

Clinton County Sheriff's Office

News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Personal Injury Accident, Driving While Intoxicated

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NAMES OF ARRESTEE: Joshua B. Johnston

AGE-SEX: 35/Male

ADDRESS: Morrisonville, NY

**CHARGES: Driving While Intoxicated (U-Misd) 1192.3 VTL
Failure to Keep Right 1120(A) VTL
Consumption of Alcohol in a Motor Vehicle 1227.1 VTL**

DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 06/06/2014 at 11:58pm

NARRATIVE: On June 6, 2014, just prior to Midnight, Sheriff's Deputies responded to the area of 619 Calkins Road in the Town of Peru for a report of a one car rollover with personal injury. An investigation at the scene revealed that Joshua B. Johnston of Morrisonville had been operating a 1998 maroon Chevrolet Prism north on the Calkins Road when he exited the western side of the roadway into a ditch striking a culvert and driveway gate located at address 619. The collision caused heavy damage to the vehicle and Mr. Johnston suffered a broken right leg as well as cuts and abrasions to his body. Further investigation also revealed that Johnston was allegedly driving while intoxicated at the time of the accident.

DISPOSITION: Mr. Johnston was charged with driving while intoxicated, failure to keep right and for having open containers of alcoholic beverages inside the vehicle. More charges may be filed pending laboratory results. He was processed at the Sheriff's Office on June 7 and issued appearance tickets. He is set to appear in the Town of Peru Court in late June to face the allegations.