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"Civility" .... Problems of Eclecticism

I will need some time to establish a mind set compatible with your categories, and to give a proper response to yours of 2/22.

There are so many possible qualifications to advocacy, e.g., of intervention that it is misleading to describe people as + or − outside a well defined context.

② on page 16 is closer to my view than that on page 3. "Special cases" have to be very special, and the scope and character of assistance carefully scrutinized. But if we give a free rein to Soviet intervention, there will be still more bloodshed in the long run.

DD is grossly defective in its neglect of non-military responsibilities for (Bd) world order. Presumably, they were not in its charter.

More later

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