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On July 17, 1902, Willis Carrier invented the first air conditioner.

Industrial Carrier's "Apparatus for Treating Air" cooled air in a New York printing company to keep paper from wrinkling and ink aligned.

Residential 1914 - Charles Gates installed the first residential unit in his Minneapolis mansion. It was approximately 7 feet high, 6 feet wide and 20 feet long.

Window 1931 - H.H. Schultz and J.Q. Sherman invented an air conditioner that sits on a window ledge.

Mobile 1939 - Packard invented the first air conditioned car.

Sources: energy.gov, www.popularmechanics.com

The greatest contribution to civilization in this century may well be air-conditioning - and America leads the way."

S.F. Markham, British scholar/politician, 1897-1975

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