

Clinton County Sheriff's Office

News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

REPORTED BY: Sgt. K. Pray

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Arrest

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NAME OF ARRESTEE: Alexander J. Collins

AGE-SEX: 24/Male

ADDRESS: Plattsburgh, NY

CHARGES:

Aggravated Harassment 2nd Degree (A-Misdemeanor)

Obstructing Governmental Administration 2nd Degree (A-Misdemeanor)

Criminal Tampering 3rd Degree (B-Misdemeanor)

Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3rd Degree: Previous Conviction (D-Felony) (2 Counts)

Menacing Police/Peace Officer (D-Felony) (4 Counts)

Possession of Dangerous Contraband in Prison 1st Degree (D-Felony) (2 Counts)

Assault on a Police Officer/Peace Officer (C-Felony)

Attempted Assault on a Police Officer/Peace Officer (D-Felony)

Attempted Assault on a Police Officer/Peace Officer with a Deadly Weapon (C-Felony) (2 Counts)

DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 07/31/18 at 5:22 PM

NARRATIVE: Alexander Collins was arrested on the above date and time after an incident that occurred at the Clinton County Correctional Facility on 7/30/18. Collins allegedly created a disturbance inside of the correctional facility, causing four officers to sustain injuries. Collins also allegedly displayed two weapons while Correction Officers were in the course of performing their official duties. Collins then allegedly made threats of harm against another correction officer after the incident took place.

DISPOSITION: Collins was processed at the Sheriff's Office and is scheduled to appear in the Town of Plattsburgh court. Collins is currently being held at the Clinton County Correctional Facility on multiple other charges.