

**MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS IN MOSCOW**

In its holiday garb, the Red Square in Moscow looks especially grand today...The capital of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics is solemnly marking the holiday of spring, the holiday of solidarity and fraternity of the workers of all countries.

Soviet Marshal Georgy Zhukov, Minister of Defence of the U.S.S.R., congratulates the troops of the Moscow Garrison on the May Day holiday.

On the stands are leaders of the Soviet Government and the Communist Party of the Soviet Union.

Guests from all the corners of the globe arrive in Moscow for the holiday.

The celebrations begin with a parade of the troops of the Moscow Garrison...

After the parade military parade, columns of demonstrators throng into Red Square...

In the first columns are marching schoolchildren and athletes... Red Square, like a garden of flowers, sparkles with the vivid colours of spring...A whole sea of blossoms...

Over the columns of demonstrators are seen streamers calling for Peace and Friendship among nations.

They tell the story of the labour victories attained by workers of Soviet plants and factories, the achievements of students and scientists.

The holiday procession is a reflection of the inviolable unity of the people, the Communist Party and the Soviet Government.