

REDS' YOUTH LEAGUE VOTES TO DISSOLVE

The Labor Youth League, fraternal affiliate of the Communist party, announced yesterday that fifty delegates to its national convention had voted "with great reluctance" to dissolve it.

The league was ruled a Communist-front organization by the Subversive Activities Control Board on Feb. 15, 1955, and was the first active Communist-controlled group ordered to register with the Attorney General as a subversive organization.

The announcement said the group was organized in Chicago in 1949. However, the Communist party early in the Twenties organized the Young Communist League out of elements attracted from the Young People's Socialist League, the "Yipsels" of American radical history. In 1943 the Y. C. L. was "dissolved" and reconstituted as American Youth for Democracy.

American Youth for Democracy was "dissolved" in 1948 as a "revisionist mistake" and its place later was taken by the Labor Youth League.

The announcement indicated that Labor Youth League members would try to find a place for themselves within Socialist youth organizations. It asserted that the fifty delegates came from ten states.

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