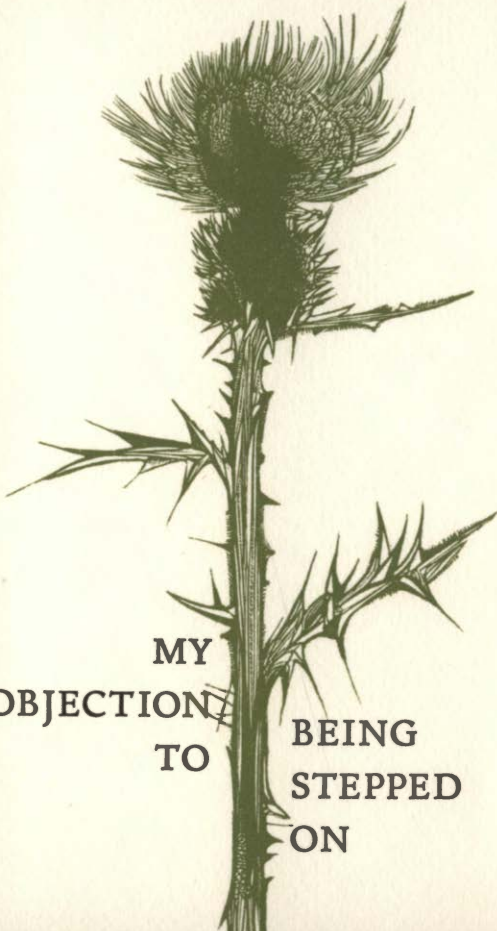
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TO  
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At Christmas 1957

this poem brings you

the warmest Holiday

greetings and good wishes

from

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A  
NEW POEM  
BY  
ROBERT FROST

MY  
DEFLECTION  
TO BEING  
STEPPED ON

NEW YORK





At the end of the row  
I stepped on the toe  
Of an unemployed hoe.  
It rose in offence  
And struck me a blow  
In the seat of my sense.  
It wasn't to blame  
But I called it a name.  
And I must say it dealt

Me a blow that I felt  
Like malice prepense.  
You may call me a fool,  
But *was* there a rule  
The weapon should be  
Turned into a tool?  
And what do we see?  
The first tool I step on  
Turned into a weapon.



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