

Evaluation of the Accusation Made Against George III

America fought for its independence, because it believed in freedom. The colonies were undermanned ~~the~~ compared to the British, but with resourcefulness and boldness, America became independent. The country had trouble with King George III of England, so they issued the Declaration of Independence. The accusation is valid, based on acts against the colonies and treatment of the colonies.

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The American colonies were becoming ~~unruly~~ unruly towards England. The colonies were beginning to become independent from England. To keep the colonies under his thumb, King George III ordered many taxes be put on the colonies. One was the tea tax. This obviously taxed tea, so that the colonies had to pay extra to send the tea to England. The colonies considered this tax unfair and had the Boston Tea Party, where they threw much tea into the ocean. Another unfair act was the Stamp Act. This taxed all pamphlets, documents, and papers within the colonies. The colonists felt that this tax wasn't on citizens of England, so it shouldn't be on the colonies. A final act against the colonists was the Quartering Act. Under this, colonists were required to give British troops a place to live and eat in the colonists' home. The Declaration of Independence is correct in its accusation of the King of England as being a tyrant.

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King George III ~~also~~ also treated the colonies harshly. There was a major controversy over representation of colonies in Parliament. England wanted virtual representation, which meant an English representative, who lived in England, would represent the colonies. The colonies wanted actual representation, where someone in the colonies would legislate in Parliament for the colonies. The colonies were not

given the fair treatment that English citizens received: the right ~~to~~ to be governed by someone in the colonies. Another unfair treatment against the colonies was the idea of mercantilism. In the idea, the colonies were at the disposal of the mother country. The only reason the mother country wanted the colony was to make money off of it. The colonists were of no care to the mother country. They were more of a nuisance to King George than anything else. To conclude, the king of England ruled the colonies with an iron fist.

The accusation made by the colonists is valid based on acts and treatment. Americans despised the British rule, so they disposed of it.