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Ans. He introduced many laws such as the protection of private property and a uniform system of weights and measures provided by the decimal system.

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Ans. Only men above 25 years of age who paid taxes equal to at least 3 days of a labourer's wage were given the status of active citizens, that is, they were entitled to vote.