



LLANELLI RIOTS

This power point
contains lots of
information on
The Llanelli Riots

Information for Llanelli

One hundred years ago, on 17th August 1911 the first ever national railway strike began in the town of Llanelli. The causes were many, including a 70 hour working week and they had to do overtime whenever they were asked to.

The 1911 railway riots

It was Saturday, August 19th, 1911, the third day of the national railway strike. There were 370 soldiers in the town who made sure that trains that drove by got through.



Huw Edwards



Huw Edwards,
a Llanelli man
says this event
changed
Llanelli's
history