8th Grade Grammar Maintenance Sheet # 27

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**Underline the pronoun that completes each sentence correctly.**

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| **1** | **Florence and Samuel Baker explored Africa; Florence and (he, him) were determined to find the source of the Nile River.** |
| **2** | **Samuel and (her, she) set out on their journey in 1862.** |
| **3** | **For the first 1,000 miles, nothing but desert was visible to Samuel and (she, her).** |
| **4** | **Then a new problem confronted Florence and (he, him) – the swamp called the Sudd.**  |
| **5** | **The group facing the challenge was Samuel, some helpers, and (her, she).** |

8th Grade Grammar Maintenance Sheet # 28

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Decide if the pronouns in each sentence are used correctly. If the sentence has an error, rewrite it below. If the sentence is written correctly, write CORRECT.**

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| **1** | **The Bakers, in spite of this setback, never lost sight of its goal.** |
| **2** | **Once, Samuel, trying to make a deal with a king in Africa, unknowingly agreed to exchange their wife for a guide.** |
| **3** | **Florence, although sick along the way, often rescued its husband from danger.** |
| **4** | **The canoe, while moving down the river, almost lost all its contents when a hippopotamus attacked.**  |
| **5** | **The Bakers, desperate with hunger, sometimes ate crocodile meat as its supper.**  |