

GANDHIAN MOVEMENTS AND MASS PARTICIPATION IN ASSAM

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ABSTRACT

In 1921 Gandhiji came to Assam on the invitation of middle-class Assamese and the movement spread towards the grass root. It was true that the charismatic character of Mahatma attracted Assamese to involve in national movement mentally Mahatma created a history in Dibrugarh. When Gandhiji fired the British clothes and things, whole Assam was flooded with the tide of anti-British movement. The agitation opened the path to Swaraj. The three movements- Non-Co-operation, Civil Dis-Obedience and lastly Quit India led by Gandhi made the Assamese revolt a real blow against the British. Common people including women and youth involved deeply in the Gandhian Movement. Student Sector also participated actively by agitation, picketing, boycotting foreign goods and with other organized programs.

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