

SPORTS

Name the team and see the fun free.

The Portland "Sailors" seem to be encountering rough seas.

The Green Park baseball team invaded Freewater last Sunday and trounced the locals to the tune of 9 to 3.

Farmer Lorimer will soon have to start weeding out in his outfield. To date he has about four applicants for each available job.

The Portland fans are contented with the fact that although the "Sailors" continue to lose games, their percentage column doesn't show any decrease.

The Milton "Cubs" are showing mid-season form. In the game at Milton Sunday they kalsomined the La Salle institute team from Walla Walla, by a score of 8 to 0.

It is stated upon good authority that H. M. Turner is holding out for an increase in salary, unless he and the groceryman are furnished with something to root about at once. 'Tis a desperate case.

Pendleton will be strong behind the bat this season. With Conrad, formerly with the Kelso team in the Tri-City league as the mainstay and Trace Baker as change catcher, home will be well protected.

Wright of Vancouver, in the Northwest league, and Parks, from the Colfax team in the Trolley league, have applied for berths in the Lorimer family of error producers. Look like we were on the map.

Spokane succeeded in hanging the sign on the Whitman Missionaries with a 1 to 0 score, after a fast, clean game. Manager Lorimer's "Sprouts" will have to absorb class in order to have a look-in in the coming game with the Apostles.

Manager Lorimer is expecting a couple of players from Wardner, Idaho, also one from Baker City and one from La Grande, to arrive shortly and endeavor to convince him that they are fast enough to have their names on the roster roll of the local batting order.

It looks like Conrad, King, Alexander, Shockley and Means for the Pendleton infield. They are showing up strong and seem to please the fans. Pendleton is negotiating with a pitcher named Anderson, from Iowa, who is said to be a "rim-dinger."

Henry La Brashe, who used to play with the Athena team in the kindergarten days, when the score was usually written with from six to eight figures, and the games were called at dark, but has been touted as a comer by his work the last couple of years, may be a member of the Pendleton team this year.

Wanted—A Name.

Manager Lorimer has offered a family season ticket to the fan who suggests the best name for the Pendleton team this season.

It's up to the bugs to get busy. Think up the best combination of words that will serve to strike terror to the opposing teams and send in your answer.

All answers must be in by April 15. Write your name and the name you propose for the team, plainly, and mail to Box "S" East Oregonian office.

Grounds in Fine Condition.

Several men with teams have been busy during the week leveling off the bumps and kopjes on the Alta street grounds, after which the county road roller was brought into action, with the result that the grounds now resemble a huge dance floor.

The Pendleton Baseball trust realized that to play fast ball the Sprouts must have a fast diamond, and the grounds have been put in better condition than ever before.

Good Games Promised.

Manager Lorimer of the Pendleton baseball team, has succeeded in hooking some exceedingly fast teams to try conclusions with his Sprouts on the local grounds this season.

On April 21, Pendleton plays the crack Whitman varsity team on the Alta street grounds, April 26 we mix it with Walla Walla at Meador park near the latter city. May 3 Walla Walla comes here, May 9 the fast Washington state college team from Pullman will show their faces for the first time on our home grounds and on May 10 we go against the speedy aggregation of ball jugglers from Portland known as the Portland Grays.

The local baseball bugs are assured of seeing many different teams, some of which are as fast as ever romped the Matlock grounds and are promised classy ball with a chance to root.

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