

# Clinton County Sheriffs Office News Release

**TO: AREA NEWS**

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**SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Arrest**

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**NAME OF ARRESTEE: Gerald F. Mace**

**ADDRESS: Plattsburgh, NY**

**AGE-SEX: 35 Male**

**CHARGES: Assault in the second degree (C-Felony), Criminal possession of a weapon in the third degree (D-felony), Introduce dangerous contraband into a correctional facility (D-felony), Strangulation in the second degree (D-felony).**

**DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 11/24/12 1237 hrs**

**NARRATIVE:** The above defendant was arrested after an investigation into an assault that occurred within the Clinton County Jail. It is alleged that the defendant did engage in a physical altercation with another inmate, causing physical injury to the victim. During the assault the defendant is alleged to have placed pressure on the victim's airway, which caused the victim to lose consciousness for a short period of time.

**DISPOSITION:** The defendant was processed and arraigned in the Town of Plattsburgh Court where he was remanded back to the Clinton County Jail without bail.