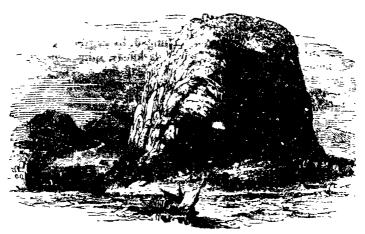
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MOUNTAINS. SCRIPTURE

MOUNT CARMEL.

Møditerranean Sea. he sea," Jer. 46 : 18.

that times, the vine was carefully Carmel,' Isaiah 35:2. reciveled. in vine dressers,

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Carmel is a ridge of mountains, above the town. As we advanced about six miles long, on the western we found a lateral gash in the hill. borders of Canaan, near the sea- running in the direction of the procoast; the highest part of which lifts montory, which is of some magnitude. its head 1200 feet above the sea, and It is here that the best cultivated is distinguished as Mount Carmel. I fields occur. Long before we got to At the base of this latter mount the the summits of the mount, we were niver Kishon falls into the Great or in a thick jungle of brushwood, prin-The north end cipally of prickly oak, mountain juniforms a bold promontory on the sea. per, thorns, and grasses, intermixed ide; hence it is called, " Carinel by with many beautiful sweet-smelling plants and flowers, growing most Carmel signifies "the vineyard," luxuriantly, and well calculated to re-" "the garden;" and here, in an , mind us of the ancient 'excellency of This jungle King Uzziah had here extends over the higher flanks and The name is also the summit of the hill, as far as we aid to mean "bushy plantations,"; could see, and forms good shelter for high may refer to the fruit-trees the leopards which are here occasion. as abounded on its sides. "After ally seen. The Hebrew word Carmer," says Dr. Wilson. "we left; mel means 'a garden;' and the altents for the ascent of Mount Car- lusions to the mount in Scripture lead el. We passed through some very us to believe that probably the whole the fields and olive groves lying hill was formerly laid out in the finest

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