Subject: montgomery ward airline mod#GMJ-2024 Posted by brian on Sat, 04 Dec 2004 16:25:03 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

i recently picked up this vintage console stereo and i want to know more about it but i could not find any info online. any help would be appreciated.

Subject: Re: montgomery ward airline mod#GMJ-2024 Posted by Wayne Parham on Sat, 04 Dec 2004 19:34:12 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Does it work?

Subject: Re: montgomery ward airline mod#GMJ-2024 Posted by brian on Sat, 04 Dec 2004 22:15:16 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

yes it works fine. actually i was pretty blown away at how good it sounds, the tone of this thing is comparable to my component stereo.

Subject: Re: montgomery ward airline mod#GMJ-2024 Posted by Wayne Parham on Sat, 04 Dec 2004 22:38:45 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

That's really cool. Can you post a picture?I've found that Montgomery Ward "Airline" brand information is really hard to find. The main reason is that Montgomery Ward branded equipment manufactured by a variety of factories, sometimes even changing things within a model year. I have a couple Airline radios, and one is an old shortwave model that I'm particularly proud of. To obtain a schematic required a good deal of research, and even then, I was pretty much limited to reverse engineering. But they're pretty solid designs, so once they're working, it's pretty much a matter of keeping them clean and dry and replacing tubes and capacitors when needed, which usually isn't for decades. Tubes maybe a little more often, but you'd be surprized how long they last.