



OTSEGO COUNTY OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

172 County Highway 33W
Cooperstown, New York 13326

MEDIA RELEASE

RICHARD J. DEVLIN, JR
SHERIFF



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UNDERSHERIFF

Incident: Double Homicide

Charges: **Murder in the First Degree**
Criminal Use of a Firearm First Degree

Date/Time: December 12, 2017

Name, Age Address:

SUSPECT: Kevin A. Perry 23 yoa Laurens, NY

DECEASED: Timothy A. Perry 59 yoa Laurens, NY
Solveige E. Perry 52 yoa Laurens, NY

Narrative: Sheriff Richard J. Devlin, Jr. announces that on December 12, 2017 at 8:49pm the Otsego County Sheriff's Office and NYS Police were dispatched by the County 911 Center to a 911 call of two possibly deceased persons at 400 New Road in the Town of Laurens.

Upon arrival of Sheriff's Deputies at the scene they located two adults who were deceased in the residence. The call was placed by family members who found the victims upon returning home and also reported that a vehicle was missing from the scene.

Deputies identified a description of the missing vehicle and a Law Enforcement notification was placed statewide to be on the lookout for the motor vehicle. Members of the Schoharie County Sheriff's Office located the vehicle traveling on I-88 in Schoharie County. As Sheriff's Deputies attempted to pull the vehicle over the operator attempted to elude police by fleeing and a vehicle pursuit ensued resulting in the suspect crashing his vehicle and being detained with assistance of the NYS Police.

The investigation has revealed that the victims succumbed to injuries sustained from a firearm.

Kevin Perry, the victim's son, has been arrested and charged with Murder in the First Degree and Criminal Use of a Firearm First Degree in the death of his parents. Perry was arraigned in the Town of Oneonta Court and remanded to the Otsego County Correctional Facility with no bail.

The Investigation is continuing by the Otsego County Sheriff's Office, the Schoharie County Sheriff's Office, the NYS Police and the Otsego County District Attorney's Office. This case has been assigned to Otsego County Coroner Knapp.

For more information regarding this please contact the Otsego County Sheriff's Office at the following number: (607)547-4273

MISSION STATEMENT

The Otsego County Sheriff's Office is committed to partnering with the people we serve in order to prevent crime and injustice. We are driven to enhance the quality of life of our community as we hold ourselves to the highest standards of professionalism, performance and ethics.

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Submitted by : Sheriff Richard J. Devlin, Jr.

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