

Write your answer to Section B here:

- (*) From the extract we learn that Slim, is a very friendly guy, yet also very gentle. "He said gently", shows us that he's a nice fella and isn't looking for trouble. Slim seems to be a very friendly man who invites confidence in a conversation with out even saying much. "His tone was friendly. It invited confidence with out demanding it", suggests that he's trustworthy. He likes to know what people tell him, but also knows more than he should, "His ear heard more than what was said to him." Goes to show that he must know the ranch and the men on the ranch well.
- Slim ~~was~~ has an ageless face, large and lean hands which were delicate.
- "His hatchet face was ageless... His hands, large and lean, were as delicate

(Section B continued) in their action as those of a
temple dancer."

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(B) The relationship between George and Lennie, seem to be very strong. George compliments Lennie, also knows his strengths and weaknesses.

"I ain't nothing to scream about, but this big bastard there can put up more grain alone than most pairs can." George tells Slim.

Complimenting Lennie for some thing he can do, never the less knows he's good at.

"Lennie... Smiled complacently at the comment.", Lennie, knows George complimented him and smiles as a way of saying thank you.

"We kinda look after each other" George tells Slim, which shows that they look out for each other, in relation to being so close to each other, also know each other a long time. "He ain't bright. Hell of a good worker, though. Hell of a nice fella, but he ain't bright. I've knew him for a long time.", Goes to show that George does know his strengths and weaknesses and that they are going to stick together.

(Section B continued) George and Lennie show their good friendship, when Lennie, accidently kills Currys wife. The men from the ranch are after him so George takes him well away from the ranch and peacefully kills his good friend so he doesn't have to witness pain. George kills him for a good reason, so its him killing his friend not enemies. On the ranch its unusual to have good ~~friends~~ friendship as the guys travel seperately and don't know who to trust. Lennie & George are the first known guys to travel together. They stay friends throughout the novel despite what bad Lennie does, because George knows he's not all there.

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