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We wish to extend our thanks for the many expressions of sympathy during our late bereavement.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Deer
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Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wheeler
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IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear daughter, Mrs. Maude Stephens Currin, who left us six years ago March 31.

She has gone to a far better home where there is no sorrow or tears. But we often think of the days gone by, when we were all together. The happy love we all enjoyed, how sweet the memory still—But death has left a vacant place the world can never fill.

Mother, Father, Sisters and Brothers.
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Hello Everybody!

"The Menace From the Swamp"

By FLOYD GIBBONS
Famous Headline Hunter

THIS is a yarn that starts with a hurricane, but the hurricane hasn't got much to do with it. It's really a yarn about a bird-dog named Joe, who gave up his life because, bird dog though he was, he wasn't above tackling something beside birds when the life of his mistress was in danger.

Frances McCormick of New York City tells this tale, and I'll bet there is a tear in her eye as she writes it. It starts out in September, 1926, the year of the big hurricane in Florida—the one that hasn't got much to do with our story. Frances and her husband had just arrived in Fort Myers, Fla., and were looking for a place to live. The boom was still going down there, and living quarters were scarce. The best they could find were some rooms over the garage of a wealthy retired physician.

The place was on a river bank, and there was a special reason why the McCormicks took it. The doctor who owned the place loved to hunt. So did Frances' husband. The doctor had dogs, and his kennels were a fine place to keep the McCormicks' dog, Joe. So the McCormicks moved in and settled down for the season.

What Frances Thought Was a Belt.

They weren't in their new home long when the hurricane struck. It did a lot of damage—but this isn't a story about the hurricane. All we have to mention is that it blew the roof off the garage building the McCormicks were living in—and it blew in something else, too, but we don't come to that until later in the story.

The McCormicks moved into the doctor's house while the garage was being fixed up. And this is where the dog, Joe, comes into the story.

It was one day shortly after the hurricane, and Frances was in the garage apartment, trying to get things a bit straightened out. The doctor and her husband had gone hunting, but they hadn't taken Joe along with them. Joe was downstairs on the lower floor. Frances went about her business, picking up things and putting them away, until she

Joe Saw the Snake and Started for It.

came upon what she thought was a belt lying on top of some curtain rods that had been stacked up in one corner of the living room.

Frances wasn't thinking much about what she was doing. Her mind was too full of what she had gone through during the storm. She reached out to pick up that belt—quick as a flash it uncoiled and fell to the floor. And there, lying at her feet was a DIAMOND-BACKED RATTLER!

The Rattler Had Her Cornered.

Frances gave one scream, as the snake coiled, ready to strike. She was in the corner with the snake in front of her, and she couldn't move without stepping over the reptile.

She was paralyzed with fright—and maybe it's a good thing she was. If she had made the slightest move, that snake would have struck. Even now it was just waiting for some sort of move before it made that lightning-like thrust with its head and buried its fangs in her.

And then, Frances heard soft feet pad-pudding rapidly up the stairs. Joe, the dog, had heard her scream and was coming up double time to see what was the matter. He cleared the head of the stairs with a bound, came leaping into the room, it didn't take him more than one glance to size up the situation. He saw the snake and started for it.

At the same time the snake saw Joe. Here, it realized, was something more dangerous than a human. It forgot about Frances and turned its attention to Joe. Head up—its wicked little eyes gleaming, it faced the dog and waited.

It didn't have to wait long. Joe lunged at it. Quick as lightning the rattler's head streaked out. Its ugly little tongue licked out from its mouth, but the fangs missed their mark. Joe jumped aside lightly and the murderous head snapped through the empty air.

Joe Saved Her but Lost His Life.

Again, Joe lunged—and this time the snake was ready for him. This time, Joe couldn't dodge that lashing head. It met him as he started forward—hit him right between the eyes. The fangs stung. Joe fell back. The snake started to glide away, but in an instant, Joe was on top of it. He grabbed it by the neck and broke its back with one quick snap. Then he fell to shaking it. But in between shakes, Frances says, he paused and looked up at his mistress with a pitiful look that seemed to say to her, "Well, I saved YOU anyway."

Joe was still shaking the snake when Frances heard the welcome sounds of her husband and the doctor coming home from their hunting trip. She called to them, and as they ran up the stairs she told them hysterically what had happened. The doctor turned right around and ran back to his own house for the serum which doctors always keep handy in that snake-ridden country. He was back in two minutes—but by that time poor little Joe's head was swollen to almost twice its normal size. He had stopped shaking the snake now. Instead, he was lying on the floor, whimpering like a puppy.

The doctor gave Joe a shot of the serum, but Joe's head kept on swelling. All night long Frances and her husband sat up with the poor dog, nursing him and bathing his head. But in the morning—just at dawn—Joe died.

Frances says that if she'd lost a child, she couldn't have felt worse—and I can believe her. And on the grounds back of the doctor's house, between the garage and the river, there is a white marble marker marking a tiny grave—the grave of Joe the Dog, who gave his life for his mistress.

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The First Trip

"Did you meet any interesting people on your ocean trip?"

"Oh, yes, the first day out the captain of the boat asked me to have dinner with him, but something came up and I didn't feel like going."

Wife—I have a surprise for you, dear; there soon will be another in our family.

Hubby—My angel. Are you sure.

Wife—Yes, I just got a wire from mother that she's coming to live with us next week.

A minister who had just been called to a new pulpit made this announcement: "Dearly beloved, I was most unfortunate in losing the manuscript of my sermon for this morning so I shall have to trust to Providence for inspiration. Tonight I will come better prepared."

Protection

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325,000 NEEDLES

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