Besides the conventional mesons and baryons, QCD allows the possibility of exotic hadrons that contain extra quark-antiquark pair, yielding multiquark hadrons such as tetraquarks and pentaquarks. We study these multiquark states in the light quark sector using overlap fermions. We do not observe any bound pentaquark state in both parity channels for either I = 0 or I = 1. The states we found are consistent with KN scattering states which are checked to exhibit the expected volume dependence of the spectral weight. However, for a tetraquark state with two pion operator, besides usual two particle scattering states we observe another one-particle state around 600 MeV, which could be $\sigma(600)^{++}$. Nature of the observed states are again determined by the volume dependence of their spectral weights.