

Scott Blasted By Broughton

RALEIGH—Governatorial candidate Mel Broughton was the featured speaker at a luncheon meeting of the Charlotte Civitan Club Friday and will spend the entire day visiting the voters in Mecklenburg County.

Broughton made two major speeches last week on a 10-county tour in which he hit his opponent Bob Scott for not being frank with the voters and failing to keep his pledge to voters on making the job of lieutenant governor a full time post.

In a speech made at Clinton on Wednesday, Broughton charged Scott had not fulfilled his pledge to the people and cited Scott's high absenteeism from State Board of Education meetings as proof.

Broughton told Kiwanians in Washington on Tuesday that it "would be disastrous" for Democrats to elect Scott as a candidate for governor. He said Scott could not win the election in November.

During the past week, Broughton toured Orange, Alamance, Nash, Martin, Bertie, Washington, Beaufort, Pender, Duplin and Sampson Counties.

A campaign headquarters for Broughton was opened in Clinton during his visit there Wednesday.

During the 10-county tour Broughton stated to voters his stand for strong measures on law and order, a wide-ranging road program, more pay for

teachers, a task force to solve farm problems and a strong opposition to open housing.

Broughton reminded voters that his opponent Bob Scott was playing a dual role on major issues of the campaign and said he would seek to get him to make a stand before the campaign was over.

A campaign headquarters for Broughton was opened in Durham Wednesday and Broughton was a featured guest at a large rally held for him there.

Broughton spoke at the annual farmer and industry meeting of the Lions Club at Kings Mountain Tuesday night following a day-long tour of Cleveland County.

A general tour of Rockingham County was made by Broughton on Thursday, during which he met with and talked to the citizens throughout that county.

Sunday, Broughton was introduced at a performance of the Harlem Globe Trotters at East Carolina University at Greenville.

HEALTH AND SAFETY TIPS

DO YOUR SHARE: HELP STOP AIR POLLUTION

The problem of air pollution has been much in the news in recent years.

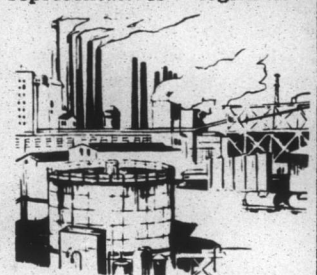
For people who live in metropolitan areas—which now means most of us—air pollution becomes more apparent all the time. The American Medical Association points out that there's little doubt that pollutants in the air aren't good for us. Just how serious a health problem is air pollution is a question still being studied. It has been associated with a number of various physical ills.

We read about air pollution, but it seldom occurs to us that we can do something about it. Isn't air pollution merely a matter for the factory with the belching smokestack, or the

apartment building with a smoky incinerator?

Actually, there are some things we all can do to reduce air pollution:

—Make it a point to know air pollution dangers, and seek from elected representatives legislation



to control these hazards.

—An important source of air pollution is the exhaust pipe on the family auto. Keep the engine in good order. Have the exhaust system inspected regularly. This will not only reduce air pollution, it also will save money on gasoline.

—Keep your home furnace in good working order. Have it checked annually, both for your safety and for the sake of the community.

—Leaves, trash and rubbish should not be burned in metropolitan areas. Arrange for the proper agency to haul them away to a proper disposal point.

Prevention of air pollution is a matter that must be met by the whole community. Proper laws are required where voluntary actions are inadequate. Tight enforcement of these laws is essential.

We can anticipate that air pollution will continue to be much in the news in the years ahead. The problem will be solved much sooner if all of us become aware that it is serious and that all of us are involved in its ultimate solution.

AGE 65 OR OLDER?
Time is running out to sign up for Medicare doctor-bill insurance. The deadline is April 1.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

A LIVING RELATIONSHIP

International Sunday School Lesson for March 24

Memory Selection: "I am the vine, ye are the branches; He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit; for without me ye can do nothing."—John 15:5.

Lesson Text: John 15-16.

Search though we may, we will be hard put to find any place where the ideal relationship between Christ and the Christian is more beautifully portrayed than in the verses we are studying today.

Christ, throughout His ministry on earth, always conveyed His message to His listeners through a series of word pictures that could be related to their means of livelihood—for many of those who came to hear His teachings were simple people, unlettered even by the standards of those days—although well versed in the hardship of making a living, whether they wrested it from the land, or the sea, or by enduring aching backs and aching muscles from hard physical labor.

Many of them were familiar with work in the vineyards; they knew that if the vine was well tended, it bore fruit. If it was neglected, it withered and died, and families went hungry. And so they were able to draw the comparison that Jesus was making when He likened Himself to the vine, God to the vine-dresser, and the fruit to Christian virtues. They understood that the dead branches of selfishness, hate, narrow-mindedness and injustice need to be pruned away and banished from the Christian life. They understood that the fruitful branches of love and concern for fellowmen needed to be fostered and cherished, nourished to a full and fruitful flowering. The close union of man with God was to be the water that kept the vine alive, and the purge of sinning in mankind.

Today these words have a message for us, just as surely as they had for the people of the time in which they were uttered.

The true Christian, who openly and gladly accepts Christ into his life, who dedicates that life to the will of God, has a staunch friend and keeper who will stay by his side though all the temptations and calamities that might befall him.

WE must tend to OUR vine with dedication—no one else can do it for us. For, although there are many of us who claim to be Christians, yet we have had no vital encounter with Christ. We need to remedy this state of affairs, lest we—like Judas Iscariot—be cut away, as a dead limb is cut from the living vine.

We must not content ourselves with a scarcity of fruit, just because we are too lazy or unwilling to invest the totality of ourselves in our religion; for it will be noted that Christ was (and still is) interested in "much fruit."

We must be willing to invest boundless quantities of love and obedience in our service to God if we are to be pleasing in His sight. We

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BARBED WIRE and Babbling Brooks

Spring sun shines on babbling brooks—and barbed wire. A bird song lifts prettily on fragrant air—and a sniper shot splits the silence. New green burgeons through brown winter grasses—and red blood drenches jungle earth.

One's description of the season depends upon location. In some parts of the world there are happy people, enjoying the spring, looking forward to Easter services. Other faces of this globe find suffering people, anguished by the sunshine, hungry, afraid, lonely, dying.

Centuries ago on black Calvary hill, Jesus of Nazareth demonstrated perfect love. Down through the ages, His life and teachings have pointed the way for mankind to heal the ills of the world.

So, in this Lenten season let us offer ourselves—our time and talents—to the service of His Church, in its task of making His kingdom come upon earth.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	II Chronicles	7	11-18
Monday	Mark	11	11-19
Tuesday	Luke	4	16-21
Wednesday	Romans	8	12-25
Thursday	Romans	12	11-21
Friday	I Peter	4	12-19
Saturday	Revelation	22	1-7



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Dear friends,

Many families provide in advance for cemetery or mausoleum arrangements. In such case you need only notify your funeral director of your plans and he will secure the necessary burial permit. If no plot is owned, the funeral director can arrange a visit to the cemetery of your choice and the purchase of cemetery property.

Respectfully,

H. B. Willford, Jr.

NOTICE! MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION AND REVIEW

The Board of County Commissioners of Chowan County will meet as the Board of Equalization and Review in the Tax Supervisor's Office, Hotel Joseph Hewes Building, Monday, April 1, at 2 o'clock P. M., to hear any complaints. The Board will adjourn from day to day until this work is completed.

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