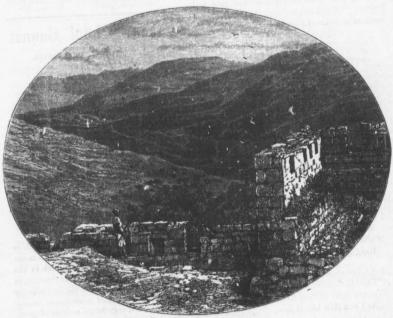


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MOUNTAINS ROUND ABOUT JERUSALEM.

A Shield Which You May Throw Around Them.

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When young people of your acquaintance go off to new homes, especially young men or boys going to the city, try to introduce them to a pastor and church. I have but recently felt

the great value of this simple piece of care. One of my Bible-class, an attractive country lad, went to seek his fortune in Philadelphia. Even in his country home he had not been very church-going, and the bold and taking-forgranted tone in which I planned with him to write a letter to the pastor of the church which should prove to be nearest him when he got settled was not quite in accord with my inward.