

Early morning fire



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Police and emergency responders watch as smoke pours from the back of a two-family house at 16 Sixth Ave., Gloversville, around 5:45 a.m. today. Firefighters were dispatched at 5:34 a.m. and saw flames in a first-floor apartment, Fire Chief Beth Whitman-Putnam said. The building's only occupant had already escaped, and firefighters were able to rescue her dog, which was treated with oxygen from oxygen masks the department put into service Tuesday, Whitman-Putnam said. The cause of the fire is under investigation.