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THE QUEEN AND THE A.T.S.

Her Majesty is with Britain's Army of Women, the Auxiliary
Territorials. All the world knows the magnificent part the
Auxiliary Territorial Service is playing for our armies in the field.

It is girls like these who do the cooking, the effice work,
the driving, sometimes under enemy fire. Now the A.T.S. is honoured
by this personal inspection by Her Majesty.

And we are privileged to hear the Queen Speak, in tribute to the
ATS.

"I am very glad indeed to have been able to come here today, and I congratulate you on the smartness of your appearance on Parade. Any woman who can be spared from her home, and wishes, as every woman does today, to make some contribution to the task before us can be sure that, in the Auxiliary Territorial Service, use and welcome will be found for her goodwill and skill, whatever it may be".