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Source Evaluation Graphic Organizer

Name of selected figure who practiced civil disobedience:

	Questions for Evaluation	Notes on Source 1	Notes on Source 2	Notes on Source 3 (optional)
Source	• What is the source? • What type of source is it (news source/education source/government source/non-profit source/other)?			
Identify the author	• If it is an individual, do they have expertise or credentials related to the topic? • If it is an organization, does it have a reputation for producing reliable information?			

Evaluate the publication or website	● Is it a well-known and respected publication? ● Is the website professionally managed and maintained?			
Check for citations or references	● Does the article provide evidence to support its claims? ● Does it refer to other reputable sources?			
Assess the accuracy and reliability	● Does the source provide well-supported facts, statistics, or research? ● Are there any obvious inconsistencies or errors?			

Consider the date and relevance	● Is the information up-to-date and relevant to the research topic? ● Might there be more up-to-date information available?			
Look for bias or agenda	● What is the purpose of the article? Is it informing, persuading, entertaining, or selling something? ● Does the article present an objective viewpoint and consider alternative perspectives?			