I. REPORT DATE - Sept. 22, 2021
II. NAME OF OFFICE or PUBLICATION - MLA Archivist
III. NAME - Christina Taylor Gibson
IV. BOARD ACTION REQUIRED - not immediately
   - I am still in discussions with Special Collections in Performing Arts/ UMD about the creation of a field study. A proposal is forthcoming, but still in development.

V. BRIEF SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES
   - I have written my first “From the Archives” feature for the MLA Newsletter.
   - I have answered several reference questions about the Archives
   - I have accepted two paper accessions into the Archives.
   - I have sent the Finding Aids to John Davis, at SCPA for inclusion in ArchivesSpace.
   - I have participated in several conversations about how to shape a field study collaboration with MLA.

As always, a plea to send me your materials and to spread the word to past officers to send their materials! Not only will it make me happy, but future MLA members will thank you, as it will allow them to learn from your wisdom and continue to shape a healthy professional association.