prettier than I ever saw her but not
comparable to some of the other girls
Miss Howard daughter of the governor
was decidedly the beauty of the room
Miss Barnes next & Miss Barron
is very pretty. Mrs Harper was dressed
in a white watered silk made in
the handsomest style with a necklace
of mosaic & earrings of the same
Sister Mary Jane & the poplin lady
Welsby sent her, had made for the
occasion trimmed around the neck
with deep blond the principal
beaux were John Lloyd & his Brother
the Dr, Goldsborough Estelle Nicholson
Mat Martin who called to see me the
day after the party, the Donnels
Speed, was there also Miss Stis is at
Barnums she was at all the parties
and a great belle Mrs D. H. Ross gives
to her & Mrs Glover Aunt of your
friend Mr Crugers bye the bye I
was very sorry I did not see him he
must have called at Mrs Bells
I do not know Miss Dawson but Mrs
Chalmers does, and says she is
very pretty, Mr Stelle says Cruger
is not engaged tell Cousin Nelly
that is some consolation to her
I never wished for you so much as I

did
at Mrs George H Thomas I think you
would have been delighted there —
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It was so late last night when I
began this letter I could not finish
it, Sister Ann and myself are going
to return visits & Mrs Mitchell & Sis, Bey also with
us I have seventeen to Sister has 52 —
Sarah Crosdale desired to be remem-
bered very kindly to Cousin Nelly
& the Smith also, I am going to look
at the ginghams some time to day
there are very few new ones, Miss
Morrow has beautiful muslin
a dollar and very wide, they are
do for dinner or party, they
are all alike striped, pink blue
& buff they come off quite to calicoes I
suppose, the bidies dresses I have
not determined on I shall ask Lady
Hopman & Miss Crosdale as they
are a great deal & know all about
such things I think I shall get Mrs
Lloyd to make them she is a Donaldson
man to make & not so expensive as tell
tell cousin so I will do my best
and with great pleasure. Charles
tells me Aunt is always in the
garden as she used to be give my most

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