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Thoreau, on Thoreau the environmentalist, rooted firmly in particular  
places and interacting with particular objects. In the wake of Buell's  
Environmental Imagination, the nineteen essayists in this challenging  
volume address the central questions in Thoreau studies today: how  
""green,"" how immersed in a sense of place, was Thoreau really, and  
how has this sense of place affected the tradition of nature writing in  
America?

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