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The book referred to last month, dealing with social and political life at Ottawa, by the Hon. J. D. Edgar, speaker of the House of Commons, is now in the press. It is illustrated by nineteen fine photographs.

A very beautiful publication is shortly to be produced in Canada by Mr. Morang's enterprise. It is a book on North American birds, called "Bird Neighbors," by N. Blanachan. There is an introduction by Prof. John Burrows, who would not put his name to anything that was not excellent in this line of work. It contains the history of a hundred and fifty birds, most common to this continent, and is embellished by fifty colored plates. It is scientific enough without being too technical. The plan followed

is to arrange the descriptions of the birds according to their color as usually observed, so that one is able to identify the bird. The book, which is finely bound, is crown quarto in size and sells for \$2.25.

There is still a steady demand for "The Beth Book," by Mrs. Sarah Grand. The critics are greatly divided as to whether the authoress was justified in presenting such a picture of marriage as she has done, and the book has aroused a great deal of curiosity which helps its sale.

NEW CHEAP MAGAZINES.

Ainslee's Magazine is the name of a new 5c. illustrated monthly published in New York by Howard Ainslee & Co. The first issue appeared in February and contained some excellent material, including short stories by Stanley J. Weyman and Anthony Hope, a number of amusing sketches and some clever verses, the whole being well illustrated. A department devoted to "the stage" contains photos of Julia Marlowe, Chas. Coghlan, May Mannering and other favorites, with sketches of their stage careers. An article on "Ian MacLaren Dramatized," contains much that is interesting. The Montreal News Co. are the trade agents for Canada.

"The Half Hour" is another 5c. monthly that has recently made its appearance. It