

**MAINE STATE POLICE  
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION I  
CONTINUATION REPORT**

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**INCIDENT #:** 204-35897

**CASE:** Homicide  
( Cassidy Bortner)

**OFFICER:** Det. Herbert Leighton

**I.D. #:** 2860

**Approved:** MSS

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11-09-00

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Inventory: MARSHALL residence  
Ford Taurus  
Maine State Police Lab Evidence Receipt Form

Recommendation: Incorporate this Continuation Report with Det. Jeffrey Linscott's Investigation Report.

Distribution: RMS  
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CID-1  
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Det. Leighton



**EVIDENCE CONTROL SHEET**  
 Maine State Police  
 Criminal Investigation Division 1

**Officer: Det. Herbert Leighton**  
**Case No: 204-35897**  
**Lab No: L00-752**

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DOB: 03-31-75

ADDRESS: 51 Rogers rd. Kittery, ME

TELEPHONE:

EMPLOYMENT:

OFFICER: Det. Herbert Leighton

I.D. #: 2860

DATE: 11-09-00

TIME START: 2345 Hrs. TIME END: 2350 Hrs.

PLACE OF INTERVIEW: Marshall residence

Approved: *MS*

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04333-0133

TEL: (207)  
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### EVIDENCE RECEIPT

Detective Jeffrey Linscott  
Maine State Police - CID I  
1 Game Farm Road  
Gray, ME 04039  
Telephone: 657-5710

Date: 11/15/00  
Lab Number: L00-000752  
Agency Number: 204 35897

Type of Case:	Date of Incident:	City/Town:	Count
Suspicious Death	11/13/00	<del>Gray</del> Kittery	York

Brief Case History: 18 month old child death investigation

**Individuals:**

Crime Scene HOUSE, KITTERY  
Crime Scene AUTO, FORD TAURUS  
Victim BORTNER, CASSIDY  
Suspect EVANS, CHAD

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Herbert Leighton:

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Examination Requested  
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Blood (1 Flw)

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Submitted by:

Herbert Leighton

Leighton, Herbert

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Received by:

Stephen N. Shargo

Shargo, Stephen N



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Herbert M. Leighton

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204-3589

## PERSONAL PROPERTY RECEIPT

1101 McCoy Management Group, Inc.

PROPERTY:

hair / Fiber

1605 W. 11/5/00

Robert M. Highman

## RETURN RECEIPT

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# MAINE STATE POLICE

204-3589

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DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

pinkish bottoms

baby slippers

pillow wrapper

pink baby coat

cover in bag

comforter

pillow cover

2 bed sheets

paper towel

2342 W. 11/09/00

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# MAINE STATE POLICE

ARREST IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

204-35897

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DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

topelifts of hairs/Fibers

blue ball

OFFICER NUMBER

2860

1605 Hr.

TIME

11/15/00

DATE

*Robert M. Higgins*  
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER RECEIVING PROPERTY

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DATE

PROPERTY OF SIGNATURE

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YELLOW - ATTACH TO ARREST

# MAINE STATE POLICE

ARREST IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

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baby slippers

yellow wrapper

pink baby coat

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comforter

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2342 Hr.

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**EVIDENCE RECEIPT**

Detective Jeffrey Linscott  
Maine State Police - CID I  
1 Game Farm Road  
Gray, ME 04039  
Telephone: 657-5710

**Date: 11/15/00**  
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