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Pills Missing In Wellesley Case

WELLESLEY, Mass. (UP) – Fear for the safety of a missing Smith college honor student increased [increased] today with disclosure that a bottle of sleeping pills is missing from her mother's locked cabinet.

Miss Sylvia Plath, 20, disappeared [disappeared] Monday, leaving a note in which she said she was "taking a long walk—will be back tomorrow."

Her mother, Mrs. Aurelia Plath, said the girl was under a doctor's care for nervous exhaustion at the time of her disappearance.

Mrs. Plath said Sylvia, top student in the Smith College junior class last year, had before depressed [depressed] over temporary loss of her ability to write poetry after having several verses published in national [national] magazines.

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