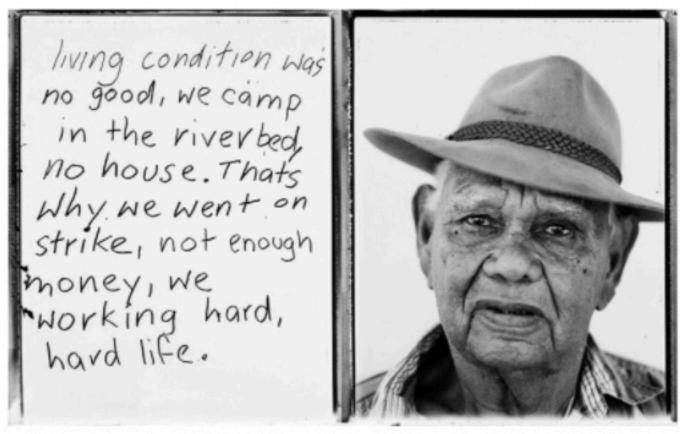
## 75 years since the Pilbara strike

## 1 May 1946



https://youtu.be/1CM5SyPsdRE https://www.pilbarastrike.org/



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The Pilbara strike of 1946-49 is one of the most dramatic moments in Australia's indigenous history.

Aboriginal people not only defied the owners of pastoral stations in North-West Western Australia by demanding better wages and conditions, but also sought to win independence from their colonial masters. In its aftermath, Aboriginal people acquired considerable freedom and autonomy through co-operative mining and other ventures.

The story of this struggle inspired the campaign for Aboriginal rights throughout Australia.

## Further reading

Different White People (Book) https:// www.google.com.au/books/edition/ Different\_White\_People/masVjp-IEfkC?hl=en https://www.abc.net.au/news/ 2015-08-31/don-mcleod-different-whitepeople-and-the-pilbara-strike/6737248