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HOLY FAMILY RECTORY

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The Most Rev Thomas A. Connally
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Your Excellency:

You are an understanding man. I have a problem and you are the only one who can solve it. It is not a personal problem but involves the mental illness of Father Cody. The situation has deteriorated to such a state that he takes no meals at the rectory, the domestic helps are afraid of him because of his temper tantrums, and the Sisters and lay teachers are scandalized at his undue familiarity with the sixth & seventh grade girls.

I have sympathy with his problem but I am unable to cope with it. His deviant behavior is a danger to the good of souls.

Before the people become involved in this priestly problem I consider it prudent to bring this matter to your attention.

Respectfully yours in Christ
John J. Duffy

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