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Dear Dr. Lederberg:

In response to your request of late June 1979, I am herewith sending you a copy of my essay, "American Atomic Strategy and the Hydrogen Bomb Decision" from the June 1979 issue of the Journal of American History. I regret that I am so late in getting this off to you. Unfortunately, my reprints only arrived a week ago.

Since I am currently engaged in writing a book on the subject of nuclear strategy, I would appreciate any comments, criticisms, questions or suggestions you might have with respect to the enclosed article.

In addition, since I am currently completing my doctorate and expect to be competing for an academic position for the 1980-1981 academic year, I am enclosing my vita for your information.

Sincerely yours,

*David A. Rosenberg*  
DAVID A. ROSENBERG

Thank you. I will keep your points in mind. But R.U. (unlike Stanford, with its arms control program in which I taught) is stunted in biomedical science. Have you been in touch with Herb Yale?

What is the best work so far on Truman's 1945 decision to use the Bomb against Japan?

*James  
James Lederberg*

*Dear James.  
Herb Yale.  
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