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**Monarch Is Hampered
by Old Traditions and
Rules of a Restrictive
Character.**

LONDON (INS)—Political changes recently in Britain have led to a discussion regarding the powers of the king. Many people think that a king has almost unlimited power. As a matter of fact, in Britain, no man is more hedged around by rules and regulations than its sovereign.

In the first place King George must remain a Protestant. Should he become a Roman Catholic he would have to renounce his throne. In the same way, he must not become a Free Mason; had he happened to be one at the time of his accession he would have been obliged at once to resign from the craft. As a matter of fact, King George was never initiated.

Apart from religion and law, the king is bound rigidly by many rules, both social and political. For instance, on becoming the monarch he must immediately withdraw from any clubs to which he has hitherto belonged; and again, he never writes a personal letter to anyone outside his immediate personal circle; all his other private correspondence is conducted through secretaries.

Invites Himself

Again, according to rule, he must not accept any invitation to dine or stay with one of his subjects. On the contrary, when for instance, he wishes to stay with Lord Derby in order to see the Grand National race run at Liverpool, he has to invite himself. The king's position toward the law is also somewhat anomalous. As a general theory he is regarded as above the law; in practice, however, he has to obey it like anyone else. He is not in a position to play any tricks with the recognized legal system of the country. He can issue, with the advice of his ministers, royal decrees, which have the force of law; but the proclamation is only binding so far as it is based upon an existing statute.

He cannot set up private tribunals, nor can he add to the jurisdiction of a court. And by a special set of parliament it has also been decided that the king, if he were to lose a suit brought against him by the revenue authorities, would be liable to pay all costs. On the other hand, a subject cannot sue the king except by what is known as a "petition of right," leave to issue which has to be obtained from the attorney general.

Can't Break Law

The king, according to the law of the land, cannot possibly commit an offense. Any wrong or injury suffered by a subject at his hands is attributed to the "mistake of his advisers."

Therefore it happens that the king is the only person in Great Britain who cannot arrest a suspected felon, even if he caught a burglar entering Buckingham Palace. The reason for this is that no action for wrongful arrest could be brought against him, and hence if the man caught were proved innocent it would be a case of a wrong without a remedy.

The king cannot impose any taxation without first securing the consent of the House of Commons. So severe is this restriction that the king cannot create any new post, with new fees, or add new fees to existing posts, because this would be regarded as equivalent to new taxation. The good old days of the Stuarts have gone, when King Charles could raise taxes how and when he pleased.

**HEAVY BOND ISSUES FOR
NEW COLORADO SCHOOLS**

DENVER (INS)—Bond issues against various school districts throughout Colorado have increased nearly 500 per cent since 1915, according to figures compiled by the State Immigration Department here. Reports to the department indicate that every one of the state's 62 counties contains at least one school district with an outstanding bond issue, and some of the larger counties have several school districts with outstanding issues.

Swift!



This shows Mrs. Frank J. Gould, wife of the American millionaire, in action during her recent tennis game at Cannes, with the French marvel Suzanne Lenglen. Suzanne won.

ISOLATION NOW RELIEVED DUE TO THE RADIO

WINNIPEG, Man. (AP)—Radio carrying the latest news of the world into remote farm homes and hooking up pioneer people with the big cities, have become an important factor in colonization in the prairie provinces, according to a report issued by the department of marine.

"The radio has robbed pioneer farm life of its isolation," reads the report. "Loneliness is no longer to be dreaded. Settlers and their families listen in on current news of the day, enjoy high class concerts and entertainments, receive information from agricultural colleges on new farming methods and courses in household management, and get the latest market quotations on agricultural products."

"Of 100,000 receiving sets esti-

mated to be in operation throughout the Dominion, more than 60 per cent are owned on farms. This is especially true in the prairie provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. In Manitoba, the provincial government aids broadcasting through its publicly owned telephone system."

Broadcasting stations in Canada number 27, the report shows, and are located in the principal cities from coast to coast. Investment in receiving sets amounts to more than \$2,000,000.

Southampton to Develop Docks

SOUTHAMPTON (AP)—The local council recently approved a scheme for the development of docks here involving the expenditure of \$4,000,000. The scheme includes the reclamation of 170 acres of mudland and the building of docks to accommodate the largest liners afloat.



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GRANGE TAKES STRONG STAND

TELECAST—(Special)—At the last meeting of the Grange it was decided to use every effort possible to oppose the milk bill, the passage of which was declared would greatly injure the dairy business of the farmers.

The road crew has been using the grader on the road between here and the highway, which was greatly in need of it. Hazel Wilson left Sunday for Troutdale to visit her sister, Mrs. Mrs. Mercer.

Lundy Ward and family, of La Grande, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ward for several days. Mrs. Ward accompanied them home for a short visit in La Grande.

Irvin Carleton of La Grande, spent the week end visiting at the Ward home.

Mrs. John Asper is quite ill. Oscar Wilson, Inez Wilson, Gertrude Hyatt and Lee Parks attended the basketball game at Union Friday evening.

Mrs. Gertrude Young left Saturday for Portland where she will spend a few days visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Portner-

ella and children went to La Grande Saturday. Mrs. Portner will remain for a few days with her little daughter, Jessie, who underwent an operation on her throat.

Mrs. J. M. Pearce of Pleasant Valley, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hester and Mrs. F. W. Gunn and daughter Eleanor of La Grande, motored to Troutdale Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Catton.

Misses Opal Barr, Amelia and Pauline Asper and Lee Parks attended the school program at Wolf Creek Friday night.

The La Grande visitors for the week were Mrs. W. D. Robinson, Mrs. B. Hill, Mrs. Jaimella, W. R. Catton, Miss Opal Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lajoie, Pauline Asper, G. V. Wilkins and Jim Anson.

Mrs. Mooney of San Francisco, made a business trip to Telecast Monday.

Lee Parks motored to Haines Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Long of Haines, were Telecast visitors Sunday.

Preaching services were held at the school house Sunday afternoon.

T. M. Miller, E. R. Ward and Ivan Ward attended the Elva Jones sale at Union this week.

The attendance at school has been greatly lowered on account of so much illness.

Port Hill made a business trip to Haines Saturday.

G. W. Robinson, who is now working on east end passenger out of La Grande was visiting here Monday.

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It is not necessary to "shake your phone." If at any time you have trouble in hearing or being heard over the telephone kindly report this trouble to the central office.

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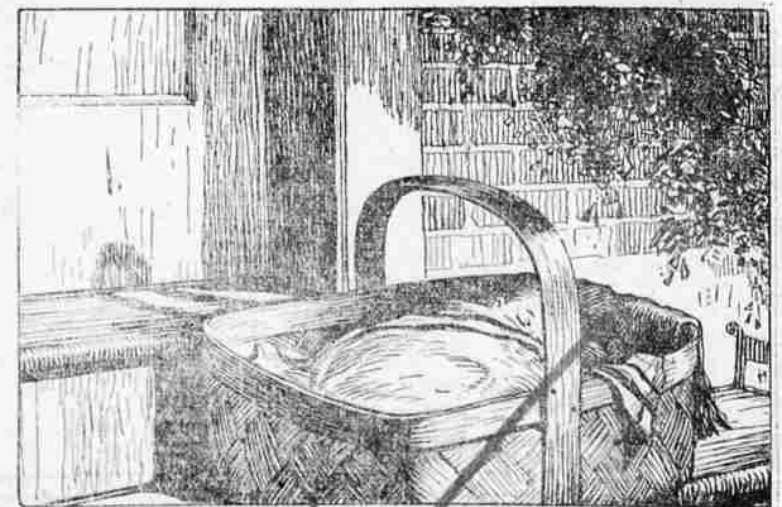
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