

May Rotary Couple Named; Roger, Kathy Take Honors

The Rotary girl for the month of May is one whose life is filled with many various activities. A great deal of Kathy Viverette's time at school and at home is spent working as editor of this year's Paradigm and working on her page of the Blackbird. She is also a member of the Kudos Club and takes pleasure in working with her fellow members.

At home Kathy enjoys growing orchids, greenery, and various types of cacti in her greenhouse. She became interested in this hobby when she was in the eighth grade. The fascination of growing plants has not yet worn off.

She also likes to play the piano in her spare time. She feels her taste in music is different from that of most teenagers because she enjoys playing classical music rather than the modern tunes of today.

Last summer Kathy spent five weeks in France under the American Institute of Foreign Study. She returned overwhelmed by the beauty and culture of the country. After spending her freshman and sophomore college years at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, she hopes to be able to return abroad for her junior year of study.

Kathy is a "believer". She believes that there really was a lost continent of Atlantis and that there are unidentified flying objects. Who knows? She may be right.

Her two pet peeves are people who have to be pushed into

doing everything because they are afraid of being different and those who join organizations for the purpose of having their name associated with it.

Would you believe that in the year 2000 your children might be living in a country ruled by Roger Stancil? Don't panic or be alarmed for this is only Roger's aim in life—to become President of the United States by the age of 55.

He considers his selection as Rotary Boy for the month of May to be one of the steps on the road to the achievement of this goal. Roger possesses all the qualities of a good Rotary Boy. His leadership in Senior High has been evident through his chairmanship of the House and Grounds Committee, vice presidency of the Service Club, and membership in the National Honor Society. After graduation Roger plans to continue his education at Wake Forest.

Roger's outside activities include watching football and basketball, going to Morehead, and generally having a good time. He especially enjoys the Temptations, The Mamas and the Papas, rare steaks, and all people. His pet peeve is people who don't know when to have a good time and when to be mature.

Several years ago Roger journeyed to Guatemala, South America. He considers this one of the highlights of his life because he was able to view the country as it really is, work for the people, and better the North-South relationship.



ROGER STANCIL AND KATHY VIVERETTE, May Rotary Couple, enjoy working on their pages of the Blackbird.

Dale Says, 'Father Does Know Best!'

The Edsonian Dramatic Organization's recent comic production of 'Father Knows Best,' under the direction of Mrs. Ada Hobbs, was very successful in giving its audiences lasting enjoyment of the humorous situations and conflicts that were contained in this hilarious, well-written play.

Dale Hall portrayed the father, Jim Anderson, who was plagued by anxiety caused by trying to be mother and father at the same time. His wife, Margaret (Ann Taylor) played the part of a frustrated but somehow understanding mother.

Betty (Brenda Thompson), their eighteen year old daughter, kept the audience in laughter the entire night by her mischievous actions against her father about a dancing date with Ralph, (Russell Bass). To add to the entertainment were Bud (Steve Bunn) and Kathy (Rita Parker), Brenda's brother and sister.

Others who had minor roles in the play were Debbie Garnes, Debbie Slone, Winkie Young, Dan Batts, Sonny Lea, Billy Collins, Kenneth Murchison, Dickie Oakley, Gwen Seigman, Marie Baker, Lynda Harrell, and Diane Couch.

Many others besides the cast, helped with the production of the play and should also be commended for their diligent work.

Lucy Likes Living Here

A few months ago, Lucy Colombo, a bubbling, energetic, and friendly girl, was chosen to represent her country on the International Fellowship Exchange Program. Since March 29 she has been here in Rocky Mount, attending school at Senior High and carrying out the purpose of her visit—binding the Americas closer together.

Lucy began her journey last December, when she left her home in Rafaela, Argentina, bound for New York. After touring the nation's largest city and Washington, D. C., she spent three months with a family in Ohio. However, the International Fellowship requires a student to change families after three months, and Lucy found her next family would be the Gregory's in Rocky Mount, North Carolina.

After only a month here, Lucy seems to have made the adjustment from family to family, North to South, very well. With the help of her "sister", Ginny, she has gotten into the swing of life in Rocky Mount.

Lucy says that of all her classes she enjoys homemaking most because sewing and cooking came more naturally to her than history and English.

When Lucy goes back to Argentina in June, she plans to study at the University of Buenos Aires, with hopes of becoming a Spanish-English interpreter.

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