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Police make arrests in shooting investigation

Authorities with the Milledgeville Police Department have made 2 arrests in reference to a shooting that occurred inside Velvet Elvis, 113 West Hancock Street. Patrick Glover, 24 and Anthony Barnes, 30, both from Milledgeville were taken in to custody this morning by MPD detectives in regards to a shooting inside the establishment. Glover is being charged with 2 counts of aggravated assault, possession of a firearm during the commission of a crime, and affray. Barnes faces charges of battery, affray, and giving false statements.

The arrests derive from an investigation by MPD's Criminal Investigations Bureau in to a shooting incident that happened around 1 a.m. May 4. On this date officers received information of possible shots being fired inside Velvet Elvis. Once on the scene, officers learned of two victims, Anthony Barnes and Kelesha Johnson.

In the course of the investigation, detectives were able to recover the weapon used in the shooting. Also, by examining video surveillance footage, detectives were able to determine that the altercation derived from an incident surrounding a female. The case is still open and authorities are still working the investigation. A third warrant, party to the crime of aggravated assault, has been issued for Shafton Hall, 31, of Milledgeville.

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