

On the extremity of the peninsula, which is called Gibraltar Point, are commodious stores and block-houses, which command the entrance to the harbour; on the main land, opposite to the Point, is the garrison, situated on a point made by the harbour and a small rivulet, which being improved by sluices, affords an easy access for boats to go up to the stores; the barracks, being built on a knoll, are well situated for health, and command a delightful prospect of the lake to the west, and of the harbour to the east. The government house, which is not yet finished, is about two miles above the garrison, near the head of the harbour, and the town is increasing very rapidly. The front of the city, as now laid out, is a mile and a half in length; several handsome squares are projected, particularly one open to the harbour. The river Don empties itself into the harbour a little above the town, running through a marsh, which when drained will afford beautiful and fertile meadows; this has already been effected, in a small degree, which will no doubt