

rous to shipping, but the height of which the British government have in contemplation some day to diminish; and that the top of mount Calpe and O'Hara's Tower are now distinctly in view.

4. On a neck of land, terminating in a promontory beyond Ape's Hill, he sees the ancient town of Ceuta, still held by the Spaniards, now visibly illuminated by the rays of a brilliant morning sun. To the left, on Europa Point, appears prominently in view, the Light-House, recently erected near the spot where once stood the chapel and hermitage of the *Virgen de Europa*; whose lamps, perpetually lighted, afforded to the less venturous mariner of former days, a similar succour to that now given by the modern Pharos.

5. The steamer now rapidly advances into the bay, the dock-guard fort is in view; and the eyes of the astonished traveller, instead