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VALLEY MIGRANT LEAGUE.

OUR FRIENDS FROM TEXAS

Will our friends from Texas come
again this year?

We hope so.

I want to tell you about them.

My husband and I are growers.
We grow beans. Each summer we
employ many workers.

We have a camp. There are
twenty houses in the camp.

Our camp has hot and cold
shower baths. We have washing
machines ready to use. We collect
the garbage each day and we keep
the toilets clean.

Most of the people who live in
our camps come back. They be-
come our friends. That is why we
are expecting this certain family
from Texas.

They come every year.

They are a family of five: the
father, the mother, two sons and a
daughter. They are good pickers.
Last year they earned \$900 picking
beans.

They are good campers. They
find their cottage clean and they
leave it clean.

They appreciate us and we ap-
preciate them.

The first year they came, we did
not know them. Now they are our
friends for life.

How did they become our
friends? It is not easy to say. Friend-
ships grow very naturally when
people have respect for each other.

We hope that this family from
Texas will be happy in our camp
again this year.

(Written from the conversation
of a grower.)

Clases para Futuros papás

Are you expecting a baby in
your family soon? Do you want to
know more about how a baby is
born and how to take care of it?

There will be an expectant par-
ents' class Monday evening at the
Opportunity Center in Woodburn
at 7 p.m.

A county health nurse will be
there. She will talk about how a
baby grows and how a baby is
born. She will talk about other
things mothers and fathers want to
know and she will answer any of
your questions. During the meet-
ing she will show slides and give
demonstrations with charts. There
will also be free booklets for you
to take home.

There will be classes on July 26
and August 2. If you are expect-
ing a baby soon in your family it
is important for you to come to
these meetings. You will learn
many things that will help you to
raise your baby well and healthy.

Está Ud. esperando un bebé en su
familia pronto? ¿Quiere Ud. saber
más acerca de cómo un bebé nace
y cómo cuidarlo?

Habrà una clase para futuros
papás el lunes entrante en el Centro

Free T. B. tests offered to Woodburn children

On Monday, July 26, the child-
ren from the Woodburn School and
the children from the Day Care
Center can have free T.B. skin
tests. The tests will be given by
the county health nurse. The tests
will be given in the school.

For children to get these tests
they must have a paper signed by
their parents. You can get these
papers at the Woodburn School.
When you ask for the papers to
sign you will also be given more
information about these tests.

There is no danger in taking this
test. It doesn't hurt. But if they
don't take this test there is a dan-
ger. They might get T.B. Then they
will be very sick. So be sure and
see that your children get the test
on July 26.

de Oportunidad de Woodburn a
las 7 p.m.

Una enfermera del centro de
salud estará allí. Ella hablará a-
cerca del desarrollo de un bebé y
de su nacimiento. Ella hablará de
otras cosas que todos los padres
quieren saber y responderá a cual-
quier pregunta que usted haga.
Durante la reunión ella mostrará

El lunes, 26 de julio, los niños
de la escuela de Woodburn y los
del "Day Care Center" tendrán
pruebas contra tuberculosis. Será
un servicio gratis. Estas pruebas
serán dadas por una enfermera del
centro de salud. Serán en la es-
cuela.

Los niños que van a tener estas
pruebas deberán presentar un papel
firmado por sus padres. Ud. puede
conseguir estos papeles en la es-
cuela de Woodburn. Cuando usted
pregunte por los papeles para fir-
mar también se le dará más in-
formación acerca de estas pruebas.

No hay ningún peligro al tomar
esta prueba. No duele. Pero si no
traen los niños para que se la pon-
gan, si hay peligro. Ellos podrán
tener tuberculosis, entonces se en-
fermarán. Por lo tanto no olvide
traer sus niños el 26 de julio.

"slides" y dará demostraciones con
cuadros. También habrá folletos
para que Ud. lleve a la casa.

Habrà clases el 26 de julio y el
2 de agosto. Si Ud. está esperando
un bebé en su familia es importante
que asista a estas reuniones. Podrá
aprender muchas cosas que le a-
yudarán a criar su bebé bien y
saludable.

Day of work in Green Villa

Last Saturday 15 volunteers went
to work on the community center
being re-built in Green Villa camp.
The volunteers were members of
the American Friends Service Com-
mittee. They arrived Friday for a
full weekend of work and learning.

They met at Greenwood School
on Friday evening to organize for
a full day's work on Saturday. They
slept that night in the Greenwood
School.

On Saturday they worked all day
on the community building. Some
did carpentry work. Some painted.
Others cleaned up. By the end of
the day the building looked much
better.

Other people also helped on this
project. Jake Landers of Hanna and
Young Ranch loaned many tools for
the volunteers to use. Ron Kirk of
Mitoma Farms also loaned some
tools.

The biggest part of the work day
was repainting the building. It was
spray-painted with equipment do-
nated by Mr. Landers. The paint
was donated by David Kennedy,
one of the owners of Green Villa
Farms.

Much progress has been recently
made in Green Villa. Only a few
weeks ago this building was noth-
ing but an old abandoned restau-
rant, now it is almost finished be-
ing converted into a very useful
community center.

Día de trabajo en Green Villa

El sábado pasado quince volun-
tarios fueron a trabajar en el centro
de comunidad en el campo de
Green Villa. Estos voluntarios son
miembros de "American Friends
Service Committee." Ellos llegaron
el viernes para empezar un fin de
semana de trabajo y aprendizaje.

Se reunieron en la escuela de
Greenwood el viernes por la tarde
para organizar un día completo de
trabajo. Durmieron esa noche en
la escuela de Greenwood.

El sábado ellos trabajaron todo
el día en el centro de comunidad.
Algunos hicieron trabajo de car-
pintería. Unos pintaron y otros lim-
piaron el salón. Al atardecer el
centro parecía mejor.

Otras personas también ayu-
daron en este proyecto. El Sr. Jake
Landers, de Hanna and Young's
Ranch, prestó muchas herramientas
para que los voluntarios usaran.
Ron Kirk de Mitoma Farms también
prestó algunas.

El mayor trabajo del día fue la
pintada del edificio. El equipo de
"spray paint" fue donado por Jake
Landers. El Sr. David Kennedy, uno
de los dueños de Green Villa Farms,
dió la pintura.

Green Villa ha progresado mucho
últimamente. Hace solamente unas
pocas semanas este centro no era
más que un restaurante viejo y
abandonado y ahora que está casi
terminado será convertido en un
centro de comunidad de mucha
utilidad.

