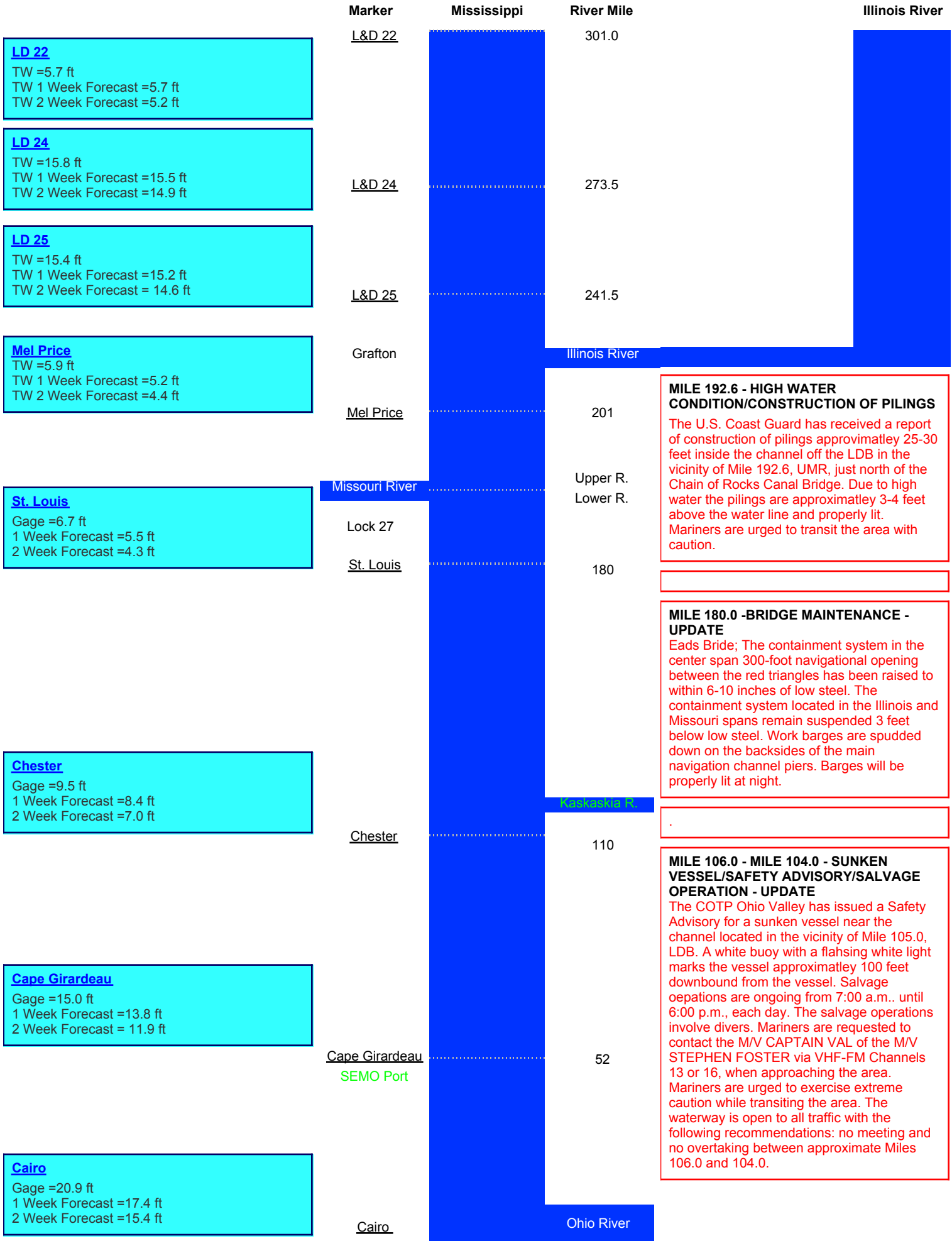




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LD 22
TW =5.7 ft
TW 1 Week Forecast =5.7 ft
TW 2 Week Forecast =5.2 ft

LD 24
TW =15.8 ft
TW 1 Week Forecast =15.5 ft
TW 2 Week Forecast =14.9 ft

LD 25
TW =15.4 ft
TW 1 Week Forecast =15.2 ft
TW 2 Week Forecast = 14.6 ft

Mel Price
TW =5.9 ft
TW 1 Week Forecast =5.2 ft
TW 2 Week Forecast =4.4 ft

St. Louis
Gage =6.7 ft
1 Week Forecast =5.5 ft
2 Week Forecast =4.3 ft

Chester
Gage =9.5 ft
1 Week Forecast =8.4 ft
2 Week Forecast =7.0 ft

Cape Girardeau
Gage =15.0 ft
1 Week Forecast =13.8 ft
2 Week Forecast = 11.9 ft

Cairo
Gage =20.9 ft
1 Week Forecast =17.4 ft
2 Week Forecast =15.4 ft

Dredge Status
Dredge Potter
- Potter will be at Mouth of Kaskaskia Lock RM 0.1; then heading to River Mile 103 next week..

Channel Marker Status
Be aware that there may be other buoys off station/missing than the ones mentioned in this report. Mariners should use caution.
The MV PATHFINDER will tentatively head south next week.

Additional Risks / Concerns
Navigation Notices
Local Notice to Mariners

Current Weather
Highs in the low 40s to high 30s and lows in the lower 10s to lower 30s; with five day forecast being mostly partly sunny/cloudy. P.M. snow showers Saturday and A.M. snow showers Sunday.
[Hannibal, MO](#)
[St. Louis, MO](#)
[Cape Girardeau, MO](#)
[Cairo, IL](#)

Web Information
For additional info about New River Training Structures, see the link below:
<http://www.mvs.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/Construction.aspx>
For the most recent channel patrol and dredge surveys, see the link below:
<http://www.mvs.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/Surveys/Dredge.aspx>
The new electronic Navigation charts for the Upper Mississippi River are now available online for download or to order at the below link:
<http://www2.mvr.usace.army.mil/NIC2/mrcharts.cfm>

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MILE 192.6 - HIGH WATER CONDITION/CONSTRUCTION OF PILINGS
The U.S. Coast Guard has received a report of construction of pilings approximately 25-30 feet inside the channel off the LDB in the vicinity of Mile 192.6, UMR, just north of the Chain of Rocks Canal Bridge. Due to high water the pilings are approximately 3-4 feet above the water line and properly lit. Mariners are urged to transit the area with caution.

MILE 180.0 - BRIDGE MAINTENANCE - UPDATE
Eads Bridge; The containment system in the center span 300-foot navigational opening between the red triangles has been raised to within 6-10 inches of low steel. The containment system located in the Illinois and Missouri spans remain suspended 3 feet below low steel. Work barges are spudded down on the backsides of the main navigation channel piers. Barges will be properly lit at night.

MILE 106.0 - MILE 104.0 - SUNKEN VESSEL/SAFETY ADVISORY/SALVAGE OPERATION - UPDATE
The COTP Ohio Valley has issued a Safety Advisory for a sunken vessel near the channel located in the vicinity of Mile 105.0, LDB. A white buoy with a flashing white light marks the vessel approximately 100 feet downbound from the vessel. Salvage operations are ongoing from 7:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., each day. The salvage operations involve divers. Mariners are requested to contact the M/V CAPTAIN VAL of the M/V STEPHEN FOSTER via VHF-FM Channels 13 or 16, when approaching the area. Mariners are urged to exercise extreme caution while transiting the area. The waterway is open to all traffic with the following recommendations: no meeting and no overtaking between approximate Miles 106.0 and 104.0.

Key

◆	Anticipated Dredging Locations
★	Groundings
▲	Dredge Potter
▼	Dredge Goetz
▽	Dredge America
Red	Very Likely to be Problematic Within 4 Weeks
Yellow	Could be Problematic Within 4 Weeks
Green	Problem Resolved

Probable "Hot" Spots Within 4 Weeks / Upcoming Dredging Locations

River Mile	Estimated Problematic Date	Dredge ETA	Dredge Complete	Dredge
166.8	28+ Days	11/10/14	11/13/14	Dredge Potter
0.1 Kaskaskia	28+ Days	11/14/14	11/15/14	Dredge Potter
103	28+ Days	11/16/14	11/20/14	Dredge Potter
67.5	28+ Days	11/21/14	11/25/14	Dredge Potter
69.4	28+ Days	11/26/14	11/29/14	Dredge Potter

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