

by a single 10 Pounder for the right hand
Gun of the two, was perfectly useless, all their
endeavours to bring it to bear upon the
barracks were useless, nor could they account for
it, just as we were returning the Tamar &
came down, & fired a few shots, but was at
such a distance, as to have no kind of
Effect. I forgot to mention the Royals we
have in this Battery are not of the smallest
use. Cap^t. They intended applying for a
3rd 10 P^r instead of them. ~~Wednesday~~ Wednesday 26th
This Morning our 3 24 P^r opened we could
from our Postment see the shot take place
its to be hoped ^{these guns will be of some service} ~~with effect~~ after our cooking
Party had marched off I went down to this
Battery. I found we had besides the three 24s
a long six P^r that play'd upon the Tete de Pont
and a small six that was directed against
the 9. Batts. Three of which were near the Tete
de Pont. In my way back I stopped at our
13 Inch Mortar Battery which was ^{thronged up} ~~erected~~
last night just upon the left of New Fort &
the Depot, by a Party of our Reg^t. They were
just falling in, to march home, as I reached
it, when one of our Gren^ds was hit in the

4 Beatty of the 60th came to
eat his Cork with me today
He was a very welcome guest
for he brought with him the
Quoi to make some excellent
soup, a Parrot & some of
the Top of a Bear but he
2) which served as cabbage
which with our Pork &
to Broken biscuit made a
his most excellent dinner
for
off