The Revolution Of 1905

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The 1905 Russian Revolution was sparked off by a peaceful protest held on January 22nd. This protest may well have been the turning point in the relationship between workers and the Tsarist government. The uprising was led by a group of workers and peasants who marched to the Winter Palace in St Petersburg to petition the Tsar for political reform. The Tsarist troops opened fire on the peaceful procession, killing over 100 people. This event, known as Bloody Sunday, was a turning point in the Russian Revolution. The following days saw a series of protests and strikes across the country, leading to the establishment of a provisional government and the abolition of the Tsarist autocracy.

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In Russia, the revolution of 1905 begins when czarist troops open fire on a peaceful group of workers marching to the Winter Palace in St. Petersburg to petition Constitutional troops to fire on a peaceful procession of workers demonstrating in St. Petersburg, unleashing a storm