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Missing Co-ed Found

[Photograph of SP wearing necklace and jacket]

[Associated Press Wirephoto)

SYLVIA PLATH

Wellesley, Mass., Aug. 26 (AP)
—A 20 year old Smith college senior who vanished Monday after telling her mother she was going hiking was found today, semi-conscious but apparently uninjured, under the porch of her home.

While searchers fanned out in a widespread search, Sylvia Plath was found by her brother, Warren [Warren], 18, and grandmother, Mrs. Aurelia Schobar, 66, who heard moaning coming from the cellar of their home. The girl was found behind a pile of lumber in a tiny space under the porch, thru which entrance is gained by a two and one-half foot opening about five feet above the cellar floor.

Police Chief Robert McVey said an empty water jar and a container of eight sleeping tablets [tablets] were found by the girl's side. He said the bottle had contained 48 tablets when full. Her mother, Mrs. Aurelia S. Plath, a Boston

university professor, said her daughter recently had been depressed [depressed].

Transcribed by Peter K. Steinberg, 12 September 2016.