

# Not Mercer Again, Escapee Pleads

Evelyn Rizzo, a 28-year-old blonde, who escaped from under the eyes of Mercer Reformatory guards with the aid of an unsuspecting taxi driver, pleaded with Magistrate Thomas Elmore yesterday to be sent to another reformatory.

"Do I have to go back to Mercer . . . can't I go to the Good Shepherd or some place else?" Evelyn asked his worship, "It has to be Mercer," the magistrate replied.

"She's had a pretty grim time," Crown Counsel Frederick Malone said. "She had an unfortunate marriage 10 years ago . . . and got into the rooming house business."

The woman, his worship was told, had hired a taxicab which drove her from the Toronto General Hospital where she left her new-born baby. She was arrested in San Francisco.

She had been sentenced to two years in reformatory for theft and an additional two years for bigamy. For her escape, the woman received an additional two months in Mercer Reformatory.

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## John R. Robinson

Stricken at Gull Lake, Minden, where the family was holidaying, John Robert Robinson, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robinson of 14 Dearbourne Ave., Toronto, died yesterday after a few days illness. Surviving besides his parents are a brother and sister and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jamieson, Port Hope. Funeral services will be held in Port Hope.