



Dudley-St. Baptist Church,
THOMAS DIXON, JR., PASTOR;
NO. 97 MORELAND STREET,
BOSTON HIGHLANDS.

Feb. 25, 1888.

My dear Judge:-

Perhaps you remember
a little animated correspondence I once
had with you from Wake Forest College
N. C. when you were editing "Our Conti-
nent" - also some very kindly advice you
gave me one day in your office in
New York City. Many changes have
occurred in my life & in your
own since then. I have thought
of you very often, & again & again have
been on the point of writing a word of
good cheer to you in the misfortunes



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2. P. S. The actual statement
of the facts of my life since
I left your office - that of
in April of 1884 would
make a interesting tale
of some length, & I hope
I can weave it out
some day - I would like to
introduce you to my wife
by S. D. Jr.

which have befallen you since I saw you
last. The mention of your name in the
New York Examiner's testimony column
again reminds me of my oft repeated
determination to write to you, a word
or two at least.

I shall always be grateful to you for
the good advice you gave me in my
adventurous boyhood, & hope that the
sun shines brighter for you through
of late years. If you happen to come
to Boston, I shall be delighted to see you
at my home. Sincerely yours, Thomas Dixon, Jr.