

Child-death trial starts

DOVER (AP) — Jury selection began today for a Keene man accused of beating his girlfriend's baby daughter to death.

Chad Evans, 30, is accused of beating his girlfriend's 20-month-old daughter, Kassidy Bortner. Authorities allege the child was beaten regularly for at least three months before she died.

Evans was manager of a fast-food restaurant when he lived in Keene, and was a member of the Keene Board of Education.