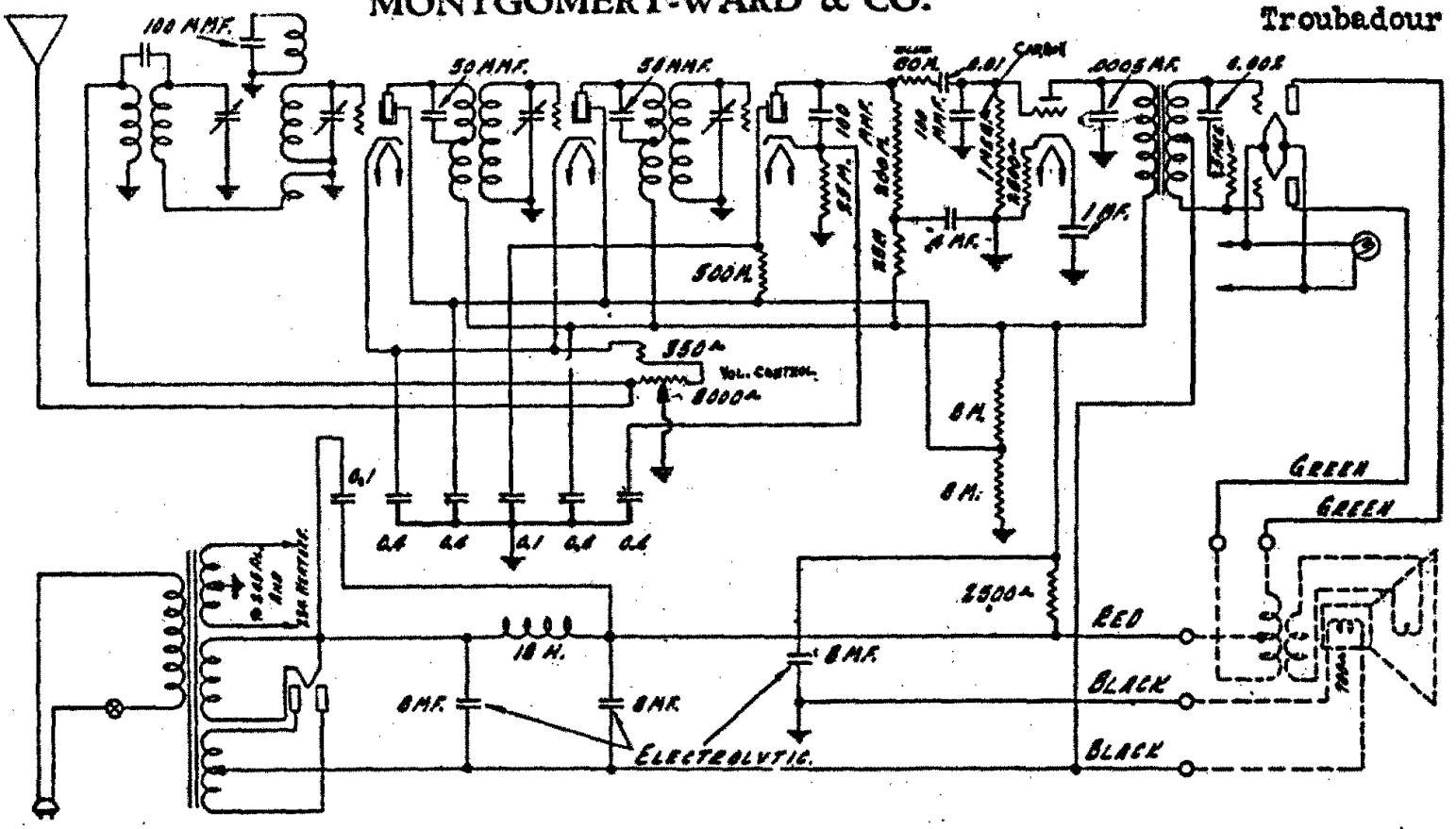
MODEL 62-030
62-232
Troubadour

MONTGOMERY-WARD & CO.



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The model 32 W chassis used in the Troubadour and Lafayette is similar in many respects to the Commander, Cavalier, Coronado and Cortez. The special differential features of this chassis are the band pass filter and the radio frequency transformers.

A band pass filter is used in the antenna input stage, and consists of two separate tuned circuits which are inductively coupled. The advantages of this filter are an increase in selectivity; elimination of cross talk and improved tone. Incorporated in the filter is a special coil and condenser, which is inductively coupled to the grid coil of the first tube, tending to give this stage a constant gain over the entire frequency band.

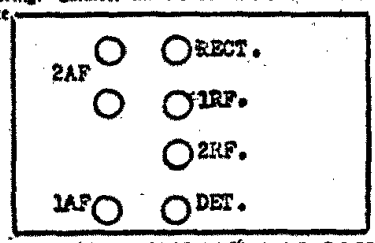
Another feature of this set is the tuned radio frequency coils which have two separate primary windings, so connected as to give equal gain throughout the broadcast band. A screen grid power detector is used, giving the advantages of sensitivity with very good overload characteristics. The over-all fidelity response characteristics are especially good, due to the resistance coupling used in the first stage of audio, and the 245 tubes in push pull in the last stage. Sensitivity in this chassis averages 4 Microvolts per meter.

R.F. Coils

The antenna input transformer is of the high impedance type, and is both inductively and capacitively coupled. The primary winding is on a small bobbin inside the coil form wound concentric with the secondary, allowing inductive coupling. The capacity coupling is obtained by an extra turn of wire connected to the primary and wound on the coil alongside one end of the secondary winding. This antenna coil is coupled to the grid coil of the first tube through three turns of wire wound on the low potential end of the grid coil. Inside of the grid coil is a small bobbin coil shunted by a 100 mmfd. condenser, and being in inductive relation to the grid coil. This small coil with condenser in shunt is tuned to the lower frequency The 100 mmfd. condenser is a small condenser without any color marking to distinguish it from the 50 M.M.F condensers with the yellow dot which are used in the other stages of the radio frequency. The primaries of the radio frequency coils proper, are made up of two parts; the inside primary is wound on a bobbin which is inside the coil form, and is shunted with a 50 M.M.F. condenser. The outside primary is wound on the coil form over the secondary winding and is separated by an insulated strip, the two primaries being connected in series. The energy transfer of the inside tuned primary decreases with increase in frequency—the energy transfer of the outside primary increases with increase in frequency resulting in a net gain that is practically uniform over the broadcast band. Any trouble in the R.F. coils of this receiver will be noted by the lack of sensitivity at either the high or low wave part of the dial.

Twenty-Five Cycle Chassis

A twenty-five cycle power transformer and an additional .45 M.F.D. condenser are used in this chassis. In converting a sixty cycle chassis to twenty-five cycle, first remove the .1 M.F.D. condenser across the filter choke and connect it across the .1 M.F.D. screen condenser. This provides additional filtering. Connect the .45 M.F.D. condenser across the filter choke.



NO. 32 W CHASSIS—VOLTAGES AT SOCKETS—VOLUME CONTROL AT MAXIMUM—LINE VOLTAGE, 115—PLUG IN SOCKET OF RECEIVER—TUBE IN TEST SET

Type of Tube	Position of Tube	Function	"A" Volts	"B" Volts	Control Grid "C" Volts	Screen Volts	Screen Current MA	Cathode Volts	Plate MA	Grid Test MA
224	1	1st Radio	2.3	198	3.	88	.9	3.	3.5	6.
224	2	2nd Radio	2.3	198	.3	88	.9	3.	3.5	6.
224	3	Detector	2.3	150	6.	40*	.1	6.	.25	.4
227	4	1st Audio	2.3	180	12.5			12.5	3.	6.1
245	5	2nd Audio	2.4	255	55.				26.	31.
245	6	2nd Audio	2.4	255	55.				26.	31.
280	7	Rectifier	5.						36. Per Plate	

*Calculated value—cannot be read on ordinary Voltmeter.