

M. Allan Vigil Appointed To the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia

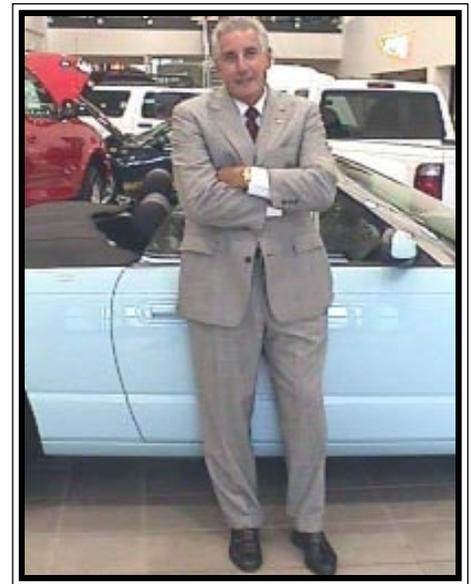
by John Shiffert, University Relations

M. Allan Vigil, long-time trustee of the Clayton College & State University Foundation, and one of the Southern Crescent's prominent businessmen and civic leaders, has been appointed to the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia by Georgia Governor Sonny Perdue.

The president and owner of Allan Vigil Ford in Morrow and Fayetteville, Ga., Vigil was sworn in by Perdue to represent the 13th Congressional District at an Aug. 6 ceremony at the State Capitol. A resident of Henry County, Vigil, 59, will serve a seven-year term as a Regent.

"Mr. Vigil is an outstanding person of the highest character," says Dr. Thomas K. Harden, president of Clayton State. "I am extremely pleased with his appointment to the Board of Regents. He is a consummate community servant, a successful businessman, and a committed citizen who will be a great Regent."

Vigil's community service to the Southern Crescent dates back to 1983, when he first was named to the Board of Trustees of the then-Clayton Junior College Foundation. Indeed, along with his wife, Bonnie P. Vigil, the newest Regent has been one of the region's most devoted civic leaders for the past two decades, also serving as a board member of the Southern Regional Health System, the State of Georgia's Board of Motor Vehicle Safety, and the Fayette and Clayton County Chambers of Commerce. He served as president of the latter organization in 1990.



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"Allan has manifested an interest in education from the beginning. He believes it is critical to economic development," says Dr. Bryan P. Edwards, vice president for External Relations at Clayton State and a long-time acquaintance of Vigil. "He just gravitated to Clayton State, and has made a leadership commitment to the University on many occasions.

"Allan knows that education is the way to the future."

Among the leadership roles that Vigil has filled in support of Clayton State include making one of the first leadership gifts towards the building of Spivey Hall, helping recruit Dr. George Horton from Auburn University to serve as the University's first dean of the School of Business in 1987, and serving for the past 16 years as a sponsor of the University's annual Career Fair.

"He's a giver, he's always been involved," adds Edwards.

With his appointment to the Board of Regents, Vigil's commitment to education has taken on a whole new dimension, one he didn't really expect.

"It kind of came out of left field," he says of his appointment. "Although I had talked to the governor when he was here for our grand opening in March, I didn't expect it. However, when the governor calls and asks you to do something... well, I consider it an honor.

"I've also been very impressed with the Board of Regents' staff. They made me feel very
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Another Record Enrollment for Clayton State

As of 9 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 15, Clayton State's enrollment for the fall semester stood at 5,611.

That's already a record for a single semester, surpassing the spring 2003 mark of 5,555. As far as fall semesters are concerned, the current total is well in excess of last year's 5,214 total — more than 7 percent ahead of that previous fall record. With enrollments still coming in at a rate of approximately 100 an hour (as of Friday morning), Clayton State's all-time record enrollment may well end up close to 6,000 by the time the drop/add period ends next week.

And to think, some people thought President Dr. Thomas Harden's goal of "7 in 7" (7,000 students by 2007) was ambitious. ■

ATTENTION ACADEMIC ADVISORS:

***PLEASE GET THIS INFORMATION OUT
TO YOUR ADVISEES WHO WILL BE
READY TO GRADUATE IN SPRING 2004***

Planning to Graduate in Spring of 2004?

Don't Delay! File Your Graduation Application Today!!

If you are planning to complete your requirements for a degree or a certificate and want to graduate at the end of the spring semester, you must file an application for graduation no later than September 15, 2003.

The Registrar's office will be unable to accept late applications. We strongly recommend you not wait until the last minute to submit your application. While the deadline is September 15, you may submit your application any time up until the deadline. Students who file applications, but are unable to complete their requirements in time for Spring 2004 graduation, can update their applications for a subsequent graduation term. Failing to file on time, however, will prevent you from graduating even if your degree or certificate requirements have been completed.

Graduation application forms are available in the academic department of your major. Once the form is completed, turn it in to the Registrar's Office. This must be done in person. You will receive a receipt. Please be sure to retain your receipt for your records.

Need assistance or have questions? Please visit <http://adminservices.clayton.edu/registrar> or call (770) 960-5110 for additional details.

SACS Synopsis

SACS Quiz

Thanks to Angelyn Hayes Cheyne, director of Experiential Learning & Online Instruction, here is the first SACS Quiz. Remember, the individual with the most correct answers (only one try per person) at the end of the Quiz (probably late March, 2004) will receive a dinner for two at a local restaurant. You don't have to be the first to answer... just get it right. (SACS Committee members are ineligible. Sorry.)

Please respond with your answers (put "SACS Quiz" in the subject line) to johnshiffert@mail.clayton.edu by Friday, Aug. 22, 2003.

Remember, the the SACS on-site visit to Clayton State is scheduled for Apr. 12-14, 2004.

When is the first development activity related to QEP? What is the focus of the training? ■



Clayton State held its first Dog Show last week (Actually, it was a reunion of Dr. Jane Thompson's Clayton State puppies and their new owners, Dr. Sharon Hoffman, Valerie Laney-Marshall and Amy Poole)

I Will Take Your Stuff!

By Bruce Holmes, Public Safety

You think your valuables are secure, laying on the desk top between classes, sitting on the back seat of your car with the windows rolled down, or laying on the floor in the hallway while you step away, "just for a minute." I see that new laptop computer and when I have the chance, I will pick-it-up and walk right out the door.

Not only will you loose your laptop, but also all of your hard work, assignments and class notes will go with it. While playing around with your computer, I might just find some personal information to get a credit card in YOUR name or maybe you left your purse, checkbook or wallet unattended.

More than likely, you will never see me when I pick up your belongings and leave because you walked away and left them alone. Chances are you will not even know the serial numbers or even have a list of phone numbers to deactivate your credit and ATM cards.

Remember, "Leave IT and I'll TAKE IT!"

Sincerely,

The Thief

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good that I was selected for this honor."

Vigil will be attending an all-day orientation meeting at the downtown Atlanta offices of the Board of Regents on Aug. 26. "They're very anxious to get new people up to speed," he notes.

Although he may be new to this particular job, Vigil, through his past association with Clayton State, is well acquainted with the challenges facing higher education.

"It is so important now in these difficult economic times that you put some good business practices in place to make sure you are getting good value out of what you are spending," he says. "Everybody needs to do that. We just need to make sure we get proper value out of the money being spent.

"The people expect to spend money on education, but they expect good education for their money. I think everybody knows the value of a college education."

A graduate and long-time supporter of the University of Florida (B.A. in Business Administration), Vigil served as a First Lieutenant in the U.S. Army during Vietnam from 1967 to 1970 and was awarded the Bronze Star and the Army Commendation Medal.

Prior to becoming principal in his own dealership, Vigil worked as a field manager for the Ford Motor Company and a sales manager for two other Ford dealerships.

A member of the Southlake Kiwanis Club and the Atlanta Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, where he was named Business Person of the Year in 1996, Vigil was also named Businessman of the Year for 2001 by the Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and won the Hispanic Business, Inc. 2002 EOY Award in the Retail & Finance category.

Professionally, he has held numerous membership and leadership positions in both the automotive industry in general and the Ford Motor Company in particular, including serving chairman of the Georgia and Metro Atlanta Automobile Dealers Association and the Ford National Dealer Council. Among his industry awards have been the Ford Top 100 Club, The Ford President's Award, the Ford Motor Company Triple Crown Award, and the Ford Motor Credit Partners in Quality Award. ■

Across the Campus

Arts & Sciences

Thanks to a Lyceum grant, Clayton State will have a poetry series this year, starting with two outstanding poets who will perform at noon and 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 2. These poets are Ayodele Heath, a "performance poet," and Tania Rochelle, a more traditional poet. The location is to be announced. This series will culminate in the spring with a student poetry contest and open mic night.

Athletics

The Athletic Department is holding its Athletic Media Day on Aug. 26 at 11:30 a.m. in the Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education.

Counseling & Career Services

As the new semester begins next week, many students will be looking for on-campus Student Assistant positions. Please list any openings for your department at: <http://adminservices.clayton.edu/ccs/backup/JobOrderform.html>.

OITS

To better serve the University, OITS is working with GTA to improve and correct the billing of telecommunications. In an effort to do this we will need each department to thoroughly look through their online telecommunications bill today. It is very important that it is checked not only for accurate billing but, that all numbers that are in your department are on your bill—this also includes voice mail. Please go to the GTA e-billing site to check your bill, if you do not know how to get to this site and/or do not have your id and pass code, please e-mail Dawn Krieger and she will provide you with instructions and pass code. Please send Dawn Krieger with corrections in e-mail format: If numbers are found that do not belong to your department, but you know who it does belong to please state the department with the number. If you do not know, just list the number. If we are unable to find a department for a number—it will be disconnected, our department will check through campus email to ensure it has no owner.

Effective immediately upon logging in to the network, all machines will be checked to make sure that critical security patches are current. If not, a popup containing a link to install needed patches will appear. If needed patches are not applied your machine may become infected by the latest virus, compromised or removed from the network for non compliance with the Clayton State

network security policy. If there are any questions, please contact the HUB.

President's Office

Dr. Thomas K. Harden's annual State of the University address will be on Tuesday, Sept. 2, at 2 p.m. in Spivey Hall. All faculty and staff are invited to attend.

Public Safety

Check out this web page to see which carpooler won the July 2003 prizes; <http://adminservices.clayton.edu/ps/winners.htm>. University RideShare receives a grant from Commute Connections, 1-87-RIDEFIND, which enables Public Safety to provide fuel cards, sign up gifts, and more. If you have not registered with 1-87-Ridefind in Public Safety yet, please give Joan Murphy a call or send an e-mail. You are not committed to carpooling when you sign up but the more people we have registered, the more opportunity you have to find a POTENTIAL carpool partner. Students are matched with other students—employees with other employees.

School of Business

The Clayton State Alumni Association invites graduates of Clayton State's School of Business or any Clayton State business program to the first ever School of Business Alumni Meeting. The meeting will be held Thursday, Aug. 21, in room 101 of the Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education. Attendees will be treated to a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will begin promptly at 7:15 p.m. For more information, contact Ernest "Bud" Miller, dean of the School of Business, at (770) 961-3738.

School of Technology

Linda Wallace was Clayton State's nominee for the 2003 Georgia Occupational Award of Leadership (GOAL). The GOAL program is a state-wide competition designed with emphasis on technical education's important role in the economic development of Georgia. Wallace was nominated by her instructor, Joan Bass. A native of Leroy, Al., who moved to Atlanta in 1995, she began attending Clayton State in 1999. She has earned an Associate degree in Office Technology and plans to earn her second associate degree in Office Administration by fall 2003. She plans to continue her education and get a Bachelor's in Administrative Management.

Jennifer Parks has been named the Outstanding Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) in Administrative Management Graduate for 2002/2003 from

the School of Technology at Clayton College & State University. After graduating from East Coweta High School, Parks started at Clayton State in January 1999, and finished with a BAS in Administrative Management in December 2002.

SmartBodies

SmartBodies and its programs (dietetics, massage therapy, post-rehab fitness therapy, personal training) are open to everyone. Employees of Clayton State only pay \$30 for their personalized assessment and \$17 for the monthly membership plan. Assessment appointments can be scheduled by calling (770) 961-3408. The home of the original 30-minuteworkout, SmartBodies is open: M-Thur: 6 a.m. - 9 p.m., Fridays: 6 a.m. - 8 p.m., Sat: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.; Sun: 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Spivey Hall

Tickets for Spivey Hall's 2003-2004 Concert Season are now available online. The new season is everything you've come to expect from Spivey, such as the finest classical and jazz artists performing in the South's finest acoustics, plus a lot more (world-premiere commissioned pieces, live recordings, debuts and farewell tours). Find out more about the season at www.spiveyhall.org/season.

Telecommunications & Networking

Due to the damage caused by the fire on July 26, some departments in the Student Center are experiencing problems with the phones such as, popping, static, intermittence of line use and no dial tone. Temporary repairs are being made to ensure that all departments are running at or about 90+%. Permanent repairs will be made around the second week of September and not sooner due to the active registration period currently going on. The amount of time it would take to replace equipment to provide 100% service would bring many departments completely down with no service at all.

The HUB

The HUB is currently being visited by lots of student with the MS Blaster virus, and Student Software Support Services is handling a capacity group of students with software loads for the beginning of the semester. This means that HUB services to the campus will be slow. Unless the HUB receives a show-stopping emergency, all services call will be queued and taken care of as soon as practical.

SHRM Holding Mock Trial August 19

The Southern Crescent Society of Human Resource Managers (SHRM) will be holding a mock trial for its August meeting at Clayton College & State University.

In conjunction with Constangy, Brooks & Smith, LLC, Southern Crescent SHRM will present "Richard C. Johnson v. National Distribution Center" on Tuesday, Aug. 19 from 8:30 a.m. to noon in room 101 of the Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education on the University's main campus in Morrow.

Described as a "mock trial for the ages," Johnson v. National Distribution Center presents the following scenario...

Plaintiff Richard C. Johnson has sued National Distribution Center for discriminating against him on the basis of his age in violation of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, 29 U.S.C. § 621, et seq., when it forced him to resign from his employment and replaced him with his former assistant who was many years his junior. National Distribution Center denies discriminating against Johnson and further contends that Johnson resigned his employment in lieu of being terminated for repeatedly sexually harassing his younger assistant and violating National Distribution Center's anti-fraternization policy.

Juror and witness roles will be filled from among the Clayton State faculty and staff.

Registration for the mock trial starts at 8:30 a.m. and SHRM applications and other membership material will be available at the meeting. The meeting costs are: non-members - \$10; chapter members - \$5; Clayton State employees - \$5; student members - \$2; walk-ins — \$10. Coffee, juice, and other refreshments will be served. Please RSVP online to <http://adminservices.clayton.edu/ohr/rsvp/rsvp.asp> or call (770) 961-3526. ■

Former Clayton State Registrar Appointed Regents Interim Associate Vice Chancellor

by Lauren Baker, University Relations

Former Clayton State staff member Tonya Lam was recently appointed Interim Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs for the University System of Georgia's Board of Regents. Lam, who served Clayton State for 12 years, is in her third year of employment at the Board of Regents.

"This is an exciting time to be at the System Office," says Lam. "We are working on a number of projects designed to expand access to education to all Georgia citizens, and I am looking forward to being a part of it."

While Acting Vice Chancellor, Lam will provide leadership, consultation, and advocacy for all areas in student affairs. These areas include: academic advising, admissions, enrollment management, learning assistance, orientation, counseling service, disability services, financial aid, housing, and campus safety, to name a few.

Prior to her new position at the Board of Regents, Lam served a one-year appointment as Student Service Associate and later accepted appointment as Senior Advisor for Student Enrollment and Information Services. Lam will remain Interim Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs until the Board of Regents conducts a national search in the fall.

Lam may be away from Clayton State in body, but the University's former registrar and former assistant vice president of Enrollment Services holds Clayton State close in spirit.

"I think Clayton State is a wonderful institution with great faculty and students," shares Lam. "I am delighted to see the direction the University is taking towards adding new baccalaureate degree programs."

Lam holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from North Carolina's Catawba College, and a Master of Arts degree from Middle Tennessee State University. In her spare time, the McDonough resident travels to Darien, Ga.'s Black Island where she and husband O. C. Lam, a retired Clayton State biology professor, have a home. ■

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Spivey Soiree Starts September 2

Here is the schedule for the Spivey Soiree Fall Series on WABE-FM 90.1. All programs start at 9 p.m.

September 2

PROGRAM No. 1

Stephen Kovacevich, piano
Beethoven: Bagatelles, Op 126, Nos. 1,2,5 & 6
Schubert: Sonata in B-Flat Major, D. 960

September 9

PROGRAM No. 2

Dan Yu, harp
Bach: Suite No. 1 in E minor, BWV 996
Tailleferre: Sonata pour Harpe
Granados: Spanish Dance No. 1 "Oriental"
Albeniz: Torre Bermeja (Serenata)
arr. Xie Che-Zhi: Spring on the Moonlit River
Godefroid: Carnaval de Venise, Op. 184

September 16

PROGRAM No. 3

David Russell, guitar
Sor: Morceau de concert & Pour La Princesse Adelaide
Torreba: Seven Castles of Spain
Bach: Partita II

September 23

PROGRAM No. 4

The Academy of St. Martin in the Fields Chamber Ensemble
Brahms: String Sextet in B-Flat Major, Op. 18
Shostakovich: Prelude & Scherz, Op. 11 for String Octet

September 30

PROGRAM No. 5

Michala Petri-recorder & Manuel Barrueco-guitar
Castelnuovo-Tedesco: Sonatina Op. 205
Beaser: Mountain Songs
Piazzolla: Historie de Tango

October 7

PROGRAM No. 6

Nicolas Kynaston, organ
Corelli: Concerto grosso III, Op. 6
Bach: Chaconne from Partita II, BWV 1004
Reger: Prelude & Fugue in D minor, Op. 56, No. 2
and Ave Maria, Op. 8 (1904)
Jongen: Sonata Eroica, Op. 94

October 14

PROGRAM No. 7 (from two concerts)

Antigoni Goni, guitar
Schubert: Two Lieder (Lob der Thränen / Ständchen)
Theodorakis: Two Epitafios
Barrios: Cuecca / Vidalita / Maxixa

Paul Galbraith, guitar

Berkeley: Sonatina, Op. 51 (1958)

Ravel: Ma Mère l'Oye (Mother Goose Suite)

October 21

PROGRAM No. 8 (from two concerts)

Emmanuel Pahud-flute
Helene Grimaud-piano
Poulenc: Sonata
Brahms: Sonata No. 2 in E-Flat Major, Op. 120, No. 2
Emmanuel Pahud-flute; Christopher Poppen-violin
Hariolf Schlichtig-violin; Jean-Guihen Queyras-cello
Mozart: Quartet in D major, K. 285

October 28

PROGRAM No. 9

Leif Ove Andsnes-piano
Grieg: Five Lyric Pieces
Chopin: Sonata No. 3 in B minor, Op. 58

November 4

PROGRAM No. 10

Eroica Trio
Bach: Chaconne in D Minor arranged for Piano Trio
by Anne Dudley
Albinoni: Adagio in G Minor
Brahms: Trio in B Major, Op. 8

November 11

PROGRAM No. 11

Spivey Hall Children's Choir
The program will feature compositions and arrangements by
Kuzmenko, Reese,
MacGillivray, Busto, Guzman, Hawkins, Moore, Hatfield,
Boshkoff, Mulholland
and Brunner.

November 18

PROGRAM No. 12

The Los Angeles Guitar Quartet
Bach: Prelude, Fugue and Allegro
Jeffes/Tennant: Celtic Fare
Johanson: Toccata
Bizet: Carmen Suite

November 25

PROGRAM No. 13

Alex Strauss-violin & Carl Cranmer-piano
Mozart: Sonata No. 15 in A Major, K. 526
Prokofiev: Sonata No. 2 in D Major, Op. 94bis

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Music Enthusiast Sings Praises Of Sacred Harp and Spivey Hall

by Lauren Baker, University Relations

Doc Lawrence, an expert in wine and food, theater, travel and cultural tourism, visual art, and music, attended a summer Sacred Harp concert at Spivey Hall, and sings the praises of both the renowned venue and America's oldest continuing music form, Sacred Harp.

"The Sacred Harp chorus was a perfect fit for the stage in Spivey Hall's world-acclaimed concert auditorium," writes Lawrence in an article about Spivey's Sacred Harp concert. "The music, like Spivey's benefactors and supporters, is quintessentially Georgia and the origins of Sacred Harp are as ancient as the first appearance of the pipe organ in European churches."

Historians believe Sacred Harp melodies originated in Europe during the Reformation, and crossed the Atlantic with America's early colonists. The American Revolution saw Sacred Harp spread from New England to the South, where it found a home alongside gospel, blues, country, bluegrass, jazz, and rock and roll.

To sing Sacred Harp, one needn't possess a harp; so-called Sacred Harp music is sung a cappella. Singers sit in a square formation with one singer in the center of the square. The center singer leads the others in four-part harmony for one song. Then another singer assumes the center of the square, and the process is repeated.

The old music form is alive and well at Spivey Hall thanks to Gene Pinion, Spivey's outreach coordinator. According to Lawrence, Pinion brought the old-time Sacred Harp music to Spivey Hall as "part of Spivey's unwavering commitment to music education and community betterment."

"My life is enriched by Spivey's cultural mission," writes Lawrence. ■

Atlanta Traffic Coming to Clayton State

Fall Semester begins in a few days and as many of you are aware, parking and traffic will be very difficult compared to Summer semester, and with an increased enrollment this year, they will be more difficult for a time. Please read the following and take the necessary steps to make your first few weeks less stressful:

- § Be alert to increased pedestrian traffic and be prepared to stop suddenly
- § Obey the speed limits and all stop signs
- § Allow yourself more than ample time to locate a parking space prior to work or class, primarily the first two weeks of the semester
- § Use the "back" entrances and campus roadways to avoid heavy vehicle and pedestrian traffic
- § Remember that traffic and parking patterns settle down after the first few weeks
- § Seek out parking at Spivey Hall, Music Building and Continuing Education, and take a short, scenic walk

Check out the link to the Clayton State campus map that shows all parking lots and walkways: <<http://www.clayton.edu/homefiles/maps.htm>>. ■

Life's Transitions...

Ahmad Arjomand, brother of Clayton State Professor of Business Dr. H. Lari Arjomand, died Aug. 5 in Germany of prostate cancer.

*His time is forever,
everywhere his place.*

Friendship in Absence
Abraham Cowley
(1618-1667)

Clayton State Women's Forum

Meetings for the coming year (2003-2004) are as follows:
Sept. 9, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, Jan. 15, Feb. 19, Mar. 18, and
Apr. 15.

For more information, go to

http://adminsivices.clayton.edu/wom_forum/publicity/p8.html



Trivia Time

Vlad was a Bad Boy...

by John Shiffert, University Relations

About as bad as they come.

The ruler of part of what is now Romania in the 15th Century, Vladislav Basarab gave tyrants a bad name. You see, his favorite pastime was impaling people he didn't like on long, wooden stakes. Hence, his nickname, Vlad the Impaler, or Vlad Tepes in Romanian. Of course, there was one time when his favorite trick was too slow for the Prince of Wallachia, so he invited all his least favorite people to a banquet in his castle, locked the doors from the outside, and burned the place to the ground. Nice guy.

Now, Vlad's dad was known as Vladislav Dracul (usually translated as Vlad the Dragon... he must not have been any bargain, either), and Vlad, Jr. was sometimes known as Vlad Dracula (meaning son of Dracul), although he was generally better known as Vlad Tepes. Either way, author Bram Stoker knew about Vlad, and based his blood-thirsty Dracula character on this bad boy.

The three front runners in answering the Bad Vlad question were; in order, Dr. Tom Eddins, Dotty Bumbalough and Lou Brackett. They each get a string of garlic. Kevin Dixon also had the answer, and gets three Trivia Bonus points for all the detail on Wallachia's least favorite son. Similarly, Rob Taylor gets an extra bonus point for this response, "Vlad the Impaler, the boy who did not like garlic, although Vidalia onions were one of his favorites." Additional correct responses came from Alison Breeze and Peter Zolja, who had an unfair advantage, because he's Romanian (although he's never impaled anyone.)

And now, for something completely different... what was Charlie's problem on the MTA? Send your answers to johnshiffert@mail.clayton.edu. (Sorry, no hints.) ■

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