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Press Release

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE INVESTIGATES TRACTOR TRAILER ACCIDENT.

Clermont, NY- Columbia County Sheriff David P. Bartlett reports that Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched by Columbia County 911 at 9:40 am to a tractor trailer property damage accident at the intersection of Jug Road and State Route 9G in the Town of Clermont.

Deputy Sheriff's found a Tractor trailer hauling liquid Oxygen and being operated by a William Martin from Waterford, CT. was traveling south on State Route 9G when the driver attempting to turn west onto Jug Road. When doing so the rear tires of the trailer went off the shoulder of the road into a drainage ditch. The tractor trail came to rest blocking the intersection of Route 9G and Jug Road. The tractor trailer belonging to Cryogenic Transportation LLC out of Linsdale, PA.

NYS Route 9G was closed for approximately 1 hour as the trailer was lifted back onto the road by Dawsons Towing out of Watervliet New York.

The accident is under investigation by the Sheriff's Office personnel and is ongoing. As part of the investigation a DOT inspection is being conducting Sheriff's office personnel.

On Scene was Clermont Fire Department, Germantown Fire Department, Tivili Fire Department, Northern Dutchess Rescue Squad, Columbia County Fire Coordinators Office, Columbia

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County emergency Management, NYS Dot, Clermont Town Highway, NYS Office of Fire Prevention and Control Hazardous Materials units, National Grid, NYS DEC and the New York State Police.

Investigating for the Sheriff's Office are Sheriff David Bartlett, Undersheriff John Davi, Captain John Derocha, Deputy David Garvey, Deputy Heath Benansky and Deputy Paul Comesanas.