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Speakers on the occasion recalled the spirit of the

departed souls for fighting against all odds inorder to

protect the freedom of the

nation. the gathering today committed to sustain the spirit

of sacrifice for freedom and

Former Lok Sabha Speaker Somnath Chaterjee passes away

Agency Kolkata, Aug 13,

At the age of 89, Monday Morning Somnath Chatterjee, Former Lok Sabha Speaker passed away. Admitted in Private

Admitted in Private Hospital, Chatterjee takes his last breath at 8:15 am in the hospital. Doctor's gave their statement that the cause of his death was a cardiac arrest.

The Communist Party of India (Marxist) veteran was suffering from kidney ailment and was put on ventilator support on Saturday. He suffered a hemorrhagic stroke in July. Born on July 25, 1929,

Born on July 25, 1929, Chatterjee was a tentimeLok Sabha MP.

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Chief Minister and team paid floral tribute to martyrs at Hicham Yaicham Pat and Thangal General temple

## IT News Imphal, Aug 13,

Fitting tribute was paid today to the martyrs of the 1891 Anglo Manipuri war who laid down their lives fighting the mighty British troops for protection of the soceriegnty of the erstwhile nation. Chief Minister N. Biren Singh

Chief Minister N. Biren Singh and his council of Ministers along with top government official paid the fitting tribute at Hicham Yaicham pat, at the memorial site of Bir Tikendrajit. Later the Chief Minister and his colleagues along with the top government official paid the floral tribute at Thaneal General temple

at Thangal General temple Complex. Main observance function is being held at Bir Tikendrajit Park at BT road here in Imphal. At Hicham Yaicham Pat gun salute was paid as a mark of respect to the Martyrs by contingent of the 1<sup>st</sup> MR Manipur Rifles.

Among those present include all cabinet Ministers including



L. Jayentakumar, Th Bishwajit, Th Radheshyam, Th Shayamkumar and K Shyam among others. Almost all MLAs of the ruling BJP and its alliance and Rajya Sabha MP Bhavananda were seen paying tribute at Hicham Yaicham pat today morning. Manipur DGP, Chief Secretary and other top officials were also present and paid wreath to the memorials of Bir

 Tikendrajit.
 Similar tribute was paid at ThangalTemple located at Palace compound here in Imphal. Manipur University Community jointly observed Patriots day; paid fitting tribute to the martyrs

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Fitting tribute paid to martyrs of 1891 Anglo Manipuri War Hero on Patriot's Day

T News Imphal, Aug 13,

Even though the Manipur University Community comprising of the Manipur University Students' Union , Manipur University teachers' Association and Manipur University Staffs Association are on agitation demanding removal of the VC AP Pandey for the last 75 days, the MU community spare time to pay tributes to the martyrs of the state who had laid down for the protection of the erstwhile nation fighting the British Empire in 1891.

The observance held at the seminar Hall of MUTA was

Patriots day is also observed at various places of the state by various political parties and civil society bodies at various places .. details on Pafge 4 Shillong Manipuri Students Union observed the day at Shillong Manipuri House Red Land, Laitumukhra



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Shillong Manipuri Students Union also observed the Patriot's Day at Manipur House , red Land in Laitumukhra, Shillong today. President of the All Manipur Students Union Manjit and other members also attended at Patriot's day observance. Free Lance Writer Sh Ajit also attended the observance and delivered speech on the present issues and elaborated on the need to remain alert. He brought the issue as the present day Manipur is under threat to its soveriegnty due to the ongoing peace talk between the government of India and the NSCN-IM . Recalling on how the martyrs of the erstwhile nation sacrifice for protection of thier nation Ajit said we should culture the spirit of our forfather and keep the spirit to fight for protection of our land.

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