

## Toronto Topics

**Q**UOTE more "Toronto Topics" will be rather short and unsatisfactory. When folks will go holiday making they cannot attend to their business properly, though, as usual, our kind friend, Miss Kennedy, has stepped into the breach and acted a mother's part to my girls. But the writer is not the only person out on holiday; several of our city girls are away also, some in Muskoka, others at the Island, while

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Roach's Point, Jackson's Point and Balmy Beach also claim their share. Some have even gone farther afield and crossed the ocean. Of these Louisa Mackey has been away for two months, Bessie Kitton is about leaving, and we do not yet know whether she will come back to us or not. Beatrice Picknell was hoping to go, but has deferred her visit until next year. Of those in Muskoka, Rose Gyde and Elsie Hall are together at Fernside, a large sum-

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