

February 5, 1957

Mr. Lester Sandelman
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Dear Mr. Sandelman:

Thanks very much for your generous note about my
Newsweek column of January 28.

Sincerely,

Henry Hazlitt

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Mr. Henry Hazlitt
"Newsweek"
Broadway and 42nd street
New York 36, New York

Dear Mr. Hazlitt:

In the several years I have read "Newsweek" I found no particular reason to write to anyone about its contents, but your masterful editorial in the January 28th issue compels me to send to you my compliments.

You have not only hit the nail on the head, you have driven it right through the wood.

I don't pretend to be a foreign policy expert, but there can be no doubt that every word of your article is so true it actually is almost "scary" to read it. It is refreshing to read something that "pulls no punches."

The "Eisenhower" policy is simply ridiculous: a series of "Milquetoast" threats that have so often been repeated that I doubt if the President himself believes them. Of course, he has to read what someone else has written, and has to appear to be sincere.

It has been something more than obvious for quite a time that our foreign "policy" is conceived and dictated by such industrial grants as U. S. Steel, Jersey Standard, and the rest of the multi-billion dollar corporations. ("What's good for General Motors is good for the United States.")

It struck me as an ironic co-incidence that the ad of the Association of American Railroads (Page 84) should appear in the same issue.

We can only hope that every Senator and Congressman will see and read your article. It should be, for them, required reading.

Cordially,



LESTER SANDELMAN

