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Prof. Madeleine Giguere Department of Sociology University of Southern Maine Portland, Maine 04103

Dear Madeleine,

I am writing to thank you for your presentation at the Franco-American Seminars on February 14. It was essential to launch our meetings with a solid discussion of significant issues. Your contribution helped considerably to achieve this goal.

At some time in the near future, I would like to meet with you to discuss the potential for developing a one or two-day conference of scholars and teachers in Maine who are active in Franco-American Studies. I believe there are more interested people out there than we think: every time I send out announcements for our programs, I get one or two new names to add to my list.

I am enclosing a brochure of the Symposium on the French Language in North America in the event that you have not yet received one. If you will notice, James Parker is scheduled for Friday. Note also the changes in the titles of Bernard's and Juneau's presentations.

Again, Madeleine, thank you, and I hope to see you on the 11th.

Sincerely,

Raymond J. Pelletier Assistant Professor of Education and Canadian Studies

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