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Network Installer 1.3.2: README Clarifications (6/93)

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TOPIC -----

Can you tell me about the improvements mentioned in RTMP for EtherTalk 2.5.2 and AppleTalk 58.0.2 in the Network Installer 1.3.2 README file? It says there were improvements made to the Address mapping table.

It also says the Network Control Panel 3.0.1 now updates itself properly after switching to Shiva Dialin Access. What does this mean, and what changes were made?

DISCUSSION -----

The improvements weren't really to RTMP. There was a change in the way the AARP cache is populated. The change that Apple made to the AARP cache was to cache AARP data from no more than 10 different routers (RTMP packets). There was a situation where over 100 routers on a single cable was filling up the AARP cache which was causing some unnecessary AARP traffic on the network.

The issue regarding the Shiva Dial-in Access product was a cosmetic problem reported by Shiva. The v58 Network CDEV didn't fully redraw itself when the Shiva Dial-in ADEV's Configuration dialog went away. The configuration dialog appears over a greater area of the screen than does the normal Network CDEV alerts. When the Dial-in dialog goes away, the bottom line of the rectangle, enclosing the icon's, did not get fully redrawn. Copyright 1993, Apple Computer, Inc.

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