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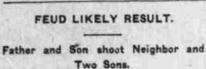
THE MORNING ASTORIAN, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1904.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MEN LEAVE THE FACTORY

Labor Troubles In Stockton Culminate In Big Strike--- Employer Tries to Break Union.

Stockton, Cal., March 8 .- Labor filled by nonunion men. Other trades troubles which have been brewing in employed at Holt's did not strike. this city for several months past cul- Strong efforts were made by the Merminated this morning in a strike of all chant's and Manufacturers' Associatrades employed in Holt's big combined tion and the Federated Trades to adharvester and traction engine factories just the difficulty, and Holt finally here. In all about 150 men walked out, agreed to do away with the agreement leaving less than half a dozen work- which had caused the trouble, but inmen in the the shops. The plant is com- sisted on his right to run an open shop. pletely tied up. The probability is that The unions gave way on all their dethe trouble will extend to other in- mads except that Holt was to give preference to the lockedout blacksmiths dustries here.

Some five months ago Holt demanded when hiring a new crew for his shop. that all his employes sign an agree-He refused to do so. Last night the union men of this city held a big mass ment not to belong to any organization that was detrimental to his interests meeting and decided to call out all unand not to strike or declare any boy- ion men at Holt's this morning. It was done cott within a year. His blacksmiths, arranged that each union man working who refused to sign the agreement, in the city was to be assessed 50 cents were locked out. Their places were a week, to go to the strike fund.



Vaiden, Miss., March 8 .- In a fight between Aaron Stewart and son, on one side, and W., W. Hill and two sons on the other, the Stewarts have shot and killed W. W. Hill and his son, John .Hill, and seriously wounded Hunter Hill. The weapons used were pistols. The difficulty arose in a dispute over a boundary line. The parties were neighbors living about 12 miles west of here.

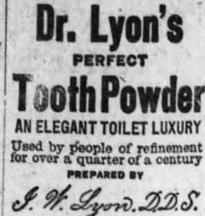
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