

Throwaway Campaign Here Spreads Reynolds' Anti-Labor 'Vindicator'

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A widespread throwaway campaign to distribute Sen. Robert Reynolds' labor-baiting nightshirt sheet, the *American Vindicator*, was underway in New York last week.

PM learned that entire apartment buildings and streets in Flatbush and Washington Heights have been covered by the distributors.

The *Vindicator*, which nominally sells for 20 cents, used to blossom forth at America First rallies here, but until now has never been widely circulated in this area.

The October issue is full of anti-labor stories, red-baiting articles, and anti-union smears.

The front page features an editorial and cartoon reprinted from the New York *Daily News*. On Page 3 is a cartoon intended to justify those who opposed the Administration's stand before Pearl Harbor.

Last month, franked envelopes of Reynolds, containing one of his 1940 isolationist speeches and anti-Semitic leaflets of the Christian Front heyday era, were distributed mysteriously in subway stations and cars.

Reynolds, queried by PM at that time, said it had been done without his "knowledge or consent." He could not be reached for comment on the *Vindicator* throwaway campaign.