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Missing Student Hunted

Wellesley Girl Vanishes in Lynn

MARBLEHEAD—For the second time this week, a Wellesley girl was reported missing today.

THE GIRL who has vanished this time is Penelope Protze, an 18-year-old blond, who had been working at the Eastern Yacht Club on Marblehead Neck.

She last was seen at 4:30 p.m. yesterday riding through Lynn on her bicycle. A group of fel-

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low [fellow] workers who saw her said she apparently was heading toward [toward] the road to Revere Beach.

MISS PROTZE was reported missing by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Protze of 41 Martin St., Wellesley. They said their daughter, a student at Bouve School in Boston, had left

her job at Marblehead and was supposed to be returning home.

On Wednesday, the first Wellesley girl to be reported missing was found semi-conscious in the cellar of her home. She was Miss Sylvia Plath, 20, a Smith College student, who had been missing for two days.

SHE WAS THE object of a wide police search before she was found suffering from an overdose of sleeping pills.

Miss Protze was described in a police bulletin as an "attracttive [attractive], blue-eyed blond with wavy hair; five feet, six and weighing 135 pounds."

She was wearing a white blouse and a tan flair skirt when she last was seen.

STAYING WITH AUNT

Miss Protze had been staying at the home of an aunt, Miss Emily Thorner, while working at the yacht club. She left Miss Thorner's home, presumably to go home, when she disappeared.

She rode a girl's model bicycle with a Wellesley registration plate.

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