

STATE OF MAINE

v.

LYNN CROSSMAN

Submitted on Briefs November 28, 2012
Decided December 4, 2012

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and ALEXANDER, LEVY, MEAD, GORMAN, and
JABAR, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Lynn Crossman appeals from a judgment of conviction of assault (Class C), 17-A M.R.S. § 207(1)(B) (2011), entered by the court (*Nivison, J.*) after a jury trial. Contrary to Crossman's contentions, the court did not abuse its discretion by (1) finding that a State witness qualified to testify as an expert as to her conclusion that Crossman's son's injuries were inconsistent with Crossman's explanation for those injuries, *see* M.R. Evid. 702; *State v. Cookson*, 2003 ME 136, ¶¶ 20-23, 837 A.2d 101; (2) finding that a State witness qualified to testify as an expert concerning the cause of the child's injuries, *see* M.R. Evid. 702, 703; *State v. Archer*, 2011 ME 80, ¶ 19, 25 A.3d 103; *Cookson*, 2003 ME 136, ¶¶ 20-23, 837 A.2d 101; or (3) denying Crossman's motion for a mistrial, *see State v. Dumas*, 2010 ME 57, ¶ 21, 997 A.2d 760; *State v. Bridges*, 2004 ME 102, ¶ 10-11, 854 A.2d 855; *State v. Naoum*, 548 A.2d 120, 123 (Me. 1988).

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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