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State Opening of Parliament--

Nov 3rd. '53.

Coronation Year draws to a glittering finale, as- escorted by a Sovereign's Escort of the Household Cavalry, the Queen- accompanied by the Duke of Edinburgh- drives in the Irish State Coach to open the second Parliament of her Reign.

And the cheering, unbroken ranks of her people lining the route, ^{acclaim} their Sovereign Lady, who has so worthily fulfilled a tremendous year of pageantry.

ARRIVING TO TAKE their places at the entrance to the House of Lords, to greet the Queen were the Duchess of Kent and Princess Margaret.

^{taking its place among the historic traditions.}
And once more in the best traditions of English history, the noble regalia appeared, with Yeomen Warders to give their picturesque link with the past.

So, THE ROYAL cavalcade approached the Houses of Parliament (Sound)-

With all the panoply of a State Occasion, our radiant young Queen entered the Palace of Westminster, and in her subsequent speech from the Throne, outlined the Government's plans for the ^{future of} the true Home of Democracy.

another Parliamentary Session begins.