

earliest merchants, died at her residence, Island Bay, last week. Mrs. Reeves was born in Dublin, and arrived in New Zealand in the '40's.

The Rev. H. O. Hanby, who is very popular and well-known in Auckland, and who a few weeks ago met with a serious accident on a bush railway in the King Country, which necessitated the amputation of one of his legs below the knee, has made an exceptionally good recovery, and left the Waikato Hospital last week. Besides the terrible injury to his leg, Mr. Hanby received a very severe shock, and his condition at the time was considered critical. The news of his recovery will therefore be very welcome to his numerous friends. Mr. Hanby is at present in Auckland attending the Anglican Synod. On his first appearance at the proceedings he was heartily welcomed by the members, who expressed their deep sympathy with him in the misfortune that he had met with.

THE CAUSE OF ANAEMIA.

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NEW ZEALANDERS ABROAD.

It is announced this week that Captain T. H. Barr, N.Z. Mounted Rifles, during his stay in England, meant to try to put up a world's record for club swinging, and began the attempt at the Masonic Hall, Southend, on September 10th. From 12 o'clock noon that day he hoped to continue swinging until 8 p.m. on September 14th, but gave up the attempt after 30 hours, as there was no audience. He intends to leave for New Zealand on October 10th.

Mr Ronald Gray, of Wellington, son of the late secretary of the Post and Telegraph Department, arrived in London recently, and will stay for about a year studying electrical and mechanical engineering.

Mrs Grace Matthews, of Dunedin, who has been re-visiting the Dominion, has recently returned to England, and is now living with her mother at Sandford, in Hampshire.

Mr and Mrs Barker, of Gisborne, who have been over here since the beginning of the year, and spent most of their holiday in Ireland, return to New Zealand to-day by the Otway.

Mr Norman Perston, of the Bank of New Zealand, Sydney, and Miss Perston, who have been over here for four months, have gone to the Continent, and will leave for home from there, arriving at the end of October.

Sir James Mills, of Dunedin, who has been staying in Scotland, has now returned to London.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Brown, of Nelson, arrived in May, via South America. They have so far visited Scotland, the North of England, and the Midlands, and now leave for the Continent. They sail for home by the a.s. Osterley.

Miss Kershaw, M.A., of the Ashburton High School, is going down to Ashburton

(in Devonshire) to make a presentation from the New Zealand to the English school. Since her arrival in May, Miss Kershaw has toured England and Scotland, and hopes to visit Paris before leaving again in October.

Miss P. Hingworth, of Christchurch, is at present staying with her brother in Yorkshire for a few weeks. After a short stay in England she went to America on a visit to a sister and some friends, and then returned here. She expects to go back to New Zealand via Cape Town before the end of the year.

Mr Fredk. Holmes, of Christchurch, arrived here in June on a motor cycling tour of England. He has so far covered three thousand miles from London to the Lakes district and back, and then to the south of Devon. He goes to Norwich and Yorkshire before sailing for New Zealand by the Osterley in October.

Causes for Divorce.

EARL RUSSELL PLEADS FOR A NEW MARRIAGE LAW.

The English attitude towards divorce is absolutely medieval, declares Earl Russell, in discussing the problem, "When Should Marriage be Dissolved?" in the "English Review."

"From the point of view of the race," he says, "the most important object (of marriage) is, of course, the continuance of the race, while from the point of view of either man or woman of a certain age, probably its chief essential is intimate companionship. To the eye of the sane maker of laws it must seem that the special contract of partnership known as marriage should be dissolved altogether, when it has failed in its object, and when the partners are no longer carrying on business together, but living separately—subject always to the one special difficulty of the partnership assets which have been created in the shape of children.

"When either husband or wife leaves the joint establishment, deserts the home, abandons the children, and is never seen or heard of again, there is a complete destruction of the partnership of marriage as could be caused by death itself. — None of the reasons urged either by the Prayer Book or by more modern writers in favour of the sanctity of the home and the sanctity of the marriage tie remain.

"Yet in these circumstances England almost alone among the nations denies all redress. I have never been able to understand the state of mind of those worthy and pious people who in connection with facts of this nature continue to prate about the sanctity of the home and the terrible effect of allowing marriages to be rashly dissolved.

"If one of the spouses becomes insane and is confined for years in an asylum, what essential of married life remains for the other? It is often argued that there is something noble and touching in the sorrowing spouse waiting patiently some ten or twenty years for the other partner to recover his or her reason.

"No doubt there is, but these acts of exalted sentimentality should be voluntary if they are to have any moral value."

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