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very modern & well built stone buildings. I was very taken by the place. It was in fact a pleasant surprise to see such a picturesque city with so many trees. We booked in at the St. Andrew's Hostel (which had previously been an hotel) & had lunch.

At 2 P.M. we boarded a bus to go on the Jericho - Dead Sea trip. Here again we travelled on a first class bitumen road & one couldn't help thinking back 2000 years & picturing the road as it was then - rough & dusty. We skirted round the Mount of Olives, passing the Garden of Gethsemane on the way & after a few miles came to the little town of Bethany, where Lazarus was raised from the dead. We began then to descend the Jericho road with the God-forsaken barren hills rising fold after fold on the right of the hills of Judea. Along the left of the road was the Good Samaritans