

# \$60 BONUS FOR SOLDIER BOYS

## Discharged Soldiers Should Consult Local Board Before Making Application.

All discharged soldiers of the United States army, including naval enlistments and marines, will receive a bonus of \$60, over and above all other amounts due them in pursuance of law, upon making application to the proper authorities at Washington, according to an official communication received in the office of Adjutant General G. A. Fraser. Men already discharged from the military service will make application for the bonus to the Zone Finance Officer, Lemon Building, Washington, D. C., while those still in the service will be paid this amount upon their discharge.

All persons separated from active military service from April 6, 1917, to March 4, 1918, should make application for the bonus. The application must be accompanied by the soldier's discharge, or order for discharge or relief, if no certificate was issued, but both certificate and order if both were issued, (the paper bearing indorsement of final payment,) a statement of all military service since April 6, 1917, showing place and date of reporting at first military station, and address to which check is to be sent. All personal papers will be returned with the check.

The Adjutant General's office for the state of North Dakota has forwarded to all local boards of the state and to the county chairmen of the County Councils of Defense, a copy of the official communication relative to the payment of this bonus as well as a correct letter form for making application to the department at Washington, and discharged soldiers are urged to consult their nearest local boards before making an application for this bonus.

"Every man of military service who has been discharged under honorable conditions is entitled to the benefits of this offer," said Adjutant General Fraser, "and should not hesitate for a moment to make application for same to the proper department at Washington. Unnecessary delay in receiving this bonus will be minimized by the soldier consulting his nearest local board before making application."