

SUSPECT CLARK WAS A VICTIM OF KIDNAPERS

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Mrs. Clark is supposed to have had with female mediums, Felts claims that one of Clark's most intimate associates was acquainted with a man who is now being sought as an alleged accomplice to Private Detective Byron, who is held in the county jail on a charge of attempting to extort \$500 from Mayor Dudley of Santa Monica.

While the plan for a systematic search for Millionaire Clark was being made today, state and federal officials continued their search to locate Thomas McCullough, alias H. Z. Williams, the clairvoyant, who is charged with defrauding a number of wealthy women in Long Beach. According to Acting Chief of Police Browne in Long Beach, McCullough obtained about \$100,000 from credulous women.

Investigator Felts believes that this man is the ringleader in the alleged organized gang of blackmailers and mediums.

Private Detective Byron was taken to the county jail today. He refused to make any detailed statement to newspaper reporters except to deny all the charges which have been made against him.

Following the arrest of Byron last Thursday, Detective Felts has made an inquiry into the circumstances which preceded his arrest.

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