



June", the original structure now being not much more than a heap of stones. One could well imagine the traveller being set upon by the thieves in this part. The road was very twisting & there were many places in which to hide in order to waylay an unwary traveller. The old road to Jericho now wound away to the left, but a new road takes a better route to the level land below. We were shown the site of the original town of Jericho which existed even before the time of Christ. Every now you can see traces of the original wall which surrounded the city (which was only small & covered only a few acres.) A wonderful flash water spring flows out of the ground at this spot & the water irrigates the gardens & crops & trees of the modern Jericho, snaps of which I have sent in my album. Looking back to-
-wards the hills, we saw the