

Canada in their legislation [on this point. There the matter was under consideration, and he understood a committee of that House had recommended a longer lease, though they had not yet stated the time.

Mr. BLAKE understood then, that no altered policy would be adopted by the Government between this and the next session.

Hon. Mr. CAMERON—The licenses will be in force during that period.

Mr. BLAKE—The licenses would come up for renewal at an interval between the present session and next. He would desire to know what would be done in the event of the large influx of emigration expected in the newly-opened territory by the Government. Suppose the new-comers over-ran the existing timber limits, would Government exclude any of such lots from the action of the timber licenses?

Hon. Mr. RICHARDS said that was not a point yet decided on.

THE LATE W. L. MACKENZIE,

Mr. McKELLAR moved that a humble address be presented to the Lieutenant-Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to recommend an appropriation of \$4,000 to be paid to Mrs Isabel Mackenzie, widow of the late William Lyon Mackenzie, Esq. for her own sole use and benefit.