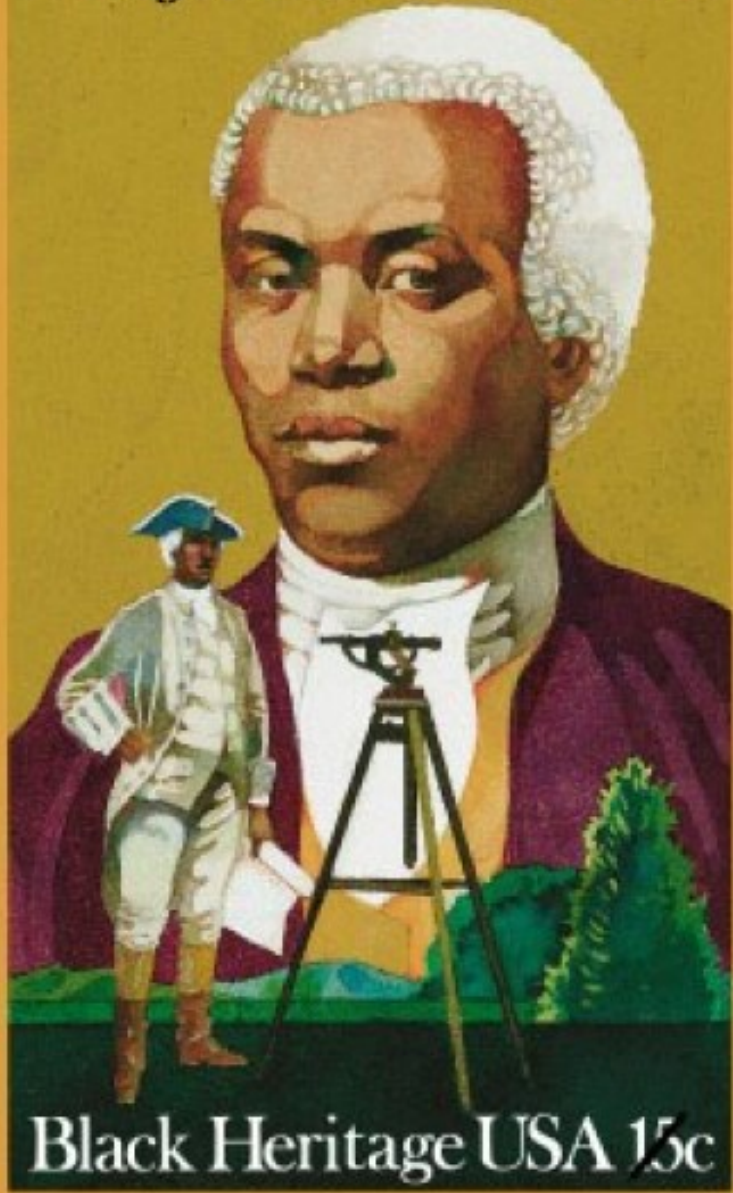


Benjamin Banneker



Astronomer and mathematician

**BLACK HERITAGE**



Educator, anthropologist, scholar,  
researcher, and writer

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First African American female pilot

Mary McLeod Bethune



"The First Lady of the Struggle"



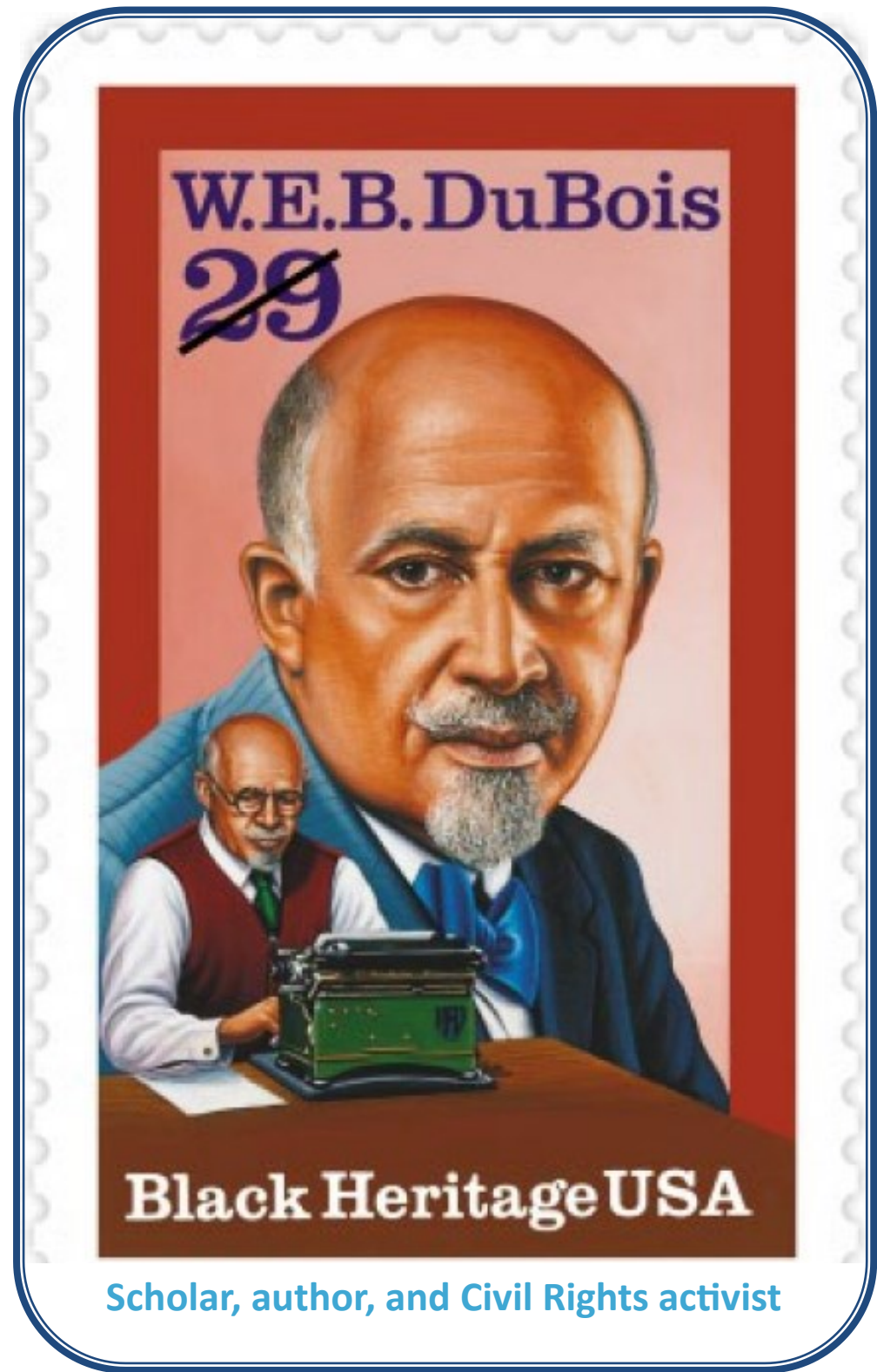
**First African American Congresswoman  
and first major-party African American  
candidate for President**



**Author, educator, speaker, and the  
fourth African American woman to  
earn a doctoral degree (Ph.D.)**



First African American General in the US Army



Scholar, author, and Civil Rights activist

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**"The First Lady of Song"**  
**"The Queen of Jazz"**

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**Pioneering biologist, academic,  
and science writer**

2013

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ALTHEA GIBSON

FOREVER

Tennis player and golfer, and the first person of color to win the French Open

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**Patricia Roberts Harris**

First African American woman to serve in the US Cabinet, and first to enter the line of succession to the Presidency

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**HATTIE MCDANIEL**

2006

First African American to win an Academy Award

**Jan E. Matzeliger**

Shoe Lasting Machine No.274,207  
Patented March 20,1883

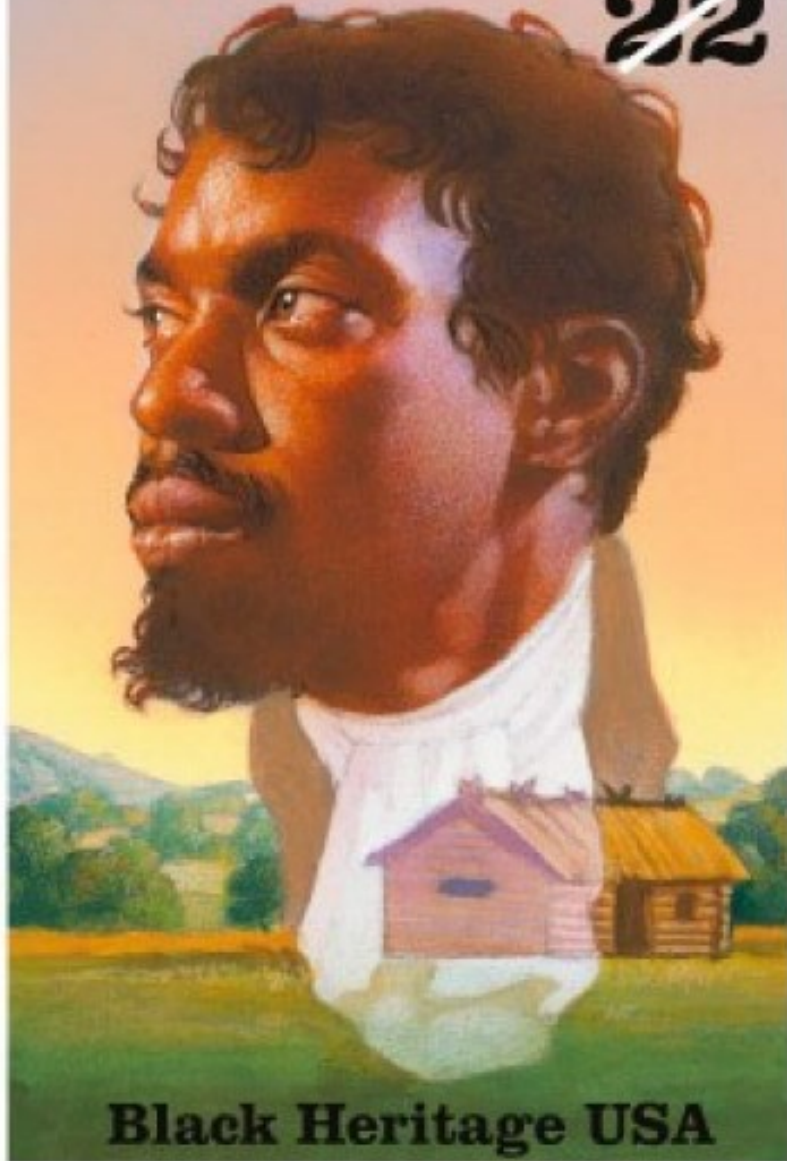


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Inventor in the shoe industry

**Jean Baptiste  
Pointe Du Sable  
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**Black Heritage USA**

Founder of Chicago

**Scott Joplin**



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Musician and Pulitzer Prize winner



2011

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USA

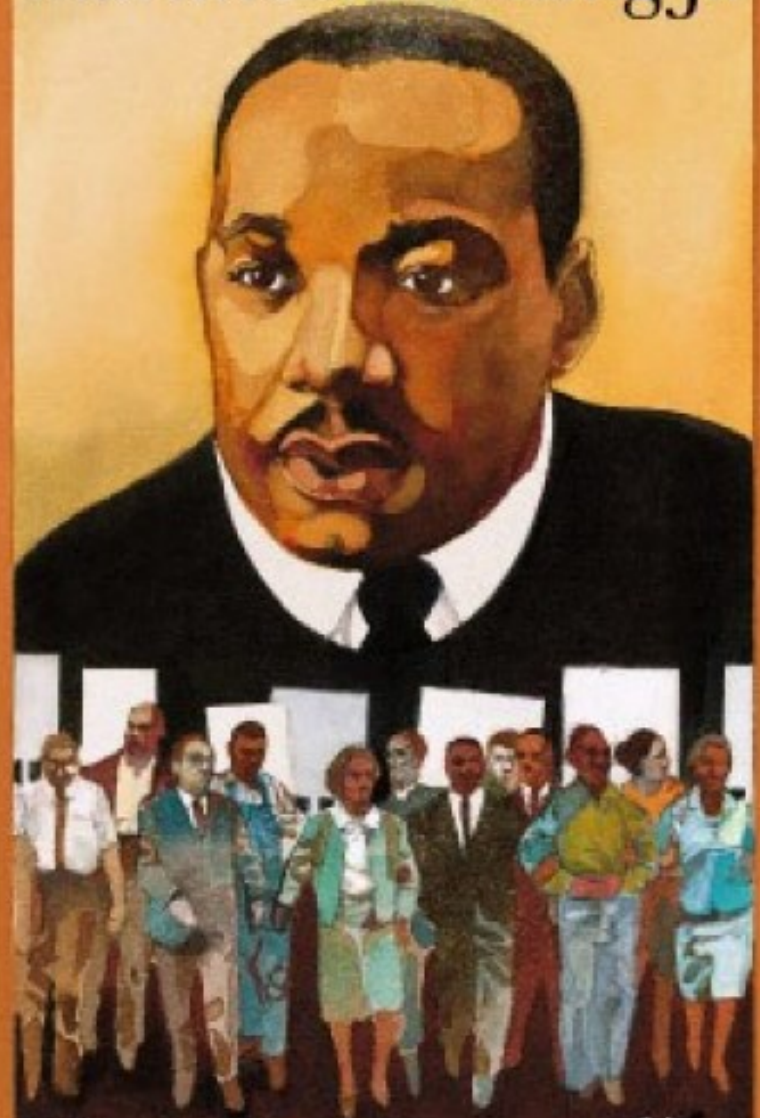
**FOREVER**



**Barbara Jordan**

**First African American elected to the Texas Senate (after Reconstruction) and first southern African American female elected to the US House of Representatives**

Martin Luther King Jr.



**Black Heritage USA 15c**

**Minister and Civil Rights activist**

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**Oscar Micheaux**

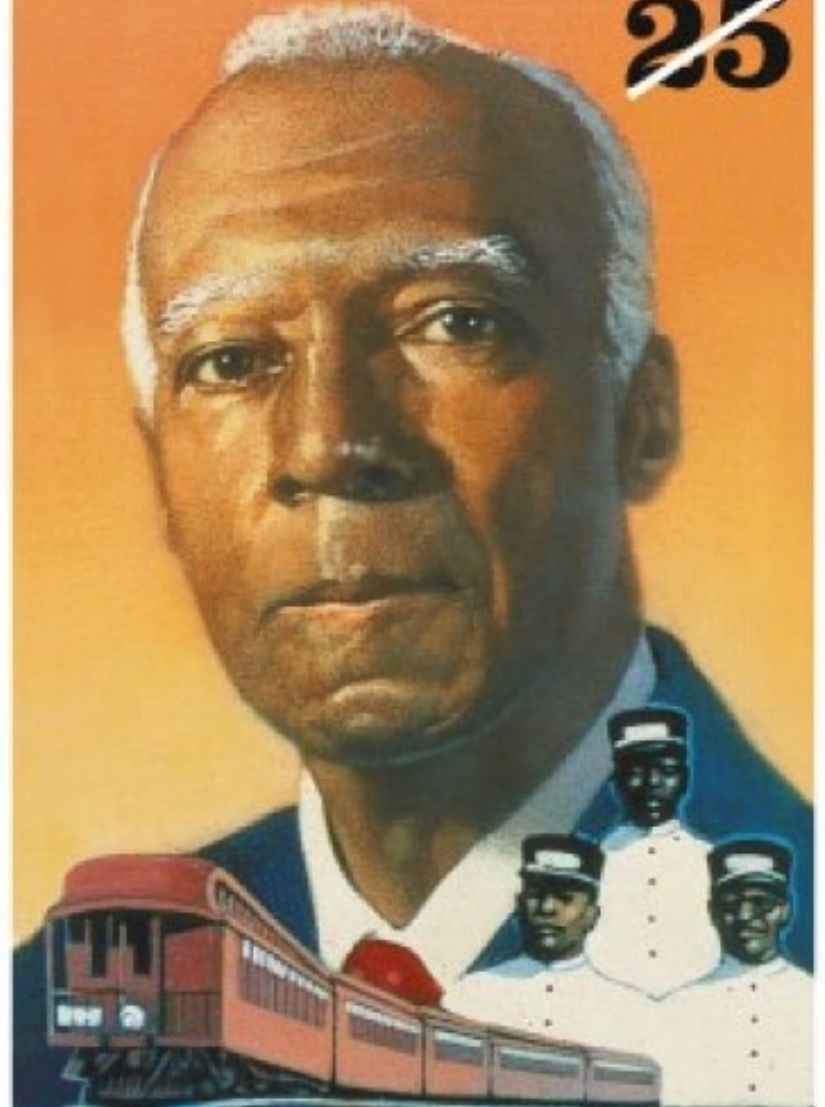


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First major African American feature filmmaker

**A. Philip Randolph**

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Civil Rights and Labor Rights activist