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Germany and Kussia

Commenting on the anti-Communist agreement between Germany and Japan, the "Stock Exchange Gazette," London, says: "The most powerful argument against the probability of Germany or Japan attacking the Soviet Union is provided by a glance on the map. In the first instance Germany and Russia have no common frontier. For German troops to reach Soviet soil they will either have to pass through Lithuania and Latvia, or Poland, or Czechoslovakia and Rumania. Two further possibilities are a naval landing at Leningrad or in the Crimea. An attack through the Baltic and East European states however, would certainly be resisted to the utmost by those countries, and would give the Russians ample time to organize their counter-offensive. Neither the Baltic nor the Black Sea coast of the Soviet Union offers any Skirts major military possibilities as a starting point for an attacker. Moreover, any definite military objective is protected by many miles of barren territory.

"Then there is the air force. Berlin and many of the Scarves German big towns and industrial centres are within So-Afternoon and Evening Dresses wiviet bombing range. Thus, while a German army would have to fight its way through one or two of the countries separating Germany from Russia, the Soviet air force would play havoc with the German rear. The Germans, however, would be able to retaliate only to a very limited extent. Eighty percent of Soviet territory is outside the German bombing range, including the districts in which is situated the Soviet war industry.

"What is true of Germany in this connection is also true of Japan, which is also at the mercy of the Soviet air arm, without being able to retaliate accordingly.

"If we look at the Far East we find exactly the same Ballor, .05. position. All the time that Japan has been growling at Soviet Russia she has expanded into China at the expense of British and American interests. Thus both countries have been, and still are, using their anti-Soviet attitude as a shield behind which aims of an entirely different na- Sixteen nations, either separately ture are pursued.

"Those who are still somewhat sceptical as to the cor- were represented at an "Interrectness of this interpretation of German-Soviet and national Day" meeting of Nelson Japanese-Soviet relations, are invited to a glance at the District Women's Institute. In all state of German-Soviet trade. In 1934 German exports to but two cases the representatives Russia amountd to 28,000,000 roubles and during the first were ntative daughters. nine months of 1935 this figure was 14,300,000 roubles; Reach the most people in city but during the corresponding period this year German and district with an advertisement exports have amounted to as much as 202,000,000 roubles in the Daily News. to Russia and the larger part of this consisted of machine tools for armament factories.

"This enormous increase in German exports to Russia is the direct consequence of the Rm. 200,000,000 credit granted by Germany in April, 1935. The credit is now exhausted and negotiations are in progress for a further German credit of Rm. 300,000,000. It is scarcely probable that Herr Hitler would supply M. Stalin with Rm. 500,-000,000 worth of essential machinery, if he were contemplating war."

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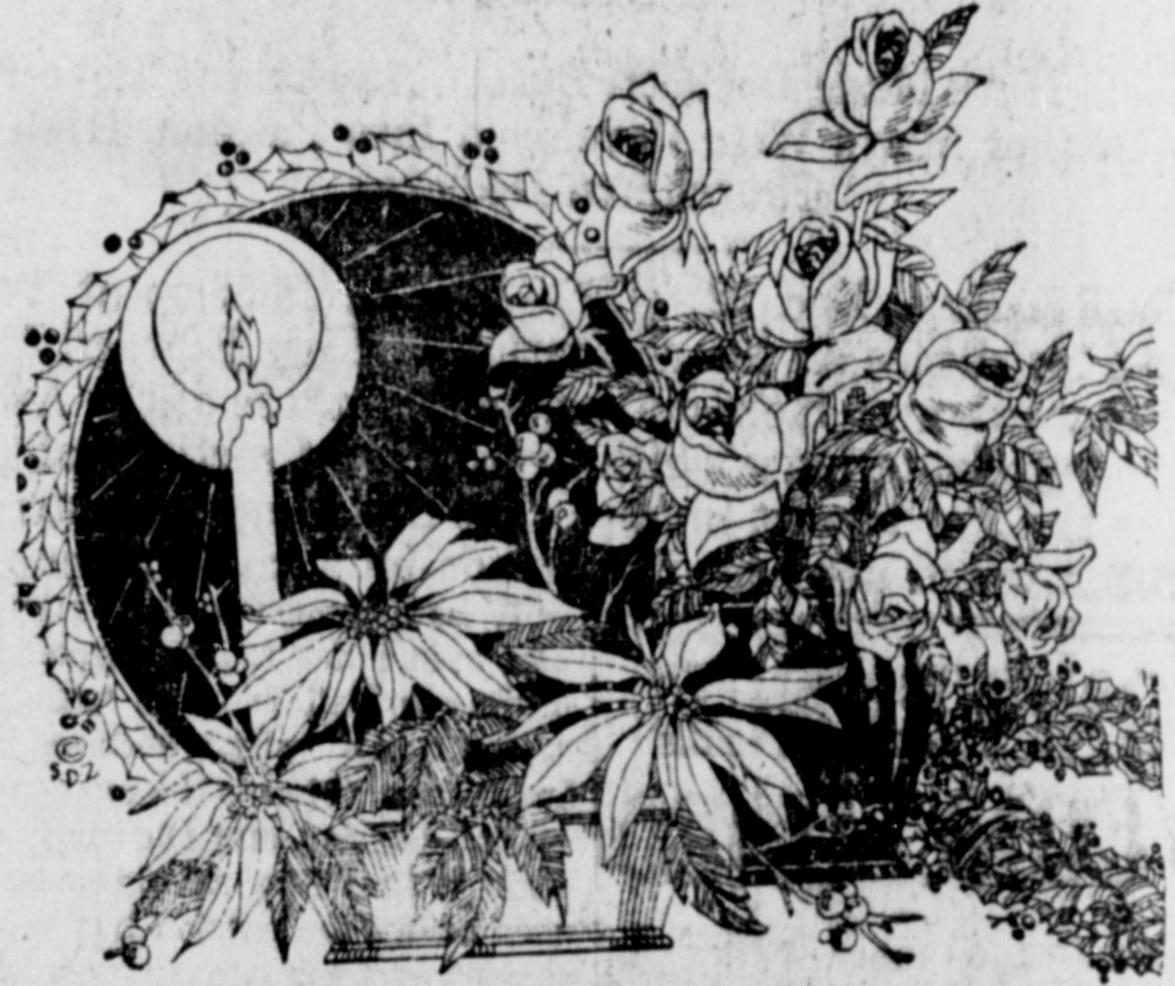
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