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An Old-Fashioned Phrase
The Japanese minister to Australia must, somewhere,
have received a thorough education in the curious men-
tal processes that pass for thinking in Nazidom. Queried
on Japanese ambitions, Tatsuo Kawai replied that he dis-
liked the word "drive" which Americans persisted in ap-
plying to that impetus which has sent the Japanese legions
into Manchuria, North China, Coastal China, and Indo-
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plicable to the Japanese situation, he said.
Further, he was slightly annoyed by a question as
to whether Japan contemplated ""territorial expansion"
toward the Netherlands Indies. "Territorial expansion" is an old-fashioned phrase, he objected.

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Against legalizing the sale of all alcoholic beverages 551.
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Both wet and dry forces were active in the election campaign. Petitions were circulated to obtain the special election.

Midland long has been a dry city. The last liquor election was May 11, 1940, and the vote was 706 against and 510 for legalizing the sale of intoxicating liquors.

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