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I can imagine how you enjoyed your visit to the Ft. Moultrie Centennial; I have seen no notice whatever of it, and, if perfectly convenient to you, I would be much obliged for the papers containing an account of it, as I wish to read all such accounts, this Centennial year.

I will be pleased to have a picture of your present self, to put in my Album, thanks for the one you sent. I regret that I have not a Photo of my self to send you, but I have not had any taken since I was quite small and they have been given away.

I must close. In haste,

Your friend,
Anna ^{Buff} Thomas Nicholson

Enfield N. C.
Aug. 3rd. 1876.

Mr. George W. Howard,

Nearly three weeks having elapsed since the reception of your letter, I will now endeavor to reply.

Allow me to thank you for the compliments paid me by you and your brother. I feel highly flattered and can only wish that I were worthy of them. I judge from the tone of your letters that you are as enthusiastic about the war, as the soldiers were wont to be in the days of yore, when they were so thoroughly imbued with the "Reb" spirit - and I say that I - as a Southern girl - admire