



Chemawa 7, Gervais 1, was the result of our game at Gervais last Thursday afternoon. Roy Meachem, our catcher, pounded out a home run with almost the first ball pitched. It was a big day for Roy. Out of six times at bat he made four hits and three runs, as well as catching a good game. Charles McKay made three hits out of five times at bat, which would seem to prove that he had regained his batting eye. Uriah Alexander and Leonard Vivette, our heavy hitters, fell a little below par against Schwab, the Gervais southpaw, and were held to a single hit apiece. Though our boys collected a total of fourteen hits they were found wanting in the pinches. Twice the bases were loaded and another time two men were on and the batter fanned out. In all, eleven runners were left to die on bases. The hitters were just a little too anxious and instead of being satisfied with a single they tried to knock the cover off the ball. A strike-out is nearly always the result.

Joe Alexander pitched another good game. He allowed but three hits and struck out twelve men. Schwab was found for fourteen hits and struck out three batters. The team has come along at a rapid rate in the last couple of games. Though they were charged with five errors, they made few mistakes and gave Joe good support, especially in the outfield, where Leonard Vivette, Marcus Simmons and Charles McKay accepted ten chances and made but a single error.

Dowd Franklin, our short-stop, has had considerable trouble up to now scraping up hits, but he connected for two sound ones against Gervais and each one just at the right time. He worked pretty hard for them as he did not have such a good afternoon around the short patch.

Jesse Prettyman and Harry Archambeau, first and third basemen respectively, are developing into team assets. At the beginning of the season they felt out of place both in the field and at bat. Against Gervais they made some pretty stops as well as being able to connect for hits.

Yesterday the team played at Woodburn. On Friday Gervais will come here for a return game, which will be played at three-thirty.

In an interesting game last week the juniors defeated the sophomores 5 to 2.

Our distance relay team lost a close one at Vancouver last Saturday. George Little Light gave the team a nice lead that Albert Miller was able to maintain

and William Brown increased, but the rub came in the half-mile when Frank Dumont faced the cream of the event and was nosed out for the lack of a sprint. It was an especially exciting event and evenly run.

KEEP INFORMED

Good citizenship makes many demands upon those who compose the population of a country. Good morals, good intention, and a kind and sympathetic nature are all very well, but something more is required in the making of an ideal citizen. Loyalty to country is of the utmost importance, but loyalty, fine and commendable as it is, does not suffice wholly.

The best citizens will serve their country wholeheartedly in a time of need, but through lack of information regarding the needs of the country they may be ill-fitted to render efficient service, even though their hearts are loyal and their courage undoubted. To be truly commendable in an efficient sense as a citizen it is necessary to be well-informed regarding those matters, domestic and foreign, which may effect the welfare of the country. It is necessary to watch current events with care, casting out any prejudice when weighing problems; striving only to see what is right, what is the truth, in the matter, for that will be best for all the people of the nation all the time. The truth is always right, and right is always best—can we but locate the exact truth! Good citizenship demands of us that we make an effort to find the truth in matters important to the nation.

Many of our readers are voters today and the future promises the ballot to many more; to those of our young readers who are some day to vote we ask in all seriousness that they give due and impartial consideration, when the time comes, to those questions upon which they are to ballot. By voting ignorantly one may do irreparable injury to a just cause. The good intention of those ignorant or ill-informed will not compensate for the harm they may do by voting on matters which they do not understand—possibly at the dictation of some-one of sinister motives. Can you not see the necessity of keeping well-informed on the questions of the day?

ESCORTS

Sat. Apr. 26—To Salem	- - - -	Mr. Carl Turner
Sun. Apr. 27—McBride	- - - -	Mr. Larsen
		Mrs. Bent
Winona	- - - -	Mrs. Turney
		Mr. L. Carrow
Hawley	- - - -	Mr. Downie
		Mrs. Downie