

THE QUEEN IN LAHORE.

To one of the glories of Lahore, the Shalimar Garden, the Queen and her husband were conducted by a party which included President Ayub. The famous garden, which lies outside the city, was laid out, more than three hundred years ago by the Emperor Shah Jahan. It occupies forty acres and is irrigated by a canal whose water originally had to be brought a hundred miles. The Shalimar was designed by the Emperor for his recreation whenever he visited Lahore.

In the Fortress Stadium of the Lahore Cantonment was held Pakistan's National Horse and Cattle Show. Here the Queen and Duke were the guests of the President, Field-Marshal Ayub Khan and the Governor of West Pakistan. The show was on a big scale, lasting a week.

As so often in this country the President's bodyguard added to the spectacle. A lighter and very pleasant touch was provided by the child presenting the bouquet. The importance attached by horse and cattle breeders to Pakistan's National Show was indicated by the large array of cups and other prizes.. More interesting to western eyes were the animals, some (though not all) native to the east.

Pictures of the show and much else of the Royal Tour will provide home movies for the Queen's children.

Whoever expected to see those haughty looking creatures, the camels, doing a rock 'n roll?

A few still pictures this time.

Quite a family hobby.

Also on the outskirts of Lahore, city of nearly a million people, lies at the Badhsahi Mosque the tomb of the poet Iqbal, who inspired Jinnah to found Pakistan as an independent country. The Mosque itself was built in 1673. To it came the devout from all over the country. It is one of the biggest in the East - perhaps THE biggest.

The Faithful continued their reading of the Koran. As custom ordains, the Queen and her party donned overshoes before entering. It is partly a symbolical custom, for the imperfections of the outside world must not be allowed to contaminate the Mosque.