

when a hot wind began to blow ~~at~~ south down that Araba , just at the southern end of the Araba, you will remember, this depression that comes down all the way from the Dead Sea , it represents an old earthquake fall . It ~~can~~ can be traced way ~~wa~~ down through Africa too, but ~~the~~ here this hot wind blew with force and they loosed the ~~set~~ soil and the wind picked it up and their hair got full of soil. It got in their ears , it got in their nose and their mouth, and the wind would just take the earth and carry it up out to ~~a~~ sea. They said they could think of ~~it~~ nothing ~~but~~ the ~~clouds~~ pillar of clouds that guided the Israelites on their way to the promised land, as they saw this earth whirling out to sea there. And a half a ~~mi-~~ mile this way, in fact a quarter, there was no wind. They were completely sheltered. A quarter of mile this way completely sheltered. Why did they build a city right in the path of that disagreeable wind which blew everyday during a great part of the day. Was Solomon just the arbitrary despot ~~when-~~ with lots of power and not ~~so~~ much wisdom and just sat in his office in Jerusalem and gave the orders , which his men had to carry out there. They went ahead and excavated, and ~~pre~~ pretty soon they found evidence ~~at~~ that increas ed ~~it~~ still further~~ed~~ their knowledge of Solomon's power, ~~but~~ because they found that the city there had been ~~build-~~ built at one time , according to one plan. It was very evident that it was not just one of the cities that just grows up, with a little bit here and a little bit there , but there was a very definite plan to it. It was not like Boston. I ~~love~~ love to visit Boston. I love to walk, and I can start off in the evening and just walk straight ahead . I don't have to worry where I'm going because I know pretty soon I'll come past the place I started from. The roads twist so as they follow the old cow paths they will eventually~~ly~~ get you around there. But Washington D.C. is very different . Washington was ~~build-~~ built according to a