LLANELLI RIOTS 1911

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Different pictures and information on the riots!







It was Saturday, August 19th, 1911, the third day of the national railway strike. There were 370 soldiers in the town who ensured that trains driven by blacklegs got through. If you are wondering what blacklegs are they are people who were supposed to go on strike but went against it.

This is the main event that took place!

The main event took place in a back garden where an innocent man got shot, also a man was shaving in the kitchen he also sadly got shot as well even though they both were innocent but both got killed by the army.

The After Shock

(after the men got shot)

After the two innocent men got shot an after shock appeared and that was the train blowing up where the strikers had hit it so many times that it blew up. Several strikers died in this particular bit of this event, some were severely hurt.

This is a picture of the train

