

from column, "Notes on People," by Albin Krebs

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Usually on the giving end of pithy vocal blasts, Mrs. Martha Mitchell found herself on the receiving end. Furious to learn that the wife of Attorney General John N. Mitchell had written in a magazine that she refused to curtsy to Queen Elizabeth II because she didn't think Americans should "bow to a foreign monarch," the Earl of Lindsay, one of Scotland's best-known lairds, said: "It was a very insulting remark to make and I felt she had to be put in her place. There is always hope she may learn some manners. She is a stupid woman. If she is going to shout her mouth off like that she is bound to get shouted at."
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