

Hillsborough Observer

... of people and events
in and around the county seat

Said 87 year-old widower Asa Crabtree of Hillsboro, "What I need is a mild-mannered widow with plenty of money."

Camp New Hope has received a gift of \$4,700 from a friend in Sanford. Local people involved in the camp are business manager John Latta, board member Ed Barnes, treasurer Bob Strayhorn, and program director the Rev. Mr. Tippens.

The Orange Industrial Development Corporation had a short meeting in the Agriculture Building Friday afternoon. President R. B. Fitch presided.

Congratulations to the Board of Education for ignoring petty party politics by requesting the Legislature to provide for board members to be elected by popular vote. Present system is for them to be appointed by the Legislature, which means that Republicans don't have a chance to be members.

The Historical Society Directors had a meeting Friday night but made no change in their opposition to the I-85 access. Interesting information—last Friday, eleven days after word from Highway Department that the road was out, a family on the north side of the Eno River received a check in payment for right-of-way.

When we drove through Caldwell recently, it hit us with a jolt that the school had closed down forever. It had a good principal and good teachers, and although the pupils may be better off at Aycock and Cameron Park, it still made us feel a little sad. We remember that the PTA brought Boy Scouting to Caldwell, and we were delighted to read in the News last week that the Little River Presbyterian Church had decided to sponsor a troop. Caldwell is a fine community of wonderful people who work together.

You can squash the story about one of the local eateries serving a young negro man a hamburger and soft drink and then calling the Sheriff because he would not pay the four dollar check. It just aint so!

Philosophy of the Week: It is no fun to walk unless you can afford to ride.

Be seeing you,
J. C.



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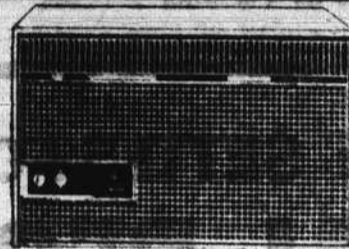
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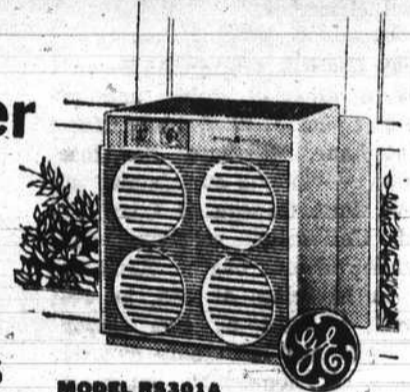
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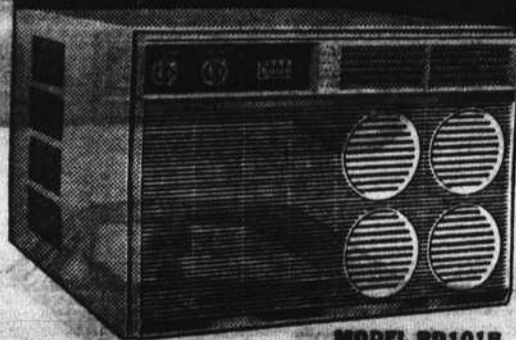
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