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Suspect Apprehended for Shooting Incident at The Rock Nightclub

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A suspect was apprehended yesterday for a shooting that took place at The Rock nightclub in February.

On Saturday, February 27th at approximately 3:00 AM, Jacksonville Police officers responded to a report of shots being fired at The Rock, a nightclub located at 2201 North Marine Boulevard. Officers arrived at the scene and found that two people had been shot. The victims were transported to Onslow Memorial Hospital for treatment of their injuries and later released.

Brandon Grant Bell, 28, of 921 Ramsey Road, Jacksonville, was taken into custody by base law enforcement authorities at approximately 2:00 yesterday afternoon during a successful joint operation conducted by Marine Corps Base Provost Marshall's Office, NCIS and Jacksonville Police. Bell attempted to elude arrest, but was quickly apprehended.

Bell is being held without bond at the Onslow County Jail. Charges are as detailed below. The subject was also wanted on a fugitive warrant from California.

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Brandon Grant Bell, 28
921 Ramsey Road
Jacksonville

Assault with A Deadly Weapon with Intent to Kill, Inflicting Serious Injury (2 counts)
Possession of Firearm by a Felon (1 count)

Held without Bond

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