

preserved by their angels from falling, will cross with lightning speed, while the wicked will be precipitated into the abyss of hell."

The large structure shown on page 215 is known as the Golden Gate, which has been walled up for many hundred years. According to tradition this was the Beautiful Gate of the Temple where the healing of the lame man by St. Peter took place. A tradition still exists that some Friday a Christian conqueror shall enter by this gate and take Jerusalem from the Moslems. The vaulted interior is used as a Mohammedan place of prayer.



CANAL BENEATH ROBINSON'S ARCH.

A domed structure is known as the Throne of Solomon, from the legend that the wise king was found dead here. "In order to conceal his death from the demons, he supported himself on his seat with his staff, and it was not till the worms had gnawed the staff through and caused the body to fall that the demons became aware that they were now released from the king's authority."

One thing that impressed us was the air of quiet and seclusion in this great area. A few tall, Oriental figures seemed to float