

Trail derailment causes headaches

A NJ Transit train on its way to New York City from Trenton derailed about a mile short of the Hamilton station on Thursday, Jan. 17.

According to Joe Dee, a NJ transit spokesman, the derailment was not very severe. Dee says

that only one set of wheels came off the track. He compared the incident to a car getting a flat tire.

About 100 passengers were evacuated from the train while crews worked to get the train back on track.

There were no injuries

reported and NJ Transit investigators are still working to determine what caused the derailment.

The derailment shut down the northbound rails at Hamilton Station for several hours. Passengers wishing to take northbound trains from

the Hamilton station were asked to take a southbound train to Trenton and then transfer to a northbound train.

Everything was back to normal in time for the Friday morning commute.