

Madison

1952

We call upon all Australians, new and old, proud of the many great traditions we have built up, to co-operate to

**DEMONSTRATE FOR PEACE ON SUNDAY,  
MAY 4**

**FOR HIGHER LIVING STANDARDS  
AGAINST UNEMPLOYMENT AND  
POVERTY  
FOR SOCIALISM, FREEDOM, PROGRESS**



**MARCH ON SUNDAY, MAY 4, 1952**

**(Assemble Trades Hall at 2 p.m.)**



**MAY DAY CONCERT, UNITY HALL, 8 P.M.**



**MAY DAY Sunday  
May 4th  
FROM TRADES HALL 2.30P.M.**

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# MAY DAY . . . .

## THE PEOPLE'S DAY

### FOR PEACE — FOR SOCIALISM

Nine hundred million people will participate in May Day Celebrations this year. In Socialist countries 800 million will celebrate at public holidays.

Over one-third of mankind, comprising all creeds and colors, actively emancipating themselves from slavery of all kinds, and destroying oppression, tyranny, racial, national and religious intolerance and hatred: and the dream of the centuries—"The Brotherhood of Man," with peace banners unfurled, emerging triumphantly. This is the picture of May Day, 1952. The greatest picture, heralding the greatest change in human history.

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## CAPITALIST DECAY — SOCIALIST PROGRESS

The old order of capitalism, with its corruption and decay, its crime and injustice, its continuous struggle to further exploit the working people, and to launch a third World War against the Socialist countries—this order is fast becoming unbearable.



Whilst joyously greeting the Socialist countries, we are determined to work still harder for our own emancipation, and for the preservation of peace.



In particular, we will resist reactionaries in Australia, who already are creating that dread horror, unemployment; whose aims are to smash the trade unions, reduce wages and pensions, lengthen working hours and thus enrich themselves. They plot to involve us in war. They suffered a major defeat in the referendum last year, but they and their parliamentary watchdogs never sleep. They plot continuously against the workers.

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