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1 professional counselor, psychologists psychiatrists were
2 capable of helping these people.

3 Q. In Dr. Morris' report he refers to something about
4 having Father O'Grady getting involved in some kind of
5 tasks?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. Was that independent of working in parish?

8 A. It was -- what he refers to is that I urge that you
9 assign him to the task in a diocese by which he can develop
10 a more healthy relationship with authority.

11 So actually that was something according to his
12 evaluation he felt that Father O'Grady did not relate well
13 to authority from his childhood days. And whatever that
14 was, whatever he was recommending, to find some way to help
15 him relate more honestly and honestly with people of
16 authority.

17 Q. But he was -- and Dr. Morris realized that when he
18 suggested he be assigned a task, that he would also be with
19 a parish?

20 A. Oh, yes. He made no suggestion he be removed from the
21 parish to do something else, no.

22 Q. Was -- during a period of time you were the bishop of
23 Stockton, were there any other priests that were involved in
24 any kind of sexual misconduct with children?

25 MR. DRIVON: Your Honor, that calls for
26 speculation.

27 THE COURT: If the witness has personal
28 knowledge, he can answer.

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1 But I will ask you not to speculate, Cardinal.

2 THE WITNESS: Again during my period of time
3 I cannot recall another case.

4 MR. DIEPENBROCK: Q. Well, if there had
5 been any other cases when you were the bishop of Stockton,
6 you certainly would have heard about it, wouldn't you?

7 A. Oh, yes. But I can't recall another case.

8 Q. Were there any other cases?

9 A. Not that I know of.

10 Q. This was the only one?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. Before you were bishop of Stockton you were with the
13 Fresno diocese?

14 A. Yes. I was the auxiliary bishop of Fresno.

15 Q. How long were you there?

16 A. I was a priest of the diocese from 1962 to 1975 and
17 auxiliary bishop from 1975 to 1980 when I came to Stockton.

18 Q. While we're on this, can you also tell us what your
19 assignments have been since you've left the Stockton diocese
20 and the dates?

21 A. Well, I was installed as the archbishop of Los Angeles
22 September 5th, 1985, where I've served ever since and became
23 a member of the College of Cardinals in June 1991.

24 Q. How many Cardinals are there in the United States?

25 A. Presently there are eight active Cardinals.

26 Q. After Father O'Grady was transferred to Saint Andrew's,
27 did you keep in contact with him?

28 A. No. Other than that correspondence, one letter in

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