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The vocational integration of the war invalids.

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The Number of our war invalids was estimated by Count Hazfeld at one million. The longer the war goes on, the larger the army of invalids will be. How should these victims of the world war find a place in the working world? Where should they be placed?

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All attempts, which amount to integrate the invalids into the working environment, just to have the function of a certificate of employment, ignore that they are only partially operational and the competition is very hard. Thus, they should not be left to the free market, but rather be placed in any other way.

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In reality this is a big problem, because the employment of invalid employees contradicts important principles of the economic order. This specifies that all persons who are limited in their skills, because of age or an accident, are excludes from the labor market.

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The primary goal of the production process is to produce as much as possible at a given time. But the war invalids cannot adapt themselves to the high speed of work process. The rhythm of the sub operation, which is done very fast and in team work, would be disturbed by a slower part. This is the reason why war invalids are usually useless worker for the production process in manufactory.

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Because of that, we need companies with slower production processes. This is the only way to employ bigger masses of invalids.

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The emphasis must be on high quality work. The quality goods could compensate the prolonged duration of the process.