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97A. Any person not now in the National Guard of the State, but who has heretofore served therein for a length of time sufficient to qualify him to be placed upon the retired list, known and designated as the "Maryland National Guard Retired" as the same is provided for in section 41 of this article, but who is not upon such list, shall be entitled to be placed upon such retired list, provided application to be so placed, be made by such person to the adjutant general of this State on or before the 31st day of December, 1912.