

**GANDHIJI AND
NON-VIOLENT
STRUGGLE FOR
INDEPENDENCE**

TIMELINE

	-3000 BCE	-2500 BCE	-2000 BCE	-1500 BCE	-1000 BCE	-500 BCE	0 CE	500 CE	1000 CE	1500 CE	2000 CE
	5000 ya	4500 ya	4000 ya	3500 ya	3000 ya	2500 ya	2000 ya	1500 ya	1000 ya	500 ya	now
India	Indus Valley Civilization			Gangetic Valley Vedic Civilization			Jainism/ Buddhism Mouryas	Satavahans/ Sakas/ Hunas	Guptas/ Adi Sankara	Muslim Invasion	Mughals/ Marathas/ British/ Independent India
Mesopotamia	Mesopotamian						Parthian	Romans	Islamic		
Egypt	Egyptian					Greek	Byzantine		Islamic		
Europe		Greek				Greeks / Romans	Romans	Byzantine / Romans / Dark Ages		Renaissance / Colonization / Industrial Revolution / World Wars	
Persia		Ancient Persian				Persian			Islamic		
China			Ancient China			Imperial China					Ming, Qing, Communists
Americas		Mayan			Aztecs & Incas						Europeans

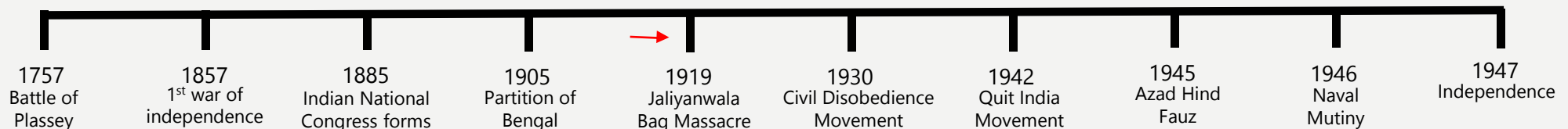
BRONZE AGE

IRON AGE



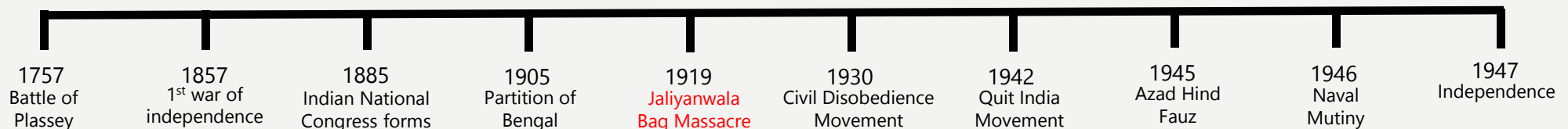
GANDHIJI'S ARRIVAL IN INDIA

- Gandhiji was called to India by Gokhale and reached India in 1915.
- Champaran Satyagraha (1917) – Indigo farmers
- Ahmedabad Satyagraha (1918) – Fast for mill workers – 35% increase in wages.
- Kheda Satyagraha (1918) – farmer's inability to pay taxes



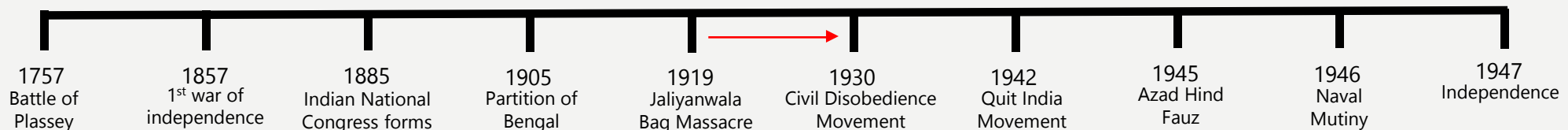
JALIYANWALA BAUG MASSACRE

- Rowlett Act
 - arrest without warrant.
 - Restriction on movement
 - Court trial in private
- Some prominent Congress leaders were arrested. (Kichlu & Satya Pal)
- Large but peaceful protestors were fired upon.
- About 1000 killed.



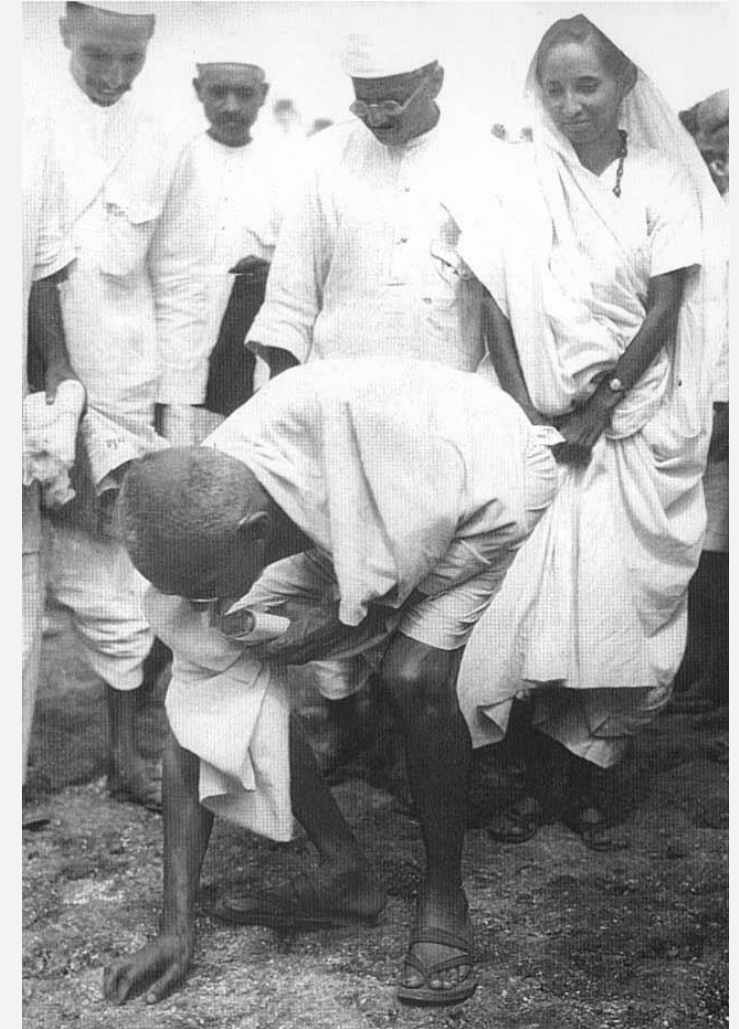
NON-COOPERATION MOVEMENT

- Started in 2020 to attain self-governance within British empire.
- To demand cancellation of Rowlatt Act
- Power to Sultan of Turkey.
- Programme
 - Boycott of schools, courts, goods, elections, titles etc.
 - Swadeshi program
 - Social topics such as unity, removal of untouchability etc.
- Charkhas started getting used for making your own cloth.
- Chauri Chaura incident.
- Gandhiji was arrested in 2022 and stayed in jail for 2 years.



CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE MOVEMENT

- In 1928, Congress demanded Dominion status (i.e. self-governance under British crown).
- In 1930, Gandhiji and Congress under Presidentship of Jawaharlal Nehru demanded *Poorna Swaraj*.
- Gandhiji started Dandi March.
- Civil Disobedience:
 - Salt laws
 - Boycott of liquor
 - Boycott of foreign clothes
 - Non payment of taxes
- Gandhiji and 90000 satyagrahis were arrested and released later.
- Negotiation & Round Table Conferences with separate electorates for different sections. (Gandhi-Irwin pact)
- Gandhiji arrested again in 1932 for 6 years.



QUIT INDIA MOVEMENT

- Elections in 1937 allowed Congress to form local governments.
- World war II started and Indian soldiers were send for War without getting Congress in confidence.
- Congress resigned in protest and Muslim League supported the govt in return for demanding partition of the country.
- Japan was on doorstep and in that time, Gandhiji started Quit India movement.
- Do or Die
- Government promptly arrested all leaders. 60000 people were arrested.

