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### **REPORT**

#### **LALA LAJPAT RAI BIRTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS (JANUARY 28, 2020)**

Lala Lajpat Rai was one of the celebrated freedom fighters of India whose ideology of nationalism and zealous patriotism earned him the title of “Lion of Punjab” or “Punjab Kesari”. He was the part of the radical trio of “Lal, Bal and Pal” who advocated the theory of “Swaraj” or self-rule and outrightly rejected the policy of mendicancy adopted by the Moderate section of the Indian National Congress. He also initiated the foundation of “Punjab National Bank”. A prolific writer, leader, politician and activist, Lala Lajpat Rai died because of not recovering from the injuries received during the Lathi Charge by the police for protesting against the racist Simon Commission.

In his memory a program was organised by the Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies in the Seminar room of the seventh block on January 28, 2020. A mesmerizing recitation of self-composed poem in his memory was rendered by Ms. Nilima Raje of BALLB First year, second semester. A very interesting skit on his life was presented by Kanwar Aditya Singh, a student of BALLB, first year. It was a very touching display of the unflinching courage of Lala Lajpat Rai which he displayed even after facing the blows of the British raj. Prof. (Dr.) S. K. Garg, Director General of MAIMS addressed the gathering. Prof. (Dr.) M.K. Bhat, Director MAIMS also addressed the students and reminded us of the heroic deeds performed by this daring freedom fighter. Prof. (Dr.) G. P. Govil, Advisor MATES was also present on the occasion. The event was attended by Faculty, staff and students of Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies.

