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I.	Аp	plicant/Organization: Susan Pinette/Franco American Studies
II.	a.	Responsible Organization Officer: Susan Pinette
	b.	Title: Director
	C,	Campus Address (include EMail and Telephone): 213 Little Hall; spinette@maine.edu; 1-3791
III.	Su	nmary of program requiring funding (title; featured artist(s); speaker(s); scheduled date (s):
in I pla	Mar y oı	More Thing," Michael Parent's new one-man show, directed by David Kaye. The play premiered ch, 2004 at the Pontine Theater in Portsmouth, N.H. We have scheduled a performance of this a Wednesday October 20, 2004 in the Soderberg Center, Jenness Hall. Michael will stay in town o nights and talk to classes on Thursday and Friday.
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Supporting Statement

The Play

"One More Thing," Michael Parent's new one-man show, directed by David Kaye, premiered in March, 2004 at the Pontine Theater in Portsmouth, N.H. The play is based on, and reprises one of the characters from "A Frog Stuck in the Ice," created and performed by Susan Poulin, Gordon Carlisle, and Michael in Lewiston for L.A. Arts in January of 2001. In "One More Thing," Jean-Paul Boisvert, a retired Franco-American mill worker, on his 67th birthday, regales the audience with stories, especially about his beloved, deceased but still influential wife Marie-Louise. He tunes into and berates "his teams," the Bruins and Red Sox, takes phone calls from his grownup children and other family members, and haltingly moves toward resolving a major loose end in his life.

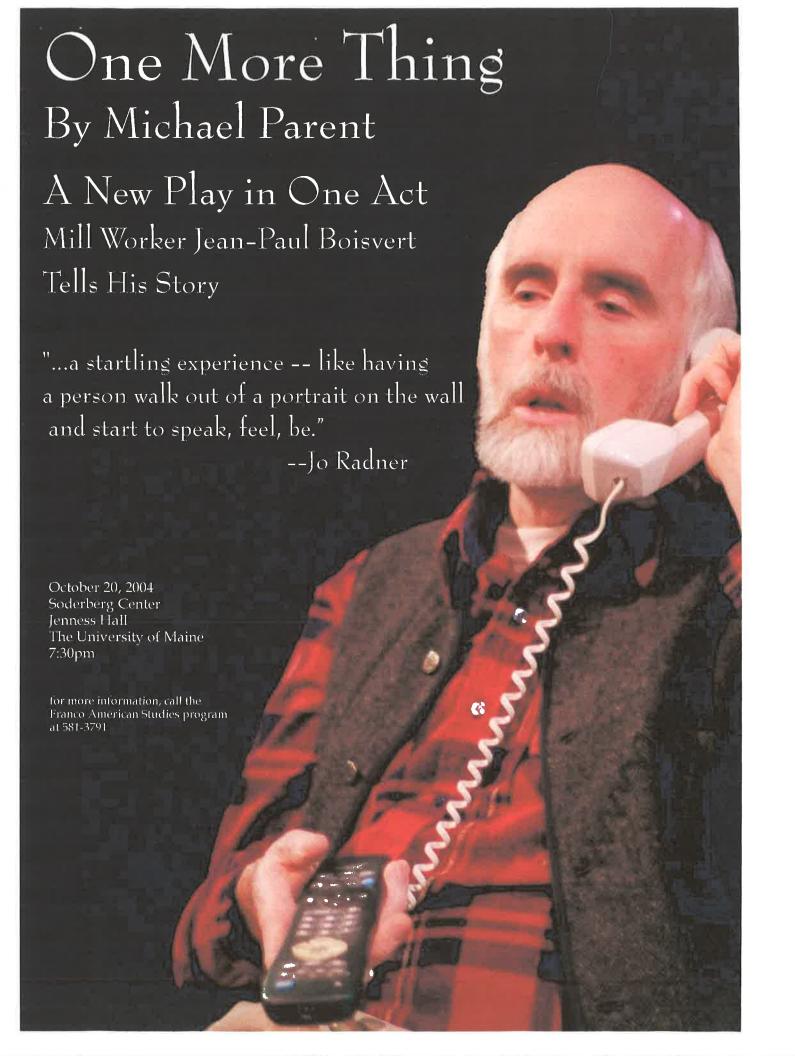
The Performer

Michael Parent is an internationally known storyteller-singer, as well as an actor and playwright. Since 1977, he has told stories in theatrical and non-theatrical settings. After living in Virginia for many years, where he was a co-founder of, and frequent performer at Live Arts, a thriving alternative theater in Charlottesville, Michael returned to his home state of Maine in 1998, and now lives in Portland. He received the National Storytelling Network's "Circle of Excellence" Award in 1999, and was a keynote speaker at the 2001 National Storytelling Conference in Providence, R.I.

He has been featured at many events, including the National Storytelling Festival in Jonesborough, Tennessee, the International Storytelling Colloquium in Paris, the Glistening Waters Festival in New Zealand, the Sperrins Autumn Storytelling Festival in Northern Ireland, the Scealta Shamhna Festival in Dublin, and the Multicultural Storytelling Festival in Eugene, Oregon. In addition to his performances for a wide range of audiences, including schools, libraries, theaters, and festivals, Michael also leads storytelling, story-writing, and performance workshops.

Class visits

Michael has agreed to spend time in Orono to visit with students. He will be guest lecturing in FAS 101, Introduction to Franco American Studies on Thursday, October 21 and in CMJ 366, Speech Play and Performance on Friday, October 22.



Event Budget for Michael Parent's Performance

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Equipment			Linens		
Tables and chairs			Staff and gratuities		
Totals	\$100.00	\$165.00	Totals	\$0.00	\$0.00
Decorations			Program		
Flowers			Performers	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
Candles			Speakers		
Lighting			Travel (Portland-Orono (138milesx32/r	\$90.00	\$30.00
Balloons			Hotel (one night)	\$200.00	\$60.00
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