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NEW NATIONAL MOTTO

A new motto for our coinage is proposed in a bill introduced in congress. Instead of "E Pluribus Unum" the silver dollar is to bear the words, "Liberty, Equality, Fraternity."

This, as most persons probably know, is a formula dating from the French revolution, and generally considered the national motto of France. That fact is nothing against it so far as American use is concerned. France has borrowed her political ideas and formulas from America as much as America has from France.

We still cling rather sentimentally to "E Pluribus Unum" though we seldom think now of the "many" from which the "one" is made. The triple motto recalls a shrewd comment made recently by some Englishman. He said that it seemed to him there was "more liberty in England, more equality in America and more fraternity in France."

GOOD GIVING

Congress is mostly reported by adverse criticism, and justly so, yet occasionally something gets done which can be approved by the American citizen without reference to party or politics.

Of this nature is the vocational rehabilitation act, by which the care of our maimed and disabled soldiers becomes a federal undertaking. A federal board is given charge of the details, with a fund of \$2,000,000 and power to cooperate with the army and navy in getting men restored to activity and placed in jobs which they can swing.

As Collier's Weekly says: "It is a good law and a glorious work. And section seven gives all the rest of us a chance to help."

Section seven says: "The board is hereby authorized to receive such gifts and donations from either public or private sources as may be offered unconditionally. All moneys received as gifts or donations shall be paid into the treasury of the United States and shall constitute a permanent fund to be called the 'Special Fund for Vocational Rehabilitation.'"

The board is to direct the disbursement of the fund, and report annually to congress.

When the casualty lists are finally completed, it is going to be unappreciated that there was great need of this legislation, and that the field for donations will be a large one. The suggestion is made that people who profited greatly in war work may well

contribute largely, but the donations should not be limited to this class alone. Any patriotic American who has something to give should be glad to give part of it to this work of restoring to usefulness the man who gave his physical perfection for his country.

JUDGE FOR STUDENTS' CONTEST IS PICKED

O. A. C. Jan. 17.—Special—Selection of E. L. Potter, head of the animal husbandry department at the college, as official judge of the students' judging contest to be held at the Western Livestock show in Denver, February 18, was announced late today.

I. W. W. Leaders Get Jail Sentences

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—U. P.—Sentences ranging from a year in the county jail to ten years in Leavenworth penitentiary were imposed upon 43 convicted I. W. W. conspirators by Judge Rudkin this afternoon.

Woman Senatorial Candidate Files Contest of Election

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—U. P.—Anne Martin, defeated candidate for U. S. senate from Nevada, filed charges of irregularities in the election, charging that more money was spent in behalf of Senator Henderson than the law allows.

Infant Child of Fred Dickson Dies

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickson of 1006 West Tenth street passed away last night. The remains will be laid to rest in Riverside cemetery tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Here From Portland—Mrs. Lloyd Holley and little son of Portland are visiting in Albany at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holley.

Mr. Holley is in the government printing office at Bremerton but expects to receive his discharge soon and will then return to Portland where he has a job waiting for him.

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